



BUSY BEE WINNIES NEWSLETTER

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The November meeting of the Busy Bees was held at Bill's Smokehouse in Independence. There were 23 members representing 15 coaches, 10 Honorary members, and three guests were present.



Honorary membership certificates were presented to Jan Walberbach and Tom and Jan Bailey.



Myrna Elliott wanted everyone to know that she has cancelled her home phone and now has only her cell phone number which is 515-232-2258. Please change your booklets.

The campout in June at Alden has required us to pay half of the \$45.00 fee that includes Thursday, Friday, and Saturday nights by January 1st of 2019. For those of you who did not attend the November meeting we need to know if you are planning on being there so we can reserve the sights. The club treasury will cover the fee and you can pay back the treasury in June. Please notify Sue Wiley as to your intentions Call 319-423-0811 or email at wileyfam@netins.net and she will pass along the information to Tom Bailey so he can make

arrangements. As of now the following coaches say they are attending; Airey, Brazzle, Cooper, Elliott, Harberts, Hustad, Meyer, Strong, Wiley.

The committee from the October campout shared that they did not need the \$5.00 donations that were given for the food. They asked if it would be agreeable to donate it to the Marshalltown Recovery Fund. Everyone agreed and the money will be sent to the Marshalltown Chamber of Commerce in Marshalltown.

A big thank you to Paul and Sheri Harberts for hosting the dinner, and the delicious cake and decorations.



The next Busy Bee Meeting will be at Cheryl Cooper's at the Mansion 4 Third St. NW, Mason City, IA at 11:30 am, April 6th, 2019. Each coach is requested to bring a salad or dessert to compliment Cooper's main dish. Please call her and let her know near the time that you will be attending her number is 641-423-5404 or cell 641-430-6014.

It's party time for the Busy Bees! Honorary Member Deanna Darrah will be moving to Adel in December. All the Busy Bees are invited to a luncheon at 11:30 am on Thursday December 6 at Z's Restaurant, 3937 W Airline Hwy, Waterloo, IA 50703. You may check out the location and menu on the internet. There will be a group card for everyone to sign. Please call Bonnie Loomis on her cell phone 319-240-9866 by Saturday,

December 1, and let her know if you can or cannot attend so she can make reservations. Deanna's new address will be 1920 Strauss Ave. Adel, IA 50003. Email DEDarrah08@gmail.com. We all wish her well and hope to see her from time to time.

We have new Honorary Members they are Clifton and Betty Lou Hyde. There is the information for your membership

booklets. WIT #113779 Clifton and Betty Lou Hyde 6307 33rd Ave Drive, Shellsburg, IA 52332. Phone



319-436-7210, Cell Phone 641-691-7816. Email address bhyde@fmtcs.com. Birthdays: September 8 – Clifton Hyde, November 19 – Betty Lou Hyde. Anniversary February 21, 1959.

Bob and I want to thank the Busy Bees for their prayers and notes of condolences. Those that do not know our Son-In-Law, Jeffery Martinak 43 chose to take his own life November 4. We are all still wondering why and what prompted this terrible act. There does not seem to be an answer. Everyone agrees that he seemed happy always a smile on his face, a great father of a 6 and 3 year old and a good husband. He worked for the gas company here in Ohio. Some of the crew and he went to Massachusetts for a couple of weeks to help with the gas explosion that involved I believe 7,000 homes, trying to get them all connected back up safely. He had just returned from there.

We are still in Ohio decided to stay until after Thanksgiving. We are trying to support and help Dana, Bob's daughter, with the children and doing Daddy do jobs for both of our daughters' families helping where ever we can. While here we got to go to Grandson, Anthony's College basketball game and watch him play. He attends Mount Union College. Attended the 3 year olds birthday party. Sure wish her daddy could have been there. I got to experience making Lefse for the first time with Sara and granddaughter Chelsea.

We want to wish everyone a Happy Thanksgiving and

safe travels to where ever you are going for the winter. Stay warm if you are staying home here in Iowa.

NOVEMBER BIRTHDAYS

4 Ervin Loomis
8 Jim Jacob
9 Paul Harberts
18 Marrlee Airey
19 Sharon Donahue
19 Clifton Hyde
26 Donna Petersen

DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS

10 Karen McNickle
29 Dick McNickle

NOVEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

9 Leslie (deceased) & Kathy Hunemuller
1947
23 Phil & Pam Perdock 1973
25 Lyle & Marrlee Airey 1956
25 Ken & Barb Pitt 1966

DECEMBER ANNIVERSARIES

22 Elmer & Liz Arends 1957

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