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Stock Market Challenge Final Report!

REPORT: Membership Meeting June 7

Updates on the Independence Day Celebration June 30 were discussed. Chair Carol Porcher announced that entertainment is the "Off The Ladder" band, Boy Scout Troop 444 color guard & National Anthem, Carroll Manor Rec Council dance group, Cubie The Clown, plus games for the youngins'. Bring out your blanket and picnic basket (or makes purchases from our vendors) and join our family community event at the Jacksonville Elementary School 3400 Hillendale Heights Rd & Jarrettsville Pike, Phoenix, MD 21131.

Independence Day Raffle Ticket Sales

Raffle tickets to fund the event will be sold in June at the Safeway on Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Friday 6/22	5-7	Fran Betty & Helen Petrich
Saturday 6/23	9-11:30	Mary Lu Hartley & Pam McCullom
	11:30-2	Carol Applegate & Terri Parrish
Sunday 6/24	9-11:30	Adam Drescher & Carol Applegate
	11:30-2	Carol & Steve Porcher



Saturday June 30 Fireworks Schedule

Noon set up Jacksonville Elementary School field

- ◆ Stage arrives
- ◆ Stake off fireworks area (bring hammer, gloves)
- ◆ Line cardboard trash containers and set in place
- ◆ Place signs & decorations

6:00 PM set up children's games

- ◆ Hula hoops, bean bag toss, bubbles
- ◆ Press on Independence Day tattoos
- ◆ Cubie the Clown set up table & chairs

7:00 PM Off the Ladder Band

8:40 PM Bucket Brigade collects donations through the crowd

9:00 PM Boy Scouts #444 color guard, National Anthem,

9:15 PM FIREWORKS by Fantastic Fireworks, Inc.

9:40 PM Tear down

Sunday July 1 Clean up

7:30—10:00 AM Trash collection, raking field (bring gloves & leaf rake)

Save the date! Sunday September 16 Club Anniversay Dinner



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CLUB MEETINGS

First Thursday of Month

7:30 PM

12900 Jarrettsville Pike

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Carol Applegate, Trustee, HOBY MD Board of Directors

HOBY MD (Maryland Leadership Seminar Fd, Inc) was May 24-27 at Mount St. Mary's University. I have volunteered at just about every position and many more than once in my 35 years. Now my name badge says HOBY Grandma and I am proud of it. Dorms and cafeteria food can't keep me away from the event. It's not just the 238 sophomores from all over MD, but the almost 100 HOBY Alum volunteers who come to give their time to mentor and support the seminar.



The leadership theme is divided into personal, group and societal sections with speakers, hands on activities and community service. My granddaughter was able to go this year.

Membership Meeting

There is no meeting in July—too busy with Independence Celebration! Our next meeting is **August 2 at 7:30 at Dave's.**

St. Vincents' Villa

Report: Members volunteered at the Villa's children's fair on Friday June 15 11:30 to 5:30 pm. Call Carol Porcher was contact.



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Ugg,
cold
hands!



T Shirts!

Happy June Birthday!

Orville Hughes 6/15



Mary Ann's Corner—Did you know...

June

Birthstone is pearl

Zodiac signs are Gemini & Cancer

Flower is the rose

June is the first month of summer and known as the best time to get married.

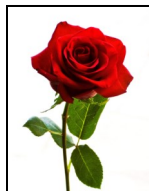
The YMCA was organized in London in June 1844.

U.S. Senator Robert F. Kennedy was shot by an assassin and died the next day.

June 6 is D Day WWII.

The Ford Motor Co. was founded on June 14, 1903.

June 21 Summer Solstice is the longest day of the year.



on June 5, 1968 and

Kevin W. Alban



Kevin Wendell Alban of Cockeysville, Maryland died peacefully at home on Monday May 28, 2018. He was 51 years of age. Kevin was born in Baltimore, Maryland June 06, 1966. He was the son of Richard and Rosalie Alban of Cockeysville. Kevin was the brother to Richard F. Alban Jr., brother in law to Jacqueline M. Alban. He was uncle to Richard F. Alban III, Melanie and Chad Breichner. Kevin is also survived by many aunts, uncles and cousins.

Kevin was a 1986 graduate of Jemicy High School in Owings Mills, Maryland.

Kevin had been an entrepreneur during his life. Alban Landscaping was his passion. He cared and maintained most of the beautiful residences in Phoenix, Maryland.

Family was the most important thing to Kevin. After his father fell ill, he was the main caregiver to his mother for many years assisting her in day to day activities.

Kevin enjoyed being an Uncle and loved his dear niece and nephew. He loved spoiling his furry nephews and niece too.

Kevin had a very giving spirit and thus was very active in the local community. He was a proud member of the Greater Jacksonville Optimist Club. He loved helping out with all the charities that Optimist Club was involved in, especially the annual July Fourth Fireworks celebrations in Jacksonville, where assisted everywhere he was needed.

A celebration of Kevin’s life will be held on Sunday July 15th 2018 from 12:00pm to 3:00 at the Cockeysville Volunteer Fire Company Hall 11210 York Road Cockeysville, MD 21030. Interment will be private.

A donation in honor of Kevin’s memory may be made to the Greater Jacksonville Optimist Club Inc. P.O. Box 442 Phoenix, MD 21131.

Kevin was known for his smile and helping wherever he could: he set up his tents on the fireworks field & bike parade; his sound system he used at St. Vincent Villa’s bingo. He hosted a club party at his parent’s and his home. He was the “king” of raffle tickets at the Safeway...and so many more things we will remember him for. We miss his good nature and know he is at peace. Please attend the celebration on July 15.

Carol Applegate, President Greater Jacksonville Optimist Club