

FALL EDITION

JollyMon Times

A Newsletter for The Hanover Area Parrot Head Society

October 2013

Monthly Socials:

SCOZZARO'S STEEL CITY PUB
4797 York Rd, Rt. 30 W.
New Oxford, PA
www.Scozzaros.com
November 21
December 19
January 16
February 20

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Gettysburg, PA
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1ST WEDNESDAY:
November 6
December 4
January 1?
Date to be established
February 5

Coming Events:

October 18:
4th Hanover Costume
Scavenger Hunt

October 21:
Help for HART & Special
Olympics Golf Tournament

October 25 & 26:
Fat Chuck's Fall Classic
Golf Tournament

October 26:
Relay for Life Halloween
5-K Fun Run & Dance Party

November 22:
Hanover Holiday Parade
Welcoming Santa back to
The Cabin on the Square

November 23:
Road Clean Up
11:00 am, The Staub
residence, Littlestown

December 1:
Teddy Bear Toss Game at
Hershey Bears Hockey

December ??:
Gettysburg Santa Crawl

December 4 & 19:
Holiday Gift Exchanges

PRESIDENT'S PERCH

I hope you had a chance to enjoy some spectacular summer events put on by the Parrorheads. Just to name a few, Relay for Life and the famous Hanover Chili Cook Off. Thank you to the people who put on these events. Your hard work and dedication is much appreciated. Let's not forget all those who give their time to volunteer, we say "THANK YOU" we could not have done this without your support.

Autumn is here and the Apple Harvest Festival has come to a close. It looks like the first weekend could have had some record breaking numbers. Thanks again for all those volunteers that hung in there to staff the gates on both weekends. Like they say rain or shine or should we say floods or blustering heat. We all have to thank BeanMon for coordinating all of the folks needed to staff the gates for this event. The 4th Annual Hanover Halloween Scavenger Hunt will be held on Oct 18th. Hope you got your teams in place because the fun, games and questions will be in full swing. Now we will soon have our phlock off to The Meeting of the minds in Key West. Stay tuned for the stories coming out of that event, they always seem to be good ones, oh and so are the pictures! How do you think we remember what happened.

Remember, election of Officers for 2014 is coming up and we need nominations for each of the positions, at the next two meeting, this includes Queen of Crap. Then the voting will be held on Nov. 21st and Dec. 4th. The following meeting, we will announce your new board members.

Well before we know it the Holidays will be upon us, be sure to share it with loved ones whether they be family or phriends!



Debbie Zetman

THE SANTA CRAWL IS COMING



The Santa Mafia is ready to ROLL, Ho, Ho, Ho!

Get those ugly Christmas sweaters out of moth balls or visit a Thrift Store for a "new" one and join the parade through the streets of Gettysburg!

CHILI COOK OFF REPORT

ZOMBIE HOTPOCALYPSE A SUCCESS!!!

In case you were locked in your safe room packing for the Zombie Hotpocalypse, the 18th Annual Hanover Chili Cook Off took place on Labor Day Sunday September 1, in Chili City, PA. The day was hot and muggy, in keeping with the invasion of world class chili cooks and fans of this community fund raising event.

Many members of The Society were among the 350 Volunteers that were needed to staff this amazing event. The Committee thanks you all but, you all need to thank the folks who planned the day: Society members: Bill & Bridget Seidler, Scott Pivoris, Jason Miller, Matt Shamer and the BeanMon plus Dorrie Miller (Hanover Borough),



Lisa Kane (Guthrie Memorial Library) and Tom Huffnagle (owner of the Winners Circle). Each of these folks spent hundreds of hours working to make the Cook Off an even better experience.

All of this effort has paid dividends for nonprofits in the Hanover area with the news that over \$50,000 will be available for donation to our selected charities!

The Chili Cook Off has about 1,780 "likes" on FaceBook. Are you one of them? Please join us! Our goal is to have 3,000 plus by the Cook Off 2014. Every "hit" adds value for our potential Sponsors, which means more dollars for our selected local charities!

And, oh yes, we have koozies, a few growlers and 2013 shirts still available as well. **CHILI JOHN**

TEDDY BEAR TOSS

The Hershey Bear Teddy Bear Toss is Sunday December 1ST. Tickets are \$20 arranged by Angie Staub Please let Angie know if you are interested in going at astaub211@aol.com she needs all interested to pay for the tickets in November.

For those of you who may not be familiar with this event, stuffed animals are thrown onto the ice by the fans when the Bears score their first goal. Our goal this year is to take 2,000 stuffed animals, we will need help transporting and throwing stuffed animals onto the ice. The toys are donated to Penn State Hershey Children's Hospital.



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RELAY FOR LIFE 2013

DECADES OF HOPE: THE 50's

The rain put a damper on things but keep in mind it was nothing compared to what our loved ones go through when diagnosed with cancer. The Relay for Life Team: 2013 reached our highest donation amount ever. We had three teams registered this year: Hanover Area Parrot Heads, Hanover Parrot Heads / Barb's Angels, and Hanover Parrot Heads/Bermudian Jaycee Angels. The teams combined to donate over \$45,292 to the American Cancer Society. This doubled our original goal of \$20,000. We reached the **Topaz** level and were recognized as the **number one fundraising team**. Team member, Madison Leer, was recognized as the **#1 Individual Fundraiser** for doing a Mini Relay as her senior project at Bermudian Springs High School. It brought in over \$20,000 towards our total.

Between the 3 teams we had 132 registered walkers. We also had some non-registered walkers, like our faithful Smalley and Spook who did those rainy early, early morning hours to give the rest of us a break. It was also a special treat to have back our past Chairs, Brian and Jody Harker, a great help with the event.

As usual, we put up some lovely decorations with our *Decades of Hope 50's* theme. We were rockin' and rollin' against cancer in our pink tie dye shirts and poodle skirts. Thanks to our painters, Kim & Kirsten Shull, Kere, Ringo, Carol Horton, Lori & Bobby, and the fun loving crew from AERO Energy/TimBar: Joyce Miller, Jessie Weaver and Janice Smith. A special thank you goes to JT for supplying us with food and drinks. It was a worthwhile effort, we earned **Best Site Decorations** again! Thanks also to all those that came out to tie dye our 131 shirts in one day. Everyone looked great in pink. Also, thanks to our crew that helped set everything up at Relay: JT, Jeff, Gerry, Bill and their helpers.

We also had a surprise Flash Mob song and dance to honor and entertain the survivors before their lap. Kristy Petterman choreographed dance moves to Closer to Free. We represented The Society well! Thanks to all our dancers and sign holders.

It was great seeing all Sponsors recognized on the flashing sign facing the field. Our sponsors were Denny's - \$3,000, Leer Photography - \$2,000, Anesthesia Associates of York and AERO Energy - \$1,000, and our \$500 supporters S & S Floor Covering, Brookmere Wine and Tasting Room, Moon Dancer Winery, TropiGal, Boneyard BBQ, Bay City Restaurant, Bermudain Jaycees, Hanover Area Parrot Head Society, TimBar Packaging and Weiser's Orchard. Thanks also to DJ Breeze-Mon for support of the Mini Relay and the Wine Tasting events, and Deanna Zartman and Sandi Calvert for their Thirty-one fundraising and Connie and Emily Morris for their Origami Owl donations, as well as Amanda Morris with her massages. It's the best thing after a long event to have Amanda massage your feet. She has great fingers. Also, a big thank you to Carol

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- Either upload the photos to the folder using the web uploader button or dragging and dropping the photos to the page

When you are done, send email to Deanna: mazdagirlie09@gmail.com and Janine: j9carlson@embarqmail.com, let them know the name of the folder you just added. They'll review your photos and post them to the Society website.

SAINTS OF SUDS :

WHEN THE SAINTS GO MALTING IN

by **The Brews Brothers** (Steve, Frank and Arnold Meltzer)

How did important religious personages become the patron saints of suds? The bishops of brewers? The apostles of ale? Both universal and local Saints have reportedly performed miracles, either during their lives or afterwards, that involved the working class people and beer. Other saints were designated because they represent beer producing and consuming regions. Centuries ago beer was the daily drink of the people, both because plain water was often polluted and due to beer's inexpensive, nourishing qualities. Monks brewed beer for themselves as a safe source of hearty sustenance. Monk's meals were frugal at best, particularly during fast periods. However, consumption of liquids did not break the fast. Without widespread hotel chains, monasteries served as inn's for travelers who shared the monk's provisions, especially their robust, sustaining beers. Eventually, the monk's were able to also sell their beers at pubs called *klosterschenken*, and a flourishing trade developed. To build brand loyalty, the names of the monastery's patron saint was used. To this day many beers bear the name of a saint.

The procedure which the church uses to name a saint, called canonization, has only operated since the tenth century. Prior to that, since the first century, saints were chosen by public acclaim. While this may have been fairer to the general public, it included information that was both legend or fictitious, and eventually the Vatican assumed the authority for approving saints. Among the patron saints of brewers, four are extremely well known: Augustine of Hippo, Luke the Apostle, Nicholas of Myra (also known as Saint Nicholas, or Santa Claus) and the Good King Wenceslas, the latter two also providing a linkage to the winter season of merriment.

Augustine of Hippo, now part of Tunisia (born 354 AD, died 430 AD) was known for wild living and significant alcoholic beverage consumption prior to his conversion. His complete turnaround and life of moderation contributed to his becoming a patron saint of brewers.

Nicholas of Myra, Turkey is believed to have lived in first half of 4th century, and died between 342 and 350 AD. St. Nicholas is associated with the legend of the Three Clerics, a drama about 3 church scholars who stopped for lodging at an inn, where the innkeeper slew them for their money. A disguised Nicholas invoked God's help to resurrect them and, by doing so, became a protector over travelers and brewers.

Saint Luke (first century) is widely regarded as a patron saint of brewers although there is no obvious reason. Possible connections include his being a physician and knowing that the beer of the time was healthier than the water of the time, and his ability to mix various herbs together for medicines just as they were mixed for beer.

St. Veronus reported to be a patron saint of Belgian brewers, does not appear in the church liturgy. St. Veronus, the patron saint of Lambeek, a town famous for a unique style of beer, is a local saint who gained national appeal.

Saint Wenceslas (b. 907, d. 929) promoted the spread of Christianity in Czechoslovakia. Wenceslas became famous through a Christmas carol by J.M. Neale, "Good King Wenceslas", which has little to do with history but more with Victorian ideals. Because Bohemian hops were so valued, Wenceslas ordered the death penalty for anyone caught

exporting the cuttings and obviously endeared himself to the local hop growers and brewers. He became the patron saint of Bohemia and Czechoslovakia and his crown became the symbol of nationalism for the Czechs. By extension he became a patron saint of Czech brewers. There also was King Wenceslas II in the 13th century, who convinced the Pope to revoke an order banning the brewing of beer, again endearing the Wenceslas name to local brewers.

King Gambrinus is revered by many brewers as a patron saint. According to folk tales, Gambrinus was King of Flanders. Reputed to have invented hopped, malt beer, the legendary Gambrinus may have actually been Jan Primus (John I, 1251-1294), Duke of Flanders, Brabant, Louvain, and Antwerp. Primus, according to the Encyclopedia of Beer, is credited with introducing the toast as a custom. Some others attribute Gambrinus to Jean Sans Peur (John the Fearless, 1371-1419), known as Ganbrivius. Although there is no evidence of him among the church listings of saints, Gambrinus, called the "King of Beer", continues to be celebrated by brewers as a patron saint.

Probably the best known Irish saint after Patrick is Saint Brigid (b. 457, d. 525). Known as "the Mary of the Gael," Brigid founded the monastery of Kildare and was known for spirituality, charity, and compassion. St. Brigid also was a generous, beer-loving woman. She worked in a leper colony which found itself without beer, "For when the lepers she nursed implored her for beer, and there was none to be had, she changed the water, which was used for the bath, into an excellent beer, by the sheer strength of her blessing and dealt it out to the thirsty in plenty." Brigid is said to have changed her dirty bathwater into beer so that visiting clerics would have something to drink. Obviously this trait would endear her to many a beer lover. She also is reputed to have supplied beer out of one barrel to eighteen churches, which sufficed from Maundy Thursday to the end of paschal time. A poem attributed to Brigid in the Brussel's library begins with the lines "I should like a great lake of ale, for the King of the Kings. I should like the family of Heaven to be drinking it through time eternal."

Saint Amand (b. 584, d. 679) primarily operated in the regions now considered northern France and Belgium. He established a score of monasteries, many of which probably produced beer. Considered the father of Belgian monasticism, he is associated with the centers of wine growing and beer brewing. Because of his reputation for hospitality, Amand also is a patron saint of beer and wine merchants.

Another patron saint in Belgium, Arnold of Soissons (b. 1040, d. 1087) is specifically considered the patron saint of hop pickers.

Following the collapse of the roof of an abbey brewery in Flanders, the good Saint Arnold of Soissons asked God to multiply the stores of beer which were left for the monk's consumption. When Arnold's prayer was answered in abundance, the monks and townspeople were prepared to canonize him on the spot. While Arnold of Soissons is best known for his miraculous provision of beer, he is also credited with a most practical improvement upon the brewing process. While weaving bee skeps for the abbey's apiary, the abbot realized that the straw cones could be used as a filter to further clarify the brother's beer. In remembrance of this contribution to the brewer's art, the good saint is often portrayed--as on the certificates of the Belgian Brewers Confederation--in the company of bees with one hand resting upon a bee skep.

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Arnold of Soissons also is considered the patron saint of hop pickers because of the region in which he preached. Hops originated in Brabant region of Belgium. They became more widespread when a Belgian princess married a Kentish prince and the dowry included land across from the Affligem brewery. Belgians reportedly sent the first hops to England for use in making beer.

"Don't drink the water, drink beer" warned Saint Arnold of Metz (b. 580 AD, d. 640), concerned about the dangers of drinking impure water. He believed that the polluted water caused illness, while the boiled and processed water used for beer was a safer alternative. According to legend he ended a plague when he submerged his crucifix into a brew kettle and persuaded people to drink only beer from that "blessed" kettle. He is reported to have said "From man's sweat and God's love, beer came into the world".

There are multiple versions of a tale about his providing beer to the people. The story is told of porters moving his body after building a tomb for his relics/bones for people to visit. A tired porter overcome with heat uttered a plea to God for a cool refreshing beer. No sooner had this request been made than copious amounts of cold beer shot out of the casket they carried, drenching all and quenching their thirst.

The third Saint Arnold connected to beer is Arnou of Oudenaarde. St. Arnou's main claim to beer fame is that he successfully appealed to God for cold beer for the soldiers to drink during a battle in Flanders in the 11th century. Certainly a person we would want on our side. He also is said to have been able to multiply beer into vast quantities through blessing and prayer.

Saint Benedict (b. 480, d. 547), the father of Western monasticism, is best known for establishing the Benedictine order and monasteries, and for a set of rules which defined the standards for life in a monastery. These rules, which were followed by most European monasteries, included providing for visitors or passersby who would eat or drink what the monks did. Eventually many of these monasteries sold their beers to the public, and retained the names of the saints from the abbeys.

Saint Boniface of Mainz (b. 680, d. 754) is also known as Wynfrith or Winfrid. He was born in Devonshire, England but spent most of his religious life teaching and preaching in Germany, especially in the areas of Bavaria, Thuringia, Franconia, and Hesse where he founded a number of monasteries. He became a patron saint of Germany and, by extension, of brewers.

A missionary to the Germans in the areas near the Lake of Zurich, St. Columbanus (b. 612) came upon an assembly of pagans making ready a sacrifice with a large tub filled with beer in their midst. He asked them what they intended to do with it and they answered that it was an offer to their god Wodan. St. Columbanus blew upon it (possibly with a beer breath), and immediately the vessel burst into splinters with a great noise and all the beer was spilled. The barbarians were surprised, and said he had a strong breath. He then explained to the assembled that they were wasting good ale and his God loved ale, but only when drunk in his name. He exhorted them to forsake their superstitions and return to the faith. Many were converted and baptized; others, who had been formerly baptized, and had apostatized, returned to the obedience of the gospel. He is known for saying "It is my design to die in the brew-house; let ale be placed to my mouth when I am expiring so that when the choir

of angels come they may say: 'Be God propitious to this drinker.'"

Hildegard von Bingen (b. 1098, d. 1179) was a benedictine nun, the Abbess of Diessenberg, and a well known herbalist, mystic and musician. Although she has not yet been canonized, she has been beatified and is considered a saint by many people. Hildegard was a highly enlightened woman who overcame social, cultural, and gender barriers and became an advisor to bishops, popes, and kings. She used the curative powers of natural objects for healing, and wrote treatises about natural history and medicinal uses of plants, animals, trees and gemstones. Her writings include the earliest known reference to using hops in beer "(Hops), when put in beer, stops putrefaction and lends longer durability."

Saint Lawrence (d. 258) was an archdeacon of the Roman church during the reign of Pope Sixtus II in the third century. According to the Brewery Museum in Bamberg, Germany, which has Lawrence as its patron saint, his putative method of martyrdom is the reason for his relationship to brewers. Lawrence was strapped to a gridiron and slowly roasted over an open flame. This made him a patron saint of various occupations that use fire including cooks, bakers, innkeepers, laundresses, and firemen. Brewers have a particular affinity for Lawrence because his method of martyrdom reminds them of how malt is dried. In Bamberg, the brewers' guild required young brewers to carry his likeness in processions and make donations to the church on his feast day. Saint Dorothy (d. 311) of Cappadocia, now part of Turkey, is another patron saint of brewers who was similarly tortured by being stretched on an iron bed over flames.

For many centuries, brewers have invoked the names of patron saints to bless and protect their beers. Since the early brewing process was not well understood, often times the batch of beer was not fit for drinking. The poor quality was mystically blamed on evil spirits and specifically on "brew witches" or "beer witches." The last known burning of a beer witch was in the late 1500s. Now that we have vastly improved beer quality, when you quaff your next pint, consider the saintly company with which you are associating and who may be looking over you. May the Saints bless your pint.

SPEAKING ABOUT BEER – WATCH THIS



Guv finds his house plumbed with beer

www.youtube.com/watch?v=Jazrx4tBFo&feature=youtu.be

LAW OF BIOMECHANICS:

The severity of the itch is inversely proportional to your reach.

GUMBO QUIZ: WHO WROTE IT?

By: Lou Mancano, Berks County Parrot Head Club

Every Parrot Head knows that Jimmy Buffett is a great songwriter. He also has a knack for recording excellent songs written by other artists. Match the Buffett recording with the songwriter. Note that all choices are writers who have had at least one song of theirs recorded by Jimmy Buffett. For the answers, turn to page 8, don't peek!

1. Why Don't We Get Drunk

- a) Michael Smith b) Bobby Holcomb
c) Marvin Gardens d) Matt Betton

2. Biloxi

- a) Will Jennings b) Jesse Winchester
c) Frank Loesser d) Michael Utley

3. Stars on the Water

- a) Rodney Crowell b) Bobby Holcomb
c) Art Neville d) Ralph MacDonald

4. Brown Eyed Girl

- a) Dave Loggins b) Steve Goodman
c) Mac McAnally d) Van Morrison

5. Coast of Marsailles

- a) Michael Utley b) Tom Corcoran
c) Keith Sykes d) Diana Haig

6. Ballad of Spider John

- a) W. A. Ramsey b) Bobby Holcomb
c) Will Jennings d) Marshall Chapman

7. Rhumba Man

- a) Jesse Winchester b) Harry Daily
c) Michael Smith d) Deborah McColl-Berry

8. California Promises

- a) Dan Fogelberg b) Steve Goodman
c) Brian Wilson d) Ralph MacDonald

9. Everybody's Talkin'

- a) Jay Oliver b) Will Jennings
c) Fred Neil d) Frank Loesser

10. Lovely Cruise

- a) Diana Haig b) Michael Utley
c) Timothy B. Schmidt d) Jonathan Baham



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HISTORY LESSON

The earliest known photograph of men drinking beer from Edinburgh, Scotland about 1844. Do they have cell phones?



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Taco Bell expects over 15,000 jobs to be created due to their new product offerings. ALL of them plumbers!

THE LOVE THAT DARED NOT SPEAK ITS NAME, A BEETLE & A BEER BOTTLE

Robert Krulwich NPR News, June 19, 2013

It was early September — that's springtime in Western Australia — and two young biologists, Dwayne Gwynne and David Rentz, were on a field trip, wandering dirt roads near the highways, looking for insects, when one of them noticed a loose beer bottle lying on the ground — not so unusual in the Dongara region, where Australians zooming by often launch beer bottles from their car windows. This particular bottle was a "stubby," squat, 370 milliliters, colored golden brown.



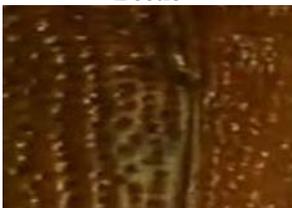
When the two looked more closely, they saw something extra, hanging on the bottom end. It was a beetle, and it was fiercely gripping the glass. They shook it, and it wouldn't fall off. It wanted to be there.

Looking even closer, they recognized it as an Australian jewel beetle, and looking closer, they noticed it had (as they wrote later) its "genitalia everted — attempting to insert the aedeagus," which is a very polite way to say they were looking at a beetle attempting to mate with a glass container. Clearly, this was a very confused individual. But then they found three more stubby beer bottles, and on two of them, surprisingly, were more male beetles, also "mounting" their bottles. That makes three frustrated males.

Hmmm. That got them interested. So they wandered about, found four loose stubbies, and placed them side by side on open ground where they could be seen by any male beetles flying overhead. "Within 30 minutes," they wrote later, "two of the bottles had attracted beetles. In total, 6 male beetles were observed to mount the stubbies. Once on the bottles, the beetles did not leave unless displaced by us."

More surprising, Gwynne and Rentz found one beetle hanging onto his bottle even while "a number of ants" were busy biting "the soft portions of his everted genitalia" — and still he stuck to his business. This was not just a pattern, this was a mission. What, the two scientists wondered, could explain these beetles' superallegiance to Australian beer bottles? It wasn't the beer. These males didn't gather at the spout end, and the bottles, the scientists said, were long dry.

Beetle



Bottle



The answer became obvious when they got a close look at a female Australian jewel beetle. Females, as it happens, are golden brown. They are big — much bigger than the males. But most important, they are covered, as you see here, with dimples, little bumps. Australian beer bottles at the time (this happened in the 1980s) were also big, also golden brown, and down near the base they also had little bumps, arrayed very much like the bumps on a female jewel beetle.

Clearly, Gwynne and Rentz, the males were unable to distinguish between beer bottles and lady beetles. They thought — or rather their inner wiring told them — they were mating. This is what biologists call "an evolutionary trap." It's what happens when birds, turtles, moths, beetles, all kinds of animals, wired to respond to certain cues in nature, bump instead into human inventions and get confused. They try to do the right thing — like having a little baby beetle, and end up spending hours scraping glass. When sea turtles finish laying eggs on beaches, they look for moonlight over the ocean. The light tells them which direction leads back to the sea. Hotels with big lights on their end of the beach can confuse mother turtles, making them go the wrong way. Some hotels now douse their lights when sea turtles come to lay their eggs.

There are so many examples. Farmers in the Midwest used to put red insulators on their electric fences. Hummingbirds thought they were red flowers. If they touched the wire with their beaks, they died. The insulator company, when it realized what was happening, stopped using red paint, and farmers eventually substituted not-red models. As the world gets more crowded, some humans are learning to try — at least some of the time — to be less of a nuisance to other animals.

That, happily, is how our jewel beetle story ends. When beer companies in Australia learned that their bottles were having a discernible effect on the population of jewel beetles — so many males were spending useless hours fornicating, often dying under the hot Australian sun and leaving no heirs — the companies decided to change their bottles. The little bumps were eliminated to be replaced by smooth glass, the beetles lost all interest in bottles, and life in the Australian west — at least beetle life — went back to normal.

The problem is, this problem doesn't end. Humans keep inventing things. Animals keep bumping into these things, sometimes with very unhappy results, and we have to keep correcting our mistakes. That's one reason we've been given the big brains, I suppose, to help us undo the many things we've done when didn't even know we were doing them.

REPEAT AFTER ME:

I promise to be different-----

I promise to be unique-----

I promise not to repeat what others tell me to say-----

OKTOBERFEST = BIERLEICLE



There is a quaint word in German that is often seen in action during Oktoberfest. The word bierleicle is roughly translated to mean "beer collapse"

CLOWN TERRORIZES TOWN



By CAROLINE LEE, UPI.com

Boris the Clown Catcher has stepped up to save the day as Northampton, England residents are terrorized by another clown. Someone known as the Northampton Clown, is dressing up as a clown and creeping out the residents of Northampton. A Facebook page has been launched for the clown, where locals can discuss Northampton Clown sightings and post pictures. Some have reported that the creepy clown says, "Beep, beep," when it approaches people, a line from the Stephen King miniseries "IT" that features a child-killing clown. Others have said that he knocks on windows and then stands there, silently. Some residents have said that the clown is part of a publicity stunt for an annual haunted house called Dr. Fright's Night. A man claiming to be the clown commented on the "Spot Northampton Clown's" Facebook page to deny the claims. "I 'haven't' been knocking on houses and asking to paint window sills," the clown wrote on Monday. "If what i am doing does get too much for people, I will have to stop." "I'm also 'not' apart of Dr Fright's Night for those interested," the person wrote. "But it seems to be promoting them and others which is great!" Northampton Police said that they had received three calls over the weekend related to people dressed as clowns, and issued a warning for people dressed like clowns and acting suspiciously. So far, there have been no clown-related arr

TALKING ABOUT CLOWNS:

NO ANIMALS WERE INVOLVED

We can always count on the York Fair to make some great national news! Just happy no animals were involved this time... AP Report - "Pennsylvania police said a minivan with two clowns inside crashed outside the York Fair... The minivan was also pulling a trailer with a clown car. Police said the driver, 83-year-old James B. of York, also known as 'Dimples the Clown,' suffered a minor bump on the head. His passenger clown, 77-year-old Norman C. of York, was unhurt. Police said 'Dimples' was wearing clown shoes but the oversized footwear apparently didn't play a role in the crash."

SEABOARDS COASTAL ART

(EdNote: Christmas is coming, view the entire catalog at seaboards.net)

This is a Great Coastal Mirror.

Aged & Distressed Sail White Background with a Nautical Green Border on the Inside and Outside. The Colors on this Mirror are Fantastic...The Pictures do not capture the Brightness and Crispness.

Beautifully Aged and lightly Distressed with a Pier Brown undercoat . Frame is made of Cedar and the grain structure sanded out perfectly. Beveled Glass is 16" x 20".

This is a Beautiful Coastal Piece.

NOTE: THIS MIRROR CAN BE ORDERED IN ANY COLOR COMBINATION AT NO ADDITIONAL CHARGE. EMAIL FOR COLOR PALETTE.

As with all of my Signs...This Piece is All Hand Painted, Sanded and Nicked for that great Coastal Feel.

Mounting Hardware is attached to the back for hanging.

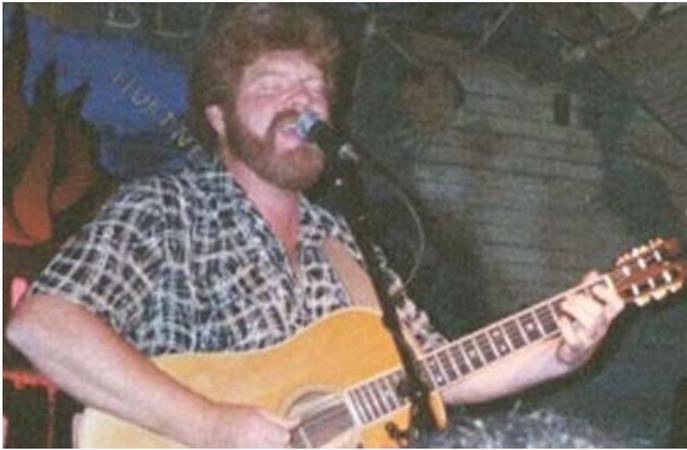


HOLLYWOOD SQUARES

Q. If you're going to make a parachute jump, at least how high should you be?

A. Charley Weaver: Three days of steady drinking should do it!

CONGRATULATIONS TO MAC



Mac McAnally has again been nominated for CMA's Musician of the Year! Mac has been the reigning CMA Musician of the Year for the past four years. Voted on by CMA members, the 46th CMA Awards will air on Thursday, November 1st at 8pmET. Congratulations Mac!

GUMBO QUIZ: THE ANSWERS

From page 5. Scoring, we all want to know how:

10 – 7: You know your composers!

6 – 5: Almost an expert!

4 – 3: Consult those album jackets!

2 – 0: So you thought Jimmy wrote them all? HA!

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| 1. C - Marvin Gardens | 2. B - Jesse Winchester |
| 3. A - Rodney Crowell | 4. D - Van Morrison |
| 5. C - Keith Sykes | 6. A - W.A. Ramsey |
| 7. A - Jesse Winchester | 8. B - Steve Goodman |
| 9. C - Fred Neil | 10. D - Jonathan Braham |

IGNOBLE RESEARCH AWARD WINNER

PROBABILITY PRIZE: Bert Tolcamp [UK, the NETHERLANDS], Marie Haskell [UK], Fritha Langford [UK, CANADA], David Roberts [UK], and Colin Morgan [UK], for making two related discoveries: First, that the longer a cow has been lying down, the more likely that cow will soon stand up; and Second, that once a cow stands up, you cannot easily predict how soon that cow will lie down again.

YOU GET MORE THAN YOU GIVE!

A 2010 survey of 4,500 adults by United Health Care and VolunteerMatch.org found that the majority of respondents felt that volunteering:

- ♥ Made them physically healthier (68%)
- ♥ Gave them an improved sense of well-being (89%)
- ♥ Lowered their stress levels (73%)
- ♥ Provided an enriched sense of purpose (92%)
- ♥ Led to a more positive work attitude (when the volunteer service was through their employer's efforts) (75%)

Couldn't we all use a little more of all of those benefits? What do YOU get back from your giveback time?

POSTCARDS - APPLE HARVEST: 2013

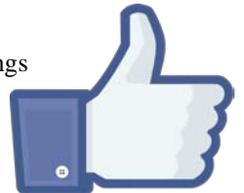
We survived the heat and the monsoon of this year's Apple Harvest Festival. Despite the challenges of the weather, members represented The Society well staffing the admission gates and have some fun as well. Below are a few of the memorable "postcards"



- ☛ Did you see Gimli the dwarf's cousin?
- ☛ Ah, behold the infinite variety of the human form.
- ☛ Do you want a "cinnamon apple" hand stamp?
- ☛ If I go in & use the ATM, do I have to come back for my wife?
- ☛ Doug's "ice tea" warms the throat, Ron's warms the belly
- ☛ I can't find a place for the stamp with all your tattoos!
- ☛ Dave Burdette "What Township is this?" Gerry "Here's a map"
- ☛ From a 6 year old after a trip to a well used potty: Mommy, it smells like s&!# in there!
- ☛ Must be game time, the satellite dish is up at the teepees.

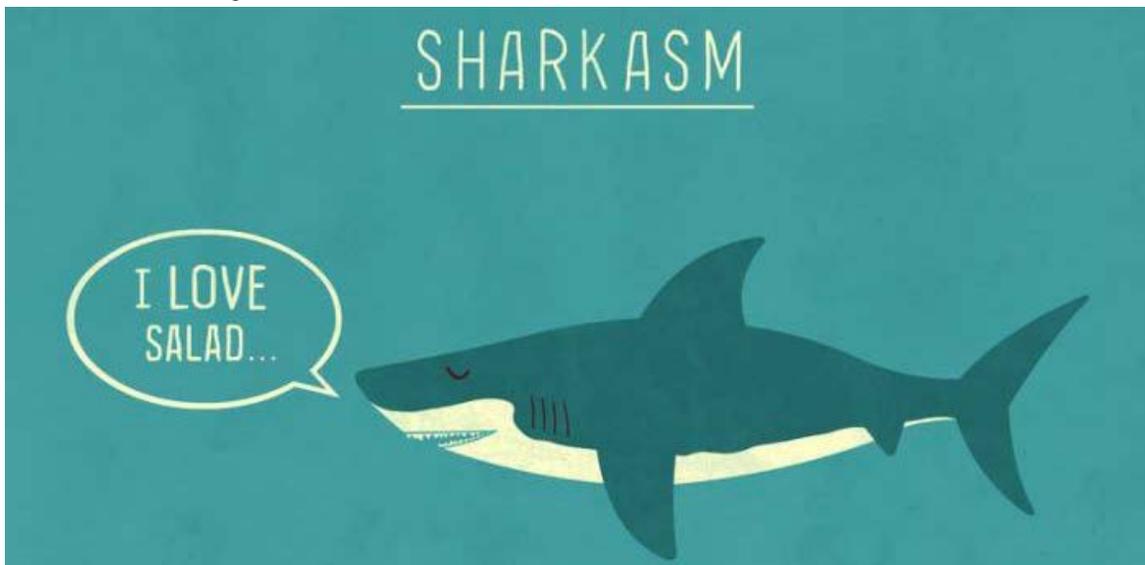
PHiP IS ON FACEBOOK

If you want to keep up with the latest doings in the Parrot Head world, you can read about a lot of events on the Parrot Heads in Paradise official Facebook page. Find and "like" the page at PhiP, Inc on Facebook to read about events and club doings



One day you will wake up and there won't be any more time to do the things you've always wanted. Do it now!

Paulo Coelho



HAPPY BIRTHDAYS:

October

- 17: Kandie Raubemstine
- 19: Olivia Tassou
- 23: Donna Whitmoyer
- 25: Pete "Ringo" Lombard
- 25: David Lee

November

- 2: Kent "K2" Warner
- 2: Elaine Hamburg
- 5: Jill Keller
- 9: Don Brough
- 9: Scott Pivoris
- 11: Cindy Neville
- 11: Melanie Gist
- 18: Bill Caldwell
- 25: Lori DeGroft
- 28: Gabby Emeigh
- 30: Lois Bittle
- 30: Nickie James

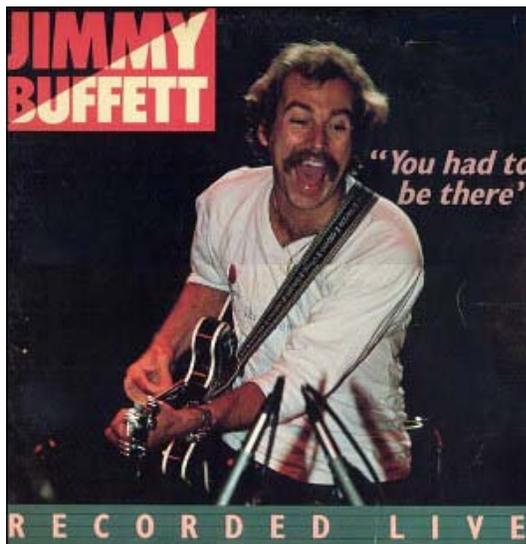
December

- 2: Sandy Reid
- 6: Tammy Emeigh
- 7: Steve Shatto
- 10: Reese Shamer
- 12: Ken Henson
- 13: Mark Housman
- 14: Tim Emeigh
- 15: Arne Edgecomb
- 20: Evey Feeser
- 24: Dana Berry
- 25: JB himself
- 28: Brian Harker
- 28: Deb McDonnald
- 29: Beth Burdette
- 30: Ken Henson
- 31: Kim Brough

January

- 5: Fat Chuck
- 3: JT Trostle
- 10: Frank Gebhart
- 11: Ken Crowther
- 14: Zack Staub
- 16: Doug Kelley
- 18: Steve Hood
- 18: Tammie Edgecomb

We're
growing
older, not
up!



YOU HAD TO BE THERE

(EdNote: Usually referred to as Jimmy's best live release, the 2 LP disk You Had to be There, was released **35 years ago** on October 2, 1978. This is Buffett playing for the love of his music; it doesn't get better than this! It was the "Cheeseburger in Paradise" tour but that song *was not* included, HUH?)

Jimmy's Album Liner Note:

This album is dedicated to anyone in the United States and Canada who has paid good money to see this show. Thanks for helping me live my life like a song. There's nothing to this show bizness gig. After twelve years and ten albums I enjoy remembering some of the moments in the history of Coral Reefer madness that still make it fun:

The morning in San Francisco when I found a chandelier in Fingers' bathroom sink and drug him out of bed to help me rehang the goddamn thing; the night at Kiawah Island when Harry discovered the new religion of Naked Hall Meditation; when Jay Spell introduced Martin Mull to braille centerfolds; when Buttrey polished off a magnum of champagne during a Central Park concert and finished the evening by attempting to drop-kick his snare drum into the monitor board; the night Deborah and Fingers did their impression of Ike and Tina Turner in a Holiday Inn near Billings, Montana; the time Barry decided to redecorate the interior of a Chrysler Cordoba in Sacramento; the afternoon I decided to take the bus for a spin near Wrightsville Beach to find some beer; or just yesterday in London, when they gave all our suites to Gladys Knight and the Pips.

I could go on for hours telling stories but I guess... you had to be there.

Jimmy Buffett wasting away in London. 8/30/1978

Note: To all avid lyric fanatics: you may or may not notice that some verses and phrases on these records are not the same as the original version. I can only blame that mishap on an over-indulgence in Mount Gay rum and an over-abuse of poetic license. Hope you enjoy the new versions. – J.B.

Some people give time, some money, some their skills and connections, some literally give their life's blood.... But everyone has something to give.
Barbara Bush

NAKED AND SCARED?

There's a haunted house in Pennsylvania that's figured out the one thing that scares us more than all the crazed clowns, spiders, zombies, skeletons, and chainsaw-wielding maniacs.

What you're really afraid of is . . . how you look **BUCK NAKED**.

It's an event called Shocktoberfest in Sinking Spring, Pennsylvania, where they are daring people to walk through one of their haunted houses completely nude.



It's called **The Naked and Scared Challenge**.

The haunted house still has the usual array of people jumping out to scare you . . . only now you're facing them without any clothes on.

The people behind the haunted house say you don't have to worry about a bunch of people staring at you naked . . . since it's completely dark in the haunted house and only people who are allowed in there with you are also naked as a jay bird. So you're running through the house with a bunch of other naked people you don't know in the dark... kinky.

The haunted house will open in a week. Nude tours will be after the park closes at midnight, but if you think nude is not the right option for you, they will let you walk through with your underwear on for the "prude" option earlier in the night. A fully clothed option is always available during normal business hours as well... **STIFF** security will be enabled so there won't be any funny business during the nude tour. No problem.

COMING SOON:

TO A STORE NEAR YOU

Just in time for Christmas, shirts, shorts & undies!

MÈNOPOSTALE

HALLOWEEN

HIP GEAR FOR THE AGING BOOMER

THE CODE:

Around 1750 BC, the "Code of Hammurabi" was established in Babylonia. This law regulated only one aspect of the operation of taverns and inns. Specifically, it ruled that any proprietors who served watered-down beer would be put to death. How? They would be drowned in their own poor quality beer! What foresight for the craft beer movement!

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OUR MISSION:

To provide a social environment for those kindred spirits who enjoy the sounds and perspectives of Jimmy Buffett's music. In doing so it is **The Society's** goal to bring a little bit of paradise to the Hanover area through participating in community service activities and supporting environmental causes.

A CHARTERED MEMBER OF:



BECOME A "FRIEND"



SOCIETY LOGO MERCHANDISE

NEW STUFF:

- ✓ Cup Koozies for your red solo cups: \$3.00
- ✓ Bag Chairs in orange, pink, green & purple: \$25.00

STUFF ON SALE:

There are limited quantities of some of these items! Check with Bean-Mon for special discount pricing.

- ☉ Green "work" Shirts: \$10.00 S thru 3XL
- ☉ Wide variety brand name men's and women's shirts, a few long sleeve a few wind shirts: S, Med, L and XL \$20.00 to \$30.00.
- ☉ Long sleeve T-Shirts, S, M, L, 3XL \$15.00
- ☉ Polar fleece scarves, black only \$10.00
- ☉ Ball Caps in many colors: \$10.00
- ☉ "Sun Burst" style tie-dyes in green, yellow and purple: \$15.00 S, Med, Lrg and 3XL
- ☉ Society logo auto plate: \$10.00
- ☉ Orange "hoodie" sweatshirts \$20.00 S to 3XL
- ☉ Wind shirts: \$20.00 L, XL
- ☉ Orange sweatshirts 3X: \$20.00
- ☉ Fat Chuck Bumper Stickers: \$2.00
- ☉ Yellow "work" Shirts: \$10.00 S thru 3XL
- ☉ Society Logo beer mugs: \$15.00

Nobody realizes that some people expend tremendous energy merely to be normal.
Albert Camus

THE BREEZE-MON

After a long Summer long run of performances and deck parties (not to mention that little 150th Anniversary of the battle of Gettysburg thing) our "founding member" DJ Breeze-Mon is taking some well deserved time off over the next few months but still has a few shows still to play.

October 26: Relay for Life 5K Run after-party 12:00 to 2:00

November 16: Immaculate Conception School Fund Raising Dance Party

Let's all stand up and give our "Summertime Super Man" a standing ovation for laying the foundation of this amazing organization and creating so much fun for so many folks of all different feathers!

WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST MEMBERS:

Jim & Denise Slee	Alan Mahone
George & Barb Zeigler	Melanie Gist
Brad & Mona Church	Connie Cassella

Keets:

Anna, Tommy & Joe Cassella
Riley Slee