

# BELLEVUE VETS TIMES

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## LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

July, the middle of the year and are you satisfied with what you've done to help the club out? Helping the club doesn't just mean to do all the physical work, but also it means are you enjoying the club by stopping down just to see what's going on. Needless to say, a lot of our more senior members put in a lot of work over the many years that they've belonged and now they want to see others put in their fair share. Are you putting in your fair share? This club is prospering both in membership and at the bar, so be a part of what's going on. Join in the fun of the upcoming picnic, All-Star day, get ready for the Labor Day fireworks, the STANDOWN, Casino night and the continuing entertainment at the bar. There are a lot of events for you to enjoy and help out at the same time. We are showing The city of Bellevue that we've become an integral part of their plans for The future and we couldn't have done this without YOU. So be proud of your Club and spread the word to your fellow members, relatives and friends that The Bellevue Veterans Club is the place to be.

Have a great REST OF THE YEAR.

RAY BRICKING, JR.

## Letter to Community News

As we all know this summer has been very mild and wet. Wouldn't it be nice if we would have this weather when we get the very hot and sticky days later this summer? We should get those hot days very soon so everyone can enjoy those swimming pools and other outdoor activities that we do every summer.

Our Carnival was held on June 12, 13, and 14 and of course we got rain. This year Mother Nature wasn't very nice to us. She gave us rain all three nights, which forced most everyone to leave early or look for a dry place, or they went home. It's very unfortunate, but the Carnival will have to wait until next year. We know this will effect our income for the coming year, but as always we will continue to support our community and our youth activities.

Along with our Carnival we also have our Money Raffle. On Saturday night of our Carnival the winners were drawn. The winners were: the \$5000 was won by **Sandy Schmardecke** of Crestview Hills, the \$500 were won by **Dan Bach** of Covington, **Scott Winkler** of

Fairfield Ohio, **Todd Huff** of

Newport and **Billy Acton** of Bellevue. We congratulate all the winners and hope they enjoy their prize. We have to also thank all those who supported our Carnival and our Money Raffle through this very wet weather.

Don't forget that on July 27 our Youth Baseball and Volleyball Leagues will hold their All-Star Game to end their season. Players will be picked from each team and will get to play in the game. Each player will receive an award after the game for being selected and playing on the All-

Star Team. Come down and enjoy the game and watch these players play and get their awards. Bring the whole family and make it a family event. This year was a year of rain outs and even the make up dates were rained out. We even had to halt all play on our grounds the week after our Carnival due to the wetness of the grounds until we could get them in shape again.

Our Ladies Auxiliary held their Lotto drawings for the month of June. The winners for the month were Shirley Ashcraft of Dayton on June 6 and Mo & Artie of Bellevue on June 20 each of the winners will receive \$100 each and their names will put back in the drum for a

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chance to win again. The July winners will be listed in the next paper.

The Bellevue Vets are holding their Golf Outing again this year at Flags Springs Golf Course on August 23. If you would like to sponsor a hole or donate a prize call our club at 859-431-0045..

As a reminder to all, will have live music in our new addition with Big Band Music on Wednesdays July 9, August 6 and September 10 from 7 - 10 p.m.. Cheap Strings Bluegrass Band will be playing on Fridays July 18 and August 29 from 8 - 11 p.m.. Stop down and enjoy your type of music. We got it all!!

## COMING EVENTS

|               |           |
|---------------|-----------|
|               | All-      |
| Star Day..... | July 27   |
|               | Golf      |
| Outing.....   | August 23 |

## MEMBER REMINDERS

If you move please give your change of address to Don so we can keep the membership list up to date.

## NEW MEMBERS

Bob Szaba Vet  
 Carrie Owens Assc  
 Dave Slater Assc  
 Rick Buckler Assc  
 Edward Walker Assc

## CARNIVAL

Carnival turned in \$24,000.00 at the last floor meeting. Unfortunately That included \$8,000.00 in start-up change. The date was discussed for next year. August looks good the committee is checking on any other festivals in our immediate area during that month.

Don't forget to call your booth workers for the picnic on Aug 9<sup>th</sup>. The picnic will start at 3:00pm. Food will be served at 6:00pm. The menu for this year is hot dogs, brats, metts, hamburgers, corn, melon, potato salad and the now famous cabbage surprise

Next years dates are August 5<sup>th</sup>, 6<sup>th</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup>.

## OUR CONDOLENCES TO THE FAMILY OF:

Richard Schaufuss passed away last month

## NEWSLETTER EDITOR

If you would like to receive the newsletter by email, please send me your email address. You can leave it for me at the bar or send it to via email to:

[kriskaelin@yahoo.com](mailto:kriskaelin@yahoo.com)

## CASINO NIGHT

This years casino night will be held on the 28<sup>th</sup> and 29<sup>th</sup> of November. If you would like to help out please contact Terry or Kris. This event will help to make up for our rainy carnival so please put it in your calendar and plan to attend.