



# The COMMUNICATOR

“ WE BUILD ”

PLK WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

May 16th , 2012  
Editor

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**PRESIDENT – FRANK SMITH** – Opened the meeting by leading us in the “Pledge of Allegiance “ And the INVOCATION  
BY: **DEBBIE RUBINO**

## **BIRTHDAY'S**

CHUCK SEELEY MAY 17<sup>TH</sup>

ESTHER COLE MAY 22<sup>ND</sup>

## **CLUB ANNIVERSARIES**

DANA RODERICK 1 YEAR

DALE DIETZ 1 YEAR

## **HAPPY DOLLARS**

**SUE HARDING: \$1** That family in St. Louis got moved into their new house Mother's Day Weekend \$ 1 LeAnn is looking good for getting a new position @ First Merit \$ 1 That though her Mother's foot is broken in 2 places she will not need a cast. \$ 1 That she is getting over her bum leg and will be able to drive to new Orleans for the convention.

**FRANK SMITH \$ 1** Thanking **Vicki Kepnes & Bonnie Smith** for tonight's dinner.

**CHUCK SEELEY \$ 1** - For his birthday.

**VICKI KEPNES: \$1** For Pam Parker who donated 8 bags of items to Tammy's Totes.

**CHARLIE KEPNES: \$1** The Dog Fence is in and training has begun. \$1 For **Vicki** cooking tonight's meal yesterday and saving the club money. \$1 That **Jay Feldman** donated some of his photographs for the Pirate Days Silent Auction/ Reverse Raffle. \$1 - That **Russ Friess** has purchased the 2<sup>nd</sup> table of 8 for Pirate days. \$1 - Tuesday night was a great night for golf.

**LARRY HUNTER - \$1** - That the first Purple martin Egg was spotted on May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2012.

**JERRY SCHROP: \$1** - That his daughter graduated from St. Joseph's College and the entire family was able to attend. \$ 1 - That he is leaving for Hilton Head next week.

## **SOCIAL EVENTS**

**AL GRZESCHIK - AERO'S OUTING** – to be held Friday **June 8<sup>th</sup>, 2012**. Game time: 7:05pm The Akron Aeros will be playing against Altuna (curve ) Pirates. We now have approximately 46 people attending this game. For everyone who purchased tickets in advance **Al Grzeschik** will have them at this coming Wednesday's meeting.

**For those who did not purchase Tickets in advance you can still purchase tickets at the gate at a cost of \$ 10.00.**

## **SPECIAL DINNER**

**REMINDER;** Wednesday May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2012 - We are hosting the **Scholarship Awards Dinner** @ Civic Center, Time: 6:30pm. For the Four students & their Families from Manchester & Coventry High Schools who were awarded the Scholarships. The students are as follows:

*COVENTRY – ALLISON PULLEY and ERIC ASHLEY*

*MANCHESTER – JACLYN EIDOM and RACEL HARBARGER*

**CLUB & COMMITTEE ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**PIG ROAST** - We will be hosting the Pig Roast on June 6<sup>th</sup> 2012 @ 6:30 pm- Tickets will be at a cost of \$ 15.00 each + one covered dish or dessert per family. Please contact **PHIL PINNOW** to make reservations and get your tickets. You can either see Phil at a meeting on Wednesday night at the civic center or contact him @ 330-644-052.

**NOMINATING COMMITTEE:** **Tom Burge** presented the following nominee's for open positions within the club:

**PRESIDENT:** **AL GRZESCHIK**

**PRESIDENT ELECT:** **JEFF GOODWIN**

**PAST PRESIDENT:** **FRANK SMITH**

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS:** **JUANITA GEHM, CHUCK SEELY & DR. PHIL PINNOW**

Club members voted and all nominations were accepted.



**PIRATE DAYS**

We have a very short time until "*Pirate Days Reverse Raffle/ Silent Auction*" which will be held at "Prime 93, on July 21<sup>st</sup>, 2012 . The doors will open at 5:30 pm with Festivities beginning at 6:00 pm. **TICKETS ARE GOING QUICKLY.....** **PLEASE CONTACT: ESTHER COLE @ PHONE: 330-414-7021**

or by e-mail @ [ercole275@att.net](mailto:ercole275@att.net) to get **GRUB TICKETS** for only \$ 35.00 or **GRUB + RAFFLE TICKET** for only \$100.00. Invite your friends and family to join you in what promises to be a fun filled evening and purchase a **TABLE OF 8** for \$ 345.00. ( which includes 1 – Raffle + Grub Ticket and 7 Grub Tickets. )

This weekend promises to be filled with fun for people of all ages: **Pontoon Boat Tours, Poker run and Treasure Hunt for the kids** followed by a **Pontoon Boat ride around Treasure Island, Dragon Boat Rides, Vessel Safety Checks and Child Safety Vest Exchange Program.**

Please visit the website @ [www.plkiwanis.org](http://www.plkiwanis.org) for dates and times of events for the weekend.

The poster's, flyers and post cards announcing all events will be ready for distribution shortly. A special Thanks to **CHUCK SEELEY** for all of his hard work on this project.

**AL GRZESCHIK** - Is putting together an advertising booklet. If you would like to purchase an ad, or know someone who would - **PLEASE** contact **Al** for details and pricing

**TOM BURGE:** **Rose Day KICK OFF - TOM** - announced this evening that Rose Day Kick Off meeting will be held on - Wednesday, August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2012.

**Div 16 & 20 FAMILY PICNIC**

Will be held **July 28<sup>th</sup>, 2012** in Green @ Greensburg Park. This should be a fun time for all interested in attending. Please see **Sue Harding** as she has a signup sheet for anyone who is planning on attending.

**KIWANIS** will be having a **Webinar** on May 22nd. The topic is " Experience the Big Easy, What to expect at ICON. " You must be pre registered. And you can pre register at <https://www2.gotomeeting.com/register/721799634>

**Also please don't forget to go to the International website @**

[www.KiwanisOne.com/proposedclubbylaws](http://www.KiwanisOne.com/proposedclubbylaws). Review the proposed changes to the Bylaws and contact Vicki Kepnes or Sue Harding with your suggestions or comments. This is very important as a lot of it will affect members

within our club.

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**Dates to Remember IN MAY**

May is membership month

- May 23<sup>rd</sup>, 2012 Regular Meeting & Scholarship Dinner ( please contact Vicki Kepnes for reservations no later than Monday 5-20-2012
- May 30<sup>th</sup>, 2012 Regular Meeting / Board Meeting.
- June 4<sup>th</sup>, 2012 Pirate Days Meeting: Time: 6:30pm, Location to be announced
- June 6<sup>th</sup>, 2012 Pig Roast Location : Civic Center, Time - 6:30 pm Reservations Required - See **Dr. Phil Pinnow** for tickets ( Reminder Tickets are \$ 15.00 plus a covered dish per family )
- June 8<sup>th</sup>, 2012 Akron Areos game with Fireworks
- June 18<sup>th</sup>, 2012 Pirate Days Meeting - Time 6:30pm, Location: To be Announced.
- June 27<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup> **Kiwanis International Convention in New Orleans.**
- July 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2012 Pirate Days meeting: Time: 6:30pm, Location: To be Announced

*If you haven't done it yet: Send all address, name & phone number changes to Sue Harding so that she may get the roster corrected.*

*Please take time to check the web @ [www.plkiwanis.org](http://www.plkiwanis.org) which has this newsletter in addition to a calendar listing future guest speakers and other events, and photo's.*

*Or find us on Facebook*

**HAVE YOU TAKEN THE TIME TO:** Get your Pig Roast Tickets and Pirate Days Reverse Raffle Tickets both are on sale now.

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