

## Synopsis of July Board Meeting

The July Board meeting convened in the Home Office in Gahanna on July 19 and 20. Mr. Ed Mertz of Hosack, Specht, Muetzel and Wood LLP presented the 2009 Audit Report to the Board. Being his first report, Mr. Mertz complimented the office staff on the ease of working together. A plan of action was discussed to reduce the lien that was placed on all policies in 2009.

Loni Perkins, Vice President of Operations, reported that the Ohio Department of Insurance recently completed their audit. These audits are done every 3 to 5 years by the ODI. CLC received the Management letter and the Board discussed at length our response to their requests. One of the things we need to do is form an Audit Committee. It was decided to utilize the current Financial Status Committee named for the previous convention. They will be our new Audit Committee and Board member Alice Teynor will serve as the chairman of the committee. Formal policies and procedures need to be established for a couple of different areas of concern and Loni will be working on them for the ODI.

It was reported that life insurance sales are down slightly and annuity sales were down in number but the face values have increased.

Sharon Calvelage and Loni recently met with Ed and Nick De-

Persis and discussed several different things regarding our annuities. The Board decided to keep our annuity rates as is for the time being. Because the best rates for investment are now in the taxable municipal bonds, the Investment Policy Guidelines were reviewed and updated.

Fraternal reports included: CLC has given out 7 matching funds thus far this year; 11 councils have asked for a charitable contribution of \$250 each; over \$1,100 has been raised for the Epileptic Foundation for our Join Hands Day Project; a letter will be going out with our plans for the Make A Difference Day project on October 23 and the Fall Retreat on October 14; coloring contest and fraternalist of the year winners were announced and our total donation to the Right to Life was \$3,761.

An agent newsletter has been created and will be sent to all agents. It is the intention to send electronically when possible to save on postage. The newsletter will highlight products CLC offers and is a way of staying in touch with our agents.

The meeting schedule for the rest of 2010 and 2011 was set. The Board will next meet in Upper Sandusky on Saturday, October 30.

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### Dates to Remember

#### September

- 6 Labor Day
- 9-11 NFCA Convention
- 11 Patriot Day
- 12 Grandparent's Day
- 23 First Day of Autumn

#### October

- 14 Retreat in Glandorf
- 23 Make a Difference Day

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# Sharon Says....

Whew! Where has the summer gone? The days are getting shorter, the students are starting back to school and just seems like yesterday we were complaining it was too cold. And before you know it we will be complaining again! I don't know about you, but I think I will welcome the cold after all the heat and humidity we have had this August. As the old saying goes "one extreme follows another" so we will see what is in store for us as the seasons begin to change.

September is Life Insurance Awareness Month. What a perfect time to review your current life insurance policies to make sure you have enough coverage to provide a sound financial future for your family. Will your present policy cover your final expenses, pay off your mortgage, will your children get their proper education or will your spouse be able to enjoy a comfortable retirement? If you find you need more coverage you can call your local agent or the Home Office and they will be happy to assist you.

With fall approaching there will be several opportunities that you can perform your fraternal works. Plans have been made and letters should have been sent with the details for Make a Difference Day, which is on Saturday, October 23. Hopefully many councils will do something for this national day of service. Just remember even one person can make a difference in someone's life. Get out and do it!

Glandorf Council 179 will be hosting the Fall Retreat on Thursday, October 14. So get your members together and come and enjoy an evening of prayer and socializing with other CLC sisters.

On behalf of the Board of Directors and myself we would like to congratulate Sister Deb Wischmeyer, our Spiritual Advisor on taking her vows to become a Sister in early August. What an accomplishment and something she should be very proud of! We wish you the best, Sister Deb!



## Grandparents

Grandparents are sweet,

Grandparents are special.

Grandparents are very,very nice,

Grandparents are the ones

you ask for advice.

Grandparents are there

when parents are not,

Grandparents will hug you

and cuddle you and they feel just

like cotton.

Grandparents are just like recorders,

Grandparents give you that good advice everytime.

Grandparents are just like the man from above,

Grandparents remind me

of angels and doves.



**Looking for a unique Recipe?**  
Find it in the *Quadrennial Convention Cookbook*. There are still a few left! \$12 each.  
Call the home office **TODAY!**

## Fraternally Remembered

Co. #	Name	City	Date of Death
020	Mary Braunl	Decatur	05/20/10
032	Mary Fflory	Napoleon	07/16/10
040	Mary Topp	Celina	06/07/10
059	Tonya Ulliman	Springfield	05/18/10
063	Mary Eckert	Kettering	03/14/10
075	Grescence Ingle	Gilbert	05/10/10
110	Mary Helmheckel	Cincinnati	04/25/10
133	Catherine Hogan	Southington	04/30/10
194	Pauline Henderson	Sagamore Hills	05/02/10
205	Clara Hess	Norwalk	05/01/10
206	Lorraine Dankowski	Springhill	05/26/10
207	Dorothy Donahue	Morrow	12/17/05
209	Thelma Schulz	Ft. Loramie	05/19/10
215	Teresa Rieman	Bluffton	07/09/10
222	Loretta Pugh	Cape Coral	06/12/10

# Fiddle Player Entertains 501 Chicken Dinners Served!

*Council 207, Springfield*

## July Meeting

Members met at St. Bernard Church for 8:30 a.m. Mass.

Thirty-two members and four guests were welcomed by President Mary Ann Jung to the July 12th meeting of Council 207 at the Northwood Hills Country Club (Elks Lodge) restaurant.

After breakfast, members enjoyed delightful musical entertainment by Tyler Detrick playing the fiddle, and accompanied by his grandmother, Kay Clark, on keyboard.

The minutes of the June meeting were read and approved and the Treasurer's report was given. July birthdays were announced for Mildred Kramer, Pat Zeller, Mary Ann Burr, Pat Connolly, Dottie Dombrosky, Julie Pohhill, Marian Krugger, Martha Wobbe, Carmelita Stephenson, Veronica Vanbourgendien, Janet Brugger, Marge Seaman, Sandy Sullivan, and Lynn Greentree.

A report was given about the Officers meeting held earlier in July. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss possible projects and programs for future meetings.

Numbers were drawn for the door prizes of flower centerpieces from each table.

## August Meeting

Twenty-six members of Council 207 answered roll call at the August 2nd meeting at the Golden Corral Restaurant.

August birthdays were read for Linda Asebrook, Jane Meyer, Jeanne Brennan, Mary Ellen Bailey, Agnes Pauley, Elaine Koehler, Kathleen Miller, Eleanor Shiddenhelm, Sofia Doyle, Gladys Schneeberger, Sally Martin, and Juanita Asterino.

Sunshine Chairman, Sally Walsh, reported that get-well cards were sent to Ruth Folz and Eleanor Shiddenhelm, a sympathy card to Jeanne Brennan whose daughter-in-law passed away, and a birthday card to June Seaman for her 90th birthday.

Possible programs/speakers and a signature project were discussed for future meetings.

President Jung suggested that a vice-president is needed to serve in the president's absence. Agnes Brugger was appointed. Ruth Sweeney was appointed to serve as 2nd vice-president.

## New Members

### June, 2010

#### Co. 88 – Ft. Jennings

Norah Faye Overholt, Elida

#### Co. 133 - Cleveland

Donald Hatch, Middlefield

#### Co. 165 – Athens

Lauren A Grippa, Shade

Ralph Jordan, Pomeroy

Barbara Allen, Athens

#### Co.218 - Wauseon

Judy L Iles, Fayetteville

#### Co. 900 – Ohio

Tyler A Clouse, Pickerington

### July, 2010

#### Co. 40 – Delphos

Mark M Bockey, Delphos

#### Co. 84 – Landeck

Oliver Warren Bruns, Perrysburg

#### Co. 88 – Ft Jennings

Tanzen Gene Thomas Miller, Delphos

Preston Joel Ohman, Elida

#### Co. 133 – Cleveland

Ronald V Zimcosky, Munroe Falls

Arthur Bucher, Wooster

#### Co. 165 - Athens

Sebastian Michael Grippa, Shade

Rodney D Tuttle, Racine

Doug R Brooks, Athens

## Council #215, New Cleveland

President Gerten opened the August 12<sup>th</sup> meeting of the New Cleveland CL of C with prayer and pledge. Invitations to Leipsic and Upper Sandusky 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebrations were read.

The annual chicken BBQ held on August 8<sup>th</sup> was a great success. There were 501 dinners served. Kathy Sager sold 125 dinners herself. A great big Thank You to her. The bake sale was also a good success. Next years BBQ is scheduled for the second Sunday in August.

The chapter was draped for Teresa Rie-man who died recently. A mass for her intention will be said before the September meeting. Also, the rosary will be prayed for her before the mass.

The wine and cheese tasting with invited guests in October was discussed. We are waiting for feedback from neighboring councils.

The committee for September is – Mary Ann Dietering and Debbie Lammers.

The meeting ended with ice cream sundaes and bingo.

## Seven Members Celebrate Birthdays

### Council 6, Leipsic

The Leipsic St. Mary's CLC met July 12 in the school meeting room with nineteen members present. The meeting opened with prayer and the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag. The theme of the evening was to wear red, white or blue.

A birthday gift was presented to Father George Wenzinger on his birthday July 8.

Plans were made to combine the Altar Rosary and CLC members together for the Christmas party this year in December.

Seven members had July birthdays and Janet Mangas celebrated a wedding anniversary.

The council held a pizza party on August 9th. The officers of the Putnam County Council were invited.

Drede Niese won the July door prize, a get well card was sent to Lucille Sands. Her birthday was July 27.

A refreshing dessert was served at the end of the meeting and bingo was played.



# Need Prayer?

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