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A Message from your President

Clint Drescher, 2005 Manitowoc Jaycee President

Hello Manitowoc Jaycees!!

So many things to talk about but so little space to do it in, so I will be brief...

Just wanted to let all of you know that the Board met recently and completed the Mid-Year Review, which is a required aspect of us achieving Blue Chip at the end of the year. So far, we've met many of our goals and are on track to achieve Blue Chip, but we need to keep up the momentum and finish 2005 up strong.

In other news, the Manitowoc Jaycees teamed up with the Service League of Manitowoc to sell "Cruisin' the Coast" welcome signs for the Harley Owners Group (HOG) rally held in Manitowoc in late June. I'm happy to report that the final numbers are in and we made a profit of \$816!! That's simply outstanding.

The August general membership meeting will kick off our nominations for next year's Board of Directors. All Board positions will be open as these positions are changed annually. The positions available are: President, Management VP, Community VP, Membership VP, Individual Development VP, State Director, Treasurer, Secretary, and Directors under each of the VP positions. If you want to step up in the organization, make some changes, or better yourself this is a great opportunity to do it. Nominations will be taken through the October general membership meeting followed by the election of the 2006 officers at that same meeting. Kevin Sturm is the election committee chairperson and will be monitoring nominations and the election process.

Our largest chapter fundraiser will be coming up shortly in February 2006. Of course I'm talking about the Beer Lover's Brewfest. We will be celebrating our 10th anniversary of this event, so we really want to make it special. The Brewfest Committee kick-off meeting will be held on Wednesday, August 10th, 6:30 p.m., at Jenn's Java in downtown Manitowoc. This is a great event for rookie and veteran members alike to get involved with.

Fall Convention will be held in Manitowoc the second weekend in September. Remember to show why we are one of the best chapters in the state by attending and/or volunteering at the various events throughout the weekend. Contact Traci Taylor for more information.

I'm out of room so I'll see you at the general membership meeting on August 3rd at the United Way Building!!!



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**General
Membership
Meeting
United Way Building**



Holy Family Memorial
Medical Excellence, Community Commitment

MEMBERSHIP MINUTE

PAUL GRANGER, MEMBERSHIP VP

HOWDY-HO NEIGHBORS!

August is here, kids will be going back to school soon and before you know it our cries of “*Dang! It’s hot out there*” will change to complaints about how cold it is. I hope everyone’s summer was as enjoyable as mine.

The Manitowoc Jaycees put on some large and well run events this summer that would not have happened without everyone pitching in and helping out, so “Thanks!” to all ya.

Renewals for September are Clint Drescher, Lynn Moore & Lisa Thompson.

Sunday September 4th we’ll be putting on some kids events at a local music festival at Washington Park that is free and open to the public so keep that date in mind as I’ll be contacting people to help out from 12pm – 5pm.

Upcoming events are below:

Aug. 17th – Corporate Recruiting. That Wednesday morning we’ll do some recruiting at local businesses from 8am-11am. We will set up a meeting time and place based on who signs up, maybe Perkins breakfast before hand?

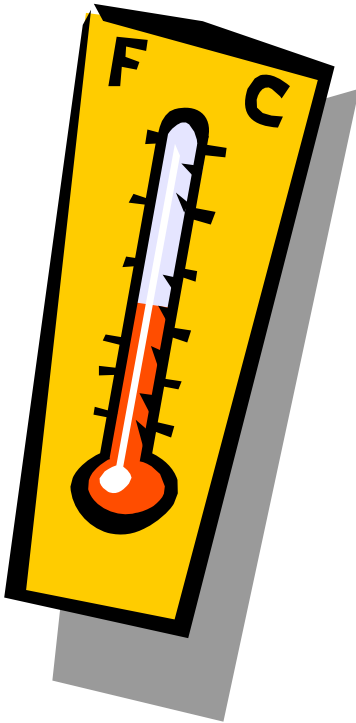
Aug. 26th - Friday social with a twist. We’re beach bummin’! That’s right, Neshotah beach at 6pm till? I will get my hands on a volleyball and see if we can grab a court. I’ll also bring some other toys for the beach so all you’ll need is a small cooler of drinks for yourself and food if you’re going to eat down there.

Date TBD – Toastmasters. Sheboygan is the closest club to us and if you’re interested in developing or fine tuning your public speaking skills, this is the place to do it. I will have dates, times and more info at the membership mtg in case anyone would like to join me for a trip.

Kickball League – Deadline for registration is Aug 12th. It’s a couple’s league with 10 people per team playing on Wednesday nights for 8 weeks. The cost is \$11 per person for the season. Sign up at the membership meeting or get a hold of me if you’re interested. This could pose problems with the board and membership meetings but we’ll figure that out after we gauge the level of interest in forming a team.

Last but not least is our membership incentive for August. How about whomever recruits the most, or wins the drawing if there’s multiple people, will have their choice of either a 3 hr. bass fishing trip with yours truly providing everything you’ll need, or 1 week of paid membership to the YMCA.

Peace



How are we doing?

The board of directors met recently to discuss how well we are accomplishing our goals for the 2005 Jaycee Year. Please contact Clint Drescher for a complete copy of the Mid Year review.

Thank you Manitowoc Jaycees for making our summer events successful. Manitowoc would be a bleak place to live with out your continued enthusiasm for strengthening our community.

Our treasurer, Kevin Sturm and each of the summer event coordinators, Relay for Life, Scenic Shore 150, Acoustic Fest, and Metro Jam will be giving wrap up reports at the next meeting.

Please bring your ideas for other events you'd be interested in seeing the Manitowoc Jaycees take part in.

HIGHLIGHT!!!!

So far we've given over \$5,000 in donations to Camp Sinawa, the Economic Development Center, Lincoln Park Zoo, Big Brothers/ Big Sisters, East African Center, American Cancer Society, the Junior Chamber Family AIDS Network and Back to School Back Packs for Kids.

COME TO THE MEMBERSHIP MEETING TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE MANITOWOC JAYCEES UPCOMING COMMUNITY EVENTS

State Directors Report

August 4-7, Sheboygan Jaycees Brat Days

August 5-7, Lacrosse Jaycees host Superstars

August 13th, Brodhead Jaycees Annual Volleyball tournament

August 19-21, CUDA Jaycees annual Co-ed Softball tournament

August 25-28- Lancaster Food Booth at the Grant CO. Fair

August 26-28- Middleton Jaycees Good Neighborfest

For more local chapter events check out the Wisconsin Jaycees website at www.wijaycees.org



Management News

Dawn Phajit, Management VP

Hello Manitowoc Jaycees!

Our next Management Project is Fall Convention being hosted by our chapter on September 9th – 11th at the Holiday Inn. Wisconsin Jaycees from throughout the state will be attending. We are looking for volunteers for Friday and Saturday to help with the registration table, taking tickets at the food line, and checking name tags at the social entrance. If you can help, please contact me at 242-5290 or dphajit@yahoo.com.

If you have never attended a Wisconsin Jaycees Convention, now is the perfect opportunity. If you register for "All Events" by August 20th, the fee is only \$68. Some of the events included are the Friday social, Saturday breakfast, training, Saturday lunch, Saturday social with a Spoons Tournament, and the Excitement Session/Second Third Awards Ceremony on Sunday. Convention is a great chance to network with other Jaycees from Wisconsin and gain additional Jaycee knowledge. Besides, it is a lot of fun!!

In Jaycee Spirit,

Dawn Phajit
Management VP 2005

INDIVIDUAL DEVELOPMENT UPDATE

Heather Kretsch, ID VP

The summer is moving by quite rapidly but we still have plenty of fun planned for Individual Development. Please see the following and certainly let me know if you're interested in joining in the fun.

August 5th -- Comedy Club in Appleton. If you would like to join us...please give me a call as I'd like to get tickets for the night's show

August 19th - 21st -- Who wants to go camping??? This will be a great event, relaxation, great conversation by the campfire, etc. I have sites reserved at Long Lake which is a State Park just south of Fond du Lac. Once again, if you'd like to join even for a day, please drop me a line at englebertz@yahoo.com or phone at 682-5192, then we can plan accordingly for food. It's a "can't miss event"!!

Monday, August 22nd --
Stamping/Scrapbooking workshop. You don't have to be an advanced artist, just come in and learn how to take charge of those photos lying in boxes or add a little creativity in sending a greeting card to someone special. Again, please let me know if you'd like to attend so we can plan for materials. This will be held at my parents home in Whitelaw. All are welcome and there's no cost to attend.

Looking forward to seeing you soon at one or all of our upcoming ID courses.

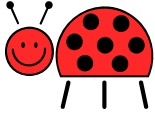
Heather Kretsch
Manitowoc Jaycee IDVP 2005

**** Attention members –

Nominations will be taking place for the 2006 Board of Directors - we will begin taking nominations at the August 3rd meeting. Election is at the October General Membership meeting. Contact Kevin Sturm –



August 2005 Calendar of Events

		1	2	3	4	5	6
				General Membership meeting 7:00pm, United Way Bldg.		Comedy Club- Appleton, update Heather if interested	
7	8	9	10	Brewfest committee mtg, 630, Jen's Java	11	12	13
						Deadline for kickball league – update Paul G.	
14	15	16	17	Brd Meeting- Jen's Java 6:30 pm	18	19	20
						Camping ID weekend- Long Lake State Park	Camping ID Fall Convention registration deadline-
21	22	23	24	25	26	27	
Camping ID weekend-	Scrapbooking ID- Whitelaw, update Heather if interested in attending				Membership social at the beach, see Paul's article for details		
28	29	30	31	1	2	3	
							

General Membership Minutes – July

1. Call to Order at 1900
2. Pledge of Allegiance led by: Dawn Phajit
3. Introduction of Jaycees and Guests- Brandee's first Jaycee meeting, Pete from Acoustic Fest
4. Agenda Review for Additions and Changes- In Bold in text- 1st by Heather, 2nd by Lisa- motion carried to approved
5. Officer Reports

Secretary – **Doreen Mitchell**

Approve meeting minutes from June general membership meeting. 1st Doreen, 2nd Lisa Motion carried
Newsletter submissions are due to Doreen Mitchell by the Board meeting.
Email submissions to: managementvp2004@aol.com

Treasurer – **Kevin Sturm**

Account Balances:

Checking: \$ 8875.49 Long Term: \$ 12590.58 Savings: \$ 6052.33
Metro Jam: \$ 2673.76 Brewfest: \$ 2005.00

Management Development VP – **Dawn Phajit**, Director: **Jeremy Schloff**

Wrap Up of Events:

Sandbox fill was great, didn't expect the extra truck, it worked well with three teams. We were done at 1200, made approx \$600.00 with some checks still coming in.
HOG rally signs- estimated profit is \$490, plus we will be getting some additional money for typo's.

Upcoming Events and Discussion Items:

Mid Year Review- board met before meeting, we are doing a great job of meeting goals for 2005, will have copies available for those interested in seeing the forms.
Milwaukee Air Show- great opportunity for us to fundraises in conjunction with the WI Jaycees, so far Katie Stradl is signed up, update Steve Moddie if you can assist either July 16 or 17th.

Fall convention- will be held in Manitowoc on Sept 9-10, Dawn is in the process of getting workers together to help with event registration and other assorted tasks.
Brewfest- 10th Annual event committee forming, first meeting to be determined, lots of interest at meeting for committee members. Clint will follow up the Terri has signed contract with 2006 dates.

Community Development Directors – **Rick & Kim Leitner, Katie Stradal, Jamey Dewane**

Wrap Up of Events:

PHR Sectional- Reedsburg kid moving on to All Star game.

Metro Jam- great event- lots of fun, good help.

Rally in the Alley- several people attended this HOG Rally event, it was a good time.

Upcoming Events and Discussion Items:

Acoustic Fest- July 17th, Pete Onsik came with posters, this is the 10th year, proceeds are going to the disk golf course, Jam by the lighthouse Inn is 830.

Scenic Shore 150- Katie Stradl is working on setting up manpower for the event

American Cancer Society Relay for Life- July 29-30- Dawn has 11 walkers signed up. Please bring your registration form and pledge sheets to the walk by 6:00pm

Individual Development VP – **Heather Kretsch**, Director: **Lynda Beyer**

Upcoming Events and Discussion Items:

Strawberry Picking will be July 13

Comedy Club Social- August 5th

Camping ID- August 19-21 (Long Lake Park)

CPR Training- Holy family- Tuesday August 23rd.

Membership Development VP – **Paul Granger**

Wrap Up of Events:

Jaycee Picnic- we had a good time, about 12 people came and hung, storms cleared out just long enough for us!!

Upcoming Events and Discussion Items:

Tennis Social- July 11

Brunch at Newey's July 24th

Friday Afternoon Club at the Wall street grill: July 29th

State Director – **OPEN**

Upcoming Road Trips:

Superstars at Fort McCoy, August 5-7

ID College at Hudson, October 8th

Sheboygan/ Sheboygan Falls- meet at the 310 Park and Ride tomorrow

President's Report – **Clint Drescher**

Jaycee of the Month is Sandra- thank you for all of your hard work in June, received a note from the Crawford family thanking us for support and the arrangement we sent to Mrs Crawford's funeral, she lost her battle with cancer. We also received thank you notes for our donations to the back to school project and Walk America. Brd of directors will met at 7pm at Jen's Java on July 20th.

6. Good of the Order- Volleyball had been great, so great that we are entertaining starting a kickball team. Jayme will send flyer to Clint with the info as soon as it comes.
7. Adjourn with the Jaycee Creed led by Dawn Phajit-- motion was made by Heather, 2nd by Jayme, carried unanimously by those present.

Jaycee Creed

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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