# Shade Community Center Newsletter

Volume IX, Issue 2

March - April, 2018

# **Mother Nature Versus Cupid 2018**

# By Fran Moxley

In the 10 plus years of putting on a great Valentine's Day Dinner, the weather has never really been an issue, so we figured we were due for a Plan B kind of day. The snow was beautiful, granted, but it led to a rash of cancellations and some slippery travel for the folks who wanted to eat good food and dance the evening away, no matter what.

All in all it was a great party with good attendance. Volunteers showed up to fix food and make the whole place gorgeous. Remember Then did their normal awesome job with some great oldies and the dance floor was a busy place.

We wish to thank everyone who came out to help, our regular crew, the decorators who worked for two days making sure everything was in its place and those who showed up early in the day and cooked and cooked. Special thanks to the OU Archery Team, the members of the Shade Livestock 4-H Club and anyone else who might have managed to slide on in. Thanks to those who stuck it out afterwards to put away all the lovely décor and do up all the dishes.

Leftover food was used up the next day when Jerry and Tammy Foster made to-go meals for anyone who wanted to purchase them. Some who could not make it the night before stopped by and took advantage of the offer.

If you missed it this year, well, check out our calendar for the date for next year... You will have a great time.



# **Alexander Local School Board 'Meet and Greet' and Meeting**

# Submitted by Steve Dougan

The Alexander Local School Board would like to invite everyone from the community to a 'Meet and Greet' on Monday, March 19<sup>th</sup> from 5:30 pm – 6:30 pm at the Shade Community Center.
Following the 'Meet and Greet', there will be a board meeting at 7:00 pm. We hope you can all attend.

# **Birthday Celebration**

# Submitted by Steve Dougan

Ronald Dougan and Barbara Dougan Brake, Shade graduates of the class of 1951 and 1952, will be celebrating their birthdays together on April 8, 2018 at the Shade Community Center from 5 to 7 pm in the cafeteria.

We would like to invite friends and family to stop by and join them in this time of celebration. It is requested that gifts be omitted, but cards, stories and pictures from the past would help make this a special time of celebration. Cake and light refreshments will be served.

For more information, contact Steve Dougan at 513-304-1190.

# **Lodi Art Love**

# Submitted by Heidi Marty

Lodi Art Love has lots of activities on tap for the coming months every Thursday from 6:30 – 8:00 pm. March will find us celebrating Dr. Seuss' birthday, Irish American month, St. Patrick's Day, Van Gogh's sunflowers and more. April will be busy with anything to do with 'Earth Day' and getting ready for that special day, 'Mother's Day'. For more information, contact Heidi at 740-856-1299.

# Saturdays at the Center

Heidi Marty will be at the center from noon to 2:00 pm every Saturday in March and April. The Arts and Crafts Room will be open and everyone is welcome to come to do crafts, sew or play a game. There are materials, supplies and machines available to make lap quilts. The library will also be open, so come in and check out a book or sit and work on a puzzle. As long as there are no rentals, the gym will be available as well.

Submitted by Heidi Marty

# Notice to 2017 SCCA Members

If you had either an individual or family annual membership during 2017 and have not renewed for 2018 (as of the publication deadline for this March-April newsletter), then your name is shown in RED on the mailing label.

If you wish to renew and cannot locate the form that was included in the previous newsletter, please either call me at 740-590-9537 or email me at gail.jordan@live.com, and I will send you another one. Thanks for your continued support of our organization.

Gail Jordan, Corresponding Secretary

Note for those who have requested to receive the newsletter by email: I will send you a separate email reminder.

Appalachian Championship Enduro Series. Lost in Lodi/Sox Brookhart Memorial Enduro, will be held on Sunday, April 8<sup>th</sup> beginning at 10 AM in and around Lodi Township.

# Proposed Amendment to the CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS OF THE SHADE COMMUNITY CENTER ASSOCIATION

Article III. Officers and Duties Section 1.

(F) Elected Board Member. The responsibility of the Elected Board Member is to represent the SCCA membership at meetings of the Executive Board.

(G) Executive Board. The duties of the Executive Board are to advise and counsel the officers in the operations of the Center, and to make emergency decisions in situations when the membership cannot be consulted in the normal schedule of business. Non-emergency Board decisions shall be presented to and voted on by the

## **Article VII. Executive Board**

(A)The Executive Board is comprised of the President, Vice President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, Past President and two (2) SCCA members appointed by the President of the SCCA, and one (1) member elected by SCCA members.

NOTE: <u>Additions are shown in underlined italics</u> and <del>deletions are struck through</del>.

Rationale: These amendments are proposed, because a full complement of eight (8) members on the Executive Board is desired and because the original intent for having the position of Past President on the Executive Board is not being met.

Past President on the Executive Board is not being met.

Originally, the Past President was included as a member of the Executive Board to provide continuity and to mentor the President. This has rarely occurred as a separate position because: 1) For several years the Past President was considered to refer to whomever served as President during the previous year, so if the President was re-elected for subsequent years, then the Past President position on the Board remained vacant. 2) Other times the Past President was elected to another position, and again the Past President position on the Board remained vacant. 3) Even if "Past President" was interpreted to mean the President who (other than current officers) most recently served, then combinations of the first two reasons could mean that one would have to go back many years to find who fits that interpretation. (In the extreme, that person might no longer be a member or even living.)

<u>Process:</u> As required for amendments to the Constitution and Bylaws of the Shade Community Center Association, these proposed amendments were presented at the regular monthly meeting in February, and are now being published in this newsletter, prior to being put on the agenda for the following monthly meeting in March for discussion. If approved by a two-thirds (2/3) majority vote of members present, the amendments will become effective January, 2019.

Shade-Lodi History & Genealogy Association presents

# "100 Years since the Worst Epidemic in American History"



The PBS Home Video "Influenza 1918"
And other flu seasons to 2018

# Tuesday, March 20, 2018 6:30 pm

at the Shade Community Center Shade, Ohio

# **EVERYONE WELCOME !!!**

Contact Brenda Ruth at 590-9522 for more information





WHEN:

FRIDAY

APRIL 13TH

SERVING 4 PM - 7 PM

#### WHERE:

SHADE COMMUNITY CENTER
2380 OLD US 33 • SHADE, OH

#### **INCLUDES:**

FISH, FRIES, COLE SLAW, DESSERT AND DRINK (COFFEE, ICED TEA, LEMONADE, OR ICE WATER)

ADULT MEAL
CHILDREN UNDER 12

\$8.00 \$5.00



# SHADE COMMUNITY CENTER ANNUAL EGG HUNT

Sunday, March 25<sup>th @</sup> 1:00 p.m.



Pictures with the Easter Bunny

Prizes and Refreshments

Children 12 and under welcome



ı			
l			
l			
ı			
ı			
		_	
	C	U	
	T	۲	
	C	3	
	r	V	
l		1000	
ı	_		
	7	J	
١	707	2	
١	4020		
	ACHOR		֡

Sun M 1 8 15 15 22 22 22 29 39

Fil Sat 2 3 9 10 16 17 23 24

Saturday	12:30pm Private Rental-gym 1:00pm Private Rental-cafe	10	St. Patrick's Day	24 10:00am Spring Bazaar 10-3 4:30pm Private Rental - gym	31	_
Friday	6:00pm Wrestling Banquet	σ.	16	23	30	Φ
I hursday	5:30pm Wrestling Practice 6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Lodi Art 7:30pm Archery	8 5:30pm Senior Meeting 5:30pm Wrestling Practice 6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Lodi Art 7:30pm Archery	5:30pm Wrestling Practice 6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Lodi Art 7:30pm Archery	5:30pm Wrestling Practice 6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Lodi Art 7:30pm Archery	6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Lodi Art 6:30pm Archery	IO.
Wednesday	88	5:30pm Wrestling Practice 16:00pm Yoga 7:30pm Open Basketball	5:30pm Wrestling Practice 5:45pm Yoga 7:00pm SCCA Meeting 7:30pm Open Basketball	21 5:30pm Wrestling Practice 6:00pm Yoga 7:30pm Open Basketball	28 6:30pm Yoga 6:30pm Open Basketball	4
Luesday	27	6:00pm Computer Room 6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Archery	6:00pm Computer Room 6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Archery	6:00pm Computer Room 6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Archery	6:00pm Computer Room 6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Archery	en e
Monday	28	6:00pm Exercise Room 6:00pm DPP Class 6:30pm Open Basketball	6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Open Basketball	5:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Open Basketball 7:00pm Alexander Bd Meetin	26 6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Open Basketball	2
Sunday	25	4 12:00pm Private Rental-cafe	2:00pm Shade Livestock 4-H	18	25 1:00pm Easter Egg Hunt	1

O	0
T	4
C	)
~	V
and the	
.,	
2	2
-	•

9 10 11 12 16 17 18 19 23 24 25 26 30 31	Saturday 7 Lost in Lodi	14	21	28	ιn	12
10 6 7 8 17 13 14 15 12 24 20 21 22 3 31 27 28 29 3	Satu 6 Lost	m	50		4	
4 5 6 7 8 9 1 11 12 13 14 15 16 1 18 19 20 21 22 23 2 25 26 27 28 29 30 3	Friday	13 Fish Fry 4 - 7 p.m.	2	27		1
	Thursday 5 6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Archery	5:30pm Senior Dinner 6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Lodi Art	6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Lodi Art 6:30pm Archery	6:30pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Lodi Art 6:30pm Archery	м	10
	Wednesday 4 6:00pm Yoga 6:30pm Open Basketball 6	5:45pm Yoga 6:30pm Open Basketball 7:00pm SCCA Meeting	6:30pm Yoga 6:30pm Open Basketball 6	6:00pm Yoga 6:30pm Open Basketball 6	5	o,
	Tuesday 3 6:00pm Computer Room 6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Archery	6:00pm Computer Room 6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Archery	6:00pm Computer Room 6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Archery	6:00pm Computer Room 6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Archery	1	ω
	Monday 2 6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Open Basketball	6:00pm Exercise Room 6:00pm DPP Class 6:30pm Open Basketball	16 6:30pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Open Basketball	6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Open Basketball	30 6:00pm Exercise Room 6:30pm Open Basketball	7
	Sunday 1	8 Lost in Lodi 4:00pm Private Rental	15 2:00pm Shade Livestock 4-H	22	29	Φ

# SCCA December 13, 2017 Meeting Minutes (APPROVED 1-10-18)

Attendance: 16 = 10 members+ 6 officers/board

The regular monthly meeting of the Shade Community Center Association was held on Wednesday, December 13<sup>th</sup> in the Shade Community Center cafeteria, President Jerry Foster being in the chair and Recording Secretary Gail Jordan being present. Meeting was called to order at 7:05 pm and began with the pledge of allegiance.

Minutes of the November 8<sup>th</sup> regular monthly meeting were distributed by Gail Jordan for reading. Fran Moxley moved for approval of the minutes as written; minutes approved.

Alex Couladis presented the Treasurer's reports: Net income shown was -\$3804.61 for November and -\$2819.77 for the year-to-date. Checking account balance was \$24,339.58. Reports were filed for financial review.

Gail Jordan read Brenda Dorst's Corresponding Secretary's report: Annual memberships were unchanged from the previous month (total of 137 -- 115 annual renewals and 22 new). Four (4) get well cards and four (4) sympathy cards were sent, as was one thank you for a donation in memory of Richard Grim.

Maintenance committee report was distributed by Gail Jordan and placed on file. Major items were replacement of dishwasher overflow valve, replacement of all furnace filters and related lubrications, and installation of new pads on the basketball backboards.

History group had no meeting planned for December. Karen Jones reported on the joint community center/seniors veterans dinner and said that 80-85 were served.

Fran Moxley distributed and summarized the calendars for December and January, noting Alexander Youth Wrestling meets on December 19<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup>.

Events committee: Tammy Foster reported a net income of \$401.04 for the Breakfast with Santa and Holiday Bazaar (\$662.37 kitchen donations + \$37 stained glass and t-shirt sales + \$405 vendor spaces - \$703.33 expenses). Fran listed tentative dates for major events during 2018, to which some additions were then made: Valentines Dinner, February 17<sup>th</sup>; Spring Bazaar, March 24<sup>th</sup>; Lost in Lodi Enduro, April 8<sup>th</sup>; Alumni Banquet, May 12<sup>th</sup>; Yard Sale/Cruise In, July 14<sup>th</sup>; Jerseyville Festival, October 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup>, Veterans Dinner, November 10<sup>th</sup>, and Holiday Bazaar/Breakfast with Santa, December 8<sup>th</sup>. Easter Egg Hunt and Halloween remain to be scheduled.

Old Business: Gail Jordan said that we still had not heard whether our proposed playground improvement project had been funded by the Athens Foundation. Pat Davidson noted \$67. 20 income from Kroger Rewards program during the third quarter (11 participating households). Gail noted net income of \$481.43 from the first Alexander Youth Wrestling meet of the season; income totaled \$682.03 (\$198 admissions share + \$484.03 concessions).

New Business: 2018 officers elected were: President Jerry Foster, Vice President George Benz, Recording Secretary Marvin Marty, Corresponding Secretary Gail Jordan, and Treasurer Alex Couladis. Future of use of Dan and Janet King's building was discussed, after they had suggested their desire to give the building and a strip of property to the community center. Fran Moxley moved to contact an attorney to determine recommendation of best way to proceed. Motion carried with no negative votes. A New Year's Eve party was planned for 9 pm till midnight.

Meeting adjourned at 7:55 pm. Respectfully submitted, Gail Jordan, Recording Secretary

#### SCCA January 10, 2018 Minutes

**Members present:** Jerry Foster, George Benz, Gail Jordan, Alex Couladis, Walter Jones, Amy Calvert, Roberta Henderson, Grace Dorst, Heidi Marty, Ray Baker, Karen Jones, Norm Shaner, Beverly Greider, Robin Krivesti, Pat Davidson, Tammy Foster, Brenda Ruth and Marvin Marty.

The regular monthly meeting of the SCCA toook place Wednesday, January 10th, with Jerry Foster opening the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

The first order of business was the installation of new officers. Those sworn in were: Jerry Foster as President, George Benz as Vice-President, Gail Jordan as Corresponding Secretary, Alex Couladis as Treasurer, and Marvin Marty as Recording Secretary.

Minutes from the November Meeting were read and approved as such. Motion to approve by Ray Baker, seconded by Walter Jones.

Treasurer's Report: Alex reported a surplus for 2017 of \$2,300, with a checking balance of \$23,355.21. Report was accepted for review.

**Corresponding Secretary**: Gail reported on thank you cards received, sympathy and thank you cards sent out. We received three new members and had five membership renewals. Donations to the Center as memorial to those recently deceased totaled roughly \$2,500. The suggestion was made to use these donations to renovate the flagpole and front of the building, including the "in memory of" benches. Further discussion will take place.

**Maintenance Report**: The list of items was distributed, with the major one being getting everything going again after we experienced gas pressure loss due to the inclement weather, and subesquent repairs by the gas company.

**Events:** The New Year's Party was reported as being, "Good time, good food, and fun." The main upcoming event will be the Valentines' Day Dinner on Saturday, February 17th.

#### **Old Business:**

Unfortunately, the grant request for playground additions did not get funded this year, no explantion of reasons why were given.

Income from concessions for the youth wrestling meets netted approximately \$1,200. Thanks to all who participated.

#### **New Business:**

To date, no real progress was reported on the donation of the King building and property. Proposal options are still being explored.

The Township-wide newsletter was mailed to roughly 600 people in print, another 30 as e-mails. The cost for this mailing was \$750-800. Discussion of the cost and return will take place at the next meeting.

Heidi and Pat will be working with Roger and the Trustees on trying to come up with a solution for our overflowing recycling bins. Options will be pursued and hopefully we will know more at The February meeting.

The financial review committe for this year will be Pat Davidson, Bev Greider and Karen Jones. They will be reviewing the 2017 finances.

Ray Baker expressed his thanks for our donations and support of his annual PowWow benefitting Veteran's organizations.

Other items discussed were tuning the piano, especially after it moves around, and the possibilty of a permanent spot for it, thereby lessing tuning needs. Alex will also be exploring insurance carriers to see what our options are currently. Making all the upgrades requested by the Fire Inspector could make a big difference.

Lastly, as this year's Executive Board members, we have Amy staying on and Walter taking a spot. Discussion arose concerning the "Past President" seat on the board, and as to whether Pat stays since she was the last past President. Clarification of this topic will be discussed, with members present opting to keep Pat on the Board.

Alex moved to adjourn, Ray seconded. Meeting Djourned.

Submitted by Marvin Marty

# Be sure to like our Facebook page

# **Shade Community Center**

for up to date information, pictures and announcements

# Visit us on the Web

http://www.shadecomcent er.wix.com/shade comcenter

# **New and Returning Members**

# **New Members**

Loretta Bell

Chris Chmiel & Michelle Gorman

Tracy & Lee Cuckler-Browning

Maria Dimengo

Patricia Farrell

Laura Jayne Hart

Beverly Kubachka

Clay & Casey Matthews

John & Catherine Matthews

Karen & Jennifer Matteson

Verl Smith

# **Returning Members**



Leslie Schaller & Tim Foran

Aaron & Pam Harvey

John & Tere Sager

John & Esther Scragg

# Who's Who at the Shade Community Center

### President:

Jerry Foster 740-590-0408 fosterhome63@gmail.com

#### Vice President:

George Benz 740-589-5999 713-206-2531

GBenz.654@outlook.com

#### Treasurer:

Alex Couladis 740-592-4524 alex@faas.com

### Corresponding Secretary:

Gail Jordan 740-590-9537 gail.jordan@live.com

# Recording Secretary:

Marvin Marty 740-541-1852

mrvnmarty@yahoo.com

### **Board Members:**

Walter Jones

joneswh@columbus.rr.com

Amy Calvert 740-696-2706 ralpcal@aol.com

Pat Davidson 740-517-5628

#### Maintenance Committee:

Jerry Foster Gail Jordan

### Past President:

Pat Davidson

### Open Gym:

Marvin Marty 740-541-1852

mrvnmarty@yahoo.com

### SSCA President:

Jack Malloy 740-696-1085

Malloy833@aol.com

# SLHGA President:

Brenda Ruth 740-590-9522

brendaruth@live.com

#### Party/Private Rentals:

Tammy Foster 740 590-0411

fosterhome63@amail.com

#### SCCA Newsletter Editor:

Rhonda Meeks 740-590-7705

rhondameeks23@yahoo.com

# **Shade Exchange**

Please contact Heidi Marty at 740-856-1299 if you are interested in a tiara party. The cost is \$25 per adult and \$10 per child (one adult per two children). All supplies, except fancy beads, are provided.



# Cook's Corner

**GRAPE SALAD** 

Submitted by: Roberta Henderson

### **HERE'S WHAT YOU NEED**

2 lbs red grapes 2 lbs green grapes

2 C sour cream 2 (8 oz) cream cheese

1 C sugar 2 t vanilla

1/8 C brown sugar (for topping) 1 C chopped pecans (for

topping)

### **HERE'S WHAT YOU DO**

Mix sour cream, softened cream cheese, sugar & vanilla. Add grapes to mixture & spread in  $9 \times 12$  pan or dish. If desired, top with chopped pecans & brown sugar; then refrigerate.

To make sugar free, substitute Splenda for the sugars.

Submit newsletter articles, items for the Shade Exchange, recipes and pictures to:

# rhondameeks23@yahoo.com

14166 Rainbow Lake Road Shade, OH 45776

by the **25**<sup>th</sup> of February, April, June, August, October or December. Newsletters are bimonthly and go out at the beginning of January, March, May, July, September and November.



Shade Community Center Association P.O. Box 41 Shade, OH 45776



**Strengthening Lives In Our Community**