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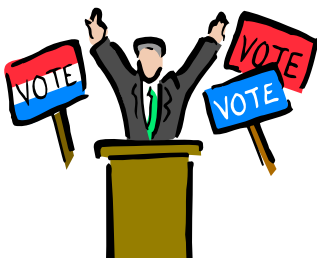
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MEMBERSHIP MEETING CHANGE

For October only, the membership meeting is switched to **Thursday the 5th**. Still 7:00pm at the Best Western Lakefront Hotel.

To celebrate our awesome year so far, and receiving #1 chapter in the state for the month's of May through August, we'll be having hors d' oeuvres served during the meeting.



Come to the Membership meeting on Thursday, October 5th, at 7:00 p.m. to elect the 2007 Board of Directors

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Next Meeting: Thursday, October 5th, 7:00 pm, Best Western Lakefront

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A Message From Paul Granger Manitowoc Jaycees President 2007

Hi all –

Join me in welcoming our two newest members, and they are

Dr. Amy Endru: Dr. Endru has just moved to the area and will be working with Dr. Jennifer Rada at the Apple Clinic in downtown Manitowoc. She has attended one of our socials and looks forward to being an active member within the group.

Collin Braunel: Collin is our 2nd member sponsored by City Council President Paul Tittl. After coming back home from college, Collin's excited to get involved with an active group of young people and is looking forward to serving on the Brewfest committee.

Strap into your seat and hang on as we fly back into August/September and do a little recapping!

- Mini Golf Social was a relaxing event with about a dozen people in attendance.
- Legend Larry's social rocked with about 25 ppl in attendance. We signed a new member and entertained some Jaycee guests from out of town. They include National VP Dick Weber from North Dakota; WI Jaycees State President Kris Brandner; 2005 State President Ben Sabourin; and WI Jaycees Membership VP Laurie Sonsalla.
- Camping @ Hartman Creek. A little chilly but the fire felt good, and the food & drinks were plenty. 12 adults and another 6 kids helped fill the site at this event. Nothing special to report on....what happens at camp, stays at camp.
- State Convention in Mosinee. I only made it to the award session on Sunday, and thank goodness that I did, because we took home #1 **Chapter in the state!!!** Not too bad out of 100+ chapters! That's a direct result of every member in our chapter putting forth whatever time and energy they can afford to. There were also some individual awards given which will be handed out at the membership meeting on Thursday October 5th.

Alright, now that you're caught up to speed, lets roll into the future and see what your Board of Directors have in-store for you.

- Corn Maze Social. You should've received an invite in the mail by now from Kim & Rick Leitner. Both Rick Leitner and Emily Vergenz are planning this social that's hosted by Jeff & Lisa Thompson. Appetizers, beer and soda will be provided. It is a costume party, but if you're not the costume type, don't let that stop you from coming and enjoying the awesome maze that Jeff puts together and hanging with your buds by a nice warm bonfire. I hope to see all of you at this one.

President's message continued....

- NFL Punt, Pass & Kick competition September 30th. This is a free competition open to the public for boys and girls ages 8-15. Historically this event has not seen a very large attendance, but we've spent some money on advertising this year and are getting pre-registrations over a week in advance, so things are looking up and we're expecting our largest event yet. Workers are needed from 9am till? Most likely about 3 hours. Registration is at 9:15 with the event kicking off at 10:00am.
- The Friday social scheduled for September 29th at Edgewood is cancelled. We have the Punt, Pass & Kick the morning of the 30th and the corn maze in the evening of the 30th. Both Kim Leitner and Alex Olson will be rescheduling that social due to a high level of interest in patronizing Edgewood.
- Elections taking place at the October membership meeting. Even if you're not accepting a board position, please come to cast your ballot as it's looking as though we may have a few contested positions. Proxy votes will be accepted, contact Kim Leitner for details.
- At the October 5th membership meeting (Thursday for this month) we will be having hors d' oeuvres catered by the Best Western during the meeting as a "Thank you!" for having such a successful year. The year is split up into thirds for the sake of reporting to the state and US Jaycees. Along with that are the awards that are handed out for each third, and then again for year-end. As a chapter, we finished 3rd place in the first third and just took 1st place in the second third. At this pace we should finish the third third strong and have a good shot at taking #1 chapter in the state for year-end awards. That my friend is a huge feat. This was accomplished by the support from every member, whether you help at a few events annually, or are consistently serving on event committees. Soooo, thank you all....I hope you can all make it to the meeting to celebrate our success!!



Annual Manitowoc Jaycee Punt, Pass and Kick Competition to be held September 30th at Municipal Footfall Field located on the corner of S. 23rd and Grand Ave. All boys and girls ages 8-15 are invited to participate.

Registration begins at 9:15am; event will start promptly at 10:00 am.

Jaycees needed to help with registration, measuring and recording. Contact Katie at 901-7416 for more info.

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Membership Anniversaries

Congratulations on your Anniversary with the world's greatest young person organization!!!!

Renewals for November and December are:

November Renewals

Brenda Czekala- 2004
Katie Dickrell- 2002
Jason Kramer- 1999
Carrie Jones- 2005
Dan Jones - 2005
Kim Leitner - 2003
Rick Leitner- 2003

December Renewals

Steve Riske - 2005
Tonya Riske - 2005

Please notify Paul Granger by the 15th of the month prior to your renewal in order to get the special Manitowoc Junior Chamber membership renewal rate.

Management Minute With Heather Kretsch

Please mark your calendars and plan to attend the Jaycees membership meeting. We will be having elections for 2007's board of directors. You won't want to miss it!!!

Tuesday, October 24th -- Long Term follow-up meeting at 6pm at the Oar House on Memorial Drive. We'd love to hear your input...if you are interested in attending, please let me know!!!

Entertainment Books -- the sale is on...we're awaiting more entertainment books to sell. If you would like to receive some for selling, please let me know and I'll put you on the list for receiving some. We are selling the books for \$30 and \$6 goes back to our chapter.

Enjoy the Fall weather!!!
Heather Kretsch
Management VP 2006

Membership Spotlight Emily Vergenz

Hello fellow Jaycees, my name is Emily Vergenz. I was recruited by Kari Wagner and became a general member in March. . I am currently interested in the Individual Development VP position on the board. As a member, I enjoy participating in activities

that better our community and hope to help coordinate more activities as a board member.

I met my husband Jamie while working at Kwik Trip and three years later, June 2005, we got married. We have a beautiful daughter named Allexandra who just started kindergarten at Riverview.

I graduated from Lincoln High School in 1998 and attended UW-Manitowoc in 1999. I had a very difficult time choosing a career that suited my goals so I spent the next five years trying to make up my mind. The semester of graduation I chose a career in nursing since I had a lot of experience as a Certified Nursing Assistant. I am now a third year nursing student at Bellin College of Nursing. My future goal (far future) is to attend school in forensic nursing.



October 2006 Calendar of Events

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
				Kickball- Citizen's Park	Membership meeting 7pm at the Best Western Lakefront		
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
				Kickball- Citizen's Park			
	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
				Board Mtg. 7:00pm- Kickball- Citizen's Park			Halloween Haunted House Road Trip
	22	23	24	25	26	27	28
			Long Term Committee Meeting at the Oar House on Memorial Drive 6pm	Kickball- Citizen's Park		Membership Social- Location- TBA	
	29	30	31				
	Maritime Museum Kids Halloween Party 4-7 pm	Have a Spooky Halloween					



Manitowoc Jaycee members Heather Kretsch, Dawn Phajit, Lisa Schofield, Rob Reed (Past WI Jaycee President), Doreen Drescher, Clint Drescher, Alex Olson, and Jason Allard are joined by Wisconsin Jaycee State President Kris Brandner, Past Presidents Cindy Sabourin and Ben Sabourin, 2007 President Elect Laurie Sonsalla and National VP Dick Weber at the Legend Larry's social.

Come to the October 5th Membership meeting to learn about the Scary Larry Wing Eating contest.

General Membership Meeting Minutes- September 5, 2006

1. Call to order at 7:05 p.m.
2. Pledge of Allegiance led by: Lindsay Repinski
3. Introduction of Jaycees and Guests: 16 members present, 1 guest: welcome Collin!
4. Agenda Review for Additions and Changes
5. Officer Reports
 - A. Secretary-**Kari Wagner**
 - i. Newsletter submissions are due to Doreen Drescher by the Board meeting on September 20th. Email submissions to: doreen.drescher@comcast.net
 - ii. Motion to approve GMM minutes for July and August by Heather, 2nd by Brian.
 - B. Treasurer-**Emeka Onuoha**
 - i. Account Balances

Checking:	\$15,084.44
Long Term:	\$4,775.81
Savings:	\$2,208.81
Metro Jam:	\$7,815.11
Brewfest:	\$2,000.00

Motion to approve account balances for July and August by Doreen, 2nd by Emily
 - C. Management Development VP-**Heather Kretsch**, Director: **Dawn Phajit**
 - i. Upcoming Events and Discussion Items:
 1. Brewfest 2007: Kickoff meeting was on August 30th; our next meeting is on September 21st at Kathy's Stage Door Pub: It's not too late to join the committee!!
 2. Entertainment Books: Sign up with Heather if interested in selling some before other businesses get a chance to...we have sold about 20 of them already!
 3. Long-term account meeting: September 11th at Perkins 6 pm. Please let Heather know if interested in attending so adequate seating can be reserved.
 - D. Community Development VP- **Katie Stradal**, Director: **Lori Beyer**
 - i. Upcoming Events and Discussion Items:
 1. NFL Punt, Pass, & Kick: Saturday, September 30th at Municipal field-9:00 am
 - E. Individual Development VP- **Rick Leitner**, Director: **Sara Cassidy**!
 - i. Upcoming Events and Discussion Items:
 1. None
 - F. Membership Development Directors-**Lynda Beyer and Kim Leitner**
 - i. Wrap Up of Events:
 1. Mini Golf Social: August 19th at 6 pm-Good time had by all! Lynda and Dave won a free game!
 2. Legend Larry's Social: August 25th at 6 pm-Great turnout!! About 23 members attended along with some state board members! We also signed a new member!
 - ii. Upcoming Events and Discussion Items:
 1. Camping in Waupaca: September 8th-10th We hope to have some fun on the water...There are still some sites available if anyone is interested in coming along.
 2. Friday social at Edgewood: September 29th This is the newer restaurant in Valders-show up around 6 pm for food, drinks, and a good time!
 3. Corn Maze social: Early-mid October at the Thompson's house: 1610 Barthels Road. Come and check out the haunted corn maze and don't forget to come in costume!! If you'd like to help stamp invitations, please contact Kim Leitner or Emily Vergenz!
 - G. State Director- **Clint Drescher**
 - i. Upcoming Road Trips:
 1. Fall convention in Wausau: September 9-11 Take this opportunity to network with other Jaycees around the state, or join in the volleyball tournament! There is still time to register-an All Events ticket includes all expenses except the hotel room for only \$85.
 - H. Nominations for the 2007 Board of Directors: **Kim Leitner**
 - i. If you are nominated, please let Kim know whether or not you'll accept the nomination.
 - I. President's Report- **Paul Granger**
 - i. Jaycee of the Month: Rick Leitner-Thank you for your time in creating wonderful shelves for our storage shed!!!!
 - ii. President's comments:
 1. Congratulations Brian and Kristin Johnson on the birth of your new daughter, Abigail!
 2. Congratulations on your engagement Jason Allard and Heather Kretsch!
 3. Happy Birthday Emily Vergenz on September 3rd!
 4. Human Services is seeking foster parents; contact Paul if interested.
 5. We are still collecting supplies for KAN; they can be dropped off at Bubba's Place.
 6. Manitowoc Chamber is taking Board of Director positions if anyone is interested.
 7. The Deputy Fire Chief would like to know if we would like to get involved with them for October's Crime Prevention month. Please come forward with any ideas!
 - iii. Board of Directors Meeting Wednesday, September 20th 2006 at 7 p.m. at Clint's house.
 - iv. **General Membership Meeting THURSDAY, October 5th 2006 at 7 pm at the Lakefront Best Western.**
6. Motion to adjourn meeting at 8:05 p.m. by Katie, 2nd by Kim, unanimous approval.

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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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