#### SHADE COMMUNITY CENTER

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# SCCA News

## Valentines Dinner

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The fifth annual Valentines Dinner is scheduled for **Saturday**, February 11, 2012 from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm.

Following dinner, music will be provided by Remember Then.

clude entrée (your choice of chopped sirloin or baked chicken breast). baked potato, green beans,



salad, rolls, drinks and cheesecake for dessert. Price is \$12 for adults and \$6 for children 12 and under.

**Reservations** are required. Call **Jerry Foster at 590-0408** for tickets or additional information.

## **Special points of**

- Valentines Dinner
- · Officers elected at December meeting.
- December Events
- Lodi Township Historical Crossword
- Membership Form

Meal will in-

#### **New Officers**

New Officers to serve the SCCA during 2012 are to be installed at the January meeting.

Those elected at the December meeting include President Pat Davidson. Vice **President** Peggy Rist, **Recording** 

**Secretary** Debbie McAdoo. Corresponding Secretary Fran Moxley and **Treasurer** Alex Couladis.

The Shade
Community
Center sponsored a Holiday Bazaar on
Saturday,
December 3
from 10:00 am
to 3:00 pm.
Vendors displayed a
large variety
of items, including spe-

## Holiday Bazaar

cial one-of-a-kind handcrafted items from Lodi Township.

As a fund raiser, the community center sold "That's My Pan", personalized pans and kitchen utensils.

"This year's bazaar was more profitable for the center than last year. There was a pretty good turnout. All of the vendors said that they did well and sold items," says Jerry Foster, Chairman of the Holiday Bazaar. According to Jerry, 29 spaces were rented with a profit of \$250 for table rentals. Grace Dorst organized

food for the kitchen and made \$257 in donations. In addition, \$35 of Jerseyville apple butter was sold. Thanks to all of those who made this a success.



Lucy Hawk from the Shade United Methodist Church

#### Christmas Potluck

The SCCA Annual Community

Center
Christmas Party
Potluck
was held
on Sunday, December
11 at



Kenny Sams and Betty Snow –
Rosser

2:00 p.m. Members enjoyed a holiday potluck dinner and games. Even though he was very busy, a special appearance was made by Santa himself. Santa passed out gifts to all the good girls and boys of the community (and I heard that there were many).



Roger and Ruth Hawk enjoying a

Potluck meal

## First Wrestling Match

Allan Snyder, grandson of Rose and Manuel Grueser, is pictured in his first match of the season on December 15, 2011 at Shade competing against Vinton County. Alexander Youth Wrestling is practicing and hosting home meets at the center. Practices are on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 6—8 pm.

Come out and support our youth!

#### Schedule

Jan. 10—Alexander Versus Trimble 6:00 pm

Jan. 25—Alexander Versus Athens 6:30 pm

Feb. 1—Alexander Versus Morgan County 6:30 pm

Feb. 7 Alexander Versus Trimble (at Trimble)

Feb. 19 Tournament (OU Convocation Center) all day



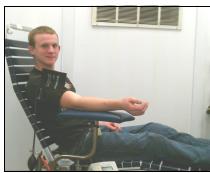
#### Red Cross Blood Drive

The Red Cross Blood Mobile was on site at the community center during the Holiday Bazaar on Saturday, December 3 from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. SCCA met 45.50% of their collection goal during this drive.

According to Rhonda Meeks, it is vitally important for people to give blood, especially during the winter months. Sickness, the rush of the holiday season and bad weather causes a decline of blood donations at this time of year. The need, however, increases.

We want to thank those who were able to give the gift of life during this Christmas season. The Shade Community plays such a vital role in supporting patients in need.





Trett Foster giving the gift of life.

#### In Memoriam

#### **Caryl Ruth**

August 24, 1926 -November 24, 2011

### Eleanor Hawk

February 2, 1924 - December 9, 2011

#### Nina Kirk

August 18, 19-December 11, 2011



# Summary of December Meeting

Pat Davidson called the December 14, 2011 meeting of the SCCA to order with 42 members present. All participated in the Pledge of Allegiance.

A review of the bylaws was read by Fran Moxley in preparation for the election.

The treasurer's report was circulated with the checking account balance as of November 30, 2011 at \$15,182.80. Profit and loss statements were also made available.

The Maintenance Committee reported that the furnace in the cafeteria was not operating and that they were waiting on estimates for replacement.

The History Group reported

that they would be celebrating with a Christmas potluck on December 20, 2011.

Jerry Foster reported that the Christmas Bazaar generated approximately \$500, having 25 paid tables with four tables being used by the SCCA and SSCA.

Tammy Foster reported that the sales from "That's My Pan" earned the center \$172.

After further research, Walter Jones recommended that the center not purchase the four-camera security system originally considered, as it provides limited coverage with poor quality pictures.

Officers were elected (see page one for results).

A proposal was brought to the floor by Grace Dorst, on behalf of the Shade Methodist Church.

They would like to pursue a combined effort between the church and the SCCA to provide community meals on a regular basis. A committee was formed to discuss options.

A proposal was made to purchase new marquee letters for the sign in front of the center. The cost would be \$75 per set. After checking current status, the SCCA will purchase what is needed.

To save energy and money, the walk-in cooler will be turned off until February.

There was a brief discussion of the 2012 "Lost in Lodi" Motorcross event to be held July 29, 2012. Decisions on the center's involvement with food and entertainment will be made at a later time.

Ray Baker motioned to adjourn the meeting seconded by Robin Krivesti. Page 4 SCCA News

## History Christmas Party

By Brenda Ruth and Gail Jordan

More than twenty people attended the history Christmas party and enjoyed a potluck of holiday treats. All also enjoyed a quiz about Lodi Township. Even the most hardcore of the local historians said that they learned something. Maybe you will too.



#### Civil War Letter

Submitted by Brenda Ruth

The following is the third in a series of letters written during the Civil War by M.W. Haning. Mr. Haning was an ancestor of SCCA member Bill Cooley, who donated the letters to the Shade-Lodi History and Genealogy Association. Carrie Ator-James transcribed the letter.

In camp 15 miles south of the river July the 7th

Dear father and mother

I now take my pen in hand to let you know that I am well and hearty at present. Hope this few lines may find you injoying the same blessing. We left Murpheeborg June the 26th this is the 7th we have been driving old Brag right along ever since and he has out run us and got a cross the Cumberland Mountains going towards Chatineugha. I think he will make a stand there. But it he does he's gave up. Well hope you do not

think hard of a fellow for not riting sooner for it rained the first day that we started and every day since but one out of 15 days we have had one dry day and some of the hardest rains that I ever saw all my life we had a right of skirmishing to do but no hard fighting. I have not had a letter from you since the 18th of June or bout that time. Have got one from Vince and Lydia and Mary they said you had got the first letter after I got to Murpheeborg but I have not got it yet. We are about 18 miles from Talliharna South of it. We are not in a settled camp yet we have just stopped until the supplies comes to us. Well I must tell you of the good news that we got Gen. Mead has captured 2000 of Lee's army and that Grant has taken Vicksburg with 20,000 prisoners. There was sure awful cheering

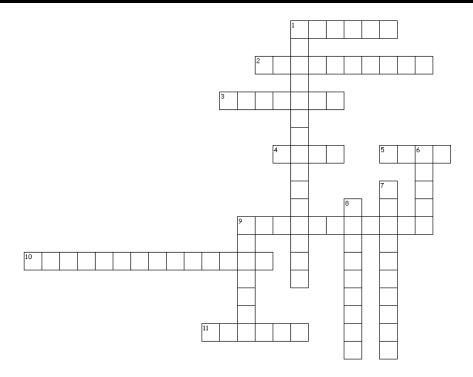
when this came to us you could hear them firing salutes in many directions. I think that the Southern Confederacy is just A Bout Gav up for 60 days. I think in six months that the south won't have no army at tal. Well have nothing more to rite that is of any importance I have heard that they was getting six month soldiers. Tell Vince that I will write them A letter as soon as I can. I think they have taken about 2,000 prisoners beside the killed and wounded. So nothing more at present but I still remain yours till death

M.W. Haning

To Ira Haning

I have my best respects to all \_\_\_\_\_ friends Good by for this time. Rite as soon as you get this

## Lodi Township Historical Crossword Puzzle



#### Across

- 1. One room school house in Lodi Township
- 2. Ghost town in Lodi Township
- 3. Former business in Lodi Township
- 4. Church still standing in Lodi Township
- 5. Branch of the river that runs through Lodi Township
- 9. Name of the church that is now the grange
- 10. Another name for Shade
- 11. Cemetery in Shade

#### Down

- 1. Old name for Route 33 coming into Shade
- 6. River that runs through Lodi Township
- 7. Catholic church in Lodi Township
- 8. Covered bridge in Lodi Township

## Shade Community Center Association Membership Form for 2012

Complete the form using blue or black ink. Information will be used to notify members of activities and upcoming events of interest and for demographics for grants and other forms of funding.

No personal information will be released to the general public.

<u>Mail this form to: SCCA, PO Box 41, Shade OH 45776, or submit this form to the Corresponding Secretary or Newsletter Editor,</u> accompanied by check or money order made payable to **Shade Community Center Association**. If paying in person, you may pay with cash.

Family Name	First Ad	lult		Second Adult		
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Fourth Child						
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City			Cell Pho	one		
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Please note any areas of i	nterest:					_
Office use: Date	Cash _	Chec	ck or Mor	ney Order Number		

#### **Upcoming Events**

- March 3—Senior Soup Dinner
- March 10—St. Patrick's Day Dinner

#### Who's Who

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	Open Gym Basketball 6:30—9:00 pm	Open Computer and Library 6:00—8:00 pm Wrestling Practice 6:00—8:00 pm	Greg Saylor's Basketball practice 5:15—7 pm	Open Center: 11—2 (Computer, Home Ec, Library, Potlinck at noon) Wrestling Practice 8:00—8:00 pm	Brian Blume's Baskethall Practice 5:30—7:30 pm	7
Private Family Gathering 10 am —5 pm	Open Gym Baskethall 6:30—3:90 pm	Open Computer and Library 6:00—8:00 pm Wrestling Meet 6:00 pm Alexander Versus Trimble	Greg Saylor's Basketball practice 5:15—7 pm SCCA Meeting 7:00 pm Cafeteria	Open Center: 11—2 (Computer, Home Ec, Library, Potluck at noon) Senior's Meeting T-00 pm Wrestling Practice 6:00—8:00 pm	Jammin' in Jerseyville 7—10 pm	Recycling 8 am—noon
15	Open Gym Baskethall 6:30—3:90 pm	Open Computer and Library 6:00—8:00 pm History Meeting 7:00 pm Wrestling Practice 6:00—8:00 pm	Grey Saylor's Baskethall practice 5:15—7 pm	Open Center: 11—2 (Computer, Home Ec, Library, Potluck at noon) Wrestling Practice 6:00—8:00 pm	20	21
22	Open Gym Basketball 6:30—9:00 pm	Open Computer and Library 6:00—8:00 pm Wrestling Practice 6:00—8:00 pm	Wrestling Meet 6:30 pm Alexander Versus Athens	Open Center: 11—2 (Computer, Home Ec, Library, Potluck at noon) Wrestling Practice 6:00—8:00 pm	27	28
29	Open Gym Basketball 6:30—9:00 pm	Open Computer and Library 6:00—8:00 pm Executive Meeting 7:00 pm Wrestling Practice 6:00—8:00 pm				

#### **February 2012**

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			Wrestling Meet 6:30 pm Alexander Versus Morgan County	Open Center: 11—2 (Computer, HomeEc, Library, Potluck at noon) Wrestling Practice 6:00—8:00 pm	3	Contra Dance 7—11:30 pm
5	Open Gym Basketball 6:30—3:00 pm	Open Computer and Library 6:00—3:00 pm Wrestling Practice 6:00—8:00 pm	Open Gym Basketball 6:30—8:00 pm SCCA Meeting 7:00 pm	Open Center: 11—2 (Computer, HomeEc, Library, Potluck at noon) Senior's Meeting 7:00 pm Wrestling Practice 6:00—8:00 pm	10	Decorating for Dinner am Valentines Dinner 6—9 pm
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26	Open Gym Basketball 6:30—3:00 pm	Open Computer and Library 6:00—9:00 pm	Open Gym Basketball 6:30—9:00 pm			

## Shade Exchange

Are you looking for a special item, or do you have treasures for which you would like to find a new home?

You are encouraged to take advantage of this opportunity to advertise. Send requests to Rhonda Meeks, Editor, at rhondameeks23@yahoo.com or call/text 740-590-7705.

#### Contributors Wanted

Please help make the SCCA News a better service for you, our members.

Submit a recipe, photos, a short article, your "buy, sell, trade or give away" requests or ideas to Rhonda Meeks, Editor, at rhondameeks23@yahoo.com or call/text 740-590-7705.

#### Cooks Corner

# Coconut Macaroon Pie By Sheila Theiss

- In a bowl mix:
- 1/2 cup butter—melted
- 1/2 cup milk
- 2 beaten eggs
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- Add to liquid ingredients:
- 1 1/2 cups sugar
- 1/4 cup floor
- Put 1 cup coconut in unbaked pie shell
- Pour mixture on top
- Sprinkle with 1/4 cup coconut
- Bake at 325 degrees approximately 45 minutes until golden brown and firm.

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