

# The Bullsheet



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## Presidential News

"Welcome Jaycees"

I hope everyone enjoyed our LaCrosse Jaycee fireworks on the 4<sup>th</sup>. I also hope you we're able to get down to the beer tent and help pour beer to pay for our fabulous fireworks display. If not there is always next year. I would like to Thank Al Johnson, and all his wonderful chairs of the day & night that made this years fireworks display a reality. I would also like to thank every Jaycee and every friend, relative and co-worker you brought down to help us out this year. When it's all said and done we will have put in thousands of long hours. Again Thank You all.

I would like to Thank, WIZM and Bob Schmidt for getting the LaCrosse Jaycee's involved with the very 1<sup>st</sup>. La Crosse's Largest Garage Sale, held over Memorial weekend. Through our food stand and ½ the admission at the door we raised over \$630.00 for the day. We will be invited back again next year and possibly this year again also. Thanks to the helpers: Donella, Laurie, Russ, Kyle, Barb, Joseph, Matt, Bob, myself, and I cannot forget Cindy Sabourin and her husband Ben. (haha) Does the state even read these newsletters?? If I missed anyone I am truly sorry and please let me know so it won't happen again. Also ask the helpers how much fun they had selling Breakfast Brats.

Next I would like to Thank Jim Pickett owner of the Alpine Inn who graciously hosted our latest membership drive on Saturday June 18<sup>th</sup> where we signed 10 new members. (5 of Pick's bartenders) Pick also picked up the tab for the day, so if your up at the Alpine make sure to Thank Pick for everything he does for the Jaycees. I would also like to Thank Kyle and everyone else who showed up and signed new members or brought prospective members.

## Social Stuff

**Dave "PT" Peterson, Social/Sunshine Director**

Summer is finally here; damn it's hot out there. This is a busy time of year for most people but hopefully we can squeeze in a couple of socials before fall.

### \*\* Softball

Friday, July 15, 9:00 PM Carroll Park  
Friday, July 29, 8:00 PM Carroll Park  
Friday, August 5, 8:00 PM Carroll Park

\*\* **Mini-Golf** at Walsh's Golf Course on Wed. July 13, 5:00 PM

\*\* **Superstars**, Fort McCoy, August 5-7

\*\* **Camping at Jeff Treder's** on the weekend of August 27.  
This is always a really good time; more details to come.

### \*\* **Eve of Destruction:**

Races at the La Crosse Interstate Speedway (West Salem).  
September 10. The whole point of these races is to crash and destroy (the best part of any race), and it lasts all night!

We recently received great news from the IRS who after long deliberation decided not to fine us the \$1,600.00 for not filing our 2003 taxes. Which takes a huge financial burden off this year's current board of directors. Thank You to Monica for getting them filed along with our 2004 taxes, and to everyone else who pitched in to make this possible. Remember with everyone working together we can make things happen.

Also with this ordeal behind us we will again be working on our \$10.00 membership raffle to make money to run the chapter and also to help reduce your yearly membership dues. Please read next month's newsletter for further details.

Also at the end of this month we have a chance to help out for the Juvenile Diabetes "Thunder Ride" which will be held at the Nut Bush City Limits. Please read on further for more details. We are also looking for a co-chair to help out with Punt & Pass Kick program to be held in August. Please call me at my new telephone number 782-0543.

If you're a new member and have just joined call me or the Jaycee who signed you and get involved in as much as you would like to.

Enjoy your summer.  
Daniel A Bagniewski (Baggie)  
70<sup>th</sup> President of the La Crosse Jaycees

## Foundation News

**Mary Rykall, Foundation President**

Hi Everybody!

At the May 10th Foundation meeting we judged scholarship entries (4 were received) and selected a winner. The winner of this \$250 scholarship is Lauren Koehne, a student from Aquinas High School. She will be presented with her award at the August 1st meeting.

We will be running a small fundraiser at the October 9 meeting. We'll auction off 10 bags of new items worth up to \$10. Chapter members don't need to bring anything except their wallets! We hope to have a lot of fun with this by supplying hints as to what is in these bags; please join us in the fun at the October 9 meeting.

Thank you,  
Mary Rykall  
Foundation President

## Membership News

### Kyle Olson, 2005 Membership VP

Good day fellow Jaycees!

The first membership drive of the year was held at Alpine Inn Saturday, June 18<sup>th</sup>. Despite the hot weather a great time was had by all that attended. A total of ten new members joined our chapter that day. I would like to thank Jim Pickett (Pick) of the Alpine for signing five of his bartenders and supplying the beverages free of charge for the event! Those members that signed are: Tony Roh, Kristi Roh, Heather Tarr, Tim Weaver, Heather Schmalz, Nikki Leach, Andrea Platt, Rachael Bridel, Alex Curtis, and Chad Viner.

Memberships up for renewal in August (July 15 deadline) are: Carolyn Devine, Tony Devine, Heidi Kelly, Lori Schroeder, Tara Tentis, and Kristy Walz. Please return your dues as soon as possible.

Kyle Olson  
Membership VP

## Individual Development

### Erin Behlen

#### Upcoming IDs

#### **American Red Cross Heather Dutcher**

7:00 p.m., Tuesday, July 19  
General Membership meeting  
Jaycee Hall

#### **CPR ID Heather Dutcher**

Time and Date TBD (end of July)  
Jaycee Hall

#### **Skin Care and Using Sun Block**

7:00 p.m., Date TBD (beginning of August)  
General Membership meeting  
Jaycee Hall

If anyone has ideas for an ID, please call or email me.  
Phone: 608.796.2068  
Email: ebehlen@yahoo.com

Erin Behlen  
2005 Individual Development Vice President  
La Crosse Jaycees

## PR Director

### Bob Schmidt

Thank you to all the Jaycees who had given some thought to my challenge, I got a lot of great tape from many of you. I will now weed through all 21 minutes of stuff I got from everyone and begin splicing and mixing all the audio and hopefully get some public service announcements to send to all the broadcast media. Thanks again for those who really put some thought into this.

Bob Schmidt

2005 Public Relations guy

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## Community Corner

### Heather Pintz, Community Development VP

Hey there Jaycees! Are you loving this weather? I first of all want to thank everyone who has helped out with Riverfest. And a big thank you to Al Johnson for chairing this huge project. This is an event that takes up a lot of time and I know how busy everyone is! A big "kudos" out to you all! We will be looking for another person to chair this event. So if you are interested...please let Baggie, myself, or Al know.

Our next event will be taking place on Saturday, July 30th starting at Harley Davidson and ending at the Nutbush for the annual Juvenile Diabetes Thunder Ride. This should be a great time. The Jaycee's will be in charge of helping set up and take down of tables, and also help out with tip boards, raffles, and all that fun stuff! There is a sign up at the hall otherwise if interested, please let me know. This should be an awesome time! There will be live entertainment and lots of fun people to talk with! All the money will go towards Juvenile Diabetes.

Hope you continue to have a great summer and keep checking the calendar for more fun filled events!!!

Heather Pintz

Heatherpintz@yahoo.com

## Your 2005 Executive Board

Chairman of the Board - Becki Willers  
President - Dan "Baggie" Bagniewski  
Community VP - Heather Pintz  
Individual Development VP - Erin Behlen  
Membership VP - Kyle Olson  
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Ways & Means Fund-raising - Heather Puckett  
PR Director - Bob Schmidt  
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## Ways and Means Fundraising Heather Puckett, Director

### Franciscan Skemp Picnic

The Franciscan Skemp Annual Picnic is on Saturday, August 13<sup>th</sup> and once again, they are asking for our assistance to make their event a success. We are looking for Jaycees willing to spend the day running the kiddie games and helping with light clean up duties for this event. If you are interested in volunteering on this day anytime between 10:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m., please contact me at 608-792-8471 or e-mail me at heatherp@centurytel.net. All volunteers will receive a free meal at this event. This project is a great way for us to earn some much-needed mid-year dollars, any help that you can provide would be greatly appreciated!

Thank you!  
Heather Puckett

## From Our Chapter Secretary Barb Frahm

Hi.

It's hard to believe that when you get this Riverfest will be almost over! Where has the year gone? Well, with Riverfest coming to a close that means it is the start of Toys for Tots! I want to thank all the people that have already signed up to be on the TFT committee. If you have not and are interested please let me know!

Also I would like to extend a large Thank you and Well wishes to Mark Van Den Heuvel who is off to defend our great country in a month! Please be safe!

Barb

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# Membership Milestones

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*Starting with this La Crosse Jaycees newsletter, you will have a space for announcements you'd like to share with the Membership. This is for professional and personal achievements or milestones like the following:*

- New business openings specifically for members
- Births and deaths relating to members
- Wedding Anniversaries (these must be requested by the affected party)
- Professional Awards
- Attendance at a professional conference
- Graduation of members' children
- Professional promotion or career move (like accepting a new position at a new job).

*It won't be a HUGE announcement, just a sentence or paragraph to mark the occasion. I also think this is a good way to keep those who are less-active in the loop, and would encourage patronage at new businesses!*

*Our lives are greatly more vast than our time spent in the meeting hall - let's share them.*

*Please email (kultgirl@hotmail.com) or snail-mail your announcements to the Jaycee Hall address and I will include them in the upcoming newsletters.*

Thanks,  
Shellie Kult  
Newsletter Editor

**HAPPY 40th BIRTHDAY**  
Dave "PT" Peterson  
on July 14!!!





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SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					SOFTBALL! Carroll 7:00 PM 1	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
		General Membership Meeting 7:00 pm			NO SOFTBALL	Dan Howes
10	11	12	13	14	15	16
		Mini Golf Walsh's Golf Course 6:00 PM	Jennifer Wortman	Dave PT Petersen	SOFTBALL! Carroll 9:00 PM 15	
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
		General Membership Meeting 7:00 pm ID: American Red Cross			NO SOFTBALL	Tammy Klein
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
	Newsletter Deadline	Board Meeting 7:00 pm		Diana Clements	SOFTBALL! Carroll 8:00 PM	
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