

# Wise Fox

June, 1992

Monthly Newsletter of the Foxboro Jaycees

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## FOUNDERS' DAY JUNE 13

### What About Bob?

*A Message from our President*

Fellow Jaycees,

For myself and the rest of the new Board of Directors it has been a very busy four weeks since the installation Banquet. Everyone is getting their feet wet in their new positions, preparing for Founders' Day, and still trying to concentrate on our planned year work. At this point in time we are very close to completion of our Board approved budget for next year. With a few finishing touches, we feel that we will be bringing a budget to the June GM that looks so good it will surely pass in less than 20 minutes ....in my dreams!!!!

To go along with the budget, we are also working on a planned year calendar. We are going to be setting target dates for all of our regular projects through May of '93. The calendar will be printed on a large poster that will be available at all GMs. This will supply potential project chairmen with dates that they can use for early panning and allow members to plan ahead for future socials.

I have been in contact with the PTO Calendar Committee to find out about all of next years' school vacations and holidays to make our planning easier. I will be submitting to them a list of all of our GM and

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### Dates To Remember This Month:

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| GM Meeting        | June 10 |
| Founder's Day     | June 13 |
| Fathers' Day      | June 21 |
| Board Meeting     | June 24 |
| Wise Fox Deadline | June 28 |

### HELP !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

If you haven't already been contacted by one of your fellow Jaycees, you will be. The first two weeks of June are turning out to be an extremely important and busy time for the chapter.

Our new Ways & Means Veep is *All Shook Up* over the many projects being conducted on Founders Day and he needs your help. If you haven't already committed yourself to a time slot for F Day, please contact one the chairpersons mentioned in John's report (before he commits himself).

Meanwhile, our new Membership Veep is all *AGLOW* over her plans to outdo last years Membership booth at the Booth. Invite any prospective members to join in the activities. Then, steer them toward the neons of Teresa's Membership Booth.

As I write this, our new IDVP has a collection of carpenters and other such skilled labor trying to figure out what that thing in his garage actually is. With any luck, his IDea will FLOAT!

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### Congratulations Tom Sawran

1992 Key Man

1992 Frog of the Year

## Fathers' Day Essay Contest To Be Held

The annual Fathers Day Essay Contest is underway and this year's chairman Mark Emery has every thing under control. Watch for the winning entries to be published in fine publications like this and the Reporter (or both).

### MONTHLY AWARDS - MAY 92

Project of the Month: Pancake Breakfast

JAYCEE of the Month: John Zarrella

Frog of the Month: Ed Groh

*Congratulations!!*

## Founders' Day (continued)

Later in the day (F Day), Teresa will be passing on her left over glow to hubby George and his crew of Glow Stick salespersons who will be canvassing the pre-fireworks crowd. This is probably a good time to throw in a plug for the concert I will be MCing on behalf of the Union Church starting at 7:00 PM and leading up to the fireworks. The concert will feature a contemporary gospel group called HOSANNA!

And if you thought June was just Roses & Founders Day, you are sadly mistaken! The June GM is one of the most important of the year. The Planned Year Budget will be presented, hammered and eventually passed and, if we can muster up a quorum, the revised By-Laws will be passed AND, just so we know what we're doing, Bill Byrnes will give a little lesson in Parliamentary Procedure. In order to ensure a record turnout for this exciting GM, there will be FOOD!

## What About Bob? (Continued from Page 1)

Board meeting dates. I also spoke to them about including some of our "bigger fund raising and community events"; i.e., Pancake Breakfast, Haunted House, Santa on the Common, etc.

I'm really hoping for a good turn-out at the June GM. We have a lot of business to take care of! In addition to the budget, we will have Bill Byrnes giving a few pointers on "Parliamentary Procedures" (something we all could use!!) and we are hoping to get our updated By-Laws approved. Tom Sawran and the By-Law committee have put months of work into this document. By now, everyone should have their sample copy. Please take a look through it and if you have any questions, give Tom a call. **We need a quorum** (it's in the By-Laws) at the GM to get it passed, so put **June 10th** on your calendar!!

See you all at the GM!!

PS. The meeting is at 7:30 P.M. and the Meetings and Programs chairwoman promises good eats!!!

*Bob Webster,  
President*

## New Officers Installed

The Annual Installation Banquet was held on May 2 at the Foxborough Country Club. The Food was delicious and, as usual, a fun time was had by all! The new "First Lady" did a wonderful job bringing this event together.

The new officers is as follows:

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|-------------------|-----------------|
| Bob Webster       | President       |
| Fred Badger       | Board Chairman  |
| Peter St. Laurent | CDVP            |
| Tom Sawran        | IDVP            |
| Teresa Devlin     | Membership VP   |
| John O'Neill      | Ways & Means VP |
| Mary Marshall     | Secretary       |
| Sandy Emery       | Treasurer       |

The new Directors are:

|                |              |
|----------------|--------------|
| Gordon Wilhelm | ID           |
| Mark Emery     | CD           |
| Kathy Badger   | Ways & Means |

The banquet was highlighted by the Presentation of this years annual awards culminating with the 1992 "Key Man" Award and the recitation of the Jaycee Creed.

# Community Development

Peter St. Laurent - Vice President

## Jaycees install new officers

The Foxboro Jaycees hosted the organization's 32nd annual installation banquet last Saturday at Foxboro Country Club.

Bob Webster was installed as the group's new president while outgoing president Fred Badger was sworn in as chairman of the board.

Others newly installed officers included: vice presidents, Tom Sawran, Peter St. Laurent, John O'Neill and Teresa Devlin; secretary, Mary Marshall; and treasurer, Sandy Emery. This year's area directors are Gordon Wilhelm, Mark Emery and Kathy Badger.



**HOME TEAM** — Bob Webster, newly elected president of the Foxboro Jaycees, presents a check for \$1000 to Frank Penney, president of Foxboro Youth Baseball. The money will be used to construct a new ballfield at Cocasset River Park.

(Photo by Frank Mortimer)

## Raceway is shaping up as a class act

To the editor:

Last week, the Foxboro Jaycees were visited by two guest speakers from Foxboro Park. Dan Bucci, the general manager of the raceway and Craig Sculos, his director of communications, spent an hour with us at our May 13 general membership meeting. They put on an informative presentation that included descriptions of the vast renovations in progress, their plans for the future, and a brief lesson in handicapping. The Jaycees were so

impressed with their talk that we are already planning a "Race Track Night" social in June to get a firsthand look at the new operation.

I would, again, like to thank Dan and Craig for taking the time out of their busy schedules to come and talk with us. I am sure that if the new Foxboro Park is anything like these two gentlemen, it will indeed be a class act!

Bob Webster, president  
Foxboro Jaycees

CHAIRPERSON - John ZARRELLA.

# Ways and Means

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John O'Neill - Vice President

June 1992

Welcome to the Wonderful World of Ways & Means.

Founder's Day is less than 2 weeks away & we're knee-deep in preparations for the June 13th date. With 5 separate booths, not counting Mr. Glowsticks(George Devlin), we have our work cut out for us.

Kathy Badger is chairing the Chicken B-B-Q, Lauren Bitar is wearing the Cotton Candy, I mean weaving the Cotton Candy again(sorry Lauren), Mark & Sandy Emery are the King & Queen of the Hot Dog Stand, Peter St. Laurent is the man with the Sausage...Stand, that is and last but not least, Teresa Devlin will be searching for young blood(or atleast middle-age blood) with her Membership Booth.

With so many projects going on in a single day, we NEED all the manpower we can muster. Please mark June 13th on your calendar & let me know if you can help out in any way.

The Mansfield Jaycees have asked for our assistance in working the 1992 Concert & Football Regional Concession Stands. We as a chapter need to provide atleast 5 bodies(no more than 8) for each scheduled event(there are approximately 17 scheduled events between now & December 27th). A chairman is needed to coordinate our concession workers. Please let me know ASAP if you are interested. There are some SUPER concerts coming to the stadium this season, & you could be right smack-dab in the middle of it. Thanks go out to George Devlin, Frank Fitzgerald, Tom Sawran & Jane Webster who worked the recent GENESIS Concert, on very short notice.

That's all for now....

As Elvis once said: "The world's a stage & each must play a part."  
What part will you play this month in the Foxboro Jaycees?



# Community Development

Peter St. Laurent - Vice President

## FOUNDERS DAY FLOAT----T.SAWRAN

TOM HELD A COMMITTEE MEETING ON MAY 22ND TO ESTABLISH A THEME AND DRAW UP A BLUEPRINT FOR THE CONSTRUCTION. AS WE PROCEED CLOSER TO JUNE 13TH, ANY ONE INTERESTED IN TAKING PART IN THIS PROJECT CONTACT TOM SAWRAN FOR DETAILS. HE IS LOOKING FOR CONSTRUCTION PERSONNEL AS WELL AS PARADE PARTICIPANTS

## NATIVITY SCENE REPAIR----THE BRENNANS

AS OF JUNE 6 THE NATIVITY FIGURES HAVE BEEN TRANSPORTED TO THE STATE SCHOOL. WHILE THERE, THEY WILL UNDERGO MAJOR RECONSTRUCTION AS REPAIR. THE BRENNANS REQUEST THE TALENTS OF CARPENTRY, PAINTERS, AND EVEN A BODYMAN SPECIALIZED IN FIBERGLAS REPAIR. THIS IS A GOOD PROJECT THAT WILL GET THE SCENE IN GREAT SHAPE AND WILL LAST FOR MANY MORE SEASONS

## FATHER'S DAY ESSAY----M.EMERY

MARK HAS SENT LETTERS TO THE TEACHERS AND HAS ESTABLISHED A COMMITTEE TO REVIEW ALL ENTRIES. STAY TUNED FOR THE WINNING ESSAY.

## CONCERT ON THE COMMON----CHAIRPERSON NEEDED

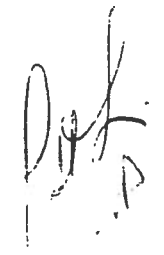
THIS EVENT IS SCHEDULED FOR AUGUST 9TH. I HAVE READ THE CPG THAT MARY MARSHALL HAS SUBMITTED AND THE PROJECT NOT ONLY GIVES EXPOSURE FOR LOCAL TALENT, IT ALSO ENABLES THE JAYCEE ORGANIZATION TO RAISE MONEY WITH REFRESHMENTS AND A RAFFLE WHICH ALL PROCEEDS WILL BE DONATED TO A FOXBORO PROGRAM OR ORGANIZATION. LAST YEAR WE GAVE A CHECK TO BOYDEN LIBRARY. IF YOU HAVE AN INTEREST WORKING WITH MUSICIANS, FOXBORO TOWN OFFICIALS AND LOCAL RESIDENTS, CONTACT ME ASAP !!!!!

## ST. MARY'S BBQ DONATION----P.HOWARD

AT THE MAY GM, PAUL WAS ALLOCATED \$80.00 TO COVER THE RENTAL COST FOR A GRILL WHICH WAS USED AT THE ST. MARY'S BBQ FOR PINE ST. INN. IF YOU WERE UNABLE TO STOP BY ON SUNDAY JUNE 2ND, I CAN REPORT, IT WAS A HEART WARMING EVENT AND I LIKE TO THANK PAUL AND THE GM FOR HELPING MAKE THIS EVENT A SUCCESS.

## TREE REMOVAL----P.HOWARD

AT THE JUNE BOARD MEETING, PAUL ASKED THE MEMBERS TO ALLOCATE 50.00 FOR A ELDERLY LADY TO HAVE A DEAD WILLOW TREE REMOVED FROM A HAZARD LOCATION. THE MONEY WAS APPROVED AND PAUL WILL HAVE A FINAL REPORT AT THE JUNE GM.



# Foxboro Jaycees - 32nd Annual Installation Banquet

May 2, 1992

## AWARDS

### I. APPRECIATION AWARDS

Chairman - Tim Kennedy  
IDVP - Ed Groh  
CDVP - Bob Webster  
Membership - Linda Brennan  
Ways&Means - Tom Sawran  
Secretary - Elaine Fullerton  
Treasurer - Jane Webster  
Directors - Pete St.Laurent  
Mary Marshall  
Karen Apgar  
John Zarrella  
Wise Fox Editor - Maureen Kelly  
Meetings&Programs - Sandy Smith  
Publicity - Kathy Badger

Outgoing President, Fred Badger displayed special thanks to his wife Kathy by presenting her a dozen white roses.

### II. Individual Development Project of the Year

The 30th Anniversary Banquet, chaired by Glenn Shepardson.

### III. Community Development Project of the Year

Project Head First, chaired by Geri Ayres.

### IV. Ways & Means Project of the Year

Christmas Trees Sale, chaired by Pete St.Laurent.

### V. Membership Project of the Year

July New Membership Orientation, chaired by Linda Brennan.

### VI. Director of the Year

Presented to Sandy Smith for her efforts on Meetings & Programs.

### VII. Officer of the Year

Presented to Bob Webster for his accomplishments as CDVP.

### VIII. New Project of the Year

Project Head First, chaired by Geri Ayres.

IX. Chairman of the Year

Pete St. Laurent for his management of the Christmas Trees Sale.

X. Rookie of the Year

Geri Ayres.

XI. V.P. Membership Award

This award is given to the member who has recruited the most members for the year.

The 1991-1992 winner is Fred Badger.

XII. Frog of the Year

Won by Tom Sawran for his bloopers.

XIII. 1992 Key Man

This special and prestigious award was earned by Tom Sawran. Tom was selected for all the time, effort, and caring he put into the 1991-1992 year. Many thanks to Tom.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Mary Marshall

FOXBORO JAYCEES  
GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETING

May 13, 1992

I. INTRODUCTIONS

Introductions were made around the room.

II. SECRETARY'S REPORT - M. Marshall

All mail has been picked up and delivered. Mary announced the appointment of Dennis Brennan as the 1992-1993 Wise Fox Editor. Linda Brennan accepted the appointment for Dennis.

The issue of Associates voting rights were brought forth by President, Bob Webster. Bob asked for an Associate member to have the power to vote on all Jaycee issues with the exception of the By-Laws. The motion was accepted and passed.

Motion to accept Secretary's report - second - passed.

III. TREASURER'S REPORT - S. Emery

The Treasurer's report was available at the meeting. Sandy noted that a member's anniversary date is presently being published in the Wise Fox. If there are any discrepancies, please contact the Treasurer.

The Pancake Breakfast project still has items to settle.

Motion to accept Treasurer's report - second - passed.

IV. GUEST SPEAKERS - Foxboro Park

Dan Bucci, General Manager and Craig Sculos, Media Relations.

We had the pleasure of listening to two members of the Foxboro Park. Opening Day is May 27, 1992. Other information is as follows:

- There will be three types of parking: general, preferred \$2.00, valet - \$3.00. Seating capacity will be 8100. Minors are not allowed.
- Two hundred days a year there will be racing: 125 harness days and 75 thoroughbred days. Ten races per night. Stall capacity on opening day will be 700 and the future plans are for 1200.
- There will be various seating options: grandstand, boxes (24), and private boxes. The Foxboro Park also plans to beam in the Big Event Fights for no additional charge.
- Dan and Craig stated that the Town of Foxboro will receive 1/4 of 1% of every dollar that is wagered.



- The organization will be employing 1500 people from the Greater Norfolk County area.

V. INDIVIDUAL DEVELOPMENT - T. Sawran

Tom announced the appointment of Jane Webster as the 1992-1993 Meetings & Programs Chairman. Jane accepted the appointment.

The June GM will be the Budget Meeting!! Please plan on attending. This year the meeting will begin at 7:30pm. From 7:30pm - 8:00pm a course on Parlimentary Procedures will be conducted by Bill Byrnes.

A Publicity Chairman is needed If any is interested in this year's appointment, please contact Tom.

Socials -

1. John O'Neill and Teresa Devlin are planning a "Seventies Night" at Camp Lincoln Hill. John said that it would be in the summer and that more information will be coming.
2. George Devlin is the chairman for the Pawsox night. George will report back with more information.
3. A night at the races will be chaired by Jane Webster.

Volleyball - Paul Kelly reported that volleyball is going strong and will go to the end of the school year. A breakup party is being planned.

JC Apparel is still available. Golf shirts are \$15.00 and hats are \$5.00.

Installation Banquet/Final Report - Jane reported that we came in under budget thanks to the numerous members who donated their talents. A total of 46 people attended. The food and service was excellent. Bob Webster announced that Tom Sawran won a special award at the "After Party" for leaving at 5:00AM.

The Second Annual Regulars vs Associates Softball Game - This will be held at the July GM and co-chaired by Fred Badger and Bill Byrnes.

By-Laws - Tom Sawran reported that the By-Laws will be brought to the June GM for approval. Please bring your questions and concerns to the meeting.

CPR Training - Sue Kennedy will be chairing this project. Sue will get back to us with dates and times.

An August Clambake has been set as a project. This will be an adults only. A chairman is needed. Anyone interested in chairing this project, contact Tom.

Motion to accept ID - second - passed.

## VI. COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT - P. St.Laurent

Founders' Day Float - Tom Sawran stated that Belgian horses will be pulling our float. A steamer JC style will be constructed. A sign up sheet was passed around.

Nativity Scene Repairs - The Brennan's have set the weekend of May 30 to begin repairs. Strong bodies are needed - anybody is needed. For more information, call the Brennan's.

Mother's Day Essays/Final Report - Karen Apgar reported that all the winners were happy and proud (as were their parents).

Father's Day Essays - Mark Emery stated that he is starting to form a committee. A letter will be going out to the schools.

Baseball Donation - John Zarrella reported that the check has been presented. The field has the diamond down and is being used for practice games.

Concert(s) on the Common - chairman needed. Anyone interested in chairing this project, please contact Pete.

Motion to accept CD - second - passed.

## VII. WAYS & MEANS - J. O'Neill

John commented that with the growing number of new special needs, he plans to establish several new W&M projects. Anyone with ideas on how the Chapter can raise additional money, please contact John.

Founders' Day Activities - June 13

1. BBQ - Meetings are being held every Tuesday night at the Badger's. The tickets will be ready the week of May 18.
2. Hot Dogs: Going great.
3. Cotton Candy: Searching for a plastic dome.
4. Sausage Stand: The food will be ordered soon. Help is needed the day of the event.
5. Glow Items: Four teams of two people will handle the sale. The Items will be ordered real soon.

Motion to accept W&M - second - passed.

## VIII. MEMBERSHIP - T. Devlin

Handbook - Linda Brennan reported that work is still being done.

Fred Badger won the gift certificate for the most recruits.

Founders' Day Booth - This will be conducted the same as

last year. A picture board will be setup displaying our accomplishments. Anyone who has pictures, please contact Teresa Devlin. Any perspective member who joins and pays will be given a free T-Shirt.

Motion to accept Membership - second - passed.

IX. OLD BUSINESS

Fred Badger reported on a round table discussion hosted by the AAUW. The purpose was to discuss what roles various associations play in the community.

Motion to accept Old Business - second - passed.

X. NEW BUSINESS

Foxboro High School Golf Team - Chris Iannello stated that the team is in need of money. A scholarship game will be held on June 22. The High School is looking for organizations to sponsor tees. Chris asked the Chapter for a \$100.00 appropriation to sponsor two tees. Motion to accept - second - passed.

The State Boards are May 15-16.

JOTS will be held in early June at Camp Lincoln Hill. All Board Members are encouraged to attend.

Bob Webster is developing a year calendar that will identify all current projects and socials. This will help in planning any new activities.

The Chapter has received a donation from a Massachusetts company in the form of a computer and printer.

Motion to accept New Business - second - passed.

XI. MONTHLY AWARDS - B. Webster

Project of the Month: Pancake Breakfast, chairman Jane Webster. Good work Jane.

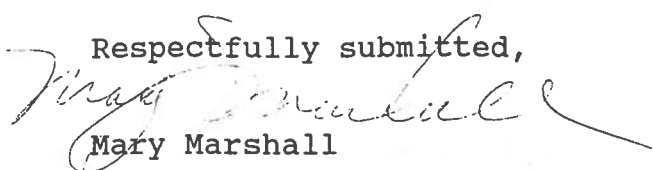
Jaycee of the Month: John Zarrella.

John has been involved in the Pancake Breakfast, Second Grade Basketball Clinic, and the Baseball Donation. Thanks John!

Frog of the Month: Ed "It's Only A Game" Groh.

Ed received this for his outstanding accomplishments in pool. Ed plans to appeal, stay tuned.

Respectfully submitted,

  
Mary Marshall

# Membership

Teresa Devlin - Vice President

Fellow Jaycees...With the month of June upon us, I'm finally getting my "Membership Act" together. Updating the Jaycees look with those bright new fluorescent colors in the way of brochures, looking into fluorescent T-shirts for the ladies, searching everywhere for the mysterious sandwich board, sorting through an entire box of Jaycees Membership material and placing these materials into binders, and following up on those people who expressed an interest for more information at the Pancake Breakfast are to say the least some of the things I've been attempting!!!

## MEMBERSHIP REFERRAL CONTEST

The next time you're out at a party, standing in line at Shaws, at a PTA Meeting, or at the Booth Playground pass the word on about us! The person with the most referrals during this 92/93 year will be rewarded a restaurant gift certificate! To help facilitate you I'll be passing out new cards that should fit nicely in your wallets!!!

## MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

I need your help and creative assistance! I would like to have 2 committees. The first Membership Committee would run June - December and the second Membership Committee would run January - May. The committees will address Membership goals, advertising, the Membership Drive, etc. A sign-up sheet will be pass around.

## FOUNDER'S DAY MEMBERSHIP BOOTH

Glow with the Jaycees is this year's Membership Booth theme. So...tell all those potential members to come out and look for us. It won't be hard to miss because the sandwich board, it is being updated in fluorescent colors, fluorescent brochures, and fluorescent T-shirts!!! Once again, the chicken bar-b-que tickets are also available here. Anyone signing up as a member with payment on that day will receive a "Jaycee T-shirt."

\*\*\*Thanks for all your support and I'm looking forward to a year of many new members!!!



# Individual Development

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Tom Sawran - Vice President

JUNE 1992

This Jaycee year is starting very quickly with many great projects already underway and/or planned for the summer. Grab your calendar right now - you'll want to record these dates.

Since Founders Day is the next big date, please be sure to get hold of Ed Groh (543-3250) for your Jaycee hat and shirt to wear while helping at one or more of our many booths and activities at the Booth Field of June 13.

The Founders Day float is under construction, with work going on nightly at 84 Central Street. Call me (543-0087) or stop by any night to lend a hand or check out the progress.

We'll try to run C.P.R. training before the end of June. A date should be set by the June G.M. so if you haven't already signed up, please call Sue Kennedy (543-7093). Sue should have the latest European techniques to include in the program this year.

Jane Webster (543-6959) has a night at the new Foxboro Park racetrack planned for June 27. I understand we will get free admission and reservations for restaurant or pub dining. This night should be so exciting that C.P.R. training may be a prerequisite!

The annual Associates vs. Regulars softball challenge is set for the July 8 G.M. Gametime set for 6:30 with a cookout and meeting to follow. Contact managers Bill Byrnes (698-0326) Associates, or Fred Badger (543-9447) Regulars, to schedule your tryouts or to secure reserved box seat tickets for the game.

This year's clam bake is scheduled for August 22 and will be chaired by Fred Badger. Fred is planning to hold the event at Camp Lincoln Hill. Save that Date!

Other upcoming/planned activities include: The volleyball breakup party date will be announced by Paul Kelly at the June G.M. George Devlin is planning a trip to see the Pawsox, likely to run in July. And, John O'Neill has suggested a seventies night. More details to follow on these events.

Karen Apgar has agreed to serve as our Publicity chairman for the year. Any project chairman who needs help getting scheduled dates publicized in the Reporter or elsewhere can call Karen for some help. Karen's other primary duty will be to maintain a scrapbook of the publicity we receive in the community to assure we are getting coverage of all of our activities.

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# Individual Development

Tom Sawran - Vice President

The June G.M. will be an important administration night for the Chapter, with three important activities to occur.

First, Bill Byrnes will lead off with a brief overview of Parliamentary Procedures as they apply to the operation of our business meetings. So if you don't know the difference between a budget "hold" and a "call to move the question", plan to come early and become informed.

The Planned Year Budget will be presented, discussed and voted on at this meeting. The Board promises an interesting and ambitious plan for the year, so let's make it official and get to work!

Finally, the newly updated Constitution and Bylaws will be voted on at this G.M. Please bring your own copy which you either received at the April G.M. from me or from John Freudenburg by "hand delivery wxpress". Also, please call me in advance of the G.M. if you have any questions, recommendations, revisions, etc., so that we may proceed with the vote in as organized a fashion as possible (yeah, right). While the discussion of ~~these~~ Bylaws is open to all members, please remember that in accordance with our existing Bylaws, only Regulars members in good standing (Dues Paid) may actually vote.

See you all on June 10!



Thomas Sawran I.D.V.P.