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## President's Corner

Greeting fellow members, I hope you are well. At our last Membership meeting I had the privilege of presenting the 2017 "Lifetime Achievement Award to our friend, and longtime member Jim Tiemann. Jimmy has been a Regular, or Waterfowl member for years, and will soon go to Senior status. He's served on the board, been Duck Chairman, and is currently our Club's Vice President. Mr. Tiemann has volunteered for special events, Club interior, and exterior updates. Including assisting in installing the new water heater, new hot water line to the bar, sewer line repair, painting the interior, and bringing his own equipment to mow, and clean our grounds. Therefore, I will also name him our "Volunteer of the Month". Congratulations Jimmy you've earned it.

Feb.5<sup>th</sup>, will be the Clubs Super Bowl Party. As usual we encourage members to bring a food item of your choice for the potluck. There's also a signup sheet in the bar for food items. Check out Heathers blog for current details. Should be a fun day for all.

This time of the year is especially busy for our "Membership" Chairman, Dave Herzog. Please remember to send back the return envelope with your information, and dues payment. You may also bring payment to the Club. Be sure to ask for a receipt, especially if you pay cash for any dues, or fees. Dues are due by Jan. 31<sup>st</sup>. As of this writing there are 525 members who have rejoined for 2017, and as usual we will see a big rush the last week of the month. Remember, it's never too late to sign up for ACH payments. It's easy, safe, and convenient. No need to remember to pay on time, or those pesky late fees. ACH covers dues, pad fees, and P.H. Daily Fees. Currently over 100 of our members use ACH. Please contact me if you wish to use ACH.

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## Volunteer of the Month

The February volunteer  
of the month is  
Jim Tiemann.  
Congratulations Jim!

## Trap House Rental

Members may only rent the trap house for someone else if that person is an immediate family member (i.e., parent, grandparent, great grandparent, step parent, son, daughter, or in-law).

## President's Corner, Continued

In closing let me mention people rarely highlighted, that's our employees. When you sit down for a drink, and food whether in the dining room, or Lakeside lounge, you are being served by employees who work for tips, as well as an hourly rate. So please consider this before you leave, and tip accordingly. If you have issues with your food, or service, ask for Operations Manager Heather Gant so she can resolve the issue. Our kitchen crew works hard in a tough environment to deliver quality food to our members and guests. I believe we have some of the best food in town, at affordable prices. So please, if you have any issues bring them to Heather, Greg Naughton, or me.

Thanks for your time and patronage.

Brad Brands  
President  
(618)419-1148 or bradcbbrands@hotmail.com

## Lifetime Achievement Award

During the January Membership Meeting, President Brad Brands presented this year's Lifetime Achievement Award to Jim Tiemann. Jim has been a member for over 30 years, is the Club's current Vice President, and is always one of the first to volunteer for any Club project. Congratulations Jim!



## Club 2017 Golf Tournament

If you're a golfer, the Club's annual 4-person team (men, women or mixed) golf tournament has been scheduled at Rolling Hills GC on Sunday, June 11<sup>th</sup>. There will be a shotgun start at 10:00am, with multiple flights. The \$75/player entry fee is due at registration and covers golf, cart, cash prizes and food served at the Club after golfing has concluded. This fundraiser is again being organized by the Curlovic brothers (Jim, Bill and Andy). If you have any questions, call Bill at 618-444-8719. See the flyers posted in the Club for additional details.

## Calendar of Events

Check out our happy hour specials Tuesday—Saturday!

February 5—SuperBowl Pot Luck

February 14—Sweetheart Supper

June 11—Golf Tournament

## Happy Birthday To.....



Happy Birthday to: 1- Russell Billings IV;  
2- Michael Reese; 3- Robert Boston, Terry Leto  
Metz, Bob Wall, Brian Zirkelbach; 4- Julie  
Grammer-McNear; 5- David Gillean, Toby  
Henese, John Kubiak; 6- Clement Williams, Pat  
Wrischnik; 8- Jon Schmoeller; 9- Elvin  
Breitweiser, Larry Buhs; 10- Floyd Baker, Ronald  
Carter, Richard Swift; 11- Jaime Dwiggin;  
12- David Herzog, Scot Lee; 13- Vic Christian,  
Robert Schneider; 14- James MacDonald, Jr.,  
Charles Smith; 15- David Plunk, Eric Wendle;  
16- Lisa Easley, Billie Kiel, Carl Seidler;  
17- Walter Stark; 19- John Day, Dan Pichee;  
20- Henry Vize; and , 26- Keith Highfill.

## Have You Changed Your Address?

If you have changed your email address , phone number or your mailing address, please be sure to notify the Club.

## Dining Room Operation

For parties of eight (8) or more, we ask that you please call ahead.

The Dining Room Staff

## Club News

I hope everyone is enjoying the New Year. Happy Hour is in full swing in the Lakeside Lounge. If you haven't stopped out to partake, please do so soon. A "Happy Hour" menu has been created with some of our yummy food items and beverages. Remember, Happy Hour is from 3p.m.—6p.m. Tuesdays through Saturdays. We are also having a selected cocktail on special for the day. Please make sure to ask your bartender/server what the drink of the day is.

Come join the Super Bowl fun and root your favorite team on with us! Bring a covered dish or dessert. Please sign up in Lakeside Lounge if you plan on attending. The following will be on special in the lounge that day:

|                      |                |
|----------------------|----------------|
| \$10 buckets of beer | \$1.50 drafts  |
| \$3 Bloody Marys     | \$7 TJs pizzas |

Stumped for Valentine's Day? Bring your sweetheart out for dinner with us. If you would like to join us for this special night, please call and make your reservation at 618-466-3042.

As of February 21, we will be serving our "All You Can Eat Fried Chicken" buffet. This buffet will be served every Tuesday starting at 5p.m. The dining room will be open for this evening. Menu changes will be coming soon, so be watching. Chef Jim has added some new items that are absolutely delicious!

I would like to give Dave Herzog my "manager's" spot for this month. Dave works diligently as the Club Membership Secretary and is a wonderful volunteer at Bingo. Enjoy your parking spot Dave! Thank you for all that you do here! You are appreciated.

Always,  
Heather Gant  
Operations Manager

## SNY Members—Keeping You Posted

The next meeting is February 7th at 6:30PM.

Upcoming weekends at Pleasant Hill are:

- February 3-5: Camo Weekend
- February 17-19: Boy Scouts Weekend
- February 24-26: Baby Camo Weekend

First quarter pad fees are due by March 31. There are currently trailer spots available. Contact Scott Schweitzer if you are interested.

If you are interested in upgrading to a Regular Member, contact Sherry Cowen with Bingo and she will help you get your volunteer hours in. Get your trailer work day in early this year. Firewood is always needed for the clubhouse. Contact Scott for more information on trailer owner work days.

As always, please keep your area clean. Please keep your sewer caps and valves closed. Don't forget to turn off your electric heaters when leaving Pleasant Hill.

## February Lunch Specials

- Feb. 1: Stuffed green peppers served w/mashed potatoes
- Feb. 2: Chili mac served w/ toasted garlic bread
- Feb. 3: Tuna melt on sour dough served w/fruit salad
- Feb. 6: Grilled ham & cheese w/bacon on croissant served w/ potato salad
- Feb. 7: Spaghetti & meatballs w/salad & garlic bread
- Feb. 8: Smothered pork chop served w/scalloped potatoes & vegetable
- Feb. 9: French dip served w/steak fries
- Feb. 10: Catfish nuggets served w/mac & cheese
- Feb. 13: Roast beef on texas toast w/pepperjack cheese & fries
- Feb. 14: Swedish meatballs served over egg noodles
- Feb. 15: Pulled pork sandwich served w/spaghetti casserole
- Feb. 16: Mini chef salad w/cup of broccoli cheese soup
- Feb. 17: Beer battered cod served w/tomato basil slaw
- Feb. 20: Buffalo chicken sandwich served w/loaded fries
- Feb. 21: Taco salad—beef or chicken
- Feb. 22: Chicken & dumplings
- Feb. 23: Supreme pizza burger served w/Italian wedge salad
- Feb. 24: Fried shrimp served w/steamed broccoli
- Feb. 27: Braunschwagger sandwich served on rye w/red onion, horseradish mustard, & hot German potato salad
- Feb. 28: Baked lemon pepper chicken served w/rice pilaf & vegetable

## Camper Care

Let's try to keep our campsites looking good.



## Sweetheart Supper



Valentine's Day 2017

\$25.00 per Person

Includes: Appetizer Buffet, 1 Entrée, 2 Sides, and  
a Dessert

### Entrée's

Pepperloin, Bacon Wrapped Filet, Ribeye, Grilled  
Artichoke Chicken, Chicken Marsala, Smothered  
Chicken, Baked Salmon Scampi, Stuffed Shrimp,  
Cajun Chicken & Shrimp Pasta, Broccoli & Cheese  
Pasta

### Appetizer Buffet

Shrimp Cocktail, Toasted Ravioli, Broccoli  
Cheddar Bites, Swedish Meatballs

### Side Selection

Zucchini Stuffed with Ginger Carrots, Vegetable  
Medley, Steamed Broccoli with Lemon Garlic  
Butter, Loaded Baked Potato, Dinner or Caesar  
Salad

### Desserts

Assorted Cheesecakes with Chocolate Covered  
Strawberries

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| Sun                          | Mon                   | Tue  | Wed  | Thu                 | Fri  | Sat  |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|--|--|---------------------|--|--|
|                              |                       |  | 1<br>Open Faced Roast<br>Beef w/Mashed<br>Potatoes, Gravy &<br>Vegetable<br>\$9.99 | 2<br>BINGO<br>6:30  | 3<br>Salmon Scampi<br>w/2 sides<br>\$17.99   | 4<br>Salmon Scampi<br>w/2 sides<br>\$17.99   |
| 5<br>Lakeside Lounge<br>1-8  | 6<br>Queen of Hearts  | 7<br>SNY Meeting<br>6:30<br>Limited Menu<br>4-7:30               | 8<br>Pasta Prosciutto<br>w/Salad<br>\$9.99   | 9<br>BINGO<br>6:30  | 10<br>Cod Oscar<br>w/2 Sides<br>\$15.99      | 11<br>Cod Oscar<br>w/2 Sides<br>\$15.99      |
| 12<br>Lakeside Lounge<br>1-8 | 13<br>Queen of Hearts | 14<br>Board<br>Meeting<br>6:30<br><br>Sweetheart Supper          | 15<br>Gyros w/1 Side<br>\$8.99   | 16<br>BINGO<br>6:30 | 17<br>Prime Rib<br>w/2 Sides<br>\$18.99      | 18<br>Prime Rib<br>w/2 Sides<br>\$18.99      |
| 19<br>Lakeside Lounge<br>1-8 | 20<br>Queen of Hearts | 21<br>Regular<br>Meeting<br>6:30<br>AYCE Fried Chicken<br>Buffet | 22<br>Sicilian Pork<br>Ka-bobs w/1 Side<br>\$6.99                                  | 23<br>BINGO<br>6:30 | 24<br>Stuffed Shrimp<br>w/2 Sides<br>\$16.99 | 25<br>Stuffed Shrimp<br>w/2 Sides<br>\$16.99 |
| 26<br>Lakeside Lounge<br>1-8 | 27<br>Queen of Hearts | 28<br>AYCE Fried Chicken<br>Buffet                               |  |                     |  |  |

#### Dining Room Hours:

Sun, Mon, Tues: Closed

Wed-Thurs: 5:00 pm—8:00 pm

Fri & Sat: 5:00 pm—9:00 pm

#### Lakeside Lounge Hours:

Sun: 1:00 pm—8:00 pm

Mon-Sat: 11:00 am—12:30 am

Bar Menu Served on Tues-Sat from 11:00 am—7:30 pm

**Office Hours: Tues-Fri: 9:00—5:00**