

The Corn Cobber



Developing Tomorrow's Leaders
Through Today's Service Projects

February, 2006

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



With our busy season just around the corner, committees are forming for the various events and preparations are underway. I'd like to thank two new members, Lara Eiermann & Marynell Ploch, for stepping up to chair an event. I'm sure they'll both do a great job! This year's event lineup is substantial, so our chairman will need lots of help. If you'd like to be part of the planning, check the Cobber for committee meeting dates. This year's chairman are anxious for your ideas.

Be on the lookout for updates on our Professional Speaker Series which will take place this Spring. The series will include topics such as retirement planning, wills & trusts, and professional speaking. If you're interested in helping, or if you have suggestions, please contact myself or a board member.

Congratulations to all for finishing 2005 as one of the top ten Missouri chapters in the Parade of Chapters. Way to go Washington Jaycees! Let's keep up the hard work in 2006.

Bryan Bogue, 2006 President

We have a challenge for you!

For the April Membership Meeting any member that can RECITE The Jaycee Creed from MEMORY, will receive two bottles of wine and two lottery tickets!



Welcome to our newly sworn in members! President Bogue swore in Cindy Combs, Marynell Ploch, and Lara Eiermann at the February general membership meeting.

The Jaycee Creed

We Believe:

That faith in God gives meaning and purpose to human life;

That the brotherhood of man transcends
the sovereignty of nations;

That economic justice can best be won
by free men through free enterprise;

That government should be of laws rather than of men;

That earth's great treasure lies in human personality;

And that service to humanity is the best work of life.

Happy Birthday!

From Corny Corncobber

LeeAnn Edwards
Christy Arens
Josh Hanneke
Greg Roebach

What is JAYS?

The United States Junior Chamber believes in this statement: *Kids shouldn't smoke!* The problem is, despite the existence of state minimum-age laws, too many underage people buy cigarettes and smoke. The first phase of our initiative was the "We Card" program, where Jaycees enlisted convenience store clerks in signing a pledge that they would "card" questionable purchasers to determine their exact age, attacking underage smoking at the distribution level. The program was so successful it was taken over by the National Association of Convenience Stores after only two years.

Now, the U. S. Junior Chamber has enter Phase II of our youth smoking prevention message by getting directly into community schools and educating children at an early age with the JAYS Program.

What is the JAYS Nationwide Chapter Project?

Jaycees Against Youth Smoking (JAYS), is a free, educational program that goes directly into elementary and middle school classrooms to teach children about the dangers of smoking and to help them make the informed decision to be smoke free

Who developed and wrote the JAYS Curriculum?

The individuals who wrote JAYS are Magen Kelsay, former staff officer at the USJC National Service Center, and Dr. Jill Steeley, Assoc. Professor of Oral Roberts University. Dr. Steeley provided the educational guidelines to follow when creating curriculum and we also performed extensive research on previously published materials donated by several established national health organizations.

Who funds the JAYS Project?

The JAYS Program is funded with an unrestricted grant from RJ Reynolds Tobacco Corporation.

What is an unrestricted grant?

An unrestricted grant is a grant that gives the receiver of the grant the ability to have total control.

FAMOUS JAYCEES

Warren E. Burger - Supreme Court of the US
John Wayne Gacy - Serial killer
Kofi Annan - U.N. Secretary General
Bill Gates - Microsoft Chairman
Larry Holmes - Heavyweight Boxing Champion
Howard Hughes - Industrialist
Charles Lindbergh - Aviator
Tom Monaghan - Domino's Pizza
Lani Rae Rafko-Wilson - Miss America
Larry Bird - Boston Celtics
Bill Clinton, Gerald Ford, Richard Nixon and Ronald Reagan
Presidents of the United States.

JAYCEE GLOSSARY

BLUE CHIP - A chapter management program designed to assist local chapters in developing the total Jaycee concept.

CPG - Chairman's Planning Guide. A series of 15 questions used to properly plan, execute and evaluate all Jaycee programs and projects.

DEGREES OF JAYCEES - A program designed to help individual members receive the benefits of their membership; a Junior Chamber career path outline. The program consists of three phases divided into 10 degrees.

INDIVIDUAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMS - The self-improvement programs of a chapter, aimed at teaching, developing, and increasing the individual member's personal and leadership skills.

JAYCEE CREED - A statement of philosophy and beliefs adopted by The U.S. Junior Chamber and JCI. The Creed was written by the late C. William Brownfield of Columbus, Ohio, in 1946. Brownfield later served as national vice president.

JCI - Junior Chamber International. The worldwide Jaycees organization now operating in more than 100 countries.

M-NIGHT - Membership Night. A social gathering to allow prospective Jaycees to meet a chapter's members.

POC - Parade of Chapters - Competition among the chapters within the state in which points are earned and a ranking is established on a quarterly and annual basis.

JCI Senator - The highest honor bestowed by JCI on a current or past member for his or her contributions to the Jaycees. A senator is a life member of JCI.

For more definitions see www.usjaycees.org

Membership Information

Renewed Jaycees
Brad Maune
Ryan Shomaker
Samantha Shomaker
Chris Waltz
Patricia Yates

Up for Renewal
Dr. Eugene Spilker
Amy Holtmeyer

Missouri Jaycees
achieved growth
in January!

Washington Jaycees Glory Cruise

The 2006 Jaycee Glory Cruise aboard the Carnival Glory will set sail on October 14, 2006. We'll enjoy a fabulous seven day Caribbean itinerary aboard the largest MEGA "Fun Ship" from central Florida. This fantastic floating resort offers an incredible variety of entertainment areas, explore the tiered decks featuring four pools, seven whirlpools and a 214-foot waterslide.



Take a break for some delicious food in your choice of formal and casual eateries, including a reservations-only supper club. Enjoy the best nights of your life in the friendly casino and numerous nightspots. There's no end to the exciting activities and experiences. From relaxing lounges to Las Vegas-style shows, there's fun around every corner. The Eastern Caribbean itinerary takes you to the beaches, duty-free shops and water sports of Nassau. From there, you're off to explore two more tropical paradises: St. Thomas and St. Maarten.

The price is \$599.50 per-person for interior cabins. Price includes cruise accommodations, port charges, and taxes. Airfare, transfers and cancellation insurance are additional. Cancellation insurance is between \$90-120. Insurance is optional, but advisable. Carnival requires a \$25 deposit per-person to confirm, with a second deposit due 120 days before departure and final payment due 75 days before departure. Rates are based on availability and are subject to change. For more information, or to book now, call Andy Heitman at Time To Travel: 1-800-474-4545 or 636-239-3040.

www.washingtonjaycees.org



Club Social Schedule

March 3 - 1st Friday Social begins at the Washington Elks Club at 7 PM

March 10 - 2nd Friday Lunch at Marquart's Landing downtown at Noon

March 17 - St. Patrick's Day Pub Crawl for MDA. We will selling green and gold Shamrocks for MDA. Start at Elks at 7 PM.



March 25 - Night Bowling 9 PM

April 7 - 1st Friday Social begins at the Washington Elks Club at 7 PM

April 15 - Hockey Blues vs. Red Wings

April 14 - 2nd Friday Lunch at Marquart's Landing downtown at Noon

May 5 - 1st Friday Social begins at the Washington Elks Club at 7 PM

May 12 - 2nd Friday Lunch at Marquart's Landing downtown at Noon

June 2 - 1st Friday Social begins at the Washington Elks Club at 7 PM

June 9 - 2nd Friday Lunch at Marquart's Landing downtown at Noon

June 23 - Night Golf at Elmwood

Individual Development Schedule

February -- Marc Houseman with the Washington Historical Society

March -- Marcy with the American Cancer Society

April -- A trainer will talk about business and general etiquette.

April -- There will be an individual development training session. The topics will include Wills/Estates, Financial Planning and Budgeting.

May -- MO Eagle will give a training about liquor control at special events.



Watch the mail, you will be receiving a membership survey with a self addressed stamped envelope.

This is your chance to speak your mind and guide the chapter for 2006!



Wonderland Camp Work Weekends

March 31-April 2 & April 7-9

October 6-8 & October 13-15

A special camp for special friends!

www.wonderlandcamp.org

WONDERLAND CAMP

Charles J. Miller had a dream. It all started the summer of 1969 during a conversation with the director of the Woodhaven Learning Center, a school for mentally and physically challenged children in Columbia, Missouri.

His dream was of a residential summer camp on property he and his brother-in-law, Harry Brown, owned, located on the Lake of the Ozarks. A camp where the physically and mentally challenged could experience the exhilaration of outdoor living and play. A camp designed to match their needs and provide them with the safety with freedom to enjoy nature.

Meetings and discussions with concerned groups led to a meeting with the Missouri Jaycee Executive Committee. Mr. Miller told the Jaycees of his dream, and on May 17, 1970, the Missouri Jaycees voted to adopt the camp project. Mr. Miller and Mr. Brown donated their land; 35 undeveloped acres adjoining the Lake of the Ozarks with an additional 100 acres for nature trails and out camping. They named it Wonderland Camp and it was incorporated as a not-for-profit foundation.



Jaycee chapters throughout the state came forward to contribute. The Kansas City Jaycees provided the professional architectural and planning services. The Southern Platte Chapter took on half the cost and labor involved in installation of a well and pump. And Jaycee Chapters throughout the state gave liberally of their labor to build the facilities.

Although only a few buildings were completed, the camp was functionally sound and usable enough to welcome its first campers in the spring of 1972. By the August closing date 157 children and 83 counselors and staff had used and thoroughly enjoyed the new Wonderland Camp. Since the first small start, construction has gone forward. Facilities have been expanded to provide an outdoor camping experience for approximately 1,000 campers in 2001. The camp is still growing.

The mission of Wonderland Camp is to provide a fun, educational camp experience for mentally and physically individuals, to offer a respite from daily care giving for family members and health care workers and to provide and nurture a personal development experience for volunteers and staff.

"Today, Wonderland Camp serves as an ever-green program for the Missouri Jaycees and the camp experience best exemplifies the final line of the Jaycee Creed, "Service to humanity is the best work of life."
Gene Buxton, Jaycee

Wanna go on the Jaycee Glory Cruise for FREE?

Yes FREE!

The Washington Jaycees Board of Directors will pay up to \$599.50 for your cruise!

HOW YOU ASK?

Recruit at least 15 new local chapter members between January 15 and August 15, 2006 and your name will be put into a drawing for free passage on the Jaycee Glory Cruise, October 14-21, 2006. For every member you recruit over the initial 15 your name will be put in once per new member.

Example: Corny Corncobber recruits 17 new chapter members and his name is entered in the drawing 3 times for the

FABULOUS 7 DAY EASTERN CARIBBEAN CRUISE!!

Please inform the Board of Directors of your recruiting efforts, as we can supply you with Jaycee materials. Remember that you can always go to

www.usjaycees.org

for recruitment ideas and benefits to being a Jaycee - go get em'.

GOOD LUCK!!



October 14-21, 2006

Washington Jaycees

General Membership Meeting - February 16, 2006

Present: Marynell Ploch, Steve Tobben, Wayne Rice, Bryan Bogue, Bridgette Epple, Dave Barnhart, Tammy Carter, Cindy Combs, Danielle Epple, Kelly Blankenship, Brad Maune, Lara Eierman, Vance Thomas, and Charlie Busch.

Guests: Marc Houseman, Speaker; Todd Sauter, Region 5 District Director; and Allen Coil, Region 5 Director.

We opened with the Pledge of Allegiance. Marc Houseman was our scheduled speaker and he spoke about the Washington Historical Society and their purchase of the St. John's AME Church at Fourth and Walnut Streets. He updated the chapter on the history and what the society has done to date renovating the building. It will be used for document storage. On a side note the society has been holding all of the Washington Jaycees records that date back to 1952 (the beginning of the chapter). Marc asked if we would be willing to officially donate then to the society, then they would be able to archive and properly store the records. The chapter will vote on the donation of our records and if we will make a financial donation to this project at the March membership meeting. Marc was thanked for his time and the meeting began.

Chairman of the Board: Vance Thomas

Vance just returned from Louisiana a few hours before the meeting. He was welcomed home!

Treasurer's Report: Kelly Blankenship

Kelly stated that she was still waiting on dues payments from a few members. She also reminded us that we could submit our dues through PayPal. Go to www.paypal.com and the email address that you will submit the payment to is payments@washingtonjaycees.org Bryan will have a step-by-step process in the February Cobber. She also let us know that we have \$5,865.58 in the checking account.

Management VP: Bridgette Epple

She thanked the group for the wonderful comments on the January Cobber. The February Cobber will come out right after this membership meeting. She is still working on renewing our license with the FCC as well as filling out the paperwork for our liquor licenses. We will have finalized paperwork for our insurance at the March meeting. Bridgette sent a letter to Unnerstall & Unnerstall stating that we would like them to prepare our taxes for 2005. She will also send out postcards to remind members of the next membership meeting, March 16 at 7PM.

Individual VP: Tammy Carter

Tammy passed out a new survey for the chapter members to take; this will allow her to know what type of topics the chapter is interested in learning about. You can get the survey on the website at www.washingtonjaycees.org She contacted Chuck Marquart about a liquor training for events. He said he would be happy to help and would let us know of some good dates. We will be inviting other service organizations to this training. Allen told us that he knows of another Jaycee that is TIPS certified. He would be happy to help us as well. The Franklin County Humane Society would like the Jaycees help. Tammy will be planning some small events to raise money for them later in the year. In March we will have a speaker from the American Cancer Society. In April we are planning a Professional Development series. More information to come.

Community VP: Brad Maune

He reported that he is working on a community survey. Also he wanted to remind the chapter members that they are welcome to participate in all committee meetings. Please see the Cobber for all the dates.

Membership VP: Danielle Epple

Kenny Pinnell has not aged out - yeah! Danielle reported that we had three new members last month: Candise Carson by Danielle Epple, Cindy by Kelly Blankenship, and Mike Holtmeyer by Lara Eierman. She reported on a new mini-recruitment challenge. The first member to recruit a new member before March 10 will receive a personal CD player. These new members will also count towards your Glory Cruise recruitment challenge. She has planned an upcoming M-Night for March 10. Senators "Kramit" and Hudson will be on hand to liven up the night. This is the perfect opportunity to bring in prospective members to learn about what the Jaycees are and what they do. It will be held at the Elks Lodge at 7 PM. Please let Danielle know if you need invitations to give to prospective members. This is a great opportunity - - PLEASE bring a new member(s)! The chapter voted to adopt the new dues billing procedure that we discussed last month. It was motioned by Blankenship, 2nd by B. Epple and passed unanimously. Bryan wanted everyone to know that he is working on an Operations Manual as well.

Club Director: Charlie Busch

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President: Bryan Bogue

Bryan talked to the chapter about the state meeting at Tan-Tar-A. It was very informative and fun! The Washington Jaycees placed in 9th place for POC in the 3rd trimester and 10th overall in POC. Bridgette received a certificate for participating in First Timers at state. Bridgette also received a certificate for participating in Write-Up as well. Danielle received 2nd place over all in Write-Up! Bryan received 2nd place for his CPG on the Golf Tournament CPG. Allen presented a certificate to the chapter for the Monster Truck event for great management. The next state meeting is in May. Bryan passed around two letters: one from Downtown Washington, Inc. about the banners and the second from Dr. Julie Metzger thanking us for the year.

Radio - Bryan wrote a commercial about the cruise and the chapter in general. Danielle recorded it and it will run periodically. Tammy suggested running a commercial on M-Night-Danielle will take care of this.

Cruise w/the Blues - Meeting February 21 at 6PM at the DW, Inc. office.

Demo Derby - Meeting February 22 at 7PM at the DW, Inc. office. Some drivers will be in attendance. We will also be increasing the payout. The new date is June 3.

Relay for Life - Kelly reported the event will be June 9-10. It is the 10th Anniversary for Washington Relay for Life. To sign up for the Washington Jaycees team go to www.acsevents.org/franklinmo Click on Washington Jaycees on the right and sign up. The Washington Jaycees have a \$4,500 goal. Kelly will let the chapter know when the first planning meeting is.

Monster Trucks - Looking for sponsors. Sponsorship levels are on the webpage. Please let Brad know if you have any ideas. We will be raising the payout. We have two trucks booked so far Big Dawg and Bad News.

Stand Committee - Big pit to be fixed by Sahm for \$2600.

Jaycee Glory Cruise - Flights can be as low as \$39 one way to Orlando. Bryan will keep us up-to-date.

Blue Chip - Submitted to state.

Doors - Bridgette is working to get a bid on the new doors for the stand.

Radios - Danielle is working on this project.

Chapter polo's and pins - Chapter voted to purchase polo's and pins. Motioned by D Epple and 2nd by Maine. Orange embroidered polo's available for around \$20. Each chapter member will have to pay for their own polo up-front.

Lapel pins will ordered for \$2.10 a piece and the chapter will pay for these. Vance had an idea to use the pins like the military used their coins.

Wonderland Camp - We will be attending the work weekend, if you would like to attend please contact Bryan. We will donate plastic cups this year as well as writing them a check.

JAYS - Bryan will be writing a letter to the local principals.

Texas Holdem' - Marynell has volunteered to chair this event. Bryan will be getting back the poker chips from Bonnie Marquart.

Adopt-A-Highway - Bridgette will contact the Police & Fire Explorers about then cleaning the areas for a donation.

Project Graduation - Chapter voted to give \$100 a piece to the two high schools.

American Flags - Bryan will be sending out a sign up sheet to putting up and taking down the American flags. Bryan, Bridgette and Steve will take car of President's Day.

Pizza was provided by the chapter!

Attendance Prizes won by Danielle Epple and Lara Eierman.

Meeting ended with the Jaycee Creed.

Minutes Submitted by: Bridgette Epple, Management VP/Secretary

ELVIS PRESLEY

One of the Ten Outstanding Young Men of the Nation!

The United States Junior Chamber of Commerce (the Jaycees) named Elvis One of the Ten Outstanding Young Men of the Nation for 1970 in a ceremony on January 16, 1971, one of Elvis' proudest moments. This award has been given since 1938 and has honored men of achievement in all areas of endeavor - sports, government, science, medicine, entertainment, etc. It recognizes outstanding personal achievement and the exemplification of the opportunities available in the free enterprise system, along with patriotism, humanitarianism, and community service. The award is on display at Graceland. (In the 1980's, eligibility was opened to women as well as men, and the award has since been presented to the year's Ten Outstanding Young Americans.)

New Dues Billing Procedure

We are trying to simplify your life! *Starting with your Jaycees dues.*

At the January membership meeting the board proposed that we pro-rate dues this year so that everyone can pay their dues for 2007 in January. With this new policy you won't have to try and remember your renewal month. Your Jaycee dues are \$48 per-year or \$4.00 per month. At the February membership this proposal was voted on and passed unanimously.

Example: Corny Corncobber's renewal month is May. When May of 2006 comes around Corny will only be billed for May through December.

8 months x \$4 = \$32. When January of 2007 comes around Corny will be billed for \$48 for a full year.

Questions? danielle@washingtonjaycees.org

Community Development Dates

Be Informed...Get Involved!

Friday, March 10 at 7PM at the Elks Lodge M-Night

Tuesday, March 21 at 7PM at the DW, Inc. Office
Cruise w/the Blues Committee Meeting

These committees need Jaycees!!

Please call 636.239.0990 or email Brad Maune at
brad@washingtonjaycees.org



Region 5 Director, Allen Coil and Region 5 District 2 Director, Todd Sauter visited our February membership meeting.

PAYPAL INSTRUCTIONS

With PayPal, you can send money to anyone with an email address by simply signing up for a PayPal account. Go to www.paypal.com Click on the tab Sign-Up Now. Fill in your information. When you are logged into your account, click the Send Money tab. Then enter your recipient's email address and the amount you would like to send. The Washington Jaycees email address is payments@washingtonjaycees.org To fund the payment, add a credit card to your PayPal account. After reviewing the details of your payment, click the Send Money button. The payment will be sent directly to your recipient. Your recipient will immediately receive an email explaining that he has received a payment from you through PayPal. Questions? Call Bryan at 636-239-0990.

QUESTIONS? ASK CORNY CORNCOBBER

Dear Corny,

I recently joined the Jaycees and I am very excited about what I have heard about the year to come. How are our events funded and who do we donate the proceeds to? Signed: *Novice Jaycee*

Dear Novice,

We fund our events with a portion of the proceeds from previous events. An example would be the last Demolition Derby of 2005 will fund the first Derby of 2006, which will in turn fund Cruise with the Blues car show and so on. We donate a portion of the profit of each event to several local charities. Some of these charities include: Loving Hearts Outreach, American Cancer Society, St. Jude's Research Hospital, Back Stoppers, Exceptional Equestrians, and ECC scholarships local students, and many, many more. As you read the newsletter you will notice that we are doing a pub crawl for MDA on St. Patrick's Day. We are always open to finding new charities to help so if you know of an organization, please let us know.

Yours in Jaycees,
Corny Corncobber



By Corny Corncobber

Do you have a question for Corny?
Email your questions to
corny@washingtonjaycees.org
Or by snail mail to
P.O. Box 1266,
Washington, MO 63090





AMERICAN CANCER SOCIETY'S FRANKLIN COUNTY RELAY FOR LIFE



Who: YOU! We're looking for great people like you to walk to raise money to fight cancer!

When: Friday, June 9th, 2006 beginning at 6pm through Saturday, June 10th at 6am (approximate)

What: Each individual is asked to raise \$100 in pledges plus a \$10 commitment fee & walk to raise money (1- 1 1/2 hour time commitment at a minimum! Yet it is more fun if you stay all night with us!!

Where: Washington Fairgrounds, Washington, Missouri

For further details or to join, read on below or e-mail/call one of the people at the bottom!

WHAT IS RELAY FOR LIFE?

Relay for Life is a fundraiser to raise money to fight cancer and to raise awareness of cancer in the community. The event honors cancer survivors, and remembers those who have lost their lives to cancer.

WHAT HAPPENS?

During Relay, teams walk around a track to raise money for the event. We are looking to get a team of about 8 to 15 people together. Relay has a party atmosphere! We'll have entertainment including music, dancing, masseuses, games, food and prizes!!

Relay is a great way for companies to get exposure to many people in the area, an excellent way for volunteers to meet other people, and for people to unite to eradicate cancer!

WHAT WOULD YOU HAVE TO DO?

You could do to help this event by doing one of the following:

1. Walk/run at the event to raise money. If you are the member of a team, you'll be asked to collect \$100 from donors before the event and provide \$10 as your commitment fee.
2. Volunteer for planning the event or at the event. We need volunteers to make things go!
3. Make a donation to the cause... All donations are greatly appreciated.
4. Come out and participate! Once you see Relay For Life, you'll know why it means so much!

Feel free to contact the Washington Jaycees Team Captains:

Kelly, 2006 Event Chair kelly@washingtonjaycees.org

Tammy, 2006 Event Co-Chair tammy@washingtonjaycees.org

Check out our webpage at www.washingtonjaycees.org or call 636-239-0990

YOUTH EDUCATION SERVICES (Y.E.S.)

The Youth Education Support program is any project or program that assists a child's education. Many of you are already running this type of program and some of you may find the "need" to start a project in your community to assist with youth education.

Do monetary things have anything to do with self esteem?
Do some children attend school without supplies?
Do some children get "hand-me-down" clothes?
Do some children not have a winter coat?
Are shoes a sign of status?

If you answered YES! Then you recognize a need to conduct a project/program under the Jaycees YES! Program.

What kind of project/programs?

Jason Foundation - "A Promise for Life: Tomorrow"
Back to School Shopping Sprees, Supplies for Teachers
Coats for Kids Program, Outstanding Educator Program
Backpacks for Kids, School Supplies for Children
JAYS Program, Books for Schools (library), Jayteens, Scholarships, even Sports Programs

The Washington Jaycees will be working with Loving Hearts to provide backpacks full of school supplies for children in need in August of 2006. If you would like to participate in this new Washington Jaycees program please contact Danielle Epple at 636-239-0990 or feel free to email her at danielle@washingtonjaycees.org

Volunteer at the FC Humane Society!

It can be as easy as unfolding newspapers in the shelter or at home and laying them flat so that we have fresh newspapers that line the cages for the puppies and smaller animals. (Throughout the day papers are pulled in layers to keep the cages fresh and the animals clean. If the staff has to stop and do this chore, it takes hours before they can even begin to clean cages.)

You may choose to work in the shelter, holding, cuddling or walking the animals. This is a very important part of the mental and physical health care of the animals, and their gratitude is always evident in the way they look at you. It's also fun! Call 636-583-4300.

Some items on their wish list include: Cat litter -unscented plain clay; Small plastic litter pans ; Canned or dry food for dogs, puppies, cats & kittens (Purina Pro Plan, Iams, Science Diet); Stainless steel non-tippable water dishes; Kongs or nylabone chewing bones; Washable dog and cat toys; Used or new terrycloth towels and washcloths; Fleece fabric -beds for older dogs; Cat towers - a big custom-made one?; Newspapers (unfolded and flat). For more info check out their web-page at www.franklincountyhumanesociety.org

Need a new personal CD player?

The first person to recruit a new member for the chapter BEFORE March 10 will receive a personal CD player!
Call Danielle at 636-239-0990 or email her at danielle@washingtonjaycees.org

Chapter Polo's

The new chapter polo's are a bright orange with navy blue embroidery on the left chest area. They will cost each member about \$20. Please contact Bryan to order one at 636-239-0990 or email him at bryan@washingtonjaycees.org

Access Day at the State Fair

Access Day at the fair is a day when Missouri Jaycees host approximately 1,000 mentally and physicaly challenged guests at the Missouri State Fair in Sedalia. Jaycees welcome guests, assist them with registration, provide lunch and entertainment and help them around the fair. Many guests are from residential facilities throughout the state. For some, this is the only time they have the opportunity for an outing away from their facilities all year! Access Day is Friday, August 18.

Access Day Shirts are available for purchase. Small through XL are \$10 and 2XL-4XL are \$15. Get yours by calling the State Service Center at (573) 634-2321 or e-mail Executive Director Joe Jerkins at jjerkins@aol.com.

Full Front
Red, Black

Missouri Jaycees

Access Day at the Fair 2006



We live for
THIS!

Full Back
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Upcoming Dates

February 21 -- Cruise w/the Blues Committee Meeting
February 22 -- Derby Committee Meeting
March 2 -- Board Meeting
March 3 -- 1st Friday Social
March 10 -- 2nd Friday Lunch at The Landing
March 10 -- M-Night
March 16 -- Membership Meeting
March 17 -- St. Patrick's Day Pub Crawl
March 21 -- Cruise w/the Blues Committee Meeting
March 30 -- 1st Trimester Parade of Chapters
April 7 -- 1st Friday Social
April 14 -- 2nd Friday Lunch at The Landing
April 15 -- Hockey Game = Blues vs. Red Wings

Don't forget you can always get
chapter information
at our new website
www.washingtonjaycees.org

Newsletter Editor:
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Management VP
Ideas? Submit them to
bridgette@washingtonjaycees.org

**Next Meeting: Thursday, March 16
7PM at MO Eagle Distributing**

ADDRESS CORRECTION REQUESTED

