



# EXCHANGE

THE EXCHANGE CLUB OF CARLISLE, PA

## Carlisle Exchangite October - November 2018

### Exchange Club of Carlisle

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## Thank You, Anne

Anne Wood has stepped down as the Communications Director after doing a stellar job for over a decade. Thank you, Anne, for your hard work keeping us informed. Susan Murray has taken over for her.



Anne Wood

## Mt. Holly Festival Day



Sept. 15 - Mt. Holly Festival Day Children's Art

The club's Bubble Art Station was a great draw for kids at the Mt. Holly Festival Day held on Saturday, September 15<sup>th</sup>. John & Susan Murray along with Jean & Bill Yufer and their grandson, Jake, helped over 80 kids express themselves artistically.



Oct. 4-6 - Car Parking

## Car Parking

Dennis Nielson led the club's Fall Car Parking Fundraiser from October 4<sup>th</sup> - 6<sup>th</sup>. The club collected a total of \$4,198 and after expenses were paid, the club retained a total of \$3,564.

## National Day of Service at Project Share



Oct 16-20 -National Day of Service at Project Share

The club supported Project Share for this year's National Day of Service. Members and spouses completed a total 16 shifts during their four October distribution days. Thank you to Bob & Linda Taylor, John & Susan Murray, Walt & Anne Wood, Terry Young, Rick Bonner, Lee & Helen DeVenney, Dennis & Jody Nielsen, and Linda Cook.

## Meetings



*David Bennett from the U.S. Army War College*

### Sep 11 Speaker

At the meeting on September 11<sup>th</sup>, David Bennett from the U.S. Army War College presented Security Challenges in Sub-Saharan Africa. He did a great job explaining the security challenges in the region and why they matter to the United States.



*Melissa Stanton from Cumberland Crossings*

### Sep 25 Speaker

On September 25<sup>th</sup>, Melissa Stanton from Cumberland Crossings gave us a presentation titled "The ABC's of Aging." During her presentation she explained the different options available for assisted living and the different terms used by those systems.



*Susan Tyson & her dog, Julia, from Susquehanna Service Dogs*

### Oct 9 Speaker

On October 9<sup>th</sup> we were completely fascinated by Susan Tyson & her dog, Julia, from Susquehanna Service Dogs. Susan discussed the mission of Susquehanna Service Dogs and then she and Julia gave us a demonstration of the things a service dog can do for its owner. Plus, just having a well-behaved dog in the room made everyone happy.



*Eric Rosa's, Greater Harrisburg YWCA's PAATH to Success Mentoring Program*

### Oct 23 Speaker

On October 23<sup>rd</sup>, we were captivated by Eric Rosa's presentation on the Greater Harrisburg YWCA's PAATH to Success Mentoring Program. During his presentation, we could tell that Eric, the program's coordinator, was very passionate about the mentoring program that works with child victims of commercial sexual exploitation and at-risk youth from ages 12-17. The program's goal is to reduce the risk factors and risk-taking behaviors of the child while increasing positive social support for that child.

# Participation Opportunities

## Nov 12 - Flags on the Square retrieval for Veterans Day

- NOVEMBER 12 (MONDAY) OBSERVED DAY
- 5:00 PM across from Market Cross Pub
- Everyone is welcome to put away the flags
- POC: Bob Taylor



## Nov 13 - LAST Regular Meeting of 2018

- 6:00 - Social Time, 6:30 - Speaker, 7:00 - Dinner, 7:30 - Short Business Meeting
- Speaker is "Holiday Trivia Challenge" hosted by John & Susan Murray
- POC: Bob Taylor



## Nov 15 - One Nation Under God Breakfast [\(Click to download flyer\)](#)

- Please invite a senior citizen from the area to be your guest
- 9:00 - 10:00 AM
- Cumberland Crossings
- Cost: \$10 for member; FREE for guests
- RSVP with payment by Nov 7 to: Bob Beard, 140 Faith Circle, Carlisle, PA 17013
- Guest speaker: Rev. Melissa Wilcox, the Associate Rector of St. John's Episcopal Church
- POC: Bob Alspaugh



## Dec 9 - Children's Christmas Party

- 12:00 PM - Set-up
- 1:00 - 3:00 PM Children's Party
- Location: Carlisle United Methodist Church Gymnasium (next to Bosler Library)
- Order of events: Games, Lunch, Santa Visit with gifts
- We are sending out invitations to the 50 families of the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> graders who attended the SPY Camp 2018
- Help is needed to do small jobs during this event
- POC: Russ Sutton

## Dec 12 - Salvation Army Bell Ringing

- Location: Kmart on Walnut Bottom Road
- Times: one hour shifts from 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM
- POC: Barrie Zais



**VOLUNTEER  
BELL RINGERS  
NEEDED!**

*Ring a bell...help change a life*

## Dec (TBD) - Member Christmas Party

# Changes to the Directory

Russ Sutton - new address: [REDACTED]

Terry Young - new address: [REDACTED]

# Mark Your Calendars

- Nov 4 (Sun) 2:00 AM Daylight Savings Time (Clocks FALL Back an hour)  
Nov 11 (Sun) Veteran's Day (No flags out this day)  
Nov 12 (Mon) 5:00 PM Flags on the Square retrieval for Veterans Day (meet directly across from Market Square Pub)  
Nov 13 (Tue) 6:00 PM Meeting at Cumberland Crossings (Holiday Trivia Game)  
Nov 15 (Thu) 9:00 - 10:00 AM One Nation Under God Breakfast at Cumberland Crossings  
Nov 20 (Tue) 6:00 PM Board meeting at Minerva Mills  
Nov 22 (Thu) Thanksgiving  
Nov 27 (Tue) NO MEETING because too close to the holidays  
Dec 9 (Sun) 12:00 - 3:00 PM Children's Christmas Party at  
Carlisle United Methodist Church Gymnasium  
45 S West St, Carlisle, PA 17013  
Dec 11 (Tue) NO MEETING because too close to the Club Christmas Party  
Dec 12 (Wed) 9:00 AM - 9:00 PM Salvation Army Bell Ringing at Kmart  
Dec 18 (Tue) 6:00 PM Board meeting at Minerva Mills  
Dec 25 (Tue) NO MEETING on Christmas Day



## *A Few Words from the President . . .*

This is certainly a time of transitions. Not only in the weather, but in terms of the seasonal holidays. It is also a time for renewal and rededication in preparation for the future. As individuals and members of a service organization, it is when we prepare ourselves and the organization for the holidays and new year.

We are indeed fortunate that the beginning of this Exchange Year has been extremely successful in terms of organizational fundraisers and meetings. Even your Board of Directors has seen limited success in outlining the future for the club. Of special importance to me personally has been the interaction and communication among our members. Large service organizations, often do not enjoy the personal care and concern for individuals that our members demonstrate on a regular basis.

This year's meetings have provided the very best in terms of informative insight and entertainment. A great combination. Additionally, the attendance at the meetings has been quite acceptable. For those members that may not have had an opportunity to join in these experiences; I encourage you to make the effort to gather with your fellow members and friends. I realize we all have responsibilities and demands on our time, but four hours a month should not be too intrusive.

As with the seasons, life also transitions. If you or one of your loved-ones has experienced some recent success, we want to know. Good news is always appreciated by your fellow Exchangites. Likewise, as days and seasons draw to a close, so does life. It is indeed my sad duty to recognize the passing of a great man and dedicated member. Major General (Ret) John A. (Jack) Hoefling was not only a valued member, but a personal friend and mentor. All too often in life, we remember the dearly departed with greater aura than they may have truly earned in life. Not so with Jack Hoefling! He was a caring and loving family member, a good friend to all he met, a leader, and above all, a gentleman. Please keep Pat and the Hoefling family in your prayers.

As I do in closing each of our meetings; I encourage members to bring at least one new member to the club during this Exchange Year. We do a great deal to make the Carlisle community a better place to live. We could, however, use a few more hands to ensure our continued success. Come on folks, this is fun. Let's get a few more members to enjoy it with us.

*Bob*