

# CHAMBER CHATTER

The Newsletter of the Waynesburg Area Chamber of Commerce

## WHO'S NEWS

**Chad M. Moore, President of the Chamber of Commerce** and on the Western Pennsylvania board of Directors of Juvenile Diabetes Foundation for a two-year term, led a very successful "WALK FOR THE CURE" on Saturday, September 7, 1996 at WANA-B-PARK in Carmichaels. Chad and the JDF raised \$24,000 that day and expects the figure to reach \$30,000 after pledges have been fulfilled. CONGRATULATIONS CHAD for your usual Job Well Done!! The Waynesburg Area Chamber Team was *light*, but we managed to raise \$200 thanks to small donations from friends. Most of our members were walking for, or contributing on behalf of their own companies, and we thank you for your contributions, so that the Chamber could be represented in this very worthwhile cause . . . Thanks to Gordon Dane, Stan Majesky, Shelly Brown of WANB, Bowlby Library, Ann Whipkey, Vicki Bruno, Suzanne Huffman, Kay Laskody, Chuck & Joy Fordyce, Ronald R. Cox, Jr., Loretta Garber, Crissy Owens and Pat's Motor Sales.

**Merle Williams of Alltel of Pennsylvania** has just joined the Chamber Board of Directors . . . Merle is a past-president of the Chamber and a welcome addition indeed . . . Great to have you Merle!

**Saturday, October 12, 1996** - Waynesburg College will be holding their annual

## Bicentennial Day Of Celebration A Wonderful Success!

There are so many people to thank for our August 31st event that we have decided to take an ad in our local newspapers to thank everyone in picture format for making our efforts so rewarding. Pictured below were some of the outstanding costumes, worn by Lydia and Andrew Corfont, Co-Chair and Suzanne Huffman, Co-Chair, with her mother Carol Patterson who's "needlework" was notably outstanding. Don Patterson was busy giving surrey rides around the park; however, his attire was equally natty. We do want to give particular thanks to the Distinguished Award Committee and Bicentennial Committee of the Chamber, whose vision and hard work

made this day possible. Thank you one and all! . . . Kevin Policz, Richard Scott, John Owen, Kay Laskody, Shelly Brown, Donna Morosky, Jackie Brodak Kingora, Chad Moore, Gordon Dane, Harry Anderson, Jack McCracken, Pauline Crumrine, Terry Cole, Mary Pruss, Millie Wonderling, Shirley Stockdale and Loretta Garber.



Homecoming Parade, beginning at 10:00 am. The Homecoming Game will begin at 1:30 pm. If you would like to participate in the parade, contact Heather Jent at 627-6088. Also, they would appreciate our support - perhaps you will participate in the window decorating for this occasion - Black & Orange . . . lets show our support for Waynesburg College.



## General Membership Meeting and Speaker Wednesday, September 25, 1996 The Golden Corral

Guest Speaker: Kathleen Gregg, Coordinator  
GREENE COUNTY SCHOOL-TO-WORK PARTNERSHIP

All members urged to attend - Bring a guest - Bring your questions!  
If you are unable to attend, please send your representative.



## THANKS & THOUGHTS

Special thanks to everyone who has renewed their support of the Chamber.

A warm welcome to new members:

**GREENE LAKES FARM, INC., Box 24, Mt. Morris, PA 15349 @ 966-5755.** Elizabeth Allen, President and CEO stopped by our office to leave off some literature recently and we talked about the picturesque and unique Greene Lakes Farm located on Bunner Hill Road, privately owned and in her family for over 50 years she bubbled with excitement and enthusiasm as she talked of her father and her heritage. Sounds like a "must see" for all of us. Welcome also to **Henning Management Systems of RD5, Box 228A in Waynesburg @ 852-4154.** Karen L. Henning does Accounting, Bookkeeping and Payroll . . . put her company on your list.

Special thanks to Barbara and Dr. Tom Andrews for sending a special donation and joining the Chamber. Dr. Andrews played the piano for our Garden Reception—he and Barbara then joined us at the Bicentennial Dinner and Gala Dance thereafter . . . It was a lov-e-r ly evening for all! The Chamber will be in the forefront of a similar activity next year. Their professional affiliation will be listed as follows: **Dr. Thomas E. Andrews, Psychologist . . . RD 5, Box 245, Waynesburg, PA 15370 (412) 627-6640.**

**Thanks to the Borough Council** for their support with our Bicentennial "Day of Celebration" as well as the **Park Commissioners** who helped make our Day possible. Thanks also to our **Greene County Commissioners.**

**Call Jackie at the Chamber with news bits - Deadline - Second Wednesday of each Month.**

If you had your picture taken walking through the arches at the "Bicentennial Ball", you can place your order at **PICTURE PERFECT IMAGES, 103 East High St., Waynesburg 627-9751.**

**Your NEW MEMBERSHIP DIRECTORIES** are finished and available here at the Chamber Office. They have a section on Greene County History and Rain Day History; U.S., State and Local Government and information; Alphabetical Membership (names, addresses and phone numbers) and a separate Membership Service section listing you under the service provided. We also added Civic Organizations for your benefit and information. **AS PROMISED, THIS ATTRACTIVE DIRECTORY IS AVAILABLE TO ALL MEMBERS AT NO CHARGE! We have just learned that YOUR DIRECTORY will be an item accepted for the TIME CAPSULE dedication on September 21st, 1996. So, 100 or 200 years from now when they dig up our time capsule . . . you'll be there!!!**

### A letter from the White House to Jim Sokoloff:

Dear Jim:

I am delighted to extend my congratulations to you as you are honored by the Waynesburg Area Chamber of Commerce as the recipient of their annual Distinguished Service Award.

Our country's greatest strength is the community spirit of its people. Throughout our history, Americans have been eager to serve the common good. Your involvement and dedication to caring for others are vital in sustaining this enduring legacy. By taking more responsibility for ourselves, our families, and our communities, we can ensure a brighter tomorrow for generations to come.

I commend you for your deep concern about our future and for your exemplary commitment to improving our world.

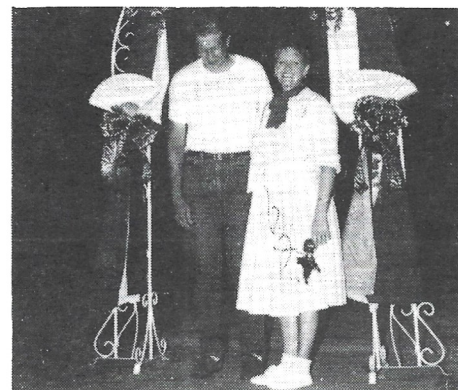
Sincerely,  
Bill Clinton

**ANOTHER KEEPSAKE THAT WE WILL HAVE IN THE TIME CAPSULE IS OUR BICENTENNIAL FAN. THEY ARE AVAILABLE AT THE CHAMBER OFFICE FOR \$2.00.**

## We're Soooooo Sorry!!

THE TELEPHONE NUMBER FOR FAYETTE BANK IS: 627-6126 in Waynesburg at 1 West High Street. In Jefferson at 36 Greene Street, their number is 883-2216.

Our apologies to Selene Sowden, Brian Waychoff, and **Fayette Bank. From a table mix-up at the DSA Banquet to a wrong number in the directory . . .** Thank you for your gracious understanding. Members: Please change the number in your new directory. By the way, did you see our 1950's Selene in Poodle Skirt at the "Day of Celebration" Dinner and Gala Ball???



### Words of Thanks from our Distinguished Service Award Winner:

" . . . please convey my thanks and gratitude to the members of the Board of Directors of the Chamber of Commerce and to the Service Awards Committee members. It is an honor that I will cherish for years (hopefully). An honor like this is worth more than the gold in Fort Knox . . . " " . . . so to all of you, Thank You and keep up the good work . . . "

Sincerely,  
Jim Sokoloff

**Notary Service: Free to Members at Chamber Office.**

### Information Center

Members: We display your pamphlets/ brochures at the Chamber office.



# MEETING MEMOS

## Calendar of Events UPDATE!

- September 25 General Meeting - Golden Corral 12:00
- October 9 Board Meeting - Elk's Restaurant 12:00
- October 23 General Meeting - Location in Next Newsletter
- December 6 Holiday Sing-A-Long
- December 7 Christmas Parade

**Note: Mark your calendars each month:**

- 2nd Wednesday Board Meeting - Will be advised of location
- 4th Wednesday General Meeting - Location in Newsletter

## Executive Committee

- Chad Moore, President  
First Federal Savings & Loan Assn. 627-4649
- Andrew Corfont, Vice President  
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- Stan Majesky, Treasurer  
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- Kay Laskody, Secretary  
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