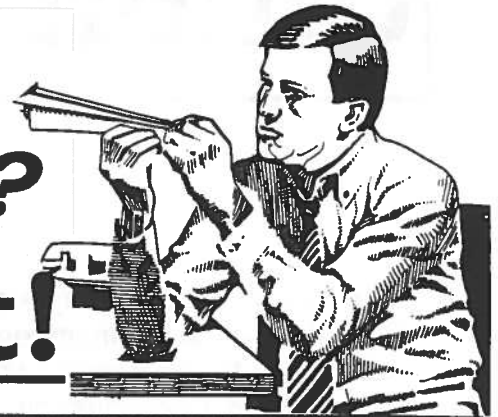


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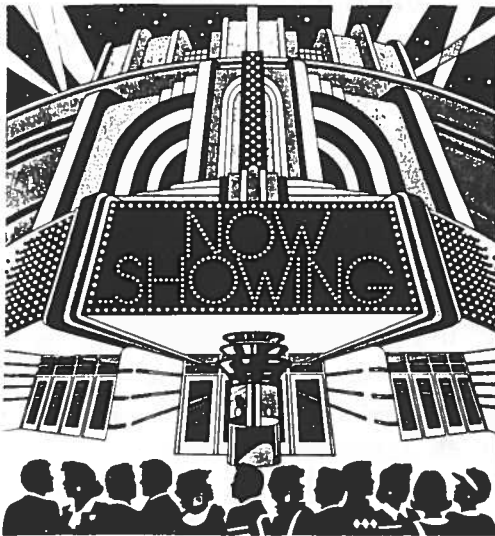
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*It's February and
time for the Blahs??*
Absolutely Not!



Stay busy with some of the many Jaycee
wintertime projects



VALENTINES GALA

VOLLEYBALL

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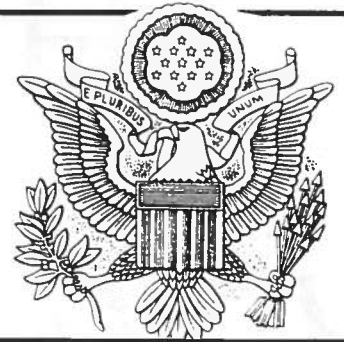
SCAT NIGHT

FIRST AID
TRAINING

COMEDY NIGHT



The State of the Union Address



I would like to begin my report this month by thanking all of the members and the Board of Directors for your support and enthusiasm throughout my pregnancy. I would like to especially thank **Chris Hebert** for stepping in at the December board meeting and the January G.M. while I recovered from giving birth. Bill, Nicholas and I are extremely lucky to have friends like the ones that we have in the Jaycees.

As the 1996-97 year begins to come to a close, I have had a chance to review our success in all areas. I am extremely proud of all of the board members and of the membership for completing the number of projects that we have and at the rate of success that has been shown.

With at least two projects left to be completed in the Ways and Means area, we have made \$1525 more than was proposed for the planned year. **Steve Krug and Bill Maddestra** are currently looking for a chairman for the placemats and the raffle to be completed at the pancake breakfast. I am sure that those projects will round out our Ways and Means year with an income greater than expected.

Membership has been extremely successful this year. We have had 13 new members and only 5 drops for the year. A great addition to the membership area was **Sandy Smith's**

work as the activation chairman. The majority of our new members have either run a project or been involved in many projects. **Sandy and Cathy Hickey** have recently completed a new member orientation and Jaycee week respectively. These projects have resulted in three new members and great publicity that I am sure has caught the eyes of additional prospective members. **Carl Bertolino and Jim McNeil** are hoping to add to the list of new members in the final quarter of the year. I would like to welcome **Gail Workman** who joined at the January G.M. and **Teresa Blotner, Susan Cunnniff and Richard Pierpont** who joined at the orientation. You've joined a great group of people.

The Community Development area is expected to complete over 80% of the projects on the budget this year. There have been many worthwhile donations that have been added. **Lynda Walsh and Pete Sorrow**, along with all of the project chairmen have had an exceptional year thus far. All of the projects have far exceeded their expectations. Gail Workman, as a new member, has organized the Jaycee donation and manpower for the Human Services Auction, which will get a great deal of recognition in the community. Pete Sorrow and his committee are gearing up for the annual pancake breakfast for CYO Basketball.

The Individual Development area is planning to run over 75% of the projects in the planned year. **Chris Hebert and Lucy Wilhelm** are hoping to get some training projects and some fun socials completed within the next couple of

months. The final quarter is a very busy quarter for this area and I am sure that with such projects as the Valentine's Day social (run by **Pat Daly**) and CPR (run by **Scott Rogers**), we will learn and have fun at the same time. Another note is that we have only spent half of the proposed budget for the Individual Development area for the entire year. Hats off to Chris, Lucy, and all of the project chairmen.

On a sad note, I regret having to announce that Cathy Hickey has resigned from the board of directors as the donations director. Cathy has done a great job thus far in this new position on the board. Her hard work as the donations director was reflected in the support of the chapter for our recent donation to common upgrade by a local eagle scout. I hope to have an interum director appointed for

board approval by the February board meeting.

With such a successful year coming to an end, I hope that some of the new and old members are interested in becoming a part of next year's board of directors. The nominations committee will soon be formed and will be contacting everyone to the 1997-98 board of directors.

Sorry this month's report is so long, but I guess I get wordy after talking baby talk all day, every day. I look forward to seeing everyone at the next G.M.

Beth Maddestra
President

And now, the Republican Response. . .

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 greatest treasure lies
in Human personality; and,
That service to Humanity is the best work of life.**

SECRETARY'S REPORT*Lauren Bonneau-Krug****SUNSHINE COMMITTEE***

Congratulations go to Wendy Fischer and Pat O'Donnell on the birth of their baby girl and also to Doreen Young and Jack Farmer on the birth of their baby boy!!!

NEW MEMBERS. . .

At the January GM, *Gail Workman* was sworn in to the Chapter, and at the Jaycee Orientation held in January, *Susan Cunniff, Teresa Blotner and Richard Pierpont* were also sworn in. Welcome, all new members!!!

NEW CHAIR PEOPLE

Direct Mailer - Steve Tingle
Easter Egg Hunt - Sheri Duart
First Aid - Scott Rogers
Human Services Auction - Gail Workman
Pancake Breakfast - Pete Sorrow
Scat Night - Jane and Bob Webster
SHARE - Steve Tingle
Staff Development South Shore Mental Health Day - Bob Hickey

JANUARY AWARDS

Project of the Month - Caroling On The Common, organized and run by Tracey Clarke, had an excellent turnout despite the weather!

Jaycee of the Month - Steve Tingle, who always lends a hand every month at SHARE and is now the new chairperson of SHARE, has taken on the Direct Mailer and contributed greatly to December's projects!

Frog of the Month - Peter Jamieson As the story is told, Pete, who chaired the Christmas Tree Sales and had a great year, called Beth Maddestra on December 28th and asked her what to do with the three Christmas Trees that were not sold. Need more be said?

BYLAWS REVIEW

Pursuant to the Foxboro Jaycees ByLaws, March 1996 edition, Constitution Article VI - Amendments, Section 1 (a), I am hereby giving the General Membership notice, in writing, via the mailing of the February 1997 issue of the Wise Fox, of the proposed amendments to the ByLaws that will be brought before the General Membership for a vote at the March 12, 1997 General Membership Meeting. Please review the proposed amendments as contained in this Wise Fox (two pages).

BY LAW COMMITTEE REPORT and
NOTICE OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS

The By Law Committee (Dave Brown, Cathy Hickey, and Lauren Bonneau-Krug and Tom Sawran) has met and proposes for a vote at the March GM two changes to bylaw which will occur thru four amendments.

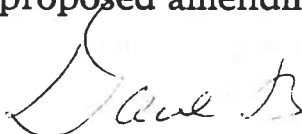
The first set of changes (First 3 amendments below) would make the position of Donations Director permanent. Presently if not acted on this position will be gone as policy 16 expires in April 1997. The present Donations Director as well as the Donations Committee feel that this position has worked well for the chapter and should continue. The duties of this position are the same as what was used in the trial period for the present year (Policy 16) however we have changed some wording so that a separate series of budget items related to donations can be established in future planned years. Also the position will report to the President thus relieving the CD Vice President of being directly involved with donations. We think this will ease the amount of work that the CD Vice President must now do or oversee.

Our second change (Our second and fourth amendments) involves the position of Presidential Director. If passed the position will be an appointed board position (by the President) at the option of the new president rather than an elected position. This will give the new president the option of having a 14 or 15 member board. It also lets the President select one member of their Board from the membership at large if they choose to do so. Over the years some have felt that Board is to large, if the new president would like a smaller Board they can do so. This will also create a means for Associate Members to have some representation on the Board. This change creates some flexibility as to the size and make up of the Board ---- at discretion of the President.

If either change fails to pass we will motion language to insert the position of (1) Presidential Director in Article V Section 8.

This concludes our proposal. Also enclosed are sections of the current ByLaw that are subject to the proposed amendmants.

Thank You-----DAVE BROWN



PROPOSED BY LAW CHANGES

1----DELETE POLICY 16

2----AMEND ARTICLE V,SECTION 8 BY

A--after the words Dues Director insert ,and
Donations Director.

B--delete the words and up to two (2) Presidential
Directors

3-----AMEND ARTICLE VII,SECTION 11 BY ADDING THE FOLLOWING
TEXT AFTER ITEM c5

d The following are the duties of the Donations Director:

1. Form and chair a standing committee (called the
Donations Committee) of members from the general membership, by
the June General Membership Meeting.

2. Develop a donations budget for the planned year.

3. Report to the President on matters related donations.

4 The Donation Committee Shall:

a Evaluate requested donations to provide information
to the General Membership and/or Board as per Bylaw Article
IV,Section 4.

b. Evaluate community needs for additional donation
opportunities.

c. Work with Publicity Chairman to promote
community awareness.

d. Document research for future reference.

e. Report monthly to the General Membership all
details pertaining to proposed donations.

4-----AMEND BY-LAW ARTICLE VII SECTION 4 CONCERNING DUTIES
OF THE PRESIDENT BY ADDING AFTER ITEM g

h. At his discretion appoint one (1) Presidential
Director from the membership who will serve on the Board.

Share Program - Steve Tingle has volunteered to chair this project. He will have a sign-up sheet for new committee members. If you would like to help him out on this important project, please give him a call.

Winter Common Upgrade - Ken Wills will be taking down the lights and rest of the decorations on the common soon. He is waiting for help from the firemen.

Policemens Memorial - Pete Jamieson and his committee are still in contact with Patrolman Chuck Gallagher. Chuck has gotten a few quotes and is still waiting on a couple more before he presents them to the committee.

Sand For Seniors - Chris Hebert has responded to any calls she has received for this year. Luckily, the winter hasn't been as tough as previous years, however if and when it does get bad, Chris will be ready to help the elders.

Scouting Donation Distribution - Bob Hickey and his committee have decided to let the scouts themselves pick the scouts that need financial assistance for dues or camp. Bob will oversee this with the scouts and hopes to get a photo in the Reporter when presenting the check.

Nativity Scene Repair - Ken Wills will be evaluating the pieces and looking for help from the membership to repair them as well as we can. As it stands now, the scene is being kept at Camp Lincoln Hill where it will be easier to work on.

Human Services Auction - Congratulations to new member **Gail Workman** for all of the hard work she gave to her first Jaycee project. She made sure we were on the "Big Board" all day. Our donation of a limo ride, dinner, and David Copperfield tickets brought in \$405.00 to the auction. The auction this year raised approximately \$12,000.00 for Human Services.

Pancake Breakfast - Peter Sorrow and his committee have been hard at work. Tickets have been distributed to the teams, cafeteria has been booked, the grills are on reserve for the day. Committee members are busy with their own separate tasks. Date is set for March 23rd. Please plan on helping out when Steve Krug (manpower chairman) calls, it's a lot of fun and the money we raise goes to a great cause.

Concerts on the Common - Chairman needed to book six concerts for the summer months. We need a chairman as soon as possible, as we have already had calls from bands interested in playing for us.

Easter Egg Hunt - Sheri Duarte will be looking for help from the membership to put this project together for March 29th. There will be a sign-up sheet at the February G.M.

Headfirst Program - Chairman needed to get in-touch with Curt Ludwig from the Foxboro Police Department. Last year, the police had a program all in place and really didn't need much manpower, however our donation bought helmets to be given out at the schools. This usually doesn't happen until the spring, but we thought that if we show our interest early enough, we can help in the actual program.

1997 Road Race - Chairman needed to set up a committee and decide on this years cause. This will be our 5th annual road race. Jim Hebert ran a very successful race last year for "our hero" Chico's daughter Tina. The causes for this race vary from year to year, but the success is always huge. The race is usually run in September.

If you're interested in helping out any of these projects, please contact the chairman of that project. If you're interested in running or would like any more information on any the above projects, please contact me or Pete Sorrow.

Lynda Walsh
Community Development
Vice President



BREAKFAST IS SERVED — Pancake Breakfast chairman Pete Sorrow, representing the Foxboro Jaycees, gives the word to CYO Basketball players Sean Carroll, Mike Saegh, and Patrick Sawran that the annual event is just around the corner. Money from the Pancake Breakfast, which will be held March 23 at Foxboro High School, helps support the CYO Basketball program in town.
(Photo by Vin Igo)

INDIVIDUAL DEVELOPMENT

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FEBRUARY MEETINGS & PROGRAMS (DAVE BROWN)- With the Pancake Breakfast looming on the horizon, this month's speaker is especially appropriate. Joining us will be Jack Tynan, coordinator of Foxboro Youth Basketball (formerly CYO Basketball). Be sure to attend & find out where all that money we raise goes to!

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CHAIRPEOPLE NEEDED FOR THE FOLLOWING PROJECTS:

Providence Bruins Associates' Night Installation Banquet Family Day
Public Speaking Seminar Casino Night Self Defense Seminar

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ONGOING PROJECTS-

VOLLEYBALL (JOHN ZARELLA)- Every Monday night at the Ahern School gym, 7:30-9:30, at a cost of \$5 per player.

DEGREES OF JAYCEES (SANDY SMITH)- Please see Sandy to update your Jaycee progress.

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UPCOMING PROJECTS- Please contact the project chairperson if you would like to participate:

CPR (SCOTT ROGERS)- Initial certification is scheduled for two nights: Tuesday, February 18th, & Thursday, February 20th, from 7-10 PM. Recertification will be held on Tuesday, February 11th, from 7-10 PM. Classes will be held either at the fire station, or at the Boyden Library. Contact Scott if interested.

STRESS MANAGEMENT (JOE CATALANO)- Date to be announced.

COMEDY NIGHT (BILL MADDESTRA)- Bill is looking into several options for this fun social, in spite of his busy schedule as a new dad. Stay on the lookout for further details!

VALENTINE'S DAY SOCIAL/GAMES NIGHT (PAT DALY)- Saturday, February 15th, at 7 PM, at the South Foxboro Community Club. Cost will be \$3.00 per person, dinner will be potluck & refreshments will be BYOB. This is sure to be a fun evening, with games, prizes, humor and, hopefully, romance. Please be sure to contact Pat by February 1st, so that she can finalize her plans.

FIRST AID (SCOTT ROGERS)- Many thanks go to Scott for taking on a second project, while still coordinating his first. Details will be announced at a later date.

SCAT NIGHT (BOB & JANE WEBSTER)- Bob & Jane have graciously offered to re-host last year's successful scat party, to be held Saturday, February 22nd, at the Webster mansion. Many laughs & many Frog nominations resulted from last year's Scat Night, so be sure not to miss this one!

Chris Hebert



HEY, YOU.....

**IS THAT A ROLL OF QUARTERS
IN YOUR POCKET?**

WELL, YOU MUST BE GOING TO...

SCAT NIGHT

FEB. 22nd 7:30

@ THE WEBSTERS'

IF INTERESTED, CALL 543-6959 OR SIGN UP AT FEB. GM



VALENTINES GALA

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 7 p.m. AT THE COMMUNITY

ADMISSION IS THREE DOLLARS PER PERSON



DINNER

ROMANCE

PLAY



PRIZES GUARANTEED BY CUPID TO ENHANCE YOUR LOVE LIFE

A GRAND PRIZE AWARDING A GIFT CERTIFICATE TO DINE OUT WITH YOUR SWEETHEART

SIGN-UP NOW FOR THE POT LUCK DINNER ITEM THAT YOU WILL MAKE. LIST A GAME THAT YOU CAN BRING.

THE ADMISSION FEES WILL BE USED TOWARDS PAPER SUPPLIES AND PRIZES.
PLEASE REMIT PAYMENTS TO PAT DALY 339-3164, OR CHRIS HEBERT 543-3816, BY
FEBRUARY FIRST.

Direct Mail- Steve Tingle

Steve will be setting up a committee meeting to see what information needs to be put into the direct mailer. Remember, this information is used to get the Jaycee name into homes in Foxboro.

Jaycee Information Night- Chairman Needed

Still looking for someone to run the information nights at a few of the rental complexes (i.e. Sunderland and Mayfair Realty) in Foxboro. Hopefully we will be able to get a few more members through this project. If you are willing to help or run the project please call me.

New Members BBQ- Chairman Needed

This is a BBQ in February or March to say thank you to our new members for joining us and to introduce them to the veteran members of the Foxboro Chapter.

Jaycee Week- Cathy Hickey

Cathy has done a lot of work with the Foxboro Reporter, Sun Cronicle and the Gazette and we had some great articles placed in the newspapers. Thank You Cathy!!

Call Night II- Sandy Smith

Thank You Sandy for running a very informative and successful Call Night II. We had three people come to the meeting and all three joined that night. I would also like to thank all the people that were there for information support and a good laugh. You all know who you are and if I tried to name names I would forget someone and you're all too important.

Outdoor Advertising- Mark Emery and Carl Bertolino

We will be using the advertising art work that is offered from the Jaycees National Catalog. The information is being sent to the AK media formerly known as Ackerly.

Activation Chairman- Sandy Smith

Check out the Who's Who in this Wise Fox. If you want to be a mentor then give Sandy a call and she will go over the requirements with you.

The Who's Who of Who's New....

**Please join with me
in welcoming the
following people into
our chapter.**

Sandy Smith
Activation Chairman

Tom Whiffen

Anniversary Date: 11/96

You can tell by the anniversary dates of our members that many of them have joined as a result of the Haunted House. It was, in fact, the Haunted House that first introduced Tom to our chapter. Tom was always intrigued by the constant stories of the Haunted House told by his good friend John Tyler, a past active Haunted House member. Tom has worked on the last four Haunted Houses and has been on the Ski Trip and to volleyball but did not officially become a member until this year. He has become "Joe Jaycee" since joining, having helped with Christmas Trees, Santa Phone, Fruit Baskets and more. He has quickly moved up to a 3rd level of the Degrees of Jaycees which he claims is a great inspiration for him. (He admits that he is very competitive by nature and "wants that 10th degree next to his name"...he does, however, realize how much work and how many years that could entail).

Moving around a lot as a youngster from Medfield to Millis to Norton, Tom is now residing in his last hometown of Franklin.

An artist by trade, Tom has worked at several different jobs since he

graduated from Bob Jones University in Greenville, North Carolina with a BA in Art and a minor in English. He would love to continue his art career but also likes to pay his bills so he currently is working spraying cars for an autobody company called Blendtek. He travels, to the job site, in a van that serves as a self-contained bodyshop. Most of his work entails fixing chips and scratches on new cars.

As an avid sports fan, Tom would like to chair a new ID project this spring involving frisbee golf. He has been nominated for the office of president of NEFA, the New England Flying Disc Association, a group of approximately 150 members who plan tournaments throughout the area. We have one of the premier frisbee golf sites right in our back yard at Normandy Farms where the NE Championships are held each year. The disc, used in the game, is smaller and harder than a frisbee and the holes are an average of 300 feet apart. A hole is complete when the disc lands in a basket that is attached to the pole. Tom was very excited when talking about the sport which he claims is not only his hobby but his passion as well. Watch out golf fans, this could be addictive!

Scott Braye

Anniversary Date: 10/96

As a newcomer, Scott enjoyed his Haunted House experience so much this year that he was sworn in as a member right on stage one night. Also an artist by nature, Scott originally got involved as a favor for his good friend, Chico. Chico had a great idea for a room but no time to commit so Scott turned what was a bathroom from Psycho into an amazing tropical rainforest. He soon became known as the KRUG Monster whether he wanted to or not.

A Foxboro native, Scott is currently working at Stork Towel although he is

a jeweler by trade. He has done everything from unloading metals from trucks to intricate finish work at Tiffanies. He also enjoys poetry, drawing, painting, calligraphy, and sculpturing and admits to creating a few new mediums of his own. His artistry will come in handy as he has volunteered to restore our very own Nativity Set. Fortunately for us, he has a working space at his parent's house here in Foxboro.

Another passion of Scott's is the study of Martial Arts. He has studied five different styles: Kempo, Karate, Ju Jit Su, Sho To Kan and his favorite, Tai Chi. Scott spends an average of at least two hours a day practicing the arts and has developed his own style which he calls Judan Ka. His style is a combination of the things he most likes about the five styles he has studied and although it is not registered as an official style, he is teaching it now to his friends.

Citing that "life is too short - you have to learn as much as you can", Scott's other main interest now is learning all he can from his new computer. He actively surfs the internet and is learning as many applications as he can.

As a last note, Scott is extremely interested in getting involved, especially in the CD area so listen up CD Chairpeople...give him a call!

**I would like to thank all
those who came out to help
at the recent New Member
Orientation Night and I
would like to welcome the
following three new
members from that night:**

Teresa Blotner

Susan Cunniff

Richard Pierpont

**I look forward to interviewing
them in the future.**

WAYS AND MEANS

In the interest of sharing; cooperation between the departments; and, good humor, Steve has relenquished half of his page for the public service announcement appearing in the right-hand column. (He also supplied the artwork.)

PANCAKE BREAKFAST PLACE MATS - Chairman Needed!

This project includes getting local businesses to purchase a slot, either large or small, on the place mats that will be used the day of the Pancake Breakfast.

PANCAKE BREAKFAST RAFFLE - Chairman Needed!

This protect entails obtaining raffle prizes and then selling raffle tickets the day of the Pancake Breakfast. Raffle prizes can be obtained by either directly purchasing them or by having them donated by individuals, companies or organizations.

Just a reminder - ALL members, new and established, are welcome to do these projects.

If anyone is interested in chairing either of these projects, please contact Pete Sorrow or Steve Krug.



While you may think that you know the character above, **please** do not be fooled. He *is not* the new reincarnation of **Superman**, but actually the infamous **Snackman**, the guy who didn't show up with any snacks last year at the **Comedy Night** social. Do not be lulled into complacency by that sweet face, but rather, call the project chairman, Bill Maddestra, as soon as possible to reserve your seat at Comedy Night and to place your order for your favorite snack foods.

Steve