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"It is a strange anomaly that men should be careful to insure their houses, their ships, their merchandise, and yet neglect to insure their lives – surely the most important of all to their families and more subject to loss." – Benjamin Franklin

Celebrations In New Cleveland!

On the evening of May 12th, New Cleveland CLC Council 215 held their meeting honoring those that celebrated their 50th Anniversaries, 70th and 90th birthdays. A potluck was held in their honor, and bingo after the short meeting with many baked goods as prizes. All had an enjoyable evening.



(Pictured left to right) Mary Jane Palte, Theresa Niese and Kathleen Kern

Ladies Night Out and About!



43 members and guests of the Catholic Ladies of Columbia met for Ladies Night Out at the Carey Brewing Station on Findlay St. in Carey, Ohio. Derek Cunningham, owner of the brewery, welcomed guests to the brewery. The brewery is now open without any covid restrictions. Father Conrad started the evening with prayer, Members enjoyed karaoke, brewery beverages and Angelo's pizza. A short meeting was held. CLC will be holding the CLC rummage sale in August at St. Peter School in Upper Sandusky. The rummage sale dates and times are Thursday August 12, 4-8 p.m., Friday August 13, 9a.m.-6p.m. and Saturday August 14, 9a.m.-noon. The kitchen will be open for food, and a bake sale will also be held. Donations will be accepted August 9-12, noon-6p.m. The next meeting will be September 8 at the Upper Sandusky KofC Hall at 7:30. The committee is Paula Fisher, Yvonne Baldwin, Karen Walter, JoAnn Yeater, Betty Wines, Dianna Gabriel-Rife, Karen Young, Harriet Amendola, Mary Alice Wines, Rita Rossman, Pat Smith and Joyce McMillan.

FAIRY'S FACTS

Welcome to Summer. The Summer activities are starting. The July 4th holiday will, once again, be celebrated with fireworks and picnics. As we begin to gather and celebrate together please keep in mind that Covid is still very real. If you have not been vaccinated remember to mask up and keep your distance from others. Great strides have been made to stop the virus and for society to return back to normal. Please continue to do your part. While you are watching your friends and family run around playing and visiting and you see the fireworks exploding across the sky, remember to thank our military personnel for their sacrifice and service to our country.

Our parish bible school was held recently. It was so good to see the children enjoying each other and their time together. I enjoy watching them as they listen to the bible stories and sing together. Calling all of the kids to jump into the spotlight this month for the Annual CLC Coloring Contest. The coloring page is in this issue or you can print the page from our website. I look forward to seeing all the entries. It always adds color to the Home office. I love to see the imagination of our youngest members. Each entrant will have the opportunity to receive a \$10,000 K.I.D.S. life policy. I want to wish all of the enterants good luck!

CLC's volunteer hours have been reported to the American Fraternal Alliance. Even through the pandemic our members continue to volunteer and support their communities. A total of 49,691 volunteer hours and 7,987 volunteer events were held during 2020. Thank-you to the councils and all the members that reported their volunteer hours. It is so important to CLC as we continue to remain tax exempt as well as support our communities.

It is time to vote! Watch for your postcard ballot that will be arriving in the mail. Instructions on how to cast your vote are included on the postcard. You are able to vote by mail or save a stamp and vote online at www.theclc.org. Voting is open now until August 31, 2021.

The August Index will include the CLC Virtual Annual meeting information. Lifeline of Ohio, an organ donation organization, has been chosen as the charity for the event. For more information check the CLC website or lifelineofohio.org.

A special thank-you to CLC councils, New Cleveland and Delphos, for the invitation to their meetings. It is great to be able to safely visit the councils and members in person once again. Be safe and enjoy your summer!

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HAS CHANGED TO HEARING

American Hearing Benefits (AHB) provides members with access to free hearing consultations and significant discounts on hearing aids. Our nationwide network of hearing professionals has more than 3,000 locations, each ready to serve the hearing needs of our members. And thanks to our hearing aid discount program, members can easily achieve an improved quality of life through better hearing.

Schedule your FREE hearing consultation
call (866) 925-1287.



Members share in the spiritual benefits of being enrolled in a perpetual membership with the Sisters of Notre Dame. If you need a special prayer, individual requests can be sent directly to Sister Deb by sending an email to clcprayerrequests@gmail.com. Local councils have annual Masses for their living and deceased members. If requested, CLC council members will offer prayers at a member's funeral services. Even in death, CLC supports and honors our members.

How are you helping save the earth? Draw & color activities you and your family do to keep the earth clean and healthy!



2021 CLC Coloring Contest Entry Form
All entries must be postmarked by August 17, 2021

Name: _____ Date of birth: ____/____/____ Policy # _____

Address: _____ Council # _____

Check Eligible Age Level: () 1 age 4-6 () 2 age 7-9 () 3 age 10-13

Contest Rules: *Child, parent or grandparent must currently have a life insurance policy, annuity or IRA with CLC
*One entry per child *Each level will have three winners (1st place \$10, 2nd place \$6, 3rd place \$4) *Picture may be colored with crayons, colored pencils or markers. NO PAINT ALLOWED. *Entries will be judged on originality and expression of theme. ** CLC will pay the K.I.D.S. policy each year the contestant enters the coloring contest and if all underwriting requirements are met at time of application.

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 DO IT, DO YOUR PART!**



Fourth of July Word Scramble 

Unscramble the words, then use the highlighted letters to write out the scrambled secret message.

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