



Fort Wayne Sport Club

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The President's Corner

Once again we enjoyed the fortunes of a beautiful weekend for the 5th annual Soctoberfest. Thanks to a small but dedicated group of volunteers, we experienced an even larger profit than last year. However, for this event to grow even larger, we need more volunteers next year. Please provide suggestions and comments to help us make the 2009 Soctoberfest an even bigger and better event.

I want to thank all of the volunteers who helped with our fall clean-up day. We accomplished many things. As the year draws to a close, there are still plenty of events left to attend. Please support the ladies with their Cookie Walk and attend the German Christmas Show. The Holiday spirit continues with Women's Auxiliary Christmas party and the Children's Christmas party. I hope that you can set some time aside during this busy Holiday season to spend with your fellow Sport Club members.

Speaking of the Holidays, what would be a better gift for those you love than a Fort Wayne Sport Club t-shirt? The short-sleeve t-shirts are \$10 and long-sleeve t-shirts are \$15. These are available from behind the bar anytime the Club is open. As always, the officers and I welcome any comments or suggestions.

Dan Kruse



November will continue the Fish Fry season. We still use the secret recipes. In fact, we continue to improve upon them. Please come out and join in the fun. Enjoy the next Fish Fry dinner on Friday, November 14th, from 4:30-7:00 p.m. The cost is \$8.00 for adults and \$4.00 for children ages 6 to 10. Children age 6-and-under eat for free. The delectable dinner includes all-you-can-eat fish, baked potato or scalloped potatoes, coleslaw, applesauce with roll and butter and dessert. Come join in on the fun and help us keep increasing the number of dinners sold.

Can't get enough fish? Don't forget to also mark your calendar as the Fort Wayne Mannerchor/Damenchor will be hosting their November fish fry on Friday, November 14th as well.

Officers Meeting

Officers, plan to be at the November 12th meeting. We will be decorating the club for Christmas and putting up the tree. Members, please feel free to come stop by and help the officers get the club ready for the Holidays.

Ladies Auxiliary

There is a busy month of November approaching. The Ladies in the kitchen for the November meeting are Erna and Ida Schmidtke. We will bake cookies for the Cookie Walk at the Club on November 18th and 20th starting at 8:30 a.m. both days. The Cookie Walk with Soup & Sandwiches will be on November 22nd from 10:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Ladies, remember that you are being asked to donate 10 dozen cookies or \$15 to the Cookie Walk effort. All members are encouraged to come, buy cookies, eat lunch, purchase a raffle ticket and browse the items at the craft table. Please mark your calendars.

Please note that the Christmas Bureau list of needs for our two adopted families is in the newsletter. Please also supply any non-perishable foodstuffs and dry goods that are not on the list as you see fit. Tina Ball will take monetary donations towards gifts and other needs of the families if you prefer. Remember that this can be a bleak season of the year for the children of many of our local families.

The Children's Christmas Party is on December 20th starting at 2:00 p.m. We will have a program and Santa Claus will also make a visit. A pot-luck meal will follow the program. Please sign up your children or grandchildren on the gift list if you are planning on attending the party. The list is located behind the bar at the Club.

Ladies, you need to get your reservations for our Christmas Party in to Clara Haught (260-338-1324) or Marianne Miller (260-319-4302) by December 8th. We will be dining at Hall's Factory at 6:00 p.m. on December 16th. There will NOT be a gift exchange.

Betsy Mueller



Ladies Auxiliary Cookie Walk

Mark your calendars for this Ladies event scheduled for Saturday, November 22nd from 10:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. The Soup & Sandwich lunch begins at 11:00 a.m. Choose from a large variety of cookies, handmade crafts and other holiday goodies! Come out and stock up on the homemade holiday cookies.

German Christmas Show

The Sport Club will once again be presenting a German Christmas show on Wednesday, December 10th. Please make reservations and get your tickets as soon as possible. Not only is this event a wonderful reflection on the cultural heritage of the Club, but it is also a worthy fundraiser. Supporting events such as this will guarantee future events at the Club. This show should please both the younger and older members, whatever the heritage. So, mark your calendar, show your support and get to know your fellow Club members at the German Christmas show.

This year's dinner will be German Goulash with salad and a dessert. Ticket sales and more information can be obtained from Fred Koger (260-244-6964) or Don Miller (260-338-1324). Also, anyone willing to house an entertainer for one day, please let Fred or Don know.



Wednesday, December 10th at 7 p.m.

Dinner Available from 5:00 to 6:30 p.m.

Show & Dinner: \$30 / person or Show Only: \$20 / person

Please RSVP by Wednesday, December 3rd

Fred at 260-244-6964 or Don at 260-338-1324

Election of Officers & Trustees

Bob Kinerk and Dan Kruse are handling the nominees for the November 7th election of 2009 officers. Anyone interested in a position should call Dan at 260-637-4000 or leave a signed letter of intent at the Club if you are unable to attend. Remember, a free draft beer to those who vote.

Holiday Entertainment

Start making plans to attend the Children's Christmas Party on December 20th. The doors open at 2 p.m., the Children's program begins at 3 p.m. and Santa makes his appearance around 4 p.m. The potluck dinner begins at 5 p.m.

Youth Soccer News

Registrations for Winter Session I have begun. The training will begin in early November. The 8-10 players will train on Tuesdays while the junior age division (11-14) will train on Sundays. Both groups will meet at the ASH Centre. For more information, contact Pat Teagarden at pteagarden@hotmail.com.

Congratulations go out to the League Champion travel teams: U12 Girls Lightning & U11 Boys Blau-Weiss. Also, congratulations to the FC Pride Tourney winners U14 Girls Force, the Fishers Tourney winners U14 Girls Blue Crush and the NISL Tourney division winners U11 Boys Blau-Weiss and U11 Girls Force.

Adult Soccer News

We are also planning to continue Rec play during the winter months at the Dome similar to last year. Look out for news and details coming soon.

Contact Oliver Reelsen at oliver@reelsen.us or visit the Adult Soccer page at the Club website www.FortWayneSportClub.com for more information and to download the registration flyer.

Membership Directory Information Needed

Please return your completed directory information sheet to: Dana LaMaster, 6302-229 Illinois Rd., Fort Wayne, IN 46804. Call Dana at 260-432-8793 with questions.

Trustee Schedule

The following trustees are on duty beginning: Sunday, October 26th - Sean Toth, November 2nd - Ken Alderman, November 9th - Adam Berger, Jr, November 16th - Phil Wisniewski, November 23rd - John Myers, November 30th - Kevin Warren, December 6th - Mike Zumbraegel, December 13th - Mark Perry, December 20th - Sean Toth and December 27th - Ken Alderman.



November Events

Monthly Meeting	7 th ,	8:00 p.m.
Officers' Meeting.....	12 th ,	8:00 p.m.
Fish Fry.....	14 th ,	4:30-7:00
Baking Cookies.....	18 th ,	8:30 a.m.
Baking more Cookies.....	20 th ,	8:30 a.m.
Cookie Walk	22 nd ,	10:30-3:00