THE UNIVERSITY CLUB NEWSLETTER

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THE START OF AUTUMN

As the Fall season begins, ensure to take in every moment. Root on your Mountaineer Football Team as they take on some tough Big 12 teams this season! Also, don't forget our fantastic events we have planned for you this Autumn season!

UPCOMING EVENTS

Next month on October 17 we head on over to Mylan Park to enjoy Rick K and The Allnighters! Mark your calendars for November 20th because you surely won't want to miss an elegant Light Up the Night event on the Gateway Clipper! We will then end our 2015 calendar year with a wreath making workshop at Prickett's Fort on December 5th. If you're interested in one or all of these events, details and costs are further explained in this newsletter!

WELCOME TO JOSEPH HALLEY

The Club wishes a warm welcome to Joseph Halley, our new student worker for this semester. In his fifth year at WVU, Joe is majoring in Civil Engineering and is currently a cadet in the Air Force Reserve Officer Training Corps (AFROTC) at WVU. Born & raised near Harrisburg, PA, he is a third generation Mountaineer! After graduating in May, 2016, Joe plans on becoming a commissioned officer and work as a civil engineer in the US Air Force. His hobbies include skiing, hunting, gardening, and golfing.

NEW WEBSITE COMING

The new University Club website is almost ready for us to work with. It is more modern and in compliance with WVU Branding. It also include some new bells & whistles we think you'll enjoy—more pictures and links to fillable forms.

The October Mountain Explorer Dinner Train excursion has been cancelled due to non-availability of tickets.

Rick K and The Allnighters Saturday, October 17th

Considered America's, "Most Exciting Show Band", Rick K and the Allnighters travel to the Hazel & J.W. Ruby Community Center at Mylan Park on October 17, 2015. This band does it all as they take you through a musical journey from the Fabulous Fifties to the Disco Nights of the 1970's. Why Stop there? This phenomenal talent takes you



through some great musical styles the decades have to offer. This special event is sponsored by the Foundation of Mon General Hospital, and is by reservation only. Take a seat at our table, bring your own food & beverages, and enjoy a fantastic night! See ya there!

Light Up the Night hosted by the Gateway Clipper Fleet Friday, November 20th



There is nothing better than kicking off the holiday season with a dining riverboat tour in the great city of Pittsburgh! Bring along your family, your friends, or that special someone that will make this evening remarkable! We will depart from the Ramada Inn and make our way over to the boarding dock. Once we set sail, the night is yours! More on page 3. You can dance to the rhythmic beats the fleet's DJ has to offer, enjoy the signature Captain's Dinner buffet, or simply gaze upon the Pittsburgh skyline as you sail the Three Rivers. There will be nothing like witnessing this "Light Up the Night" event. Mark your calendars now and don't miss this unbelievable night of fun and memories!



If you are interested in attending any of the events featured in this month's newsletter, please fill out the: <u>University Club Reservation</u> Form on pages 4, 5, & 6.

Wreath Workshop Saturday, December 5th

As the holiday season approaches, consider doing something fun with your family or friends. We're heading down to Fort Prickett's State Park on December 5th to learn how to make our own decorative wreath! Instructors from the Marion County Master Gardeners will



show vou how to make the perfect wreath for your home. If you can, bring a pair of gloves, pruners, and wire cutters. Once you're done, take it home and put your masterpiece on display!

UNIVERSITY CLUB RESERVATION

Rick K and the Allnighter's SATURDAY, October 17th

A Benefit for Mon General Hospital

We will meet at the Hazel & J.W. Ruby Community Center at Mylan Park Dance starts at 8:00

COST FOR MEMBERS:\$15COST FOR NON-MEMBERS:\$20

Cost includes discounted tickets for seats at the University Club table. This event is by reservation only and is non-refundable.

PLEASE RESERVE A PLACE FOR ME: NAMES:

RESERVATION DEADLINE: October 9, 2015

EMAIL YOUR INTENT TO ATTEND: uniclub@mail.wvu.edu

In addition to mailing your check & reservation form.

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO:

The University Club MAIL TO: Loretta Conner, Treasurer, University Club PO Box 6108, Morgantown, WV 26506

UNIVERSITY CLUB RESERVATION

Gateway Clipper — Light Up the Night Pittsburgh, PA FRIDAY, November 20th

Departing from Ramada Inn., Morgantown, WV. Information on travel times will be provided soon.

COST FOR MEMBERS:\$100COST FOR NON-MEMBERS:\$115

<u>THIS IS A NON-REFUNDABLE EVENT</u> and is through another transportation service. <u>There are only a limited number of tickets.</u>

Cost includes bus transportation to and from Pittsburgh, the signature Captain's dinner buffet, holiday lights, and DJ music on the water as you sail the Three Rivers.

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And mail your check & reservation form by November 6.

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UNIVERSITY CLUB RESERVATION

Wreath Workshop Prickett's Fort State Park, WV SATURDAY, December 5th

The workshop is from 1:30 to 4:00 PM Bus departure and return will be announced in the next newsletter.

COST FOR MEMBERS:\$25COST FOR NON-MEMBERS:\$35

Cost includes bus transportation, instruction and craft. Bring gloves, pruners, and wire cutters.

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<u>President's Corner</u>

The new brochure of events will be coming out in a few weeks!

Also the new website will be released soon!

<u>We stíll need your help!</u>

- Are you interested in becoming more active in the administrative aspects of the club?
- Do you have some great ideas that the club can benefit from?
- Are you bored and want to help others at WVU network and have fun?
- Please volunteer to be nominated for an officer position, or to be on a committee.
- It's your club—help make a difference by attending at least 4 annual meetings.
- Feel free to email with your questions.





WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY UNIVERSITY CLUB

MISSION STATEMENT

The West Virginia University Club's mission is to promote

the unity and fellowship essential for the enhancement of the social, educational, and intellectual environment

of West Virginia University.

Help us strengthen the Club as we draw closer to the Centennial Celebration with your membership and participation.

You don't have to be a member to attend events!

To receive our free e-newsletter, please call or email,

and check out our website!

HAVE AN ENJOYABLE YEAR!

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WEST VIRGINIA UNIVERSITY **RETIREES ASSOCIATION**

The WVU Retirees Association is open to all faculty and staff members who are retired and current employees who are in phased retirement or who meet retirement eligibility from West Virginia University (age 60 with 5 years of service or any age with 30 years of service), as well as retirees of the WVU Foundation and the WVU Research Corporation. Spouses and partners are also welcome to join. Our goal is to provide opportunities for the members remain involved with the University Community and with other retirees through activites to include programs, interest groups, travel, volunteerism, health and financial seminars, cultural and social events. Visit their website at http://retirees.wvu.edu.



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