

Shade Community Center Newsletter

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‘Reading in the Shade’ Camp

The Reading in the Shade Camp was held July 29th through August 2nd at the Shade Community Center. The camp was sponsored by OHIO Stevens Literacy Center with collaboration from Kids on Campus and the wonderful members of the Shade Community Center. Throughout our week of camp, we had various activities centered around math, reading and literacy. Each day of camp consisted of multiple station rotations, each focusing on a specific area of learning. The children spent time in the library at the Shade Community Center exploring books both on their own and with a peer. Kids on Campus incorporated reading, writing and nature by helping the children to create their very own nature books. Math manipulatives were given to us for the camp by The Ohio Center for Equity in Mathematics and Science. The manipulatives allowed the children to explore their imaginations while also learning basic math skills such as geometry, grouping and sorting. Each day also included movement activities, both in the gymnasium and outdoors on the nature trail. Every morning, we took the children for a lap around the nature trail with nature journals and scavenger hunts. The idea behind the nature walk was to give the children some quiet, uninterrupted time outside to get a feel for nature and all it has to offer, while also learning new things about our area. Reading and literacy were incorporated through this activity by participating in scavenger hunts and keeping a nature log of things that the children found on their daily walks. Inside movement activities in the gymnasium also incorporated math, reading, and literacy through fun and interactive games given to us by Alexander Schools through a donation by the Martha Holden Jennings Foundation and by Dr. Brian Rider at The Patton College of Education Recreation and Sport Pedagogy Department. Throughout the day, a delicious breakfast, snack and lunch were graciously prepared and provided by the members of The Shade Community Center. The Reading in the Shade Camp was a wonderful experience for both the adults and children who attended the camp to learn, grow and create new meaningful friendships.

Respectfully submitted by Cierra Hall, Patton College of Education Literacy Ambassador



Burgers 'n' Fries Cruise-In 2019

By Gail Jordan

Thirty-three participants cruised in to Shade on July 13th. Many more people came to view the cars and trucks, to enjoy the food and to check out the offerings of the yard sale vendors. Everyone who exhibited received a dash plaque, and the first twenty-five received a Cruise-In t-shirt. And thanks to donations from C&E Hardware and Baum Lumber and some extra pies, all participants also were winners during our prize drawings. The three winners of photo plaques are shown to the right.



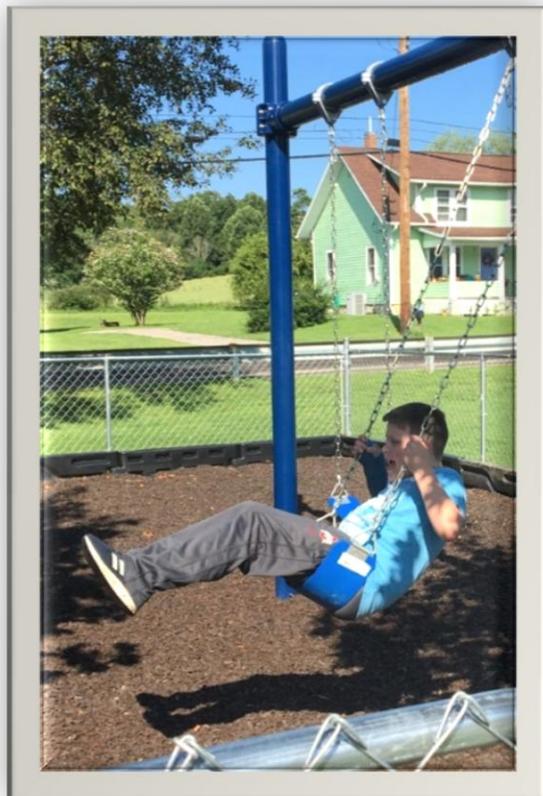
Jerry A. Hill
'55 Chevy BelAir



Tom Davis
'70 Chevy Chevelle



Bob England
'67 Olds 442



Swinging Project!

Submitted by Gail Jordan

The "Playground Expansion and Improvement Project" will be complete soon, with several weeks for kids to enjoy the additions before the Jerseyville Festival in October. Our "12 and under playground" was constructed in 2013, with funding assistance from the Sisters of St. Joseph, Athens Foundation, and Richland Area Volunteer Fire Department. At that time, it included a playground climber with a short slide and two spring riders.

Overcoming some delays getting equipment, Jerry Foster, Gail Jordan, Walter Jones, John Matthews, George Benz, and Charlie Carsey have volunteered to bring this project to fruition.

The area is now fenced and has been enlarged to make room for a swing set. A picnic table and two benches have been added. An outdoor water fountain is being located at the corner of the building near the playground. Plans are underway to also add a kiddie swing beside the swing set.

The Community Center support and donations from members have been significant, but these improvements would not have happened without the \$3710 grant awarded by the Athens Foundation last fall. Kids are already having more fun!



Defibrillator Donation

By Gail Jordan

Discussion over the past couple of years about acquiring a defibrillator for life-threatening emergencies became a reality recently thanks to donations from Ohio Health O'Bleness Hospital. Member, Barbara Brake, contacted Sydney Webster, who arranged donation of a defibrillator unit. Later, she contacted Danny Canter, who arranged donation of a cabinet to house the unit. This is located at the base of the ramp leading from the cafeteria to the gym. Next up, is to set up a class to train several members on its use...



Ice Cream Social

Over the evening of Friday, August 16th, over eighty community members met to share ice cream, desserts, conversations and the music of the Route 50 Drifters.



F JERSEYVILLE S T I V A L

2019 Jerseyville Festival Quilt Raffle



**Pieced and donated by the Seams Like Home Quilters
Quilted by Brenda Kennedy**

*All proceeds to benefit the Shade Community Center Assoc., 2380 Old US 33, Shade, Ohio.
We are a 501 (c) (3) organization*

Drawing: Saturday, October 12, 2019

Donation \$1 each or 6 for \$5

Call 740-590-9537 for tickets.

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Saturday, October 12th, 2019

FREE ADMISSION

MUSICAL ENTERTAINMENT

ALL DAY

Pie Baking Contest

Kids' Activities

Apple Butter Making

Cow Patty Bingo • Arts & Crafts

Quilt Raffle • Festival Food

And more !

Music groups and schedule and other activities are being finalized.

Final flyer with that information will be posted soon...

On our website: <https://shadecomcenter.wixsite.com/main>

And on our Facebook page: [Shade Community Center](#)

Also, final flyer will be emailed to all members for whom we have a current email address.

“Narrative of Joseph Bobo of Lodi”

Following is from Judy A. Lambert's 1975 "A Developmental History of Shade". This narration was taken from Walker's History of Athens County, Ohio, which was published in 1869. Ms. Lambert included this, in her words, to give a "feel" for the area in the early years of its settlement.

My father, Henry Bobo was born and reared in Prince William County, Virginia, and my mother, whose maiden name was Sarah Black, in Loudon County, in the same state. They came to Athens County in 1798, and settled on Margaret's Creek, 2 miles from Athens. I was born here October 24, 1802. In 1810 my father removed to what is now Lodi Township. I was 8 years old and can remember a little about the removal. Lodi was all wilderness then. I think there was but one man living in the present township when we moved in, and that was Joseph Thompson. He lived on the farm now owned by Cyrus Blaze.

After I was 13 years old, I used to go to mill at Coolville, about 15 miles distant, and there was but one house on the road, called the "brick house", about 8 miles west of Coolville. I once went to mill more that 70 miles, thus: from Athens to the mouth of the Hockhocking by water, 40 miles; then up the Ohio to Marietta, 30 miles; then up the Muskingum to the horse mill, two miles, making all together about 72 miles.

Sometimes three or four men would form a party, go down the Hockhocking, and up the Ohio to Belpre, in a canoe. There they would get their grain and go on to the horse mill above Marietta, where they had to give $\frac{1}{4}$ for grinding, then home again with the canoe. When they reached Athens (which was called "the point" when I was a little boy), each man would shoulder his sack and pack it home. My father and a few others had hand mills, with which they could grind corn in the fall of the year, when the corn is soft. In this way we got our bread.

So far as meat was concerned, we had plenty by killing it in the woods. Deer, bears, and turkeys were very plentiful, and I have seen a good many elk when I was a boy, and some buffaloes. My father was considerable of a hunter and killed a great many deer and bears. I remember an adventure he had with a bear when I was about 15 years old. In the forepart of winter, the fat bears would go into a hollow tree or cave and stay there till spring. They were always fat when they came out in the spring. Frequently, they went into pretty rough caves or holes in the rocks. Father would go in with a pine torch in one hand and his gun in the other, and crawl as close as he could and then shoot.

The time I am speaking of, he and George Shidler found a hole in the rocks they had never been in before, as father lighted his torch and started in to explore as usual. He had gone about twenty-five feet, looking all the time to see if there was anything, when suddenly the bear struck the torch with his paw, and put out the light. Father got out of that as quickly as possible, and told Shidler what had happened, and that the bear was lying in a very difficult place to shoot, for it was around the corner of a rock which he could not pass, and the hole was very small. But father determined to go in again, and told George to stand at the mouth of the hole, and if the bear came out, to shoot it. He lighted his torch again, and got as near the bear as he could, and fired, but only wounded him. The bear started for the mouth of the hole, right toward father, who had time to lie flat on his belly, when the bear rushed over him, tearing his clothes pretty badly, and leaving marks of claws on his back that he carried to his grave. Shidler was ready at the mouth of the cave, and, when the bear came out, gave him an ounce of lead that settled him. They dressed the bear and it weighed three hundred ninety pounds.

My father killed as many as seven deer in one day, and that often. He also killed elk and a few buffaloes after we came here, but the buffaloes left very soon. I think the last one seen in this region, was in Bedford Township, Meigs County, in 1815, where it was wounded. When I was a young man, I have stood in one spot, behind a tree, in Lodi Township, and killed three deer as fast as I could load and shoot. My brother, Thomas Bobo, killed twelve deer the year he was twelve years old.

Submitted by Gail Jordan

One Woman, One Vote

To commemorate the 100th anniversary of Congress passing the 19th Amendment to the U.S. Constitution, which guaranteed women the right to vote, the Shade-Lodi History and Genealogy Association will be showing the PBS video:

“One Woman, One Vote”
6:30 pm, Tuesday, October 15th
SCCA Cafeteria

Something every Ohioan should know (but probably doesn't): Ohio was one of the first states to ratify the amendment, having done so on June 16, 1919, less than two weeks after the amendment passed the Senate and was submitted to the states for ratification.

Where Did it Go?

By Gail Jordan

Are you one of the many people who noticed that the “Wal-Mort” sign on Old US 33 is gone? Did you wonder what happened to it?

It has a new home. Shane Reeves and his wife Laura recently moved to Florida and donated the locally well-known sign to the Shade-Lodi History and Genealogy Association. Shane is the grandson of Mort Clonch, who passed in December, 2005. He and his wife, Betty, owned and operated Wal-Mort's Antiques at their home near Shade.

Wal-Mort now has a prominent spot in the history room at the Shade Community Center. We are happy and proud to be able to preserve this artifact of our recent local history.



Minutes SCCA Meeting May 8, 2018

Members Present: Jerry Foster, Gail Jordan, Pat Davidson, George Bentz, Alex Couladis, Walter and Karen Jones, Marvin and Heidi Marty, June Stoddard, Marty Bohn, Barbara Brake, Amy Calvert, Fran Moxley, Tammy Foster, Kathy Matthews.

Meeting was **called to order** by Jerry Foster with the Pledge of Allegiance.

Minutes of the April 10, 2019 meeting were read and accepted as written. Motion to accept, Marvin Marty, second Alex Couladis: motion passed with no opposition.

Treasurer's Report: Numbers for April look quite a bit better; Spring payment of levy was deposited. Hopefully the gas bill will start to go down now with warmer weather. Checkbook balance was \$24,794.34 at the end of April. Report filed for review.

Corresponding Secretary's Report: There were four membership renewals and two returning members, one new membership was also submitted. The total membership now is at 253. Cards sent were as follows; three thank you cards for donations, two sympathy cards and two get well cards.

Facilities Management Report: Upgrade to kitchen fire suppression was completed and 11 fire extinguishers were recharged. The Multi-Purpose Room is completed. Grass was mowed and weed-eating was done. Furnace in kitchen/cafeteria and the boilers and pumps were shut down for the season.

Old Business: The vendor count was down a bit for the Spring Bazaar but the event still raised around \$700. The Easter Egg Hunt was successful, with around 65 kids attending.

New Business: It was discussed placing an awning or canopy over the entrance doors for the Senior room for the Alumni Banquet. This brought on discussion of placing permanent awnings over the rear doors to the building and the front door to the cafeteria. No decision was reached. Heidi Marty reported that during her early morning drives to work she has noted lights on in the building, particularly those in the ladies' restroom. Also that the Open Center she and Marvin are conducting is doing quite well and they have plans to continue them until further notice. Barbara Brake brought up the idea of purchasing/having donated a portable defibrillator This has been discussed in the past and was dropped due to expense. Now they are more readily available and the cost may have come down. It was unanimously agreed for Barbara to continue research into procuring one, with her approaching some local agencies to see if they would help with the purchase. Fran Moxley discussed times and set up for the Alumni Banquet on Sat. May 11,

Motion to adjourn: Alex Couladis, Second Amy Calvert, none opposed.

Minutes SCCA Meeting June 12, 2019

Members present: Amy Calvert, Barbara Brake, Ray Baker, Heidi and Marvin Marty, Richard and June Coe, Walter and Karen Jones, Beverly Guider, Cathy Matthews, George Benz, Pat Davidson, Jerry Foster, Gail Jordan and Fran Moxley. Meeting was **called to order** with the Pledge of Allegiance by Jerry Foster.

Minutes of May 8th meeting were read and tabled for approval until the July meeting because there was not quorum to create a vote.

Treasurer's Report: We continue to show a deficit for the year. Expenses have increased due to ordering for supplies and other items that will be used throughout the year. The checkbook balance was \$22,654.48 at the end of May.

Corresponding Secretary's Report: A total of three cards and letters were sent. We added 10 new memberships including 16 new members. Total membership as of June 11th is 269.

Facilities Management Report: The zero turn mower was repaired. Grass was mowed three times. Arab pest control treated building. Playground equipment was delivered.

Old Business: The Financial Review Committee reported their audit is nearly complete. Alumni Dinner report was given by Fran. The Community Center Member Yard sale was small but fairly busy. Barbara Brake followed up on the attempt to secure a defibrillator for the center. She spoke with the Ohio Health Community Living group director of fundraisers and they were interested in helping. The application was filed and we are awaiting word of approval. It was suggested the proper place for installation be determined and that they will like to come and check a few things before installation.

New Business: Reminder about the Fish Fry on June 14th was made and donated desserts requested. The Cruise In and Yard Sale scheduled for July 13 was discussed and volunteers requested. Heidi requested to schedule use of the History Room for one of the Wednesday pot luck gatherings.

Motion to Adjourn – Marvin Marty, second Ray Baker... none opposed.

Minutes SCCA Meeting July 10, 2019

Members present: Tammy Foster, Amy Calvert, Barbara Brake, Grace Dorst, Ray Baker, Marvin Marty, June and Richard Coe, Beverly Guider, Betty Snow Rosser, Gail Jordan, George Benz, Pat Davidson, Jerry Foster, Fran Moxley. Meeting was **called to order** with the Pledge of Allegiance by Jerry Foster.

Minutes of May 8th meeting and those of June 12th meeting were read and both were tabled as we did not again have quorum.

Treasurer's Report: We are now showing a larger deficit for the year because a bill from Pratts Fork Electric was just received for work they completed in 2018. This bill was \$5392.39 for work that was done on the furnace and boilers and some additional electrical work. Fundraisers for the month of June totaled \$736.00. The check book balance was \$21,583.82 and there was money available in the debit account as well.

Corresponding Secretary's Report: A total of four cards and letters were sent, including a 90th birthday card to Glenna Grim. We have two new members, bringing total membership to 275.

Facilities Management Report: The playground fencing was extended eight feet to the north, to allow the swing poles to be set. The border and landscape cloth were put in so the mulch could be spread. Two loads of scrap was hauled to the Cullison's. George mowed the grass four times.

Old Business: Beverly Guider reported the financial review committee had completed their audit and that no problems were found. The Fish Fry generated around \$400 of income, 60 – 70 people were served. The defibrillator has been installed in the kitchen, but discussion is still on-going about a permanent location. George Benz suggested it be placed in an area that is under surveillance by one of the video cameras. Barbara Brake is going to check on the availability of a class to show its proper use. Members were reminded the Cruise-In and Yard Sale was to take place on Saturday July 13th and dessert donations would be appreciated. Also volunteers were needed.

New Business: Discussion of the payment for replacing the fire suppression system in the kitchen took place and it was suggested the money be supplied by the Coen Bequest. Also the older deep Fryer is no longer working. This purchase could also be made with bequest money. As one of the three controlling members of the bequest Fran Moxley stated she would speak with the others regarding these payments. Once again the OU Literacy group will be holding the Reading Class at the Center. The dates are July 29th through August 2. Volunteers are needed to help with the food, a snack will be offered for breakfast and a full lunch. There is money left from last year's donation by an OU fraternity to pay for food this year and there will be people from the OU College of Education and the Kids on Campus program to conduct the classes. The Ice Cream Social will be held on August 16 from 5 – 8 p.m. with the Rt 50 Drifters again providing entertainment.

Motion to Adjourn. Marvin Marty, second Ray Baker.

September 2019

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October 2019

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3	4	5	6	7	8	9

In Memoriam

Robert Weinfurtner
1934-2019



Welcome New and Returning Members

Welcome New Members

Jackie Hooper & Laura Curnutte

Welcome Back Returning Members



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Cook's Corner

KATIE'S STUFFED PEPPERS

Submitted by: Pat Davidson, from my mother-in-law

HERE'S WHAT YOU NEED

1 pound ground beef	1 can tomato soup, undiluted
1 C cooked rice	Diced celery, 2-3 ribs to taste
1 small onion, diced	4-6 sweet green peppers, depending on size

HERE'S WHAT YOU DO

Clean and halve peppers. Barely cover with water and parboil in microwave for 5 minutes. Drain and set aside. Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Mix uncooked beef with rice, onion and celery. Stir in half can of soup. Stuff peppers tightly. Top with remaining soup, diluting slightly if needed. Add water to cover bottom of pan to ¼ inch.

Bake uncovered for 1 hour.

Shade Exchange

Moving/Downsizing Sale— Roberta Henderson

Sat. Sept. 7 & Sun. Sept. 8, 10 AM-3 PM both days
42281 Henderson Rd, Coolville 45723
Antique furniture & glassware; canning jars; stone jars, assorted sizes; Avon figurines; washer, dryer, electric kitchen range; sewing machines (2); Christmas decorations; hand & power tools; upholstery tools & supplies; commercial sewing machine; 2 hay wagons & other implements.

Submit newsletter articles, items for the Shade Exchange, recipes and pictures to:

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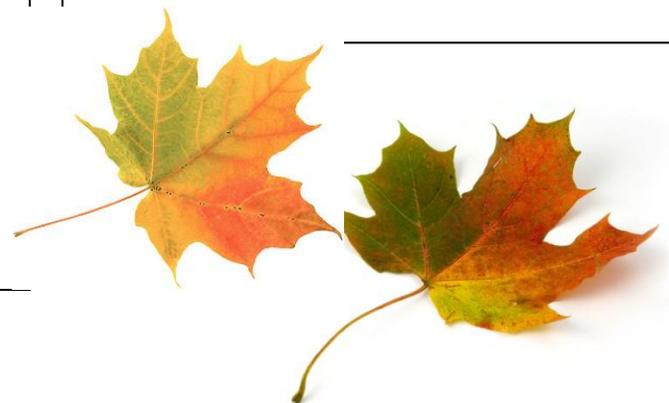
by the 25th of February, April, June, August, October or December. Newsletters are bimonthly and go out at the beginning of January, March, May, July, September and November.

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