

June, 2008

Hickory Ruritan Club



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Hickory Mules in Action

Social Development -- Scholarship Auction (Late Reports) -- Scholarship Follow-up Actions - Carl Witten = 24 Hours

Social Development -- 16 May - Chesapeake 4-H Lifestock Auction and Show Support -- Tony Draper, George Reich, Gordon Boyd, Richard Brink = 15 Hours

Hickory Club Tidewater Bluegrass Association Support -- 24 May - Frontis Cochran, Richard Brink, June Vinson, K.D. Hicks, Kim Starring, Jimmy Dickerson, Gene Phelps, Thurman Alexander, Carl Jensen, Gordon Boyd, Frank Williams, Dick McGuire = 45 Hours

Citizenship & Patriotism -- 29 May -- Tree removal and clearing of street right of way, Assisting a neighbor -- Bob Snow and Ed Abrams = 2 Hours

PERFECT ATTENDANCE PINS WILL BE PRESENTED AT THE JUNE MEMBERSHIP MEETING. PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU BRING YOUR YEAR PINS WITH YOU TO ENSURE WE HAVE ENOUGH TO GO AROUND.

HALF-YEAR ACTIVITY REPORTS TO RURITAN NATIONAL ARE DUE AT THE END OF THE MONTH. PLEASE CATCH UP AND SUBMIT ALL RURITAN VOLUNTEER EFFORTS AND SUBMIT TO THE CLUB SECRETARY AT THE JUNE MEMBERSHIP MEETING.

Actions and Recommendations of the Board

- A. Proposed donation of \$200.00 to the Hickory Elementary School Classroom Performance System (CPS).
- B. Property Expansion Committee reported on survey results -- 32 surveys were returned from the membership. The Board approved a motion to Research cost of relocation of the turkey shoot range and/or the clubhouse.
- C. A donation to the Hickory Ruritan Club was received from a local citizen for the amount of \$250.00. The Board voted to place the donation into the Scholarship Fund.
- D. New membership applications for Bobby and Gayland Swinson have been received. The board approved the nominations and the names will be presented at the June 17 membership meeting.

MOON PHASES

Full Moon – 18 June
“Strawberry Moon”

Summer Solstice - 20
June

Last Qtr – 26 June

New Moon – 03 July

First Qtr – 10 July

“True friendship is
a plant of slow
growth...”

George Washington

Ruritans in Action in the Holland District

28 June - 1100-1600 Great Bridge Ruritan BBQ

03 July - 1800-2000 Waverly Ruritan Fireworks

18 July - 0830-1700 Meherrin Ruritan Golf Tournament

24 July - 1900-2100 Holland District Cabinet Meeting in Ivor

26 July - 1300-1600 South Norfolk Ruritan Blue Crab Feast

26-27 July – All Day Knotts Island Ruritan supports Knotts Island Peach Festival

Hickory Club Ruritans Upcoming Schedule

June 17 - 1900 Membership Meeting

June 28 - 0700 – 1300 Repair and replace Hickory Club road signs

June 28 - 1700 - 2100 Bluegrass Concert Concessions

July 08 - 1900 Board Meeting

July 15 - 1900 Membership Meeting

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

Other Hickory News of Interest

Received a verbal thank you from the Wells family – between our member’s donations and the club funds donation, \$550.00 was raised from Hickory Ruritan Club to help with the family’s medical costs. Randy Luton reports that the family’s medical bills are under control at present, Amy is out playing, and the family will let the club know should the situation change.

Hickory Ruritan Club was highlighted in the Annual Chesapeake Jubilee 4-H Program for our generous support this year.

From the Kitchen Committee – June Membership Meeting menu will include: Fried Chicken, baked beans and potato salad.

For the July Membership Meeting - Elementary School Citizenship awards and the Hickory Ruritan Scholarships will be awarded at this meeting. Additionally, your spouse and immediate children (or you may prefer your grandchildren if your children are grown) are invited.

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...