

August, 2008

Hickory Ruritan Club



Mark Lutes President
757-421-3430

Anthony Draper V-Pres
757-373-7712

Fred McKenna Sec'tary
757-432-0220

Frank Austin Treas
757-436-0094

Hickory Mules in Action

Hodges Manor Inauguration Support (Kitchen – First Club Dinner) – 22 July – Mickey Ferrell, Sharon Kelley, Denise Ferrell, Anthony Draper, Thurman Alexander, Ed Abrams, Frontis Cochran, K.D. Hicks = 35 Hours

Hickory Club Tidewater Bluegrass Association Support – 26 July - Frontis Cochran, Richard Brink, K.D. Hicks, Gene Phelps, Thurman Alexander, Carl Jensen, Gordon Boyd, Frank Williams, Dick McGuire, Doc Bucher, Mike Colbert, Mike Starring = 56 Hours

Ruritan Zone 1 Dinner – 01 August – Mickey Ferrell, Denise Ferrell, Sharon Kelley, Frontis Cochran, Thurman Alexander, JoAnn Eason = 27 Hours

We were all sad to hear of the passing of James “Jimmy” Garrett last week after a series of illnesses. Jimmy had not been with the Hickory Ruritan long - he joined in November 2006, but he was a faithful member until the end. Our thoughts and prayers go to his wife and family.

NOTE: WE NEED AN ACCURATE HEAD COUNT FOR THE SEPTEMBER MEMBERSHIP MEETING. AT THE AUGUST MEMBERSHIP MEETING, YOU WILL BE ASKED DURING THE ROLL CALL IF YOU ARE PLANNING TO ATTEND THE SEPTEMBER MEETING AND IF YOU ARE PLANNING TO BRING ONE GUEST.

NOTE: THE SEPTEMBER MEETING WILL BE A SEMI-FORMAL EVENT.

Actions and Recommendations of the Board

- A. Recommend \$200.00 to the Chesapeake March of Dimes – March of Babies Campaign
- B. President Lutes activated the Hickory Ruritan Nomination Committee for 2009 Officers and Directors. Our 2009 Officers and Director Election results are needed by the Holland District by the end of September.

MOON PHASES

Full Moon – 16 Aug
“Sturgeon Moon”

Last Qtr – 23 Aug

New Moon – 30 Aug

First Qtr – 07 Sept

Full Moon – 15 Sept
“Harvest Moon”

“Be patient with
everyone but
above all with
yourself”

Francis de Sales

Ruritans in Action in the Holland District

16 Aug - 0900-1300 Prince Georges Ruritan Golf Tour – Jordan Point

23 Aug - 1100-1400 Great Bridge Ruritan BBQ Dinners – GBUMC

30 Aug - 1630-1800 Western Branch Ruritan Boston Butt Sale

20 Sep - 1000-1700 Grassfield Ruritan Auction

20 Sep - 1500-1900 Deep Creek Ruritan Beef Fest

27 Sep - 1600-2000 Rives Ruritan Steakfeast

Hickory Club Ruritans Upcoming Schedule

Aug 19 - 1900 Membership meeting

Aug 23 - 0800-1300 Hickory Ruritan Community Yard Sale

Aug 30 - 1700-2100 Bluegrass Concert Concession Support

Sep 09 - 1900 Board of Directors Meeting

Sep 16 - 1900 Membership Meeting / 60th Anniversary Dinner

Sep 17 - 0700-1400 BBQ Preparation and Cooking @ Clubhouse

Sep 19 - 0700-1400 BBQ Preparation and Cooking @ Clubhouse

Sep 20 - 0800-1300 BBQ Sidedishes preparation @ Clubhouse / Rain date for BBQ cooking

Sep 21 - 1200-1600 BBQ Dinner @ Clubhouse

Sep 27 - 0800-?? 1st Turkey Shoot of the season

Sep 27 - 1700-2100 Bluegrass Concert Concession Support

All of these events need support – ask how you can chip in!

Other Hickory News of Interest

From the Kitchen Committee – August Membership Meeting will be catered.

If you want to send a copy of this newsletter to a prospective member, please let me know and one will be mailed to the address you provide. Simply email the address and the name of the individual to me.

Any helpful suggestions – please let us know...