

AUGUST 2010

OHIO VALLEY CARRIAGE CLUB

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NEXT MEETING (DRIVE):

PLACE : OEDER'S LAKE (1369 EAST ROUTES 3 & 22, MORROW)

DATE: AUGUST 22, 2010

TIME: ARRIVE 12:30

PLAN TO EAT AT 12:30 – BRING YOUR OWN LUNCH AND CHAIR.

BEVERAGES & ICE WILL BE PROVIDED BY MYRON & JOANN KLEINE

AFTER LUNCH WE WILL HAVE A SHORT MEETING BEFORE DRIVING.

DIRECTIONS: FROM CINCINNATI, TAKE I-71 NORTH, EXIT ON ROUTE 48, SOUTH LEBANON. TURN LEFT ON RTE 22 & 3 (MONTGOMERY RD), AND ODER'S LAKE WILL BE ON THE RIGHT. PARK BY THE LAKE.

OLD BUSINESS:

THANK YOU TO CAROL AND MICHAEL BURKE FOR HOSTING ANOTHER DELIGHTFUL LUNCH AND MEETING UNDER THEIR TREES! CAROL'S BARBECUE CONTINUES TO GET RAVE REVIEWS AS DOES THE COMPANY! A MAJOR PART OF THE MEETING, IN ADDITION TO EATING AND VISITING, WAS SHARING OF PHOTOS FROM RECENT OVCC EVENTS – WE SURE LOOKED GOOD! A FEW PEOPLE TOOK ADVANTAGE OF THE ROAD DRIVING TO KEEP THEIR HORSES IN SHAPE.

DURING THE DISCUSSION OF OUR DRIVE AT SPRING GROVE, SOME INCIDENTS WERE MENTIONED THAT INDICATED THAT WE NEED TO RE-FOCUS OUR ATTENTION ON SAFETY. PARTICULAR CONCERN WAS RAISED ABOUT SAFETY DURING UNHARNESSING AND UNHITCHING. THIS WAS DUE TO THE ACTIONS OF A NON-MEMBER WHO CAME TO DRIVE WITH OVCC. OTHER SUGGESTIONS WERE MADE THAT COULD IMPROVE OUR OVERALL SAFETY. WE CONCLUDED THAT WE WOULD SET UP A SAFETY COMMITTEE THAT WOULD BE CHAIRED BY NANCY JACKSON. ROSANNE ALLEN, JENA CHAMBERLAIN, AND LINDA FREEMAN ALSO VOLUNTEERED TO BE ON THE COMMITTEE. THEIR GOAL IS TO DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS TO PRESENT AT THE NEXT MEETING.

TREASURER'S REPORT: OUR CURRENT BALANCE IS \$2163.34.

ABOUT 6 MEMBERS PARTICIPATED IN OUR DRIVING WEEKEND AT GAYLA DRIVING CENTER. ALTHOUGH IT WAS HOT, THERE SEEMS TO ALWAYS BE A BREEZE WHICH MADE IT MORE COMFORTABLE. SEVERAL PEOPLE TOOK ADVANTAGE OF HAVING A LESSON WITH STERLING GRABURN ON SATURDAY AND YOUR SECRETARY HEARD GOOD REPORTS. OTHERS EITHER RODE OR DROVE "AT WILL" AND MADE THEIR OWN FUN. PARTICIPANTS CONTRIBUTED ALMOST \$200 TO US DRIVING FOR THE DISABLED!

NEW BUSINESS:

A REVISED CALENDAR OF EVENTS IS ATTACHED!

THIS MAY BE THE LAST NEWSLETTER YOU RECEIVE UNTIL MID-SEPTEMBER! DON'T FORGET TO PUT THE SILVEN'S OWL HOLLOW FARM DRIVE ON YOUR CALENDAR FOR SEPTEMBER 26!

A TENTATIVE DATE OF MAY 8, 2011 HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED FOR THE LEBANON, OH "FIRST ANNUAL HISTORIC VICTORIAN SPRING CARRIAGE PARADE"! STAY TUNED AS MORE DETAILS ARE DEVELOPED!

**NEW MEMBERS: STEPHANIE BOWLING, 29 EDGETON CT., HAMILTON, OH 45013. 513-200-3735.
BILL & JEAN McCOLLUM, 1121 ELM ST., SPRINGFIELD, OH 45503
Stephanie_Bowling@Zoomtown.com
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CONGRATULATIONS TO LINDA FREEMAN AND ARNOLD SCOTT! IT WAS ANNOUNCED IN THE CARRIAGE ASSOCIATION ANNUAL REPORT THAT LINDA HAS SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED THE CAA DRIVER PROFICIENCY EVALUATION FOR LEVELS I AND II AND ALSO FOR ROAD DRIVING! SHE HAS BEEN WORKING ON THIS GOAL FOR QUITE SOME TIME AND IT IS A WONDERFUL RECOGNITION OF HER SKILLS! ARNOLD HAS ALSO SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETED LEVEL II! GOOD JOB, ARNOLD!

FOR SALE

"THE JOGGER" BY HOUGHTON SULKY CO. HORSE SIZE, USED ONLY A FEW TIMES. CART, CART COVER AND HARNESS \$1200. CALL 513-877-2758 FOR DETAILS.

STANDARDBREDS LOOKING FOR GOOD HOMES. AGES 6-11 WITH HUNDREDS OF MILES ON THEM. CONTACT JOAN HILL. joanhill357@gmail.com

3 PUREBRED HACKNEYS. NINE-YEAR-OLD FULL-SIZE CHESTNUT GELDING, GOOD UNDER SADDLE, GREEN BROKE TO DRIVE BY AMISH (\$1000). FOUR-YEAR-OLD 52" STALLION, CHESTNUT, BEAUTIFUL, HALTER-BROKE (\$700). EIGHTEEN-YEAR-OLD 44" CHESTNUT PONY MARE, GENTLE, RIDES AND DRIVES, MANY BLUE RIBBONS WHEN YOUNG (\$500). CONTACT NORM STUCKEY (937-878-5116).

MUSEUM QUALITY STUDEBAKER GIG (HORSE SIZE). VERY STYLISH. (\$5000) CONTACT NORM STUCKEY (937-878-5116).

7-YEAR-OLD BELGIAN/HAFLINGER DRAFT GELDING (16HH). DRIVEN SINCE 2 YEARS OLD IN BOTH PULLING CONTESTS AND CARRIAGE DRIVING. HAS BEEN DRIVEN IN THE LEBANON CHRISTMAS PARADE. EXCELLENT TEMPERAMENT. BEING OFFERED AS PACKAGE WITH NEW SYNTHETIC HARNESS, NEW RIDING BRIDLE, AND NICE CART FOR \$5750. CONTACT JENA CHAMBERLAIN (513-907-6898, CELL OR 513-337-8121, WORK) OR jchamber@its.jnj.com.



2010 Calendar of Events

Tentative Dates –Subject to Change (Revised 7/25/10)

- August 14 Goshen Gallop Parade (11 am, contact Tom Dirr, 513-625-2000)
 22 OVCC Drive and Meeting at Oeder's Lake, Morrow, OH
- September 5 Alexandria, KY Show (5 carriage classes)
 14-19 National Drive, IN Horse Park, Edinburgh, IN
 26 OVCC Drive at Helga and Greg Silven's Owl Hollow Farm, Batavia
- October 2 Brown County Fair Horse Show, Georgetown, OH
 7-10 FEI World Games, KY Horse Park - Driving Events
 15-16 Martin's Carriage Auction, Lebanon, PA
 17 OVCC Drive at Don Heberling's Farm, Lebanon, OH
- November 7 OVCC Meeting, Charlie and Suzie Poppe's
- December 4 Lebanon Christmas Carriage Parade
 12 OVCC Christmas Party
- 2011
- May 8 First Annual Historic Victorian Spring Carriage Parade, Lebanon, OH