



The Presidents Club

July, 2017 Newsletter

The President's Address:



Happy July. I hope you had a great 4th of July. I had a great time. My husband and I spent the weekend and Monday at Indian Lake and watched the fireworks over the water with family and friends. I love to watch the fireworks.

Thanks so much to everyone who came to our June meeting. In addition to three great speakers, we had a wonderful turn out of club members. It was a great meeting and I think all of us learned from everyone that day. Our speakers included Charlene Chattams with the Alzheimer's Association. She gave us a great summary of what the disease is and what services her agency has to offer. We also had Jody Murray with Access Project. She is doing a wonderful service with her workers and their recycling. Before you throw any technological device or other equipment away, please call her to see if she can recycle something from it. Eli Willimas from Urban Light Ministries also spoke on his book and his program helping young fathers learn how to be great Dads. I can't wait to read his books to learn more about him and his program.

I attended the Exchange Club's dinner to swear in their new President, Khadijah Ali. Congratulations to her and all the other officers. They had a wonderful dinner at the Masonic Temple in the Billiards room. Leslie from the Squares and Compass Café at the Temple fixed a very tasty dinner for us and Khadijah lead the program.

Speaking of Khadijah, please welcome her as our new board member to the Presidents Club of Dayton. I am happy to have her onboard and know that she will do a great job as a board member.



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We will be meeting this month on the third Wednesday for our regular luncheon meeting. Please put this on your calendar now and plan to attend. We have three more great speakers and I want everyone to hear them. Their bios are listed below. First we have, Roberta Shiverdecker the Manager of the Hygene Pantry from Day of Caring 365. Come hear her speak on their pantry and how they have grown since their inception in 1991 to giving over \$500,000 back to our local communities.

Chris Stanley from the Fisher/Nightingale Houses, Inc., will also speak. We know and love Chris from serving with him on the Bob Chiles Golf Committee to raise money for the Fisher House. It will be nice to see him again and hear more about the Fisher House.

Robert Thomas from RE Thomas Inc, Llc will be our third speaker and give us ideas on fund raising. I am looking forward to hearing this as we are all looking for new ideas.

This will be another one of our meetings you will not want to miss. Remember all club members are welcome to attend so bring your entire club.

Arrangements are being made for The Citizen Legion of Honor luncheon on October 5th. Club Presidents should have received a note about this. Please let me know if you did not get one. We are hoping all clubs will be able to attend this year. Bob Mills is our recipient. Please visit our website to see more about him.

Again, Happy July and I hope to see you all next week at our meeting. It is July 19th at 11:30PM at the Masonic Temple. Please call me if you have any questions about this or the Presidents Club. We would love to attend your club meetings and give you a presentation on the changes the Presidents Club has made over the years. Let me know when we can do this.

See you next week,

Amy Gephart

Amy Gephart, President

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The Centerville Lions



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Bios of July Speakers:

Roberta Shiverdecker, Manager Hygiene Pantry, Day of Caring 365.

Established in 1991, Day of Caring is a grass roots organization made up of volunteers committed to increasing personal awareness and involvement toward confronting the ever-increasing national plight of hunger and homelessness. Volunteers have made it possible for Day of Caring 365 to give back over \$500,000 to our local communities.

Chris Stanley, Fisher/Nightingale Houses, Inc.

Chris Stanley retired from the Air Force in August 2001 with 24 years of service. At the time of his retirement, he was a Senior Master Sergeant and was the First Sergeant for the largest medical squadron in the Air Force.

As for the Fisher/Nightingale Houses, Inc., Chris has served with this organization for the last 23 years and upon his retirement from the Air Force 16 years ago, he accepted a part-time job to become the Executive Director. In this position, he is responsible for raising the monies to reimburse the Air Force for the day-to-day operations of these two compassionate care houses at Wright-Patterson AFB. He also worked a full-time job as a government contractor; however in October 2016, due to additional workload with the future Dayton VA Medical Center Fisher House, he resigned his contractor position and now is the full-time Executive Director of the nonprofit supporting the two Wright-Patterson AFB Fisher House and the future Dayton VA Medical Center Fisher House.



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Robert Thomas, R.E Thomas Inc. Llc.

Bob Thomas is a graduate of Kentucky Christian University, with degrees in Communication and Bible and Doctrine.

Bob has started and operated several businesses and is currently President of R.E Thomas Inc. Llc. Bob and his wife, Janie, are currently operating two businesses under the Llc., Good Life USA which is a discount travel membership club and a new company, Create College Money, which offers three programs that will help families save thousands of dollars toward their children's or grandchildren's college education.

When Bob isn't working he enjoys spending time with his family, coaching little league and playing games with his two grandkids.

Bob says his best experience was when he spent several years with College Bound Student Athletics, where he worked with high school student/athletes to increase their opportunities of being recruited to college and receiving the maximum amount of scholarship and other financial aid to pay for college.

Website Updates/Michael Leibold

- To receive monthly newsletters electronically, have your members email Marcia Bostick at mbostick@dacc.org

Link to download forms: <http://presidentsclubdayton.org/index.php/forms-library>

Organization Speaker Programs - Community Information Leaders

In an effort to support our PCoD members and the public, this section is dedicated to providing a list of area information leaders, whether they be not-for-profits; elected officials and/or specific topic experts. These individuals, if contacted, may make themselves available to speak at club meetings or special events and share important programs, projects, issues or topics with audiences about our community and perhaps where additional volunteer leadership can play an important role in the success of these programs.

This list may change from time to time in order to keep it updated. But it is a great reference guide to many areas of arts, social services, business, government and education in our community. <http://presidentsclubdayton.org/index.php/community>

- Remember to:

- ✓ Send your sponsored activities.
- ✓ Subscribe for the PC newsletter.
- ✓ **Use the website for registering your events.**
- ✓ Mike Leibold at mleibold@presidentsclubdayton.org



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Please visit our website and confirm that your club's information is correct and let Marcia Bostick at mbostick@dacc.org know the changes you have. Go to Members page and select your club: <http://presidentsclubdayton.org/index.php/member> or <http://presidentsclubdayton.org/>

Presidents Club Member's Events

NEW CARLISLE @ CENTERVILLE EVENING @ SOUTH METRO @ CENTERVILLE NOON @ WESTMONT @ WRIGHT STATE @ EAST DAYTON @ KETTERING NOON @ DOR-WOOD @ DISTRICT 1001 CLUBS @ NORTHRIDGE @ RIVERDALE @ GREENE @ BELLBROOK SUGARCREEK @

OPTIMIST KIDS DAY IN THE PARK
CARNIVAL GAMES • PRIZES • FACE PAINTING
FREE EVENT!
Saturday August 5, 2017
9AM to 1PM
Delco Park, Kettering Ohio
1700 Delco Park Drive, Kettering, OH 45420
ACTIVITIES DESIGNED FOR AGES K-8
Kids must be accompanied by Parent(s), Grandparent(s) or Guardian(s)
FUN FOR THE ENTIRE FAMILY
WITH LUNCH SERVED AT NOON

THE FOLLOWING OPTIMIST CLUBS PARTICIPATED LAST YEAR —



Sponsored by the Dor-Wood Optimist, the Kettering Noon Optimist and the City of Kettering

FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT RON LABATZKY 937-350-7149



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**Golfers are invited to join us in September of 2017
at Miami Valley Golf Club
in support of Northridge area youth activities and scholarships.**

**Northridge
Optimist Club**

Serving our community since 1964

\$110 green fee includes golf & buffet dinner after the round

- Free range balls for warmup
- Snack Packs before tee off
- Drinks at par 3's
- Prizes Galore
- Dinner, plus Drawings & Awards to begin at 6:00PM
- Buffet Dinner will be served in the ballroom

Thursday, September 28, 2017

Time: 1:00 PM (Shotgun) • Sign-in at Noon • Miami Valley Golf Club, Dayton, Ohio



Three ways to support the scholarships:

- Enjoy a round of golf at one of Dayton's premier courses (plus dinner in the ballroom).
- Become a hole sponsor, or choose from among four other sponsorship opportunities.
- Become a "Memed" Scholarship Donor, with a scholarship presented to a deserving Northridge student in your name (or your company's name).



Check the club website for registration materials: • [Golf Registration](#) • [Sponsorship Opportunities](#) • [Scholarship Donations](#) www.NorthridgeOptimist.org

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