



The Presidents Club

September 2018 Newsletter



Hello, Happy September. I hope everyone had a great Labor Day. We spent it at Indian Lake, participated in the Ring of Fire and went to our niece's wedding. It was a beautiful wedding and a great, relaxing weekend. As you may know, I am in the Medicare Advantage business and my busiest time of the year, Annual Enrollment, is coming up next month. I already have several appointments and presentations scheduled for October, so I cherish these relaxing weekends in September.

Tickets should be going on soon for our Citizen Legion of Honor Luncheon. If you have not heard the news, this year's recipient is Jenell Ross, the President of Bob Ross Auto Group. We are very excited about this as Jenell is so deserving of this award. It will be my last Citizen Legion of honor Luncheon as President. I will be stepping down and Khadijah Ali will be taking over as President. I know she will do great things for our club. Please plan on joining us on October 5th to help us honor Janell and watch Khadijah take over as our President. It would be great to see all of our clubs represented with many, many members.

If you missed last month's meeting, you missed three awesome speakers. We did have a few speaker changes than what we originally published in our newsletter. Jan Hollon from the American Cancer Society was not able to make it, so Heather Robison brought Dan Spiller who has been volunteering with the program for over 4 years. He shared his experience as a driver for the Road to Recovery Program. What a rewarding experience to transport individuals to their cancer treatment appointments. This is a true volunteer with a heart of gold. They are looking for more people to do this if you are interested.

We also had a change and had Sherry Aldridge, the CEO of New Beginnings present instead of Hannah Byrd. We were so impressed with her program and what it does for children. Their mission is to advocate, educate and inspire youth, young adults and families to become positive, productive citizens.

We also had OUR Montgomery County Recorder, Brandon McClain attend our meeting. He is doing great things in Montgomery County. Check out his website and learn more about his FRAUD ALERT NOTIFICATION SYSTEM (FANS) and his Veteran ID card programs. If you own a home or are a veteran you really want to sign up for these free programs. They could save you money and problems in the future.

Like I said, it was a great meeting!

This month's meeting will also be a great meeting that you will not want to miss. We have Mike Miller, the Executive Director from the Dakota Center. He will share information about the programs they have there for children, seniors and the community.

We also have Holly Beard with Parrot Promo Essentials. She will be informing us about her business and how she and her mother are able to assist clients with their promotional needs.



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We have Carrie Scraff from Five Rivers Metro Parks coming back to talk to us about their new upcoming levy. Everyone enjoyed hearing about the parks plans for expansion last year, so we are excited to have Carrie back with us again.

As always, if you have any upcoming activities, please let us know so we can list them here for you and on our Facebook page. Let us help you spread the word about your event. We did for the Civitan's Quack Party last month. I went and had a great time. It is not too late to buy a duck or a Quack pack for the 15th URS Annual Rubber Duck Regatta on September 15th. Contact a member of the Civitan's Club to purchase these. I am hoping I have the winning duck. I told Lauren King I only wanted to buy the winning duck at the party. Hopefully, this is the one she gave me.

Please invite your club members and anyone else you think would enjoy our speakers to attend our meetings. It is a great way to meet new people and have a great meal. Leslie in the café always has a delightful buffet on Wednesday or you can order off the menu. Either way, you will not be disappointed. The café is open Tuesday through Friday, so you can enjoy a meal there any day for lunch.

Please Note change for November's meeting. As the third Wednesday of November falls on the day before Thanksgiving, we have decided to move the meeting up one week. We will meet on the second Wednesday of the month which is Wednesday, November 14th. Please mark your calendars now.

We will soon have polo shirts and hats that can be ordered. They will have the Presidents Club's logo and can be personalized with your name if you like. We will list it on Facebook and our website when the order form is ready. Holly Beard from Parrot Promo Essentials is handling this for us. We are really excited about this. This is not a fundraiser, just an opportunity to show your pride in being part of the presidents Club of Dayton. Holly will be presenting at our meeting and will also have shirts to show everyone and explain the ordering process.

Contact me if you have any questions about the Presidents Club or if you need a speaker for one of your meetings. We are happy to help you with this. I can also speak to your club about Medicare and what is available for 2019.

Have a great month, looking forward to seeing everyone soon.

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Speakers Bios:

Holly Beard, Owner, Parrot Promo Essentials.

Holly Beard is the owner of Parrot Promo Essentials. Parrot Promo Essentials is a family owned and a certified woman owned business established in 1996 by Kim Massie, Holly's mother. Due to their expansion, it was important to make sure they could focus on their customers and their needs instead of worrying about the backend part of their business. As a result, three years ago, they joined forces with Proforma Albrecht. Proforma Albrecht does all their invoicing and ordering and brings to them the immense purchasing power that allows them to give their customers the very best pricing. Kim and Holly value their customers and the friendships they have built with them over the years. When they work with businesses, they focus on bringing value through marketing solutions by offering unique ideas that are designed to create the most return on investment of the dollars you spend.

When not working, Holly enjoys spending time with her husband and two sons. She is also an active member of the Miami Valley Military Affairs Association and is the current chair for the Bob Chiles Golf outing.

Mike Miller, Executive Director, the Dakota Center.

Mike Miller was born in Xenia OH and moved to Dayton when he was 9 years old. Mike lives in Oakwood with his wife, Linda and they are the parents of two sons attending college in Ohio. Mike graduated from Denison University with a double major in Political Science and History. In May of 2017, he earned his Master of Divinity from United Theological Seminary. Mike is also in his 3rd term as an Oakwood City Board of Education member. Mike's business background is rooted in the motivation industry helping for 18 years to lead a small company's growth to almost 20 employees with annual revenues exceeding 16 million when the company closed in 2011. Mike decided to leave the for profit world for the for purpose world when he enrolled at the seminary. He is currently employed as the Executive Director of the Dakota Center.

The Dakota Center's mission is to provide a safe community atmosphere engaging Dayton neighborhoods and people of all ages in programs that educate the whole person.

The center is currently in its sixth decade of service tracing back to the vision that the Center's founders, Philip C. Hoelle, S.M., and William Hoben, had of building a community where there is education for the whole person—mind, body, and spirit.

The center's original location was the old St. Emerick Social Hall on Dakota Street. A fire destroyed this facility in June 1974. The Dakota Center continued its programs at 408 N. Conover Street, using the Holy Name Church facilities. In 1976 Dakota Center moved to the MacFarlane neighborhood and operated out of a converted carriage house for nearly 25 years. Money set aside by the Society of Mary and funds raised from local individuals and foundations allowed for the construction of a new facility at Barnett and West 5th Streets. Staff moved their offices in October, 2000, and the new Dakota Center was dedicated in May, 2001.

Since that time, the Dakota Center has become a landmark in the MacFarlane neighborhood and offers a full calendar of activities. Clients number more than 1,350 who are involved in two or more programs per year. Accomplishments include students kept in school and alumni who contribute to society.



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Carrie Scarff, Chief of Planning and Projects, Five River MetroParks.

Carrie Scarff is Chief of Planning and Projects at Five Rivers MetroParks, overseeing all planning, capital development, and special projects for the agency. After receiving her degree in landscape architecture from Ohio State, she practiced privately in Columbus and San Diego for ten years. She started with MetroParks in 1997, managing the development of RiverScape MetroPark in downtown Dayton. Carrie led the effort to complete key components of the regional bikeway system and developed MetroParks' outdoor recreation initiative. In 2008, she has chaired the Active Lifestyles Committee of the Greater Downtown Dayton Plan which spearheaded the RiverScape River Run and certification of Dayton as a Bike Friendly City. She's currently serving as co-project manager for the Dayton Riverfront Master Plan.

- 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

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/>

Upcoming Activities:



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**THE PRESIDENTS CLUB
OF
DAYTON**



Celebrating Community Volunteer Leadership

**Jenell Ross
68th Annual Recipient
Citizen Legion Of Honor Award**

Thursday, October 4, 2018

Dayton Convention Center, 22 E. Fifth St., Dayton, OH 45402

Reception: 10:30am

Luncheon: 11:30am

Community Sponsorship Available

Platinum: \$2,500

- Preferred seating for full table of 8
- Website and newsletter recognition
- Premium signage and program recognition
- Table signage
- Presidents Club newsletter recognition

Silver: \$500

- Reserved seating for half table of 4
- Signage and program recognition
- Table signage

Gold: \$1,000

- Reserved seating for full table of 8
- Signage and program recognition
- Table signage
- Presidents Club newsletter recognition

Bronze: \$250

- 2 tickets
- Signage and program recognition

Single Ticket: \$21 each: # of tickets: _____

If you are interested in a sponsorship, please check your preference above and e-mail complete form to Marcia Bostick at mbostick@dacc.org or fax to 937-226-8254. You may also contact Marcia directly at 937-226-8225. You will be invoiced based on your selection. Credit cards are accepted on invoice.

Tickets will be mailed in September.

Company: _____ Contact Name: _____

Address: _____

E-mail: _____ Phone: _____

The Presidents Club, founded in 1932, is an IRS recognized 501 (c) 3 charitable and educational foundation. EIN number 31-0962355. All proceeds from this event go to Sinclair Community College to support four (4) annual scholarships for area student leaders. Sponsorship donations are tax deductible, less the cost of each meal (\$21.00)