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Help Us Welcome The Newly Elected CLC Board Of Directors



Pictured above, front row L to R is Charrise Shick; secretary, Fairy Wagner; president; and Lydia Rall, Vice-President. Back row, L to R is Lucy Vanderhoff; Director, Carol Bockrath; Director, Linda Petersen; Director and Melissa Neise; Director.

Please help us welcome our new Board of Directors to CLC. There are many events, days and decisions that lie ahead of them to look forward to. We thank all of them for their time and willingness to keep CLC running smoothly.

Statue Getting Closer To Reality

Ottawa Co. #7 was pleased to present charitable donations to St's. Peter and Paul Parish for the Holy Family statue that students of the school have been working and saving for.

The CLC Annual Meeting Will Be In Person In 2022

Let's put another foot back into our new normal! We will be meeting in person this year for CLC's Annual Meeting. The pandemic has turned so many lives upside down and inside out over the past couple of years. It is time to gather again. Gather in friendship, faith, fun and business. Please join CLC at our Annual Meeting to do just that!

The Annual Meeting will be held in person in Wilmington, Ohio in October 2022, at the Roberts Center. Be on the lookout for registration information in the Index and on theclc.org. Coming very soon!

Joining Hands In Honor of Cainen



Landeck Council #84 chose Cainan's Purpose this year for our Join Hands day. While Cainan was in Cincinnati Children's Hospital, he enjoyed playing with Lego's. After his death, his family started Cainan's Purpose in his memory. Each year they purchase and distribute hundreds of Lego boxes in his memory for the Children in Cincinnati Hospital. All of us, in Council #84, wanted to help grow that contribution by donating even more Lego sets to help other children through a rough time.

Fairy's facts...

Welcome to May and I hope warmer weather. It has been a Spring of temperature ups and downs.

The April CLC Board meeting was held in the Home Office. It was good to meet with the Board members in person. The Board decided to keep interest rates at their current level. We are monitoring the rates closely as the economy changes.

I attended the quarter raffle sponsored by the Glandorf and Ottawa Councils. It was great to see everyone and enjoy the meal and friendship. Thank-you for the invitation.

Join Hands Day is May 7, please let us know how you participated with pictures and details.

May 8th is Mother's Day. Please celebrate and pray for all the women in your lives.

As we honor our veterans on, Memorial Day, May 30th please keep our Military personnel in your prayers. Also remember the Ukrainian people and pray that peace comes to their country soon.

Speakers, Donations And Trips Oh My!

Wyandot County Council on Aging, Tim Griffin, Executive Director and Amy Gardner, Activities Director joined CLC Council 86's April meeting. They informed members of the many community activities and programs provided by the Agency. They also provided newsletters to the members and informed members how to receive the newsletter and information about upcoming activities.



Members voted to donate to the Council on Aging, Christian Food Center and the Knights of Columbus. The Summer trip will be August 2-5 to Mackinaw City, Michigan. The trip cost is \$550 double occupancy or \$825 single occupancy. Members interested in going should email CLCbustrip@gmail.com for more information. "Freedom is the open window through which pours the sunlight of the human spirit and human dignity." Herbert Hoover

Mother's Day Prayer

Lord, thank you for all mothers. For the new ones, who endure sleepless nights with infants in arms. For the busy ones, who juggle the pressures of home

and family life.

For the steadfast ones, who nurture and care for our special vulnerable children.

For the patient ones, who always seek to forgive and engage with their pre-teens.

For the persistent ones, who cleverly find new ways to connect with their mini-adults.

For the mother aunts, who step in to cradle and care for nieces and nephews.

For all grandmas, who love and support their precious grandchildren.

For the foster moms that are called to gather and cover the fragile ones.

For the Sunday moms who care for our children and lead them in faith.

For the moms who give far beyond their own resources, who overcome disability to cherish and love.

Thank you Lord for all our beautiful mothers. Help us to support them and keep them in our prayers. May you bless them now on this their special day.

Amen.

Splash Down To Cooler Summer Days!



Council #7 contributed to the community of Ottawa to help fund a splash pad to benefit young and old folks alike on those hot summer days. What a wonderful idea and opportunity to bring the community together.

Spring Fling Fun!



The Glandorf and Ottawa councils hosted a Spring Fling get together for all nearby CLC councils and guests. Attendees were treated to delicious food and wine tasting. Quarter auction followed and many items ranging from homemade noodles and angel food cakes to planters of flowers were won by many. Proceeds of the evening will benefit the charitable projects of both councils. Thanks we're expressed to all who attended and to the many members of both councils who volunteered for this successful evening.

Going Once...Going Twice... Quarter Raffle Success!



The CLC Quarter raffle was hosted by CLC councils Ottawa #7 and Glandorf #179. It was held at the Glandorf St. John's Parish Center with over 80 members and guests in attendance. Food and drinks were served. A 50/50 drawing was held with the raffle.

Alice Diemer welcomed everyone. Past CLC Board members Theresa Gable, Sharon Calvelage, Alice Diemer and Mary Lou Hoffman were introduced along with current Board members: Fairy Wagner, Carol Bockrath and Melissa Niese.

Attending councils recognized were: Leipsic #6, Ottawa #7, Cloverdale #10, Landeck #84, Upper Sandusky #86, Fort Jennings #88, Kalida #134, Columbus Grove #166, Glandorf #179, and New Cleveland #215. Councils also had a chance to meet during the evening.

All food, drinks and raffle items were donated. A special thank-you to Joyce Ellerbrock for her many donations. All proceeds from the evening will be used for Council charities. Thank-you to everyone that attended. Volume 124 Issue 3 Published in the interest of the Catholic Ladies of Columbia 700 Taylor Road, Suite 280 Gahanna, OH 43230-3321 Phone: 614-944-4743 or 800-845-0494 Fax: 614-944-4748

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