

KELLEYS Life

Life on Kelleys Island



Homecoming Grand Parade Marshal



Left: Laura Jean Pohorence, 90 years old, who was the Grand Parade Marshal for Homecoming on Kelleys Island August 10th. She is standing on the porch of the house in which she was born 90 years ago along with nine other siblings. She was born on December 18, 1928 and still lives on the island. Right: Laura Jean in parade with driver, John Kuyath

Kelleys Island Police Department

As the season starts to slow down, I would like to get several things out of the way for the up and coming year.

Some complaints that have been filed this year and will be looked into for next year are: Dogs at Large (90.01), Open Burning Permitted (93.52), Noise Ordinance (132.13), and Camping Permits (96.00).

A lot of warnings have been given out this year. Next year these ordinance will be enforced. If you would like to look the ordinance up so you are familiar with them, please go to kelleysisland.us and look up the listed subsection.

Now, on to the great things that the Kelleys Island Police Department accomplished this year.

First, with the help of Mr. Ed Kuchar, Mr. John Peck and the money I saved in the 2018-2019 budget, I was able to purchase a 2015 White SUV from Milan P.D. and 2019 Ford F-150 4x4 truck. These vehicles replaced two vehicle that were put out of commission.

I would also like to thank Mrs. Rebecca Hazek & Mrs. Martha Wolfe for writing the perfect cookbook and donating the proceeds to the Kelleys Island Police Department and Kelleys Island EMS. Once again, thank you to the island residents that continue to support their police department.

The second item that I purchased, with savings from the 2019-2020 budget, was an AED (Automated External Defibrillator). I believed this was a pertinent tool that was needed because, in most cases, our department arrives on the scene prior to Kelleys Island EMS. And time matters!!!!

The Kelleys Island Police Department hosted several amazing events in July and August for Kelleys Island visitors and residents.



The first being Special Olympics run from Sandusky, Kelleys Island, Put-In-Bay and ending in Port Clinton.

The next event, that the kids love, and also the Chief, was the "Cops & Bobbers". We didn't catch too many fish this year but, we will give it a try next year. It's All About The Kids!!!!

The 3rd event was "Jaws On The Water". The police department assisted Jen & Bob Parry of Portside Marina in providing this new attraction. This was I believe one of my new favorite events that was put on, as you can see with the pictures provided. Once again, thank you for the support for the Kelleys Island Police Department.

Our most recent event was the "4th Annual KIPD Pig Roast". This being the 4th Pig Roast as Chief of Police and generated the largest turnout. Thank you to my officers and those who assisted in making this a successful event with many more to come. Hopefully, I can top this one for the 5th Annual Pig Roast
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From the Office of the Mayor

I would like to start out by congratulating our Kelleys Island softball team on their championship run!

It was a very exciting season with an even better ending. Attending the first playoff game, I was also impressed with the singing of our National Anthem, beautifully performed by Allie Market. The response of the fans was enthusiastic. The crowd responded with complete attention, total silence, and great respect during the singing.

It has been a very busy month with many ongoing activities. I want to mention and thank both Cindra and Jenny for their continued effort with Make-a-Wish. Great job girls, you make us all proud!

Chief Shawn Craig also did a great job overseeing "Cops & Bobbers" and "Jaws On the Water", with help from Bob and Jen of Portside, and the Annual Pig Roast was also successful.

Chief Bobby Skeans did a terrific job with the Annual Volunteer Fire Department Steak Roast.

Finally, to complete the month, was Homecoming featuring a terrific parade and a great time at the pavilion. Many came out for these events and they were not disappointed.

I would like to mention the referendum that will be on the November ballot:

A YES vote for the referendum would mean that the legislation passed by the Council earlier this summer would be upheld. This means that the Clerk Treasurer position would be appointed by the Mayor with approval of the Village Council.

A NO vote would mean the position would continue as an elected position, to be voted on by the island residents, as is the present situation.

My thinking is that this position is an important one and Kelleys Island residents deserve the right to make this decision.

Also on the ballot is two Tax levy renewals. One levy is for road construction and the other is for EMS, Emergency Medical Service. These levies are both renewals so it is not a tax increase. Please support our levies to continue these services.

Farewell to a great Summer and welcome to an even better Fall.

Mayor, Ron Ehrbar

Candidate Forum

September 21, 2019, 1 pm.
School Gym

There are two open seats and 2 candidates: Gary Finger and Russ Maust
School Board has two seats and 2 candidates: Cindy Herndon and Natasha Skeans

Contested Seat for Clerk position:
Lisa Klonaris and Roz Ahner

Referendum regarding clerk position.
Claudia Brown will speak on this and also the levy renewals.

Mayor, Ron Ehrbar, is running unopposed.

Please plan to attend and ask any questions if you wish.
Presented by the Landowners Association (KILA)



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Banished to the Isle

Camp Patmos would like to invite you and your youth to attend one of our upcoming Fall "Banished to the Isle" weekend retreats. Applications are now being accepted!

Our two combined Jr. High and Sr. High retreats are Friday through Sunday September 13-15 and September 20-22, 2019.

Banished is a theme-based weekend retreat specifically designed for Jr. High and Sr. High students. Our Banished Retreats allow students to participate in a fun and spiritually challenging atmosphere, while also encouraging discussion and interaction pointing them to their need for Christ in everyday living.

Our 2019 theme is "Banished Broken". In this world of brokenness and pain we need someone who can give us hope for tomorrow. The Bible points us to that hope and that Hope is Jesus. He came to proclaim the Good news to the poor and to give us rest and to bind up the broken hearted. (Matthew 11:28-30, Isaiah 61:1-4)

Join us as we explore how we are all broken by sin. We need to take responsibility for our own actions in this broken world and put our trust and faith in the One who can heal us in the most important way: from the inside out.

Speakers are the Executive Director at Camp Patmos, David Sellers, and Terry Porter, Christian Counselor, Life Coach and Founder of Health from the Inside Out in Traverse City Michigan.

Worship will be led by "The Stray". The Stray is a group of musicians who became friends through music. They are ready to make musical waves in the world and at Camp Patmos.

Join Camp Patmos for one of these impactful weekends; September 13-15 or September 20-22. The cost is \$125 per student and \$105 for adult leaders (includes ferry, meals and housing). Saturday-Sunday pricing is available for those joining us later. Extra money may be helpful for pay-to-play paint ball at \$15/game with 200 paint balls (\$6 refills), t-shirts and other Blue Sail camp store items or snacks.

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Top Left: KIPD Pig Roast

Top Right: "Jaws On The Water".

Bottom: KIPD Pig Roast

next year.
 Lastly, don't forget that we have two events coming up. On September 9th from 12-4 will be the "KIPD Car Wash" and kicking out the end of the year is "13.1 Marathon" hosted by Kelleys Island Venture Resort. Thank you to the Bouman Family for your time and dedication for this event.
 As always, if anyone ever has any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to visit the Kelleys Island

Police Department, my door is always open. Stay safe and enjoy the rest of the summer.
 Respectfully,
 Chief of Police,
 Shawn M. Craig/#901

Quote of the Month:
 Be someone's strength
 Be someone's inspiration
 Be someone's reason to never give up.

Fall is Fun on Kelleys Island
 Family Fun ~ Hayrides
 Adult Halloween Weekend
 Pumpkin Carving
 Kids Halloween Weekend

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Own a Unique Piece of Kelleys Island!

By Anne and John Bauswein

There is a season for everything, and this season of our lives calls for simplifying. Thoughts of retirement dance in our heads. And so, we are seeking new ownership for this newspaper.

Kelleys Life began in October, 1999, and has become an integral part of island life. We lived on the island with our children during the 2000-01 school year so that we could explore the island in all seasons of the year. And when we returned to the mainland (because of our other newspapers), we left a piece of our hearts here. We hold the memories of that year close to us. (Johanna has two island t-shirts woven into her t-shirt memory quilt!)

This newspaper publishes year round and has built a strong advertising base on both the island and mainland.

If you are interested in owning this island venture, please call John at 440-478-6233. Serious inquiries only, please.

Kelleys Island 2019 Calendar of Events

SEPTEMBER

- 1 Glacial Glimpses
- 7 **Treasurer Island Day**
- 7 Butterfly Fest/Yard Sale
- 8 KIPD Car Wash
- 14 Wine, Art and Food Faire
- 14 Kayak Poker Paddle
- 21 Feathers & Foliage
- 28 Harvest Fest
- 28 Lobster Fest

- Audubon Club
- Island Wide**
- Historical Museum
- Police Department
- KI Wine Co.
- Island Adventours
- Audubon Club
- Memorial Park
- Village Pump

OCTOBER

- 5 Oktoberfest
- 12 19th Annual Chili Cook-Off
- 18-20 Murder Mystery
- 19 Trunk or Treat/Seaway Marina
- 19 EMS Pumpkin Carving
- 19 Kid's Halloween
- 19 Family Hay Ride-KILA
- 19 EMS Terror at Town Hall
- 26 Adult Halloween
- 26 Day of the Dead Celebration

- KI Brewery CANCELLED
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- KI Venture Resort
- Island House Parking Lot
- Peeper's
- KI Brewery CANCELLED
- 4-H Camp
- Town Hall
- Island-Wide
- KI Wine Co.

NOVEMBER

- 1 - 2 Owl Fest
- 10 Half Marathon & 5K
- 29 Thanksgiving Pot Luck
- 29 Annual Park Lighting-KIFD
- 30 OSU Tail Gate Party
- 30 Sight, Sounds & Scents of the Holidays

- Audubon Club
- KI Venture Resort
- Village Pump
- Memorial Park
- Village Pump
- KI Wine Co.

Remaining Chamber of Commerce Meetings:

Wednesday, September 11th, 4pm

Saturday, October 12, 11am

All meetings take place at the Kelleys Island School and are open to the public

Kelleys Island Brewery News

Hello friends,
I hope this finds you looking back on your summer and glad for each moment we had together on the island. It didn't seem like summer hit until July 4th weekend and right after Homecoming, a week early this year, the families went back to school. Times, they are a changing.

Our Sunset Tour is going to end with a magical butterfly weekend.

Come see us all of September for a Wildlife scavenger Hunt that will end September 28 on Monarch weekend.

The Kelleys Island Brewery will be foregoing October operations and going to be working on renovations and some changes in their buildings.

No events or hours will be available to the public. We apologize for the inconvenience and the repercussions. We have no choice right now.

Many transitions, renovations, and some good ol' fashioned changes are afoot and what month better to do them but October after a season like this.

We would love to share more with you but for now, we thank you for your positive thoughts toward Jay, thanks for keeping him in your thoughts and prayers. He will be back at it soon.....

Cheers!

Patti, Doug, Jay and Crew



September

- 1 - Steve Beck
- 1 - Denny Tyler Benvenuto
- 2 - Brody Benvenuto
- 2 - Charles Burns
- 2 - Christopher Elfers
- 2 - Brady Quillin
- 3 - Julie Mack
- 3 - Kolby Quillin
- 4 - Jaime Fisher
- 4 - Greg Kaszei
- 6 - Tom Beck
- 6 - Marty Millott
- 10 - Maka Mack
- 10 - Gage Peterson
- 10 - Lilly Allan
- 10 - Cindy Washio
- 11 - Ben Bechtel
- 13 - Katie Quillin
- 14 - Joe Cordaro
- 17 - Rachel Schodowski
- 19 - George Klonaris
- 20 - Janine Bonezzi
- 23 - Marlana Mielke
- 24 - Nataliya Makarova - Skeans
- 25 - Sarah Krafty
- 25 - Brandon Portales
- 26 - Kelly Schaffer
- 28 - Chris Brian
- 29 - Octavia Schnittker

October

- 1 - Scott Lentz
- 2 - Gregory Elfers
- 2 - Alex Quillin
- 4 - Hayden Hoffman
- 4 - Cindy Christofferson
- 4 - Jay Walker
- 7 - Brother Ed
- 10 - Bill Bruner
- 11 - Tama Schodowski
- 11 - Donna Walters
- 11 - Carol Chadwell
- 13 - Ekaterina Hazard
- 13 - Daniel Hazard
- 13 - Laurel (Elfers) Weaver
- 14 - Colton Schroer
- 15 - Teresa Maher
- 16 - Geno Van Orsdale
- 16 - Betty Pape
- 17 - Keith Vetovitz
- 18 - Maggie Allan
- 18 - Christie Barton
- 22 - Shelley Quillin
- 25 - Danielle Fresch
- 30 - Isabelle Carmella Smith
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Chamber of Commerce: An Update

Jordan Killam

We made it through the summer, but we're not out of the woods yet! Weeks of solid good weather helped attract crowds to events like the Justin Horseshoe Tournament, The Make-A-Wish Poker Run, the Arts & Crafts Fair, the Make-A-Wish Swim, KIPD Cops & Bobbers, KILA Homecoming, the KIPD 4th Annual Pig Roast, a second International Student Dinner, and the Poker Run/Dice Roll.

Although we had no Chamber sponsored events in August, Kelleys Island and its Chamber of Commerce was featured in a special episode of City Surge sponsored by Lake Erie Shores & Islands (LESI). The episode was created by #HaylieStory, was produced by Zak Films, and post-production help from Laura's Lenses and featured special locations like Glacial Grooves Geological Preserve, the Kelleys Island State Park Beach, Caddy Shack Square, Kelleys Island General Store, Missy Magoo's Candy & Gift Shop, The West Bay Inn, the Kelley's Island Wine Co., and Portside Marina. Visit HaylieStory on Facebook to view the video if you missed it on the Chamber of Commerce Facebook page! We're so grateful that Lake Erie Shores & Islands continues to make spotlighting Kelleys a priority, some of which is the result of relentless arm-twisting from me!

September - no signs of slowing down

Treasure Island Day is right around the corner, and will occur on September 7. Attendees can spend the day seeking out treasures in this island-wide yard sale sponsored by the Chamber. It's a great way to score some unique finds and see the island. Sellers can participate for a fee of \$20 and will receive a kit that includes advertising, pricing stickers, a Treasure Island Day yard sign and designation on the official Treasure Island Day map. Maps will be distributed at the Island Market and Chamber of Commerce office at 9:00am on the day of the sale. Each participant must purchase their own \$5 permit from the Village Office. You must acquire your permit at least 48 hours prior to the start of the sale. Please be advised the Village will report any sale operating without a permit to the State of Ohio. If you're interested in selling items, please register by stopping into our office to fill out an application or by visiting

our site, www.KelleysIslandChamber.com under the events tab. Click on the Treasure Island Days event and scroll down to find the form.

More September Events:

- Glacial Glimpses - September 1 (Audubon Club)
- Butterfly Fest/Yard Sale - September 7 (Kelleys Island Historical Association)
- KIPD Car Wash - September 8 (Police Department)
- Wine, Art & Food Faire - September 14 (Kelleys Island Wine Co.)
- Kayak Poker Paddle - September 14 (Island Adventours)
- Feathers & Foliage - September 21 (Audubon Club)
- Lobster Fest - September 28 (Village Pump)

You may notice that we have begun to start contacting Chamber member businesses about appearing in our Kelleys Island spread in the 2020 Lake Erie Shores & Islands Travel Guide. As a Chamber member, you receive a significant discount when you advertise in our group. Last year, we had 5 pages in the travel guide and we hope to achieve the same or exceed that goal.

The LESI travel guide, has over 300,000 copies distributed regionally including in places like the Ohio Turnpike, AAA displays, Indiana Turnpike, and throughout parts of Michigan. Chamber members are offered the chance to appear in this group at a discounted rate.

These guides are extremely popular in our office and all over the region. They also contain lots of coupons, even a serious discount on Cedar Point tickets! Trust us, you don't want to miss out on this opportunity for your business to be featured in the hands of literally hundreds of thousands of consumers!

October is still going strong

Our Chamber has made networking with other Chambers and like organizations a priority this year. We have connected with Executive Directors from neighboring municipalities and, last year, we joined the Great Lakes Islands Alliance (GLIA), a group comprised of Great Lakes Islands-based elected officials, organization leaders, and private citizens dedicated to addressing complex, interrelated challenges. This includes: access to public services and quality education, supporting a diversified economy,

managing natural, cultural, and historical resources across public and private boundaries, and changing demographics (size, age, seasonality, ownership, economic status, etc.). The goal is to discuss and implement best practices for tackling these challenges.

GLIA will facilitate its 3rd annual Islands Summit October 20-23 on Mackinac Island in Lake Michigan. Kelleys Island will be represented again by me, but this time, a few others have chosen to come along. As I write this, unfortunately, I cannot say who will be on the roster officially as their plans have not been finalized. The program agenda includes discussing island public utilities and safety, centers for learning about the arts and history, strategies for island economic development, environmental issues, seasonal worker housing, sustaining community foundations, and more. We look forward to bringing back what we have learned to affect positive change on our island once again! For more information about GLIA, visit northland.edu/sustainability/crc/great-lakes-islands/.

We are extremely proud to report that the GLIA 2020 summit will take place in Lake Erie. For the first time, the program will take on a progressive format and will take place on at least 3 islands in Lake Erie - South Bass, Kelleys, and Middle Bass. We also hope to spend a "bonus" day on Pelee. Representatives from all of those islands will contribute to the planning of the 2020 summit. It has been an absolute pleasure to collaborate with them so far!

October is a wonderful time for visiting Kelleys, as we're chocked full of even more exciting events that are fun for the entire family:

- Murder Mystery - October 18-20 (KI Venture Resort)
- Trunk or Treat - October 19 (Island House Parking Lot)
- EMS Pumpkin Carving - October 19 (Peeper's)
- KILA Family Hayride - October 19 (4-H Camp)
- EMS Terror at Town Hall - October 19 (Town Hall)
- Adult Halloween Party - October 26 (Island Wide)
- Day of the Dead Celebration - October 26 (KI Wine Co.)

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Preparedness for Seniors

September is National Preparedness Month (NPM). It is a time to prepare yourself and those in your care for emergencies and disasters. This September, please prepare and plan in the event you must go for three days without electricity, water service, access to a supermarket, or local services for several days. Just follow these four steps:

- 1) Be Informed
- 2) Make a Plan
- 3) Build a Kit
- 4) Get Involved

While each person's abilities and needs are unique, every individual can take steps to prepare for all kinds of emergencies. By evaluating your own personal needs and making an emergency plan that fits those needs, you and your loved ones can be better prepared. By evaluating your own personal needs and making an emergency plan, you can be better prepared for any situation. Visit Ready.gov/seniors and consider the following. Learn more about how a disaster might affect your individual needs or the needs of someone you care for.

It's possible that you will not have access to a medical facility or even a drugstore. Plan to make it on your own, at least for a period of time.

Identify what kind of resources you use on a daily basis and what you might

do if they are limited or not available.

Build a Kit with your unique consideration in mind. What do you need to maintain your health, safety and independence?

Create a network of neighbors, relatives, friends, and co-workers to aid you in an emergency. Discuss your needs and make sure everyone knows how to operate necessary equipment. If appropriate, discuss your needs with your employer. Seniors should keep specialized items ready, including extra wheelchair batteries, oxygen, catheters, medication, food for service animals and any other items you might need. Be sure to make provisions for medications that require refrigeration. Make arrangements for any assistance to get to a shelter.

For more information, check out: www.Ready.gov/seniors

Terror at the Town Hall

Saturday, October 19, 2019

The Kelleys Island EMS is sponsoring their 3rd Annual Terror at the Town Hall from 5:00 – 7:00. The (not scary) event features games, decor, movies, and snacks for young children. Admission is Free.



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The Golf Cart Poker Run was a huge success. We sold a record number of Poker hands, 533. The Utility Cart Raffle brought in \$4,500.00, the 50/50 - \$1,268.00, and the basket raffles - \$3,269.00. Over all total with individual donations: Saturday netted over \$21,000.00. So far in the bank, we have just over \$30,000.00. We really hope to make at least \$32,000.00 to grant 4 wishes. But, I am shooting for \$35,500.00 to beat last year's total of \$35,400.00. Ryann Mielke took the reins from Sam & Jayne Sharaba and did a fantastic job with the help of her husband Colt, running the poker run on Saturday.

Thank you to everyone who helped and supported us. Without you this event would not be as grand. Thanks go to: The Palladino Family, Kelleys Island Ferry Boat Line, Bob & Jen Parry, Portside Marina & Missy Magoo's, Kelleys Island Wine



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Our Wish children were here for the swim along with several other past Wish children and families. Kennedy has chosen to go to Jamaica, and her brother Carson to visit his favorite NFL Football team.

Thank you again for your donation and please remember that you can still donate to help us get to our goal. All checks are to Make-A-Wish and sent to: US Bank 205 West Perkins Ave., Sandusky, Ohio 44870.

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To Jackie Taylor & Staff,

I would like to thank Jackie Taylor and her staff for a wonderful Nature Camp 2019. Our grandchildren enjoyed attending and we're excited to go back each day. The Kelleys Island Field Station lived up to its mission statement, "WHERE THE NATURAL WORLD BECOMES YOUR CLASSROOM." Sincerely, Peggy Cooney



Nature Camp 2019 Crew

Kelleys Island Nature Camp 2019

The Nature Camp mission is to encourage children's natural curiosity of the outdoors by engaging them in fun and educational activities. Nature Camp seems like a bubble, an intentionally built community, and there are usually many in the community who love and care about the magic that is the nature camp experience. It takes a village and begins with the community leaders, camp alumni, colleagues, and supporters who make camp possible and provide a great experience each year.

The Kelleys Island Nature Camp was on July 29-August 1, 2019. The theme this year was "Scales & Slime" (Reptiles and Amphibians). We enjoyed searching for snakes, turtles, salamanders, frogs, and toads. We visited aquatic habitats in search of our amphibian friends, as well as sunny spots where reptiles may be found. We met the resident reptiles and amphibians that call OSU's Stone Laboratory and Erie Metro Parks home to learn about their unique adaptations that enable them to survive. Rangers from Perry's Monument came over for a fun day, with hands on experiences to learn more about the frogs who live on the islands and their important habitats.

Environmental Adventure Camp I. (9-10 years old) also experienced an afternoon to Kayak. We paddled around the beach, played games, went for a nice swim, and we ended the day with a much-deserved ice cream treat. Our campout was a nice cool night, we cooked hotdogs, went swimming, had a fire at the State Park's Stone Building, cooked s'mores, and took an evening sunset hike to the beach at the Shelley Nature Preserve.

This year we started the Nature Camp Counselor Program. This is a curriculum-based project geared toward youth 15 and older. This program offered our counselors a one-of-a-kind opportunity to become involved with the education and conservation efforts of the Lake Erie Islands. Counselors experienced all components of the Nature Camp Program, from learning about the island's wildlife, presenting educational programs, working with wild animals, creating displays, and so much more. Counselors are a large asset to the camp program! There is no way we could have as much success without this team of wonderful help and support!

The 2019 counselors were, Jackie Taylor, Tyler McClain, Aerin Doughty, Emily Beal, and much support and help from Chris Ashley and his crew. We could not put camp together without all their great ideas! Thanks to; Patty Robinson for the kayaking experience, our supporters - The Kelleys Island School Board, The Kelleys Island Audubon Society, Kelleys Island Boat Line for passage for speakers and for Transportation, the Ohio Division of Wildlife for books, magazines and tattoos, The Ohio State University's Stone Laboratory for support and extra staff, Kelleys Island residents for helping with a great camp, as well as our staff and volunteers for all of the extra support.

We really appreciate all the help we get in teaching kids about the beautiful islands they live and play on! With the 60 plus kids who participated in Nature Camp this year, we are excited for Nature Camp 2020.



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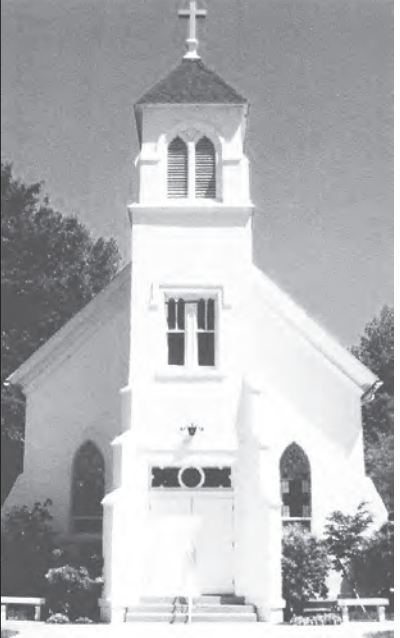


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History Museum News



GEM car

Leslie Korenko

Summer is pretty much over but we still have some pretty hot items in both the museum gift shop and the resale shop. Treat your little princess to a sparking tiara, red rose wand or fairy wings. What about that little pirate? We have swords and doubloons. If you have a budding carpenter, we have a super set of hand-sized tools

and construction hats. Decorating with a nautical theme? The gift shop is simply THE place to find everything you need to decorate or entertain. We even have a wine themed corner. Let's not forget the yard and garden – we have novelty spikes, lots of solar decorations and a great selection of wind chimes. Exploring nature? Check out our nature corner. And jewelry, let's just say WOW.

As for the resale shop, we almost hate advertising what we have because in a day or so, it will be gone. New items come in daily and you can't believe the number of items that disappear in a 2-day period. Those people are really busy.

The museum and resale shop are open daily from 12-4 daily. We still have a few tickets to the GEM car raffle available (the drawing is September 8). The Art Show was a great success with 15 artisans signed up. Check out our Facebook page and our website to see who participated and what you might have missed. Our Annual Meeting was well attended and we are pleased to

announce our newly elected board members: Michael Beatty, Chris Carrig, Patti Fresch, Cindy Herndon, and Leslie Korenko. Our thanks to Jordan Killam who, although not elected to the board, has supported us in so many ways. We can't speak highly enough about our volunteers. People see the well-oiled machine at work but rarely realize that we are pretty much an all-volunteer organization. Those friendly, helpful people that you see when you walk into the museum, gift shop or resale shop? They freely give their time and energy to our organization. We can't thank them enough.

Don't forget to stop by the museum, gift shop and our Indoor Yard Sale at the Resale Shop on September 7. Pat Hayes will be back with his terrific presentation on Monarch butterflies. For a small fee you can adopt a butterfly and track it online. We also have a wedding at the church (probably around Noon) so if you are nearby;

make sure you cheer the newlyweds as they embark on their new life together.

Finally, the drawing for Teri's beautiful quilt will be September 7 at the museum. We will announce the winner on Facebook.



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Kelleys Island Audubon Happenings

Judy DuShane

September is Nature Month for Kelleys Island Audubon (KIAC). It starts off with

Glacial Glimpses on September 1. Meet at the fishermen's parking lot at the State Park at 1:00 and learn about the Glacial Grooves.

On September 7, the Butterfly Festival will take place at the Kelleys Island Historical Museum.

On Thursday, September 19, the monthly program will feature retired, head state biologist, Allison Cusick speaking on "Who put the Dog in

Dogwood: Uncommon Tales of Common Names". The potluck starts at 6:00 p.m. at the school with a short meeting followed by this entertaining program at 7:00.

On September 21, Tom Bartlett returns for the Feathers and Foliage Festival with bird banding at Long Point.

Everyone is welcome to attend all KIAC programs. Check the website at www.kelleysislandnature.com for more information or call President Pat Hayes at 419-746-2258.

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See you again on August 7 and 8, 2020 when we will again come together for our Homecoming Celebration where EVERYONE is invited.

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Greetings

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We have titles, I'm Queen Bitsy, then there's Donna Yates "Vice Queen Lady Forgetsalot", Debbie Lempke "Scarlet Belle", Lynda Petitto "Milady of Discounts", Margaret Reardon (cousin of Bob Hope) "Madam Miraculous", Tammy Justen "Diva Busy Bee", Linda Pacanosky "Grand Dam Getsaround", Sheela Jadud "Her Grace AmayZing", Cindy Miller "Diamond Duchess", Tracy Gast "Maiden Harley Honey", Laura Obrzut "Dame Disney", Karen Sigman "Empress of Eye", and Sharon Foote "Baroness Basket Case".

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We meet the second Saturday of each month for mayhem and merriment, never to hurt, never to embarrass but just let our hair down. We've been volunteers, we've been mothers, Aunts, daughters, wives, and widows. Now it's our turn to "shake what our Momma's gave us" each month.

Our rules are only this: you must wear a red hat or something red on your head and you must wear purple if you are over 49, pink on your head and lavender clothing if you are under 50.

We've been taken out for breakfast in a stretch limo wearing our pajamas, we've been to tea rooms, and on trips. We've worn Ugly wigs, Ugly sweaters, Giant Hats, mini hats, feather boas, and all the rhinestones a person can wear!

We love our Sisterhood of Women!

Last week we came to the village of Kelleys Island for 4 days of merriment staying at the KI Venture Resort. I wanted to surprise my group with a visit from the Mayor and have him make a proclamation making July 24, 2019 Red Hat Society Day. Your mayor was gracious to do this for us and read the following:



Mayor Ron Ehrbar presenting Mayoral Proclamation

Official Mayoral Proclamation

Whereas, women over the age of fifty are the largest segment of the population at this time; and

Whereas, "Red Hat" ladies are those women who desire fun and friendship and who refuse to conform to the old-fashioned image of a woman over 50 who is often seen as a mature woman anticipating life in a rocking chair with a shawl over her shoulders, rocking the years away gracefully, or even worse, not seen at all; and

Whereas, "Red Hat" ladies can be easily spotted throughout the Country as their quest for fun takes them to shops, restaurants, theaters and sites of public interest in "Full Regalia" consisting of a purple outfit with a red hat if the lady is 50 years of age or older, and lavender outfits with Pink Hats for women under 50 years of age; and

Whereas, physicians are actually encouraging women in middle age to become "Red Hat" ladies as the benefits of social interaction, companionship, and engaging life with fun and vigor contribute so much to quality of life, proving that laughter has always been the best medicine; and

Whereas, we all have women in our lives who inspire us; mothers, sisters, grandmothers, aunts, girlfriends, or co-workers who give of themselves and who should be recognized and honored for their dedication, love, humor, and unselfishness, among many other important life values; and

Whereas, these women strive with endless desire to fulfill their duty to be there for others; husband, children, home, work, church, business organizations, associations, and often struggle to find time for "self".

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the village of Kelley's Island Mayor Ron Ehrbar, in regular session duly assembled, that said Board proclaims Wednesday July 24th of 2019 as National Red Hat Society Day in the village of Kelley's Island.

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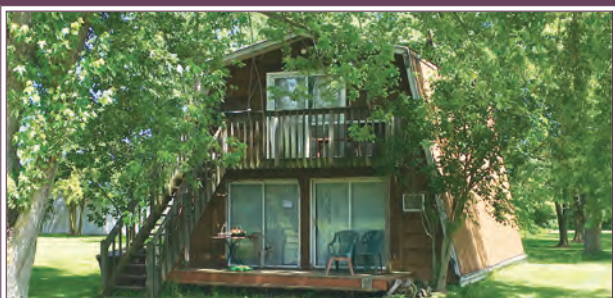
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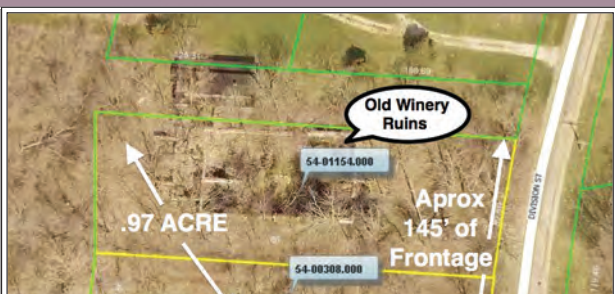
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