

Ohio Valley Carriage Club

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Auction and Meeting Warren Co. Fairground, Bldg. A Lebanon, OH Sunday, January 29, 2012

Time: Please bring your items for set up beginning at 11:00 AM. Potluck will be at 1:00 PM, followed by a brief meeting. Building A at the Fairgrounds is **heated!** Charlie Poppe and Joe Winfield will be our auctioneers.

Directions: OH RT 48 to Fairgrounds main entrance. Building A (Exhibit Hall A) is straight ahead when you enter the main entrance to the Fairgrounds. Barns are on the right, and the Grandstand Building further ahead.

<http://www.warrencountyfair.org/>

NEW BUSINESS

Membership Renewals & Dues - Helga Silven

It is time to renew our memberships! Please see the 2012 Membership Application form attached to this email (or form enclosed for mailed newsletters). If you have any questions, please contact Helga at 513-560-1078, or email gtsnhes@fuse.net.

Please print, complete, **including any email address changes**, and send with check to:

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Nominating Committee – Nancy Brown

The membership approved the nomination and election of Jane Godlewski to the position of Treasurer at the Christmas Dinner, December 11th.

January, 2012

Many thanks to Bev McCoy, whose position on the Executive Committee ends this year. During Bev's two year term as Treasurer, we continued to maintain a healthy reserve of funds for OVCC business, and pay our bills on time! She helped ease the transition between Presidents Helaine Winfield and Nancy Jackson in 2011, providing information and guidance in the process. Her help was truly appreciated.

All other board members have agreed to continue in their roles, and the membership approved and voted to allow this.

OLD BUSINESS

Treasurer's Report

Bev McCoy reported that we have \$816.50 as of December 11, 2011.

Highlighted Upcoming Events

Maumee Bay Sleigh Festival, Oregon, OH (East of Toledo)

Website: <http://sleighfestival.com/>

Date: February 4-5, 2012

Charlie Poppe will be lecturing on restoring sleighs, including buying and identifying the style and manufacturer. Also, he will be demonstrating sleigh robes and foot warmers, and correct appointments for sleighing. Contact Charlie if you would like more details. Cwpoppe@msn.com or 513-315-7143.

Winter Clinic at Little Indian Creek Stables, Fayetteville, OH

Date: February 26, 2012

Little Indian Creek Stables has again offered their facility for a February clinic. Plans are being made to include the following topics: Using a Whip Effectively; Using a Reinboard to Improve Communications between Horse and Driver; and How to Create An Exceptional Turnout for Show and Parades. Detailed information will be provided in next newsletter. If you have questions in the meantime, please contact a member of the Executive Committee.

Horse & Vehicle For Sale:

Ten year old registered Clydesdale Bay mare, black mane and tail, four white socks. Marked perfectly, beautiful horse.

Draft Horse Gig. Black with grey pin stripping, cane sides, Bedford Cord Upholstery. Great shape, 54" wheels. Asking \$4,000.

Call Mike Burke - Cell (513) 910-2383, Home (513) 774-9111

Vehicles For Sale:

Vehicles offered by Norm Stuckey, Dayton, OH. Please contact Norm at 937-878-5116.

Beautiful show Gig by Studebaker with lamps, \$5,000.

Natural wood Surrey by Joubert and White of Glens Falls. When new, cost three times as much as a Sears Surrey, \$1,500.

Draft Horse size Gig with Collinge axel, \$1,000.

Victorian Carriage, used several times to transport Santa in the Lebanon Christmas Parade, \$5,000.

Pony size restored Open Buggy with two fifth wheels, \$2,000.

Wanted – VSE Vehicles:

Antique pony cart, or any stylish 2-wheel cart, for 36.5” mini horse. (I have an ez-entry cart.)

Jena Chamberlain, 513-907-6898 or jchamber@its.jnj.com

Wagon for 2-horse team of 34” mini horses. Holly Kemper, (513) 267-2289 or

dhkemper@cinci.rr.com

This might be of interest to you!

Bulk shavings for stalls, reasonable rates – No Walnut! Call Thad, 513-535-5151.

2012 Calendar of Events & Activities

January 29	OVCC Meet & Auction, Warren County Fairgrounds, Lebanon, OH
February 4-5	Maumee Bay Sleigh Festival, Oregon, OH
February 26	OVCC Meet & Education, Little Indian Creek Farm, Fayetteville, OH
March 11	Great Tack Exchange, Warren Co. Fairgrounds, Lebanon, OH
Mar-Apr	Possible Club Event at Kentucky farm location – more details to come
May 12	Red Bricks and Roses Carriage Parade, Oxford, OH
May 20	Spring Grove Cemetery Drive, Cincinnati, OH
May 31	21 st Carriage Round-Up, KYHP
June tbd	OVCC Meet & Drive, Larry Denny's farm, Lebanon, OH
December 1	24 th Annual Lebanon Horse Drawn Carriage Parade, Lebanon, OH
December 9	OVCC Christmas Dinner, Bel-Wood Country Club, Morrow, OH