Carlisle Exchangite June 2023

Exchange Club of Carlisle

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Susan Murray

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Coffee Safety Break 2023 Memorial Day

Memorial Day Coffee Safety Break

The club runs a Coffee Safety Break over the Memorial Day and Labor Day weekends to try to reduce accidents by encouraging drivers to take a break to stay alert. These weekends are known to have higher than normal traffic and an increase in traffic accidents. We ran a station at the I-81 Southbound Rest Stop at Mile Marker 39 between Carlisle and Newville. We gave out free coffee, lemonade, hot dogs and muffins to encourage drivers to take a break.

This is the first year the club accepted electronic donations. Each day the club received electronic donations from travelers who preferred not to use cash, and their donations were greatly appreciated.

An enormous thank you goes out to Martin's Famous Potato Rolls and Bread for donating the Martin's Potato Long Rolls for our hot dogs! This saved the club a huge



expense while providing a local favorite for the travelers to experience.

A huge thank you goes out to Terry Young for orchestrating this huge event. The other volenteers were John & Susan Murray, Bill & Jean Yufer with grandson Jake, Bob & Linda Taylor, Walt & Anne Wood, Lee & Helen DeVenney, Jody Nielsen & daughter Sophia, Ken & Linda Stoltz, Kathy Young, Lynda Cook, John Wain, Marisa Beard, and Barrie Zais.

The final take for the Memorial Day Coffee Safety Break was \$3,292.



Flag Retirement Memorial Day 2023

Memorial Day Flags on the Square Retreat

In honor of Memorial Day, flags lined the Square on both sides of the road in all four directions. They looked wonderful especially for all the families watching the parade on Monday morning. The Sunrise Rotary put out the flags just after sunrise. The Exchange Club retrieved them just before sunset. Bob Taylor coordinated this event, while Bill & Jean Yufer, John & Susan Murray, John Wain, and Wayne & Fran Shade with daughter Sarah took care of the flags.

Installation of the 2023 Board Officers

Club C	Directors:	
President	- Susan Murray	Ken Stoltz
President-Elect	- Vacant	Barrie Zais
Immediate Past Pre	Dennis Nielsen	
Secretary	- John Murray	Lee DeVenney
Treasurer	- Bob Beard	Bob Taylor

Kara Wright, Mid Atlantic District's Division 5 Director, will be installing the 2023 Board Officers at the club meeting on June 27, 2023. The new Board of Directors is listed above. The President-Elect position is currently vacant. The President-Elect becomes the club President in 2025 since the president's position is for 2 years. If anyone is interested in stepping into this position, just let Susan or Terry know you are interested.



Exchange Club of Carlisle's 74th Anniversary

On June 13, 2023, the club will be completing 74 years of service to the Carlisle Community. It would be wonderful for the club to start to organize a celebration for 2024 when it reaches the 75th Anniversary. The Board welcomes all suggestions on how to mark the 75th Anniversary and is looking for members to work on this event.

Meetings



Patrick Herman and President Terry Young

May 23, 2023

The speaker for the May 23, 2023 meeting was Bob Kessler, who is the Coordinator for our local U.S. Marine Corps Reserve Toys for Tots Program which is run by the Marine Corps League Lewis B. Puller Detachment 524. They cover Cumberland and Perry counties.

They had over 200 toy collection boxes through the counties last season. In December 2022 they helped 4,700 children under 13 years old and provided 39,000 gifts. What a great cause and a wonderful organization to help. Not only do they collect toys to distribute, but they can stretch monetary donations by getting amazing discounts and filling in the much-needed gaps of specific age toys they need. Remember to help them help local children this year. They help with our Children's Christmas party.

May 9, 2023

At the May 9, 2023 meeting, Patrick Herman from Boiling Springs gave an overview of his 17 years of experience at metal detecting. He has found many rings, some of which he has been able to return to their owners, plus numerous Civil War and even colonial artifacts. He has a YouTube channel that features his finds called Stories from the Signal.



Bob Kessler and President Terry Young

Participation Opportunities

Positions to be filled: (Please let President Terry Young know if you would like to work with any position below)

- President-Elect Becomes the President in July 2025
- Molly Pitcher Director After 25 years, Wayne Shade has stepped down from organizing this significant event. There is an instruction book to assist the new director.
- Children's Christmas Party Director A person to lead the committee that will organize this year's Children's **Christmas Party**
- 75 Anniversary Committee A group to organize a celebration the club's 75th Anniversary in 2024

Jun 3 (Sat) - Hot Dogs at the Ford Parade on Hanover Street

- 5:00 pm Set-up in front of St. John's Church on Hanover Street
- Provide hot dogs and water bottles before and during the parade for donations
- About 8:00 pm Clean-up
- POC: Susan Murray (jdmii@pa.net or 717-713-3933)

Jun 13 (Tue) - Regular Meeting at Cumberland Crossings

- 6:00 pm Social Time
- 6:30 pm Presentation: John Murray Year in Review
- 7:00 pm Dinner for \$20 per person (Free if not eating)
- 7:30 pm Short Business Meeting

Jun 14 (Wed) - Flag Day Flags on the Square Retreat

- 5:00 pm Meet across the street from Market Cross Pub
- Retrieve, roll up, and store all the flags in the room
- POC: Bob Taylor (taylorrh@pa.net or 717-440-4168)

Jun 25 (Sat) - Summerfair Children's Art Activity at Dickinson College

- 9:30 AM Set-up on High St. side of the Bosler Building on John Dickinson Campus- near West St. and High St
- 10:00 AM Noon Art activity
- Noon Teardown
- POC: Jody Neilsen (Jlnielsen0808@gmail.com or 717-669-4705)

Jun 25 (Sat) - Give a Kid a Flag to Wave

- 10:00 AM Meet at our Children's Art Activity Station on John Dickinson Campus near West St. and High St
- 10:00 AM Noon or until out of flags
- POC: John Wain (jfw@pa.net or 717-448-1735)

Jun 27 (Tue) - Regular Meeting at Cumberland Crossings

- 6:00 pm Social Time
- 6:30 pm Presentation: Bob Beard Budget; and Kara Wright Installation of New Officers
- 7:00 pm Dinner for \$20 per person (Free if not eating)
- 7:30 pm Short Business Meeting

Jul 4 (Mon) - Fourth of July Flags on the Square Retreat

- 5:00 pm Meet across the street from Market Cross Pub
- Retrieve, roll up, and store all the flags in the room
- POC: Bob Taylor (<u>taylorrh@pa.net</u> or 717-440-4168)

Mark Your Calendars

Jun 3	(Sat)	5:00 pm	- Hot Dogs at the Ford Parade on Hanover Street
Jun 9-11 (Fri - Sun)		Sun)	- Mid-Atlantic District Exchange Clubs Annual Convention in State College
			Penn Stater Hotel & Convention Center (everyone is welcome)
Jun 13	(Tue)	6:00 pm	- Meeting at Cumberland Crossings
			Presentation: John Murray -Year in Review
Jun 14	(Wed)	5:00 pm	- Flag Day Flags on the Square Retreat
Jun 20	(Tue)	2:00 pm	- Board meeting at Miseno's II (Reschedule to Jun 13 at 5:00 pm at Cumberland Crossings)
Jun 22	(Thu)	3:00 pm	- Col Robert Chant's service at Arlington National Cemetery
Jun 24	(Sat)	9:30 am	- SummerFair Children's Craft Station at Dickinson College
		- Noon	
Jun 24	(Sat)	10:00 am	- SummerFair GiveaKidaFlagtoWave at Dickinson College
		- Noon	
Jun 27	(Tue)	6:00 pm	- Meeting at Cumberland Crossings
			Presentation: Bob Beard - Budget, Kara Wright Install new officers
Jul 4	(Tue)	5:00 pm	- Fourth of July Flags on the Square Retreat
Jul 12-1	15 (Wed	- Sat)	- National Convention in Phoenix, AZ at Hyatt Regency



A Few Words from the President . . .

Well folks, this is my last note as your President. During the last three years we faced some new challenges and obstacles. However, with the help of a tremendous Board of Directors and the tireless efforts of you Club Members, we were able to continue our support to the prevention of child abuse without a decrease in financial distributions. I would like to extend my sincere appreciation for your continued help, hard work and dedication. Although small in number, our Club has tremendous potential. Our leadership is in good hands with Susan as the new President. She certainly earned our respect with her unequaled effort. I wish her continued success and promise my full support in all her efforts. We have two events that need our thoughts and support. Next year we'll celebrate our 75th

year as a chartered club. We need to do something special. What are your suggestions and ideas? The other item is the Molly Pitcher Banquet. Wayne had the helm for 25 years and has now passed that off. We need a committee to take over. All volunteers are welcome. I would again like to thank you for everything you have done to assist me the last three years. I truly appreciate all you've done.

Continue to be safe,



Terry









Facebook post from Domestic Violence Services of Cumberland and Perry Counties:



Domestic Violence Services of Cumberland and Perry Counties

Yesterday at 11:35 AM · @

The Exchange Club of Carlisle, Pennsylvania recently awarded DVSCP with \$10,000 to support our children's programming, which includes counseling and our new Youth Support Group.

The Exchange Club has been a valued program partner for several years, and we are very grateful for their continued support of our smaller clients.

