

"The STACK"

A Publication of the Manitowoc Jaycees

FROM THE PRESIDENT

Doreen Drescher

Next Membership Meeting
Thursday, November 8th,
2008 at the Best Western at
7:00 pm.

We will be back to our
regular 1st Wednesday of
each month schedule for the
December meeting on
Wednesday, December 5th.



Hello Manitowoc Jaycees,

A huge welcome goes out to Ted Hacker, Sarah Burden, Jen Bergin, Dana Troullier and Cassie Downard, our newest Jaycee members. Welcome to the group.

Also, congratulations to the newly elected 2008 board of directors:

Management VP- Jeb D

Community VP - Alex O

ID VP - Nicole R

Treasurer- Jason A

State Director- Heather A

Directors- Justine B and Will Stecker

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As we enter the last two months of 2007, we gear up for our largest community project, Christmas shopping trip, see the community for more details, our largest Management project, Beer Lover's Brewfest, and many assorted socials including our year end Christmas party which will be held at Big Apple on December 25th. Socializing starts at 6:00 with the sit down dinner at 6:30 followed by awards and then volleyball, basketball, pool and poker!! Mark your calendar's now. This is free for you, your family, or a guest.

Also, at the December 5th meeting, we will be annual white elephant auction. Bring a classy(gift cards, holiday décor) and a trashy gift (past examples: expired canned goods, 1970 decorations, head bands, half eaten food etc...) wrapped. Gifts are usually no more than \$5. We will auction off the items to the highest bidder.

CPG's with Rob Reed

A Chairperson's Guide: BREWFEST

Immediately following our November General Membership Meeting, Rob Reed will be talking to the group about writing a successful CPG. CPGs are guides for future chairpersons to utilize for a successful event. A CPG will give you a detailed description of how the event was run the year before and will help you through the planning process. The focus will be writing a CPG for Brewfest. Rob is a past Jaycee and has held many positions during his membership with us. Please support him and come join us after the meeting.

Spiritual Sundays: Open Bible Baptist Church

On our last spiritual Sunday we will be attending the 10am service at the Open Bible Baptist Church on Sunday November 18th. The church is located on the corner of Franklin and South 9th Street, kiddy corner from the police station.

November and December Essay Contest

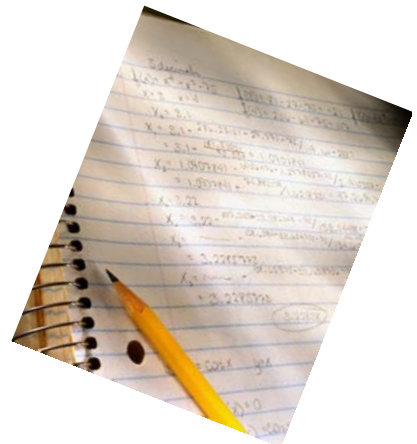
***Essays are to be 300-500 words in length and submitted by the last day of the month. The topics are as follows...

November: If you could write one law, what would it be and how would you get it passed?

December: What is one thing you learned this year and how has that knowledge changed your life?

***We will be holding a special event for our December Essay contest with a prize for the winning essay... Watch your emails for more information...

Individual Development





Management News

Hello Manitowoc Jaycees!!

First and foremost, I would like to congratulate Jeb Downard on being elected as our 2008 Management Development Vice President. I'm happy to see Jeb step up into a Board position role. The Management VP works on paperwork to ensure the chapter is recognized at the state and national levels and on chapter fundraising efforts.

Speaking of fundraising, planning for our largest chapter fundraiser, Beer Lover's Brewfest, is going strong. I'm still encouraging anyone who can (or knows someone who can) to draw up a logo for this our 12th annual event. Creativity counts!!

Short and sweet this time! Have a great November!

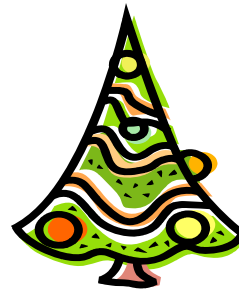
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CHRISTMAS SHOPPING TRIP DEC 15th, 2007

We are currently looking for volunteers for our December community event, Christmas Shopping Trip.

With our assistance, several children in the community are able to have a better Christmas.

We take approximately 20 children under the age of 13 shopping at a local store to purchase gifts for their family. We then go to a wrapping party where gifts are wrapped, food is served, and sometimes, Santa visits. Each child is taken home with their gifts and a bag of groceries for Christmas dinner including ham, vegetables, rolls and dessert. This year's event will take place on December 15th. We start at 8am and are done at approximately 12 noon. The event is a lot of fun and makes a difference in the life of each child and family we help. Please contact Lynda Beyer, wimbers@hotmail.com / 684-5612 or Heather Allard englebertz@yahoo.com / 684-0378 to sign up!



Community

Membership

Hey Everybody,

Halloween is right around the corner and in celebration of this Pagan holiday we will be having a get together at the Thompson's house. By the time you read this the party will be over so I hope joined us for the festivities.

Everyone had a blast at the Wingin it social. We had two of our newest members there, Jen and Ted. Both Jen and Ted decided to skip the D.O.A. flavor of wings opting for the more flavorful and less spicy Teriyaki and Honey BBQ wings. Everyone in attendance seemed to be enjoying themselves. I am sure all the spicy wings Jeb ate are still messing with his stomach; I know they are to mine. Jeb's wife Cassie will be joining the Jaycees again after a short hiatus; though I doubt she will be taking part in a spicy wing eating contest anytime soon. Thanks to everyone who came out, I hope you enjoyed yourselves.

Next month (November 3rd and 4th) is the WI Jaycees State Volleyball Tournament in Marinette. We will be sending one team again this year. This will be my first time playing and I have heard that in the past we have had fun. Being from Manitowoc I am sure we will have a few beverages there. The games are on Saturday with a championship on Sunday. From what I have heard we haven't made it to the Sunday games, for one reason or another, but everyone has a good time. Let me know if you are interested in joining in the festivities.

I have some socials in the works for next month and will be sending out a reminder bulletin like I did last month for everyone. So come on out and have a drink with your fellow Jaycees.

Brewfest is in full swing, for those of you who are interested in learning about our chapters biggest fund raiser give me a call or email me so I can let you know when our next meeting is. Also as the event date approaches we will be looking for volunteers to work the event let me know if you are interested.

Giddy up.

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JAYCEE MISSION STATEMENT

To contribute to the advancement of the global community by providing the opportunity for young people to develop the leadership skills, social responsibility, entrepreneurship and fellowship necessary to create positive change.

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