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**President's Report**

Hello, Jaycees!

We are all right in the middle of yet another summer, with some of our biggest and most exciting projects of the year right in front of us. Flags on High is going strong, and the Pig Roast is scheduled for August 19 this year. We could use some more bodies to help out with both projects, so don't be shy about calling in and offering your support!

I am happy to say that we have a strong membership base right now, and we have a couple new prospective members in the wings. Now would be an excellent time to bring your friends to a meeting! As an incentive for bringing a guest to the July 18 meeting, I will give an instant lottery ticket for each prospective you bring!

Yours in Jaycees  
John Skaggs  
Chapter President

## *External VP News*

Flags on High has a new chairperson. Kym Shaw is new to this project but feels strongly for this great community service. This is a great project to show your patriotism for your country. Thank you, Kym!

Yours in JC Spirit,  
Brent Shaw  
External Vice President

### **Membership**

WANTED: Members 18-39 years old  
Hair: Doesn't matter  
Eyes: Hopefully, but negotiable  
Height: Not too tall, not too short  
Weight: If you don't tell, we won't ask

We are looking for people who want to feel good. Sunny disposition for the most part, mixed with a combination of love for community service and fun times. If this sounds like someone you know, bring them to our next meeting, which will be held on Tuesday, July 18 at 7:30pm!

Brent Shaw  
External VP

### *Come and "Bloom" with the Jaycee Garden Club*

The North Columbus Jaycees have been given a wonderful opportunity to help in the 161 corridor. The Northland Community Council has asked for help maintaining their flower boxes on 161. This is a great project to show our community involvement. The box has been cleaned and is in the process of being planted and decorated. Thanks to all who have helped out so far. Our flower box is located at the NE corner of Forest Hills Blvd. and 161. Plantland Garden Center has donated a \$100 gift certificate for us to use on bedding materials. Call if you are interested in helping out.

Kevin Kowalsky

## **Flags on High**

Flags went up for the 4<sup>th</sup>, and are still up at the time this article is being written. We are due to take them down the week of July 10. They will go back up again the week of August 28 in time for Labor Day and remain up through Patriot's Day on the 11<sup>th</sup> of September. We will wrap up this year's Flags on High Project in November with flags going up November 1 in honor of Election Day and remain up through Veteran's day. If you have a pick up truck, we could use a second truck to make this project go a lot faster. We have the equipment to run two trucks. It only takes 5 people to run one crew. So with 10 people and two trucks, we could be done in about an hour. We only have four more trips left for this project. If we could get just a few more members to help out, it will be a huge success!

Yours in Jaycee Spirit  
Kym Shaw  
Project Chair

## **Pig Roast**

Come one, come all- it's Pig Roast time! Starting Friday, August 18<sup>th</sup> at 6pm we will commence cooking for the annual Pig Roast. If cooking, consuming beverages, throwing the bull and eating sound up your alley, come on out and pitch in with cooking during the evening on Friday or help out on Saturday, or both! Bring your toothbrush and pillow and stay over for a great time. We could use everyone's help and if you do, your first beer is on us (Brent and John). Seriously, this is a rewarding project that fills the spirits of our residents. This project only happens when we all help out. Your time is of great value to us, and we appreciate your help.

Brent Shaw  
John Skaggs

## **State Director's Report**

The chapter is planning its next visitation to either Lancaster or Hilliard. The last one was a new experience for me and I look forward to going again. Also the August All-State will be held in Columbus, on August 11, 12 and 13. See the attached flyer for details. More information at the next meeting.

Kevin Kowalsky  
State Director

## **Webmaster**

The website is still being updated, with the new site under construction. Things have been going slow with the new site due to time constraints. One thing holding us up is setting up the "Member Only Area". Stop by and check the site out. Make any suggestions or corrections you feel are needed.

Steve Kowalsky

## **Newsletter Editor**

Remember articles are due by the 25<sup>th</sup> of each month. I have added an American flag to two unknown newsletters this month. Last months went unclaimed, so we carried it over for the July meeting. If you receive one of these newsletters, show up at one of the July meetings with the newsletter and receive a \$10 gas card. Thanks to Steve Kowalsky for the donation.

**Next Newsletter Articles due – June 25**

Jeffrey K. Taniguchi  
Newsletter Editor

## Junior Jaycee News

The Junior Jaycee Members have lots of great ideas and fun activities planned. On June 28<sup>th</sup> the kids are planning a movie night. It will take place at The Screens near 161/71. Once movie times are listed for that day we will call the roster with details.

A kickball game/dinner social is also being planned. The date is tentatively scheduled for Tuesday, September 12. We would love to see some perspective members and well as current members attend.

We are also looking forward to Zach's' upcoming murder mystery evening. Please check the website and your newsletter for details.

If you have school age children who are interested in participating in the Junior Jaycees please let me know.

Best,  
Amy Harcar

**Service to humanity is the best work of life!**



August 11, 12 & 13th

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City and Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Region: \_\_\_\_\_ Chapter: \_\_\_\_\_

Member of 2006 Exec Committee? Yes or No

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Located at the *Comfort Inn – Columbus*  
1213 East Dublin Granville Rd,  
Columbus, OH 43017

**Room Rate: \$89/night plus tax**

**Call 614-885-4084 to reserve a room**  
Tell them you are with the Ohio Jaycees  
**MUST book rooms by July 10th, 2006**

Make checks payable to: **OHIO JAYCEES**  
Mail to: Teresa Shoffner, Po Box 447,  
Logan, OH 43138  
Questions: Please call 740-380-0783

State Registration (required):	\$10.00
Friday Night Party:	\$5.00
Saturday Night Party:	\$5.00
<b>Full Registration:</b>	<b>\$20.00</b>

<b>Late fee after 07-31-06</b>	<b>\$3.00</b>
<b>Full Registration with late fee</b>	<b>\$23.00</b>

**Friday Night Party:** 9pm – 2am  
Music and Karaoke

**FIRST TIMERS WILL BEGIN  
ON FRIDAY EVENING** around  
9:30 or so near the Registration  
Tables – watch for more info.

**Saturday Night Events:**  
7 – 10pm – Awards  
10pm – 2am – Party with Costume  
Contest – dress as your favorite  
Character from The Love Boat



The hotel does not have a  
restaurant on site. Please  
plan to have lunch  
provided by the Jaycees!

**Lunch \$5.00  
Saturday**

The hotel does not have a liquor license!

Please plan to bring your own beverages  
for the weekend!