



LICKING COUNTY FRATERNAL ORDER OF POLICE LODGE #127, INC.

November 2005 Newsletter

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Darrin D. Logan
Newark PD

Vice President

Doug Wells
Newark PD

Secretary

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Newark PD

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Trustee

Small Agencies
Jim Landis
Retired LCSO

Trustee

Heath PD
Mark Phillips

Trustee

Newark PD
Erik McKee

Trustee

LCSO
Marc Brill

Trustee

Pataskala PD
vacant

Battle of the Heroes (BOTH) Flag Football Game

The 3rd Annual Battle of the Heroes Flag Football game was a success in that it raised \$1,100.00 for the United Way. Garry Berry (OSU Alumni player) and Matt Calhoun (OSU Alumni player) were on hand to sign autographs and watch the game. There was a great turnout at the game. It was a hard fought game with the FOP leading 6-0 all the way until approx 5 minutes left in the game. The IAFF scored on a punt return to tie the score at 6 all. After another FOP possession, we punted the ball again with just over 3 minutes left in the game. The IAFF then scored on a long touchdown pass. The final score was 13-6. Thank you to all that participated and helped. Special thanks go out to Marc Brill (LCSO) and Mark Phillips (Heath PD) for chairing the committee. Jennifer Roberts from the United Way also deserves our appreciation for all her hard work with promoting the event. Start getting ready for next year..... we will win that one!!!!!!!

Halloween Party 2005

The annual Halloween Party was a huge success!! If you weren't wearing a costume you were definitely in the minority. Winners in the costume contest were as follows:

1st - Leatherface, Jarod Angle NPD - \$50.00

2nd - Kenny Rogers/Dolly Parton, Kandy Humphries
Juvenile Court/Amy Weeks County Prosecutors
Office - \$40.00

3rd - Incredibles, Kyle (NPD)/Lorri Gross - \$27.00

The Beasley Lounge will be closed for Thanksgiving and the day after.

Upcoming parties are:

November 12th - Northwestern @ Ohio State.
November 19th - Ohio State @ the team up north.
December 9th - Adults Christmas Party.
December 18th - Kids Christmas Party.

Nominations for the Executive Board of FOP Lodge #127 for 2006-2007

The following members were nominated for office at the November 1st monthly meeting:

President -

Darrin Logan (Newark PD)

Vice President -

Doug Wells (Newark PD)

Secretary -

Erik McKee (Newark PD)

Treasurer -

Lyn Riley (Newark PD)

Sgt-at-Arms -

Larry Mansfield (Ret. Newark PD)

Trustee Newark PD -

Chuck Wilhelm

Trustee Licking County Sheriff's Office -

Marc Brill

Trustee Heath PD -

Mark Phillips

Trustee Pataskala PD -

NONE

Trustee Retired -

Jim Landis (Ret. LCSO)

Trustee Small Agencies -

NONE

Chaplain (appointed by President) -

Cliff Biggers (Newark PD)

None of the offices had more than one nomination. The new Executive Board will be sworn in at the January 3rd Monthly Meeting. FOP State of Ohio 2nd Vice President Wes Elson will be in attendance to do the swearing-in.

FOP/Longaberger Basket Raffle

Tickets were sold for a basket raffle at the Halloween Party. The drawing did not take place that night. Tickets will be on sale in the Beasley Lounge for the basket up until 1930 hours on December 6th (put your name on the back of the ticket). The drawing will take place during the monthly meeting. If you bought a ticket at the Halloween Party and didn't put your name on the back of it, get with Mary in the office so we can make things right.

Magical Night of Giving

This year our Lodge will again be participating in the "Magical Night of Giving" to raise funds for our Lodge.

What: A special evening of events, special offers, and door prizes to ticket holders to the event. At 7:30 PM ticket holders will be treated to the 2005 debut of Santa Claus.

When: Sunday, November 13 from 4 PM to 9 PM.

Where: The Indian Mound Mall in Heath.

How: Purchase a ticket from the Lodge for \$5.00. That \$5.00 will go directly to our Lodge.

Donations

\$50.00 - Licking County Courthouse Lighting Committee
\$600.00 - FOP/FOPA Children's Christmas Party

Sick and/or In Distress

Vicki West (Ret. LCSO)
Dave Haren (NPD)
Jared Conley (NPD)
Mark Matesich (NPD)
Bonnie Diehl (NPD, Chief's Secretary)
John Eisel (Ret. County Pros. Office)

News From the Fall FOP State Board Meeting

POLICE AND FIRE PENSION - Currently the Police and Fire Pension has 63 health plans for retirees and is looking into narrowing it down to 2 or 3 different types of plan to be more cost effective.

If you are at the end of your three (3) years of the drop program make sure that you have completed all three of your years. If you leave even one day short of your three years you will not receive the interest payment.

Those members who are receiving disability benefits need to fill in their declaration/earning statement or they will not receive their benefits.

MORTGAGE - The mortgage for 222 E. Town Street (FOP State Office) has been paid off.

STATE CONFERENCE - The state conference will be held in Dayton July 22 - 25, 2006. Information will be posted on Dayton lodge's website.

PHILADELPHIA - Some concern has been addressed in regards to Philadelphia lodge pulling out of the FOP. This information is not true. A select few of the board members were considering pulling from the FOP however the majority of the general membership is interested in staying with the FOP.

For the complete minutes send a request to: dlogan@fop127.com and they will be e-mailed to you.

New FOP #127 Members

Michael Banks - Heath PD
Joseph Owens - Pataskala PD
Joshua McGeorge - Pataskala PD

New FOPA #10 Members

John Berryhill
Romona Mason

"New" FOP Lodge

The Planning Commission approved the lot split for the new property on Nov 1. Our attorney is now in the process of completing the paperwork so we can schedule a closing.

Police Memorial Week 2006

Four rooms have been reserved in Washington, DC for May 12-15, 2006. (4 nights) Any FOP members wishing to go to National Police Week please contact President Darrin Logan. Only serious inquiries, please. We will do a fundraiser to cover the cost of the hotel rooms. Those members wishing to go must participate in the fundraiser. Deadline for the signing up for trip is the end of January 2006. That gives everyone a chance to bid on their vacations for 2006.

An officer from the 4th District will be memorialized at the 2006 ceremony, Larry Cox - Chillicothe PD.

Office Hours

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Upcoming Events

November 11 - Veterans' Day

November 12 - Northwestern @ Ohio State - Party at the Beasley Lounge Noon

November 13 - "Magical Night of Giving" at the Indian Mound Mall 4 PM

November 19 - Ohio State @ the team up North TBA

November 24 - Thanksgiving

December 6 - FOPA #10 Monthly Meeting 6:30PM

December 6 - FOP #127 Executive Board Meeting 6:30PM

December 6 - FOP #127 Monthly Meeting 7:30PM

December 9 - FOP/FOPA Christmas Party - Beasley Lounge 7:00PM

December 18 - FOP/FOPA Children's Christmas Party - Beasley Lounge 1PM

December 25 - Christmas Day

December 31 - New Year's Eve

January 1, 2006 - New Year's Day

January 3 - FOPA #10 Monthly Meeting 6:30PM

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