

# **BELLEVUE VETS TIMES**

*Independent Newsletter of the Bellevue Veterans Club*

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## **LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT**

The youth league sign-ups are in full swing now. Make sure you get your children or grand children down to sign-up to play, After all, this is what we are here for. If you own a business or know a business owner who would like to receive some prime advertising for a nominal cost please refer him to the committee head or drop donation off at the bar.

The insullation in the back hall has been completed and the floors in both main hall and the clubroom have been waxed. The garbage collected through the years in the lower basement has been removed and the grounds have been cleaned. Thank's very much to Rick Buckler who brought the inmate work release crew to do the work and to Randy Pollitt who supervised.

Thanks to all that are making this club the best it can be,

***Ray Bricking Jr.***

## **New Members**

**Emmitt Johnson Vet**

**Roger Oberding Vet**

**Tom Stamper Vet**

## **Letter to Community News**

As the New Year rolls on we can only hope the snow and cold weather will leave us soon and bring in the great warmth of the spring sun. With all the snow we had this year, compared to the last few years, we can only wait for those warm days ahead

This very snowy winter makes us all wish and want for warmer days to get here very quickly. We look for the days when we can get outside in our yard to do planting and even cutting the grass. Just to hear the children playing with their friends. will be a great improvement. It's a sure sign of warmer weather when we see the trees starting to bud and the early flowers busting out of the ground. The grass will be turning green and growing with the warmth of the sun. Whoever thought we would be looking forward to cutting the grass again.

With the warmer weather our Youth Baseball and Volleyball

League will be playing on our grounds very soon. They will be holding their registration for the players every Saturday and Sunday in March and April 5 at our club from 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.. Your child must be 5 years old and can't be 16 years old before April 27. Proof of your child's age is required. Such as their birth certificate. The signature of a parent or guardian is required on the form for the child to play.

We take great pride in our Youth League because it allows every child to play in their game and learn their sport. If your company or club would be interested in sponsoring a Baseball or Volleyball Team in our Youth League, please give us a call at (859) 431-0045. The cost is only \$125.00 per team. It's well worth the cost.

If your interested in your softball team playing in our Friday Night Men's or Sunday Co-ed Softball Leagues please call (859) 431-0045 for more information.

The Bellevue Vets Knothole Team will once again hold it's Knothole Tournament on our grounds. It is due to start on March 21. Teams from around Northern Kentucky and Greater

Cincinnati will be playing in this tournament. So stop down and watch a game or two.

Our Club will be having it's

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Fish Fry for Lent again this year. It will start on Ash Wednesday March 5, and every Friday in Lent from 5 p.m. to 8 p. m.. You can call in your carry out order at (859) 431-0045 and it will be ready for you.

Thanks again,

Dick Schaiper

## Carnival

The carnival this year will be held on the 12<sup>th</sup>, 13<sup>th</sup> and 14<sup>th</sup> of June. The committee meetings will be on the first Wed of the month for the next several months. If you are interested in being on the committee or just curious as to what the committee does, stop down and join in.

## Youth Sports

Sign-ups have started. Greg Bricking (baseball) and Alicia Schweirjohann (volleyball) are looking for children to participate, coaches, referees and sponsors.

If you would Like to be on the committee, coach a team or umpire or referee

some games, please get in touch with one of these committee heads.

Sign-ups will be on Saturday and Sunday afternoons starting on March 1<sup>st</sup> and ending on April 15<sup>th</sup>. Sign-up cost is \$5.00 per child and they must present a copy of their birth certificate when signing up. Baseball entries must be at least 5 years old by the 27<sup>th</sup> of April and no older than 15 by the 27<sup>th</sup> of April.

### Dates to remember

Every Fri Night Fish Fry

Knothole Tourney March 21

April 19th Easter egg Hunt

April 27<sup>th</sup> Opening Day

April 28<sup>th</sup> Horseshoes start

June 12,13,14 Carnival

## WEB PAGE

If you have anything you want to put on our web page please contact Tom Berning at [tberning@isoc.net](mailto:tberning@isoc.net)

**If you are a committee chair or co chair make sure you take advantage of the site for your scheduling information. This is a great tool please be sure to use it.**

**Al Schutte is gathering information on the history of all veteran members. There will be a booklet formed showing rank, units, web links, description of service and anecdotes ect.. This history will eventually be added to our web page. Stay tuned for further details.**