



**A Monthly Publication of the Foxboro Jaycees -- May 2012**

Dear Fellow Jaycees,

Thank you Sandy for organizing a great Installation Banquet! It was a great night that highlighted the many accomplishments of this chapter, and as always a lot of fun. Thanks to all who attended. I am very excited and truly looking forward to my upcoming presidential year. Thank you to my incoming board for volunteering to help keep this chapter going.

Although our membership has dwindled over the years, our core values have not changed. We are still a group of volunteers dedicated to an organization that provides a great service to the community. We help those in need and we also bring people together to celebrate the community we live in. Now more than ever, the sense of community is a great value that should be fostered.

We are also a group that enjoys having fun together. Our social events are always a great turnout. Many great friendships have been formed in this group and that is because of the fantastic people that have joined this chapter.

To me, the Jaycees are a great social outlet and a way to give back. For all of you it may mean something different. Everyone has an individual reason for joining; whether it is to meet new people to expand a personal or professional network, to provide community service, or to find an opportunity for personal growth, this chapter encompasses all of those reasons.

My goals for the next year are simple – to continue the great work that we have been doing for over 50 years and to grow the membership in the chapter.

This past year we found new ways to attract members, and by getting the word out about our chapter we can appeal to many prospective members. We have accomplished so much in the past year and have gained some momentum in recruiting. I hope to build on that in the coming year and look to you to help me with this goal.

I would like to take this time to thank everyone for their service to the chapter. I greatly appreciate everyone's involvement. Without your dedication, there would be no chapter and I would not be able to be your next president. I recognize that we all lead busy lives and I am grateful that each of you has made time for the Jaycees. We are a unique group and each one of us should be proud of what we stand for, what we have accomplished and what we are capable of in the future.

I look forward to the year ahead and thank you for all this opportunity.

-Heather

# Meetings and Programs

**Don't miss the next GM on Wednesday, May 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 PM  
at the South Foxboro Community Center. Kathy Brady will be bringing  
refreshments.**

## Welcome to the new board!

President: Heather Loew  
Community Development Vice-President: Vanessa Linke  
Individual Development Vice-President: Max Loew  
Secretary: Andrea Cummings  
Treasurer: David Fisler  
Ways & Means Vice-President: Deena Cummings  
Chairman of the Board: Monica Fisler

## 2011-2012 Year-End Winners...

Key Man: Deena Cummings  
Life Member Award: David Brown  
Chairman of the Year: Jen Franco  
Community Development Project of the Year: Fruit Baskets, Jen Franco  
Individual Development Project of the Year: Team Trivia, Kathy Brady  
Membership project of the Year: Membership Committee, Heather Loew  
Ways & Means Project of the Year: Craft Fair, Heather Loew  
Project of the Year: Concerts on the Common, Max Loew  
New project of the Year: Fico Bowling Fundraiser, Max Loew  
Officer of the Year: Heather Loew  
Rookie of the Year: Maria Montanez

### April GM Awards

Project of the Month: Tupperware Fundraiser, Jen Franco  
Jaycee of the Month: Jen Franco

# Secretary's Report

**Secretary: Andrea Cummings**

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## **Sunshine Report - Andrea Cummings**

No Sunshine was given this month.

If you know that someone needs some sunshine, please contact Andrea. Her email is [acummings617@yahoo.com](mailto:acummings617@yahoo.com)

## **Wise Fox - Jen Franco**

Jen Franco is taking over the Wise Fox from Sandy Emery. Thank you Sandy for doing a great job with the Wise Fox!

Note: Bob Gillis is filling in as Wise Fox editor this month for Jen; any omissions / mistakes / frog nominations should be directed to him ☺

Submission note: Jen will begin work on the Fox as of June. Until the end of May, please submit Wise Fox information to Bob Gillis. After June 1, please send all information to Jen. And remember: Please send in your information by the last weekend of each month.

## **Inventory Coordinator - Mohsen Khalifa**

If you need any Jaycee equipment for an upcoming project, please contact Mohsen. Please allow plenty of time to acquire what you need.

## **Electronic CPG's - Bob Gillis**

Once you run a project, please write a CPG (Chairman Planning Guide) so the next project chairperson will know what to do. Bob will happily put it on the website. Bob is also looking for any old, written CPG's that he can scan as a PDF file. Those CPG's will not be able to be altered, just read.

# Individual Development

**Vice President: Max Loew**

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## **Meetings and Programs**

Come out to the meeting for chapter business. Kathy Brady will be providing refreshments for this month's meeting.

## **Trivia at Waxy O'Connor's - Kathy Brady.**

Monday, May 21, 2012. Dinner is at 6pm, Trivia starts at 7pm.

**Book Club** Laureen House – TBA

**The 2012 Foxboro Jaycees hiking/camping trip – Chairman needed**

## **Volleyball - Bob Webster**

Volleyball begins in June, contact Bob if you want to participate or have any questions.

## **Networking – Bob Gillis**

Don't forget the networking page on the Jaycee website created & maintained by Bob Gillis. Several businesses are listed and we're always looking for more.

# Community Development

**Vice President: Vanessa Linke**

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## **Publicity – Chairman Needed – ongoing**

It's a new Board year and a new chance to be Publicity Chairman! We're looking for someone to coordinate our news outlet efforts. Please let me know if you are interested in taking this on for the year.

## **Candidates' Night – Dave Brown – Fri April 26 (DONE!)**

A big thank you to Dave and all the other Jaycees who helped make this very visible project such a successful and smooth event! If any of you missed the live airing, be sure to check out the video posted on our website.

## **Founders Day Parade – Bob Gillis – Sat, June 9**

Bob Gillis has volunteered to organize our Founders Day Parade efforts this year. Please let him know if you are interested in participating.

## **Concerts on the Common – Max Loew – Season starts Thu, June 14**

This year, our series of open-air concerts on the Foxboro Common kicks off on Thursday, June 14<sup>th</sup>, with the Foxborough High School Jazz Ensemble. Once finalized, the entire schedule will be posted on our website.

## **Concerts Fundraising – Dave Brown – ongoing**

Heather & Dave have made some good progress in organizing sponsorships for our concerts this summer. If you have ideas for possible sponsors, please let them know.

## **American Cancer Society Relay For Life – Monica Fisler – Fri, June 22/Sat, June 23**

A Foxboro Jaycees Tradition! If you are interested in participating on the team at the Ahern Middle School track or want to support the team's fundraising goals, please visit the Foxboro Jaycees Relay For Life Page at [http://main.acsevents.org/site/TR/RelayForLife/RFLFY12NE?team\\_id=1179512&pg=team&fr\\_id=39726](http://main.acsevents.org/site/TR/RelayForLife/RFLFY12NE?team_id=1179512&pg=team&fr_id=39726)

## **National Night Out Against Crime – Chairman Needed – Tue, August 7**

We are looking for a chairman to coordinate the Foxborough event for this national crime/drug prevention project. The event brings together local town services, non-profit organizations, businesses, and citizens of the community for a fun event on the Foxborough Common. Please let me know if you are interested in chairing it.

# Way\$ and Mean\$

**Vice President: Deena Cummings**

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## **Craft/Vendor Fair – Heather Loew / Co-Chairman Needed 5/19**

We are still looking for a Co-Chair for this project. The project will run on Saturday, May 19th with a rain date of the 20th. If anyone is interested in providing manpower, please let Heather know. We need as many hands as possible!

## **Founder's Day Concessions – Chairman Needed**

Please let me know if you are interested in chairing or co-chairing this project. We are looking for a chair person or co-chair who can help organize the event for the day. They will need to be well organized before the day as well as through the end of the project that afternoon.

## **Founder's Day Glow Items – Vanessa Link**

Vanessa has volunteered to run this project. Thanks, Vanessa!

## **Founder's Day Pony Rides – Julie Grant**

Julie has once again volunteered to take this project on. We always appreciate it!

## **Concerts on the Common Concessions – Chairman Needed**

If anyone is interested in running Concessions throughout the Concert series, please let me know!

# Membership

**Vice President: Open Position**

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Membership is the key to the future success of our chapter. Please tell your friends, neighbors, co-workers about the Jaycees and help us to grow!

## **Who's Who – Bob Gillis**

Bob Gillis will continue to chair Who's Who for this upcoming year.

## **Membership Committee**

We plan to run membership by committee this year. Based on the success of the committee and the momentum we have built, we anticipate another good year. The committee will resume meetings in June. If you are interested in participating or have ideas for recruiting, please let Heather know.

## **Web Site - Bob Gillis**

Our website is the best way for the chapter and the community to find out about us, so please help Bob by sending him information on our events! Check out all the latest updates and event photographs at [www.foxborojaycees.org](http://www.foxborojaycees.org). Photos from the Installation Banquet, and all the award winner information, are up on the site!

## **Social Media**

Check out our social media pages on Facebook and Meetup for another way to keep up to date with the chapter.

## **Jaycees Apparel**

Please let Heather know if you need a Jaycee t-shirt or hat for any upcoming events. Remember that you will get a Jaycee sweatshirt by chairing a project or by being on the board.

## **Membership Booths – Chairmen Needed**

We will be setting up the membership booth at the following upcoming events – **Spring Fair on the Common, Founders Day and Concerts on the Common.** We need a chairman for all of these events to organize and set up the membership table and talk to prospective members. Please let Heather know if you are interested in any of these.

# May Jaycee Birthdays

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If you see these Jaycees during May, be sure to wish them a very happy birthday!

Kathy Brady  
William Byrnes  
David Fisler  
Bob Hickey  
Derek House  
Brandon Owens  
Monica Rigamonti





**May 2012 Jaycee Calendar**

| <b>Sunday</b>            | <b>Monday</b>                          | <b>Tuesday</b> | <b>Wednesday</b>  | <b>Thursday</b> | <b>Friday</b> | <b>Saturday</b>                                       |
|--------------------------|--|----------------|---|-----------------|---------------|---|
|                          |  | 1              | 2   | 3               | 4             | 5<br><b>Cinco de Mayo</b>                             |
| 6                        | 7                                      | 8              | 9<br><b>General Meeting<br/>7:30 PM<br/>S. Foxboro Community Center</b> | 10              | 11            | 12  |
| 13<br><b>Mothers Day</b> | 14                                     | 15             | 16  | 17              | 18            | 19<br><b>Craft and Vendor Fair<br/>Foxboro Common</b> |
| 20                       | 21<br><b>Trivia at Waxy O'Connor's</b> | 22             | 23<br><b>Board Meeting<br/>7:30 PM</b>                                  | 24              | 25            | 26  |
| 27                       | 28<br><b>Memorial Day</b>              | 29             | 30  | 31              |               |   |

**June 2012 Jaycee Calendar**

| <b>Sunday</b>  | <b>Monday</b> | <b>Tuesday</b> | <b>Wednesday</b>   | <b>Thursday</b>                            | <b>Friday</b>               | <b>Saturday</b>             |
|--|---------------|----------------|--|--|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|
| <b>Concerts begin this month!<br/>See the web site for info!</b> |               |                |  |  | 1                           | 2                           |
| 3  | 4             | 5              | 6  | 7  | 8                           | 9<br><b>Founders Day!</b>   |
| 10   | 11            | 12             | 13<br><b>General Meeting<br/>7:30 PM<br/>S. Foxboro Community Center</b> | 14<br><b>Concerts on the Common begin!</b> | 15                          | 16                          |
| 17   | 18            | 19             | 20   | 21   | 22<br><b>Relay for Life</b> | 23<br><b>Relay for Life</b> |
| 24   | 25            | 26             | 27<br><b>Board Meeting<br/>7:30 PM</b>                                   | 28   | 29                          | 30                          |

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