



The Cornpicker

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2008 - 2009 Officers

President Josh Clemons
 Pres. Elect Charlie McDonald
 Vice President
 Sec/Treas/Editor Leroy McPherson

DATE/TIME/ PLACE: Dec 9, 2008 - 12:00 noon at Marchelloni's

ATTENDANCE: 25 plus Jonnita Vogel, Brianna Ifft, Evan Rieger, Clark Chaplin, Amanda Razo, Cameron Maxson, Nettie DeWeese and Seth Welch

LOTTO: Steve (Dean) Weeks & Carl Borngasser

ACTION ON THE AVENUES

CLUB SERVICE

Programs:

12/16 - Deb Moran
 12/23 - Jon Bachtold
12/30 - No Meeting - Off for the holidays
Our President has spoken!

Membership

We send our sympathy to Kay Fugate for her loss.

Leroy was honored for his 20 years of service to the Club as Secretary/Treasurer and Editor of The Cornpicker.



A note from Leroy: *Robin and I thank you. We wish you a very Merry Christmas!*

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Student of the Month: Cody Zapp
Parents: Ken & Darlene Zapp

Cody Zapp was elected by the English Department to be the English student of the month because of his dedication to his work and his constant attempt to improve. Despite an extremely busy schedule, Cody will stay up all hours of the night to ensure that he has his homework completed. He also constantly seeks extra help in order to truly understand his English homework. In addition, Cody goes above and beyond to participate in classroom activities. In order to help his English III class in the canned food drive this year, Cody literally went from door to door to collect cans. He brought in at least eight brown bags of canned foods to assist his class and to assist those who need the food. Cody also constantly strives to please everyone and to cheer everyone up. Cody Zapp has truly impressed Ms. Little and Ms. Convery with his work and progress in English class and he deserves to win English student of the month.

AREA CLUB MEETINGS

Bloomington	12:00 Noon	Thursday	Elks Club
Gibson City	6:45 a.m.	Wednesday	The Country Kettle
Gilman	6:05 p.m.	Tuesday	Gilman Lounge
Lincoln	11:50 a.m.	Wednesday	Elks Country Club
Normal	12:00 Noon	Wednesday	Bone Student Center

STUDENT COUNCIL - JR. HIGH AND HIGH SCHOOL

Jonnita Vogel & Students • Clark Chaplin & Students

Brianna Ifft, President of the Junior High Council: The Council teaches skills, teamwork, responsibility and becoming better leaders. They attend camps and represent our school, getting into group decisions and becoming good role models.

Nettie DeWeese, Council V.P.: She is in charge of school spirit and involvement. They have workshops on leadership and have school activities like dances, fundraisers, collection of pop tabs and run contests like "Look Who's On The Move".

Cameron Maxson, Treasurer: They campaign to save lives with yogurt lids for breast cancer and build ramps for the handicapped. They also help with the food pantry and relief programs and helped Hawkin Ofather's family with expenses.

Amanda Razo, Secretary: They attend Illinois Leadership Camp and learn their role in parliamentary procedures. They do a lot of brain storming. They attend Hoedowns, etc. **Evan**

Rieger, Social Director: The council put on the Medal of Honor for Veteran's Day. When Chenoa joined the school district, they stayed and helped the kids get to know our buildings and programs. They put on "Tip the Scales of Literacy" to help students to read. These students are elected by the students. They are a member of the I.A.J.H.S.C. organization.

Clark Chaplin is the high school sponsor. They put on the homecoming parade, the homecoming dance. They sponsored The Senior Citizen Thanksgiving dinner. The present money maker is their Blue Crew shirts - 3/4 length & short sleeve. They use their money for homecoming but last year they donated \$5,000 to the Blake Hall family.



Bits & Pieces

We must not only give what we have; we must also give what we are.

Desire-Joseph Mercier (1851-1926)

Cleric and philosopher

The bottom line about success in life isn't whether you are financially successful, but whether you have given of yourself in some way to help others less fortunate than you and to serve your community and your country.

P. Anthony Ridder, Newspaper Executive

CONFIDENTIAL MEMBERSHIP NOTICE				Date	12/02/08
The following individual(s) has(ve) been proposed for membership into the Fairbury Rotary Club and is/are hereby being published as required by Article XI, Section 1,(5) of the Fairbury Rotary Club By-Laws. Written objections to membership admittance, stating reasons, must be received by the Club Secretary not later than 10 days following publication.					
Name	Proposed Classification	Membership	1st/2nd Publication	Proposed by	
Jim Meister	Tool & Die	A	2nd	Steve Weeks /Jason	
Leroy McPherson, Secretary					