

Subject: MMMeeting May 18
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Hey Mon'....just practicing my Jamacian for my destination wedding, leaving tomorrow. I was fortunat enough to receive the MMMeeting and thought I'd pass it on before I left town. Like a broken record, we've still had rain in central Illinois this week. The farmers are hoping to get into the fields Thurs. or Fri.....if.... It is beginning to set records for late planting. All are hoping for an extended growing season in the fall. I'm sure the price of corn will be going up, along with all of our food products, due to the change of crop planting from early corn to late beans. We probably should have bought into futures.

I did have a note from the Wilhelms:
Great getting your news We will be in Illinois this weekend for a couple of days A grandson is making Confirmation Looking forward to being with some Tip friends also. I am hoping for sunshine and golfing.

Jo (Speaking of Jo Greiner who was hoping for rain last week) is lucky in the Upper Michigan cause we are flooded here We are canoeing from tee to tee and slinging mud but its been fun cause we have a good excuse for the ball not going very far It plunks and sticks Between the weather and job losses in our area because of GM and Chryslers it has been sad And we are not over it yet

Do you have any address or e-mail address for Boswell's? Thanks Eilene

I'm sorry to say I left my directory in TX. If you have Lucille's address, would you please pass it on, or e-mail it back to me and I will post it on the web. Also if you have any addresses of rgw deceased, please let me know. Many of us would send cards if we knew their northern home addresses.

For your information John O'Brien sent the following obituary:

Robert "Ray" Ransdell
(January 27, 1932 - May 12, 2009)

RANSDELL, Robert "Ray" age 77 of Huber Heights, passed away on Tuesday, May 12, 2009. He retired from Delco Moraine, Division of GM, after 30 years of service. Ray was a U.S. Naval Korean Conflict veteran and a member of the USS Albany Association. He was also a member of American Legion Post #200, the Tip "O" Texas Gang, and the Modern Woodmen of America. He is preceded in death by his parents Hugh and Gertrude Ransdell, a brother Roger and a daughter Theresa. Survived by his loving wife of 58 years Mary Ann (Bauer) Ransdell, 1 daughter Susan (Bob) Dunfee of Parker, TX, 5 sons Michael (Sonja) of Rockwood, MI, David (Paula) of Tipp City, James (Joyce) of Beavercreek, Joseph of Huber Heights, Thomas (Jennifer) of Ft. Loramie, OH; 10 grandchildren Melissa (Richard), Cristofer (Mandy), Elise, Heather, Katherine, Jeremy, Jennifer, Blake, Bradyn and Korigan; 8 great grandchildren, 1 sister Donna Ransdell of Cincinnati. Services 1:30 p.m. Friday at Baker-Hazel & Snider Funeral Home 5555 Philadelphia Dr. at N. Main St. by Pastor Brian Krammer. Interment Memorial Park Cemetery. The family will receive friends Thursday (TODAY) from 5 to 8 p.m. In lieu of flowers contributions may be made to the Hospice of Dayton in Rays memory. On-line condolences for the family may be sent to www.bakerhazelsnider.com

Source: Dayton Daily News, May 13, 2009

John also sent some great photos of his pet.

And why do I try to run these little critters out of my flower beds and into my neighbor's???

That's all for this week. Hope you have a good one. Pam

Monday May 18, 2009

Sara led the pledge to the flag.

Connie Harmon gave the hospital report:

--Mary Gray passed away this week. There was a Memorial service for her here yesterday.

--Former resident Bud Carter passed on this week.

--Charlie Waltz is back in the hospital.

--Adair Mahoney underwent chemo last week, and is recovering at home.

--Len Phillips has gone to Indianapolis for wrist surgery.

Please remember these friends and also Jean Claire Miller in your prayers.

Connie led a prayer.

Sara says thanks to Donna White, Vera Janis, and Joe Strain for helping make the first Friday night dinner a success.

Kathie says thanks to Jay, Kathy, Karly, Beth and Vic for helping get the Sunday Ice Cream Socials started. We will try to have one every week as long as there is enough interest. Sunday Main Hall 2 -3 \$1

Margarita Hills wants to express her thanks for all the cards and calls of comfort during her recent bereavement.

Connie recommends a book "90 Minutes in Heaven " written by Don Pfifer.

Water will be off today from 10 until it is repaired.

Remember to turn in a mail -forwarding card to Lisa in the Front Office.

Laura Fricks is helping in our office during the summer. She is from Tropic Star.

Sara will be on vacation for two weeks. Joe Strain will lead the meetings.

There will be no 9:00A.M. meeting next Monday. Instead, We will have a Memorial Day potluck starting at noon. Bring your table service and a dish to share. Please join your friends and neighbors on this day.

THIRSTY THURSDAY OUT: Sign Up.

May 21-Hooters 410 E. Expressway 83

May 28th-Rudy's BBQ 209 W. Nolana Loop

June 8—Costa Mesa 16 21 N. 11th St. McAllen

Segment on woodcarvers and the Indian will be aired on channel 5 May 26th-6:15 A.M. and 5:25 P.M.

THIS WEEK

Tuesday Karaoke practice with Yvonne ABFH 1-4

Wednesday dance with the Bottom Line MH 7-10 \$3.50

Friday- Karaoke with Larry ABFH 7-10

Sunday -Ice Cream social MH 2-3 \$1

Monday-Memorial Day Potluck MH 12:00 noon

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Joe told some jokes.

We sang "God Bless America"

Thought for today: Never let the fear of striking out get in your way.

Babe Ruth.

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