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# President's Report

Hello, Jaycees! We are finally heading into summer, and we are smack in the middle of our Flags on High project. A dedicated group of Jaycees and friends, giving their own blood sweat and tears (literally in some cases), reassembled the cleaned flags in May, and many of the same folks helped hang them. I'd like to thank Sharon, Jeff, Brent, Kym, Kelly, Kevin and Joel for their efforts!

Connie and Brent's Birthday Bash Bus Trip was well attended and a ton of fun! We tested the speed and endurance of mixologists in several fine establishments including The Ruckmoor Lounge, The Rendezvous Lounge, Oldfield's, Scotch and Soda, and the Hey Hey bar, a place so nice they named it twice! Everyone had a great time; we picked up two riders along the way, one of which is now a prospective member. In attendance from Ohio Jaycees were Robin Bethel and Walt Smith, who had an awful lot of fun for having to be up and on the road at 7am!

I am happy to announce that we have made new additions to the chapter- Stephanie Franks, Mike Thomae and Doug Kuypers. Doug and his wife Beth had an addition of their own, bringing baby daughter Lilly Kuypers home to meet her two brothers in May.

I am excited to see what summer brings the North Columbus Jaycees, and invite you all to come and help us discover what those things might be!

Till next month!

Yours in Jaycees, John Skaggs President

#### Internal VP News

#### **Clipper Tickets**

The tickets are going fast! But it's not too late to get your very own Columbus Clippers tickets. Why not enjoy one of America's favorite pastimes? Its fun for all ages and don't forget the world famous "Dime a Dog" nights. Members have the opportunity to purchase tickets for \$3 from the resident in apartment 310. The tickets would be good for any game and can be upgraded at the gate.

#### Money - Money- Money, It's a Rich Mans World!

It is time to start thinking how you will contribute to the chapter this year. We are in need of motivated individuals to propose fundraisers and individual development projects. You can be as creative as you want for either of these topics and stretch yourself as an individual. Remember the Jaycees are about continuous learning in the areas of leadership and development. This is a great opportunity to leave your mark on not only the chapter but also the community. Please contact either myself or President John with your ideas. Thanks!

#### There has been a MURDER at the NCJC's

Zack Kassor will be hosting a Murder Mystery Dinner to profit the Hurricane Katrina recovery fund. He has done much work preparing for the event writing lists of items needed (starting with candy and ending with ice cream) and preparing props. The date of the project is being moved once again as Zack will be in Florida on the original date. Please watch for the new date which will be set at the next chapter meeting.

Kelly Kassor Internal Vice President

#### External VP News

A fun time for the whole family. Come to the Columbus Clippers game Friday, June 16<sup>th</sup> at 6:30pm. Call me for tickets by June 12<sup>th</sup>. Perspective members are **FREE**, while chapter members are first come first served.

Yours in JC Spirit,

Brent Shaw
External Vice President

#### 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. There will be upcoming information as to when we will be cleaning and replanting the flower box. Thanks to Stephanie Franks, our newest member for stepping up to co-chair this worthwhile project. 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. Cal if you are interested in helping out.

Kym Shaw Secretary

### Pancake Breakfast

We are now having the Pancake Breakfast 1 time a year and it will be held at the Jaycee Village, on June the 3<sup>rd</sup>. We will meet at 8:30 to start fixing food and will run from 9am to 12 noon. So if you would like to help, please give me a call at (XXX) XXX-XXXX. Thanks for your help.

Sharon Arnold
Treasurer
sharonarn1439@sbcglobal.net

#### It's a grand Ol' Flag

Thanks to Joel Harcar, Jeff Eason, Sharon Arnold and Kelly Kassor the Flags went up for Memorial Day and will remain up through Flag Day. High Street is looking good with all the Red - White - & Blue waving. The team was just able to beat the rain that came as they were finishing up near Morse Road. The team got a standing ovation and several waves and honks from area supporters and as Sharon reminded us that is one of the reasons we do the project for the community.

For this project to be a continued success there will need to be a commitment from others in the chapter to assist in getting the flags up and down as planned. We need you to help so the team is rotated out rather than burned out. Also, there are about 15 brackets that are in need of replacement or reattaching. If you are able to help in any way please contact John Skaggs for coordination.

## **State Director's Report**

The chapter made its first visitation in many years to the Newark Jaycees on Monday, May 15<sup>th</sup>. They met at the Elks Lodge in downtown Newark. Chapter members in attendance were John and Connie Skaggs, Joel and Amy Harcar, Claire Hernandez and Steve Kowalsky. In June I would like to visit the Lancaster Jaycees. More information at the next meeting.

Kevin Kowalsky statedirector@northcolumbusjaycees.org

#### **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 webmaster@northcolumbusjaycees.org

### Newsletter Editor

Remember articles are due by the 25<sup>th</sup> of each month. I have added an American flag to one unknown newsletter. If you receive this newsletter, show up at one of the June 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@northcolumbusjaycees.org

# **Junior Jaycees**

WHEN: 1st Tuesday of Every month @ 7:00p.m.

WHERE: Jaycee Village 5905 Beechcroft Rd.

WHY: To get Junior Jaycees to help lead our chapter and to recognize them for their accomplishments!



# We Believe:

That faith in God gives meaning and purpose to human life,

That the brotherhood of man transcends the sovereignty of nations,

That economic justice can best be won by free men through free enterprise,

That government should be of laws rather than of men,

That earth's great treasure lies in human personality,

# And

That service to humanity is the best work of life!

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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
				1	2	Pancake Breakfast  @ Jaycee Village
4	5	Chapter Meeting 7:30 Jaycee Village	7	8	9 Murder Mystery Party 7:00	10
11	12	Board Meeting 7:30 Jaycee Village	14	15 Flags On High Flags down	Columbus Clipper's Game 7:25	17
18 Father's Day	19	20 Chapter Meeting 7:30 Jaycee Village	First Day Of Summer	22	23	24
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