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President's Message - October, 2011

Take the Time!

I would love to think that the regular readers of this column would be disappointed if this month's version didn't make the newsletter, but I know better. Once again, I am writing, and more importantly, submitting it – late! I've been pretty diligent about getting it ready each month for several years now but occasionally miss the deadline. Taking that, and the fact that I make my living talking about motivation, productivity, and time management, and you have to wonder what it is that causes me to be late.

Last weekend, my youngest son got married at Amish Acres in northern Indiana, and my grandson was baptized in Chicago. It was a big weekend and, as usual, had some lessons for me - and hopefully for you, too.

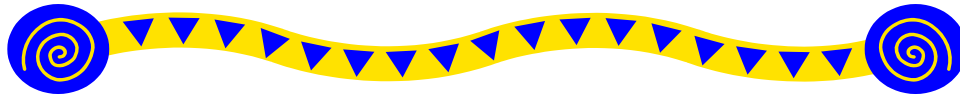
Amish Acres is in Nappanee, Indiana. It is a historic site dedicated to sharing the lifestyle of the Amish people. If you go, you will still see many of the traditional Amish folk traveling about town and the surrounding country in horse drawn buggies, dressed in their traditional plain fashions. The married men wear hats and full beards and the ladies all wear pulled back hair and bonnets. The Amish are a hard working people who prefer to do things today just as they have been done for years. A trip to Amish Acres is a trip back in time - and yet not.

In my business travels, I have passed Amish Acres at least fifty times and never stopped to see it. Oh, what I have missed. It's a place full of wonder, full of interesting people, full of fun, and full of so many things to learn. As I wandered about the grounds, I couldn't get over the irony that the reason I had missed such an interesting place where the people choose to do things more slowly and deliberately was that I was always in so much of a hurry.

Time management isn't about getting everything done quickly. It's about taking the time to do things right and enjoying the experience. It's about choosing your priorities not only so that you get to the next destination, but so that you will also enjoy the trip.

My priorities last week were a wedding, a baptism, and some Hoosier hospitality. The newsletter just had to wait. I hope you (and our Editor) will forgive me.

I'll see you around the neighborhood -- Jim



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NEXT BOARD MEETING

October 20, 2011 - [corrected]

NEXT ASSOCIATION MEETING

November 17, 2011

All meetings are held at St. John's Methodist

Church – Highway 328 at 7:00 PM

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THANK YOU!

A big thank you to those who have so generously contributed baked goods at the Association Meetings.

Contributions are greatly appreciated.

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Directory Changes

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Cromer, Jerry & Denise
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Tel: 854-1152

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36 Needles Dr.
Tel: 237-2797
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Email: jonese@centurylink.net

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Directory Changes Continued

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Purdy, Albert L. & Joyce E.
6 Needles Dr.
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PUNS FOR EDUCATED MINDS

A dog gave birth to puppies near the road and was cited for littering.

Two silk worms had a race. They ended up in a tie.

Atheism is a non-prophet organization.

The soldier who survived mustard gas and pepper spray is now a seasoned veteran.

A midget fortune-teller who escaped from prison was a small medium at large.

Did you hear about the Buddhist who refused Novocain during a root canal? His goal: transcendental medication.





SUNSHINE REPORT

Speedy Recovery cards were sent to Kathleen Head, 5 Nashua Dr and James Sawyer, 13 Lookout Lane.

If you are aware of someone who could benefit from receiving a card, whether due to illness or other reason, please notify Sandy Mollberg, at lenelew@aol.com or by phone at 861-9622.

PLEASE RECYCLE YOUR ALUMINUM CANS TO BENEFIT MWFPOA TREASURY

The recycle point for your aluminum cans is at the front entrance to the Friendship Park on Lake View Drive East. Barrels are provided for that purpose.

Cans that are rinsed, tab tops removed and crushed are our favorites.

Tab tops may go to any charity you know or bring them to meetings to go to Shands Juvenile Kidney Foundation.

ALUMINUM CANS ONLY PLEASE!

Meadow Wood Equine Club Inc (not affiliated with MWFPOA) is a social group of horse oriented people. Guests/Visitors are welcome.

Membership is open to anyone – you do not have to live in Meadow Wood Farms or own a horse to join. Membership is \$5.00 a year. Members receive a 10% discount off “most in store items” at Seminole, Tack Shack and J & J Tack. Must show your membership card. Some Restrictions apply – some items are not discounted such as feed, hay, shavings, and warehouse items, ask store for their details.

For more information, please call: Secretary-Treasurer Kathy Rohlwing at 861-7405, or Vice-President Carol Shockey at 873-4719, or President Leroy Conro at 873-2153.

Pet Registry & Rescue

If you have FOUND or LOST a pet, you can contact Sandy Mollberg at the number shown below. This service is not part of the Association, but rather is a personal service provided free to the residents of Meadow Wood Farms.

Sandy does not take any pets in as a rescue, nor does she place pets in homes for people. If you wish, you can register your pet with her so that she will have them on file if she gets a call for a lost pet.

Sandy Mollberg, phone number:

861-9622

CERT launch and status report:

As I prepare my thoughts for this newsletter update, today is Sunday, Sept. 11th and I cannot help but think of how paramount our training is. Not only for each resident who has decided it's worth their time to take this course, but for Meadow Wood Farms as a whole.

Disasters cannot be compared and they come in several shapes and sizes. Nobody wants to be impacted with such occurrences. For me, watching some of the 9/11 coverage reminded me of hurricane Katrina, Joplin, MO. tornado, the California earthquakes, the Hyatt Regency Hotel collapse, and our eastern coast currently under water. I thought about how we could be in another city, in another area of the country and experience such catastrophes. They are not always weather related either.

This training will not only help us right here at home with our families, animals and property, but we will gain great insight as to who, what, where, when and why we need to educate ourselves for a multitude of catastrophes. At any given moment we could be a part of our nation's history. I surely hope that we never ever are!!

At our first class we were at 100% attendance. There were a few who did not know each other until this group so I see new friendships and unity in the making. Before the instructors started into their first slide, the group was already starting to build camaraderie. The two instructors started with the basics and added commentary of their own. Some joking kept the atmosphere casual, though at this point I cannot add the word lively. Everyone who was there will know exactly what this means!!!

I hope to include one tip in the newsletter and this month I have to think of our animals. During our preparedness for a storm these extended family members are of great importance. **Make sure you have current photos for each animal.** Keep those photos in a dry location. Should they run away and get lost, having the proof to identify them may be critical. There are waterproof identification tags that you can attach to the

mane and tail of a horse for example with your contact information should they escape. Please refer to the Disaster Check List link on our website.

Stay out of harms way,

Team Leader, Deni Buetow



It's Halloween time again!

So let's mark the date for **October 29, 2011**

1:00 – 4:00 PM – In the MWF Friendship Park.

This is also a reminder there will be the traditional **CHILI COOKOFF CONTEST!** As well as the **CAKE WALK.**

Those planning to attend MUST let me know by October 15th. If there are not sufficient participants by that date the Halloween Party will be called off.

Start making plans now, and sign up with me at

akimball2@cfl.rr.com or phone **861-4934.**

Open to MWF residents only!

Toni Kimball

CULINARY TREASURES – Our MWF neighborhood cookbook is now available for purchase at \$12.00 each. They will make a great Christmas (or other) gifts.

Contact Lucretia Van Vorst , 304-8417 or Dick Woodrome, 861-2364

SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER FOR NOVEMBER MEETING

Mark your calendar for the next MWF Association Meeting on Thursday, November 17, 2011—you won't want to miss our guest speaker, Sam Luckey, Supervisor of Marion County's Department of Code Enforcement. He will explain and clarify the department's role in interpreting and enforcing the numerous ordinances governing everything from animals to zoning in the county. Our own Executive Board and Control Committee will complement Mr. Luckey's presentation with information about the MWF Deed Restrictions and Bylaws. Be informed and up-to-date on who handles what and how to pursue your concerns.

Mr. Luckey has asked to hear from us in advance about those items of greatest concern to the neighborhood. If you have general questions, please send an email or call Elizabeth Waller, Vice President, so she can compile these and forward them to Mr. Luckey before the meeting.

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See you there!



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Come join us at any meeting or contact John Allard (33 Wintergreen Way) by email at allardjd@earthlink.net.

TAKE TIME

TAKE TIME TO THINK...

It is the source of power.

TAKE TIME TO PLAY...

It is the secret of perpetual youth.

TAKE TIME TO READ...

It is the fountain of wisdom.

TAKE TIME TO PRAY...

It is the greatest power on earth.

TAKE TIME TO LOVE AND BE LOVED...

It is a God-given privilege.

TAKE TIME TO BE FRIENDLY...

It is the road to happiness.

TAKE TIME TO LAUGH...

It is the music of the soul.

(Author Unknown)

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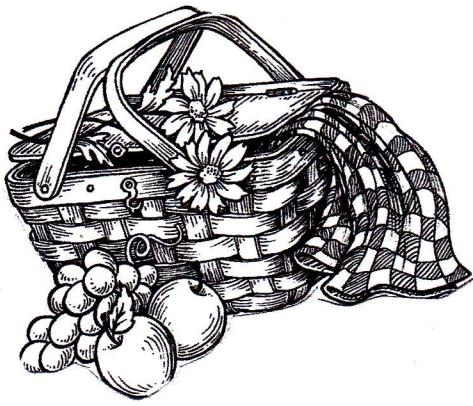
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6:30 PM – 8:30 PM
Friendship Park
MWF Pavilion**

**Bring a covered dish and join in for a night of fun.
Cookbook Contributors please make one of your
recipes, and bring a card with your name, the name of
the recipe and page number of your recipe.
Greet your old friends and make some new ones.**

**The MWF Cookbooks will be on sale for \$12.00. [Check
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to our neighborhood association to be used for
neighborhood improvements.**

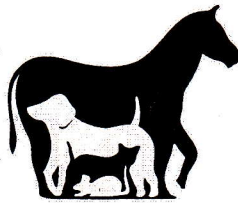
**Baked ham will be furnished as the main dish.
Soft drinks and water will be provided.
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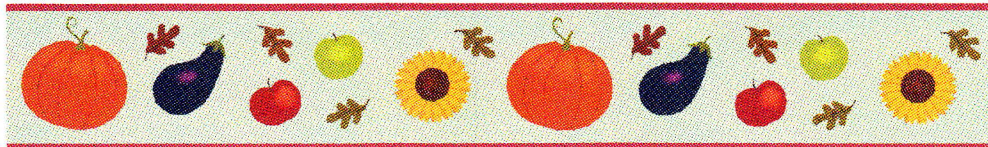
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Quotes About October

October's poplars are flaming torches lighting the way to winter. – Nova S. Blair

October, here's to you. Here's to the heady aroma of the frost-kissed apples, the wine-y spell of ripened grapes, the wild-as-the-wind smell of hickory nuts and the nostalgic whiff of that first wood smoke. – Ken Weber

Autumn is a second spring when every leaf is a flower. – Albert Camus

And close at hand, the basket stood
With nuts from brown October's wood. And close at hand,
the basket stood
With nuts from brown October's wood. – John Greenleaf Whittier, *Snowbound*

Autumn carries more gold in its hand than all the other seasons. – Jim Bishop

Autumn is a season followed immediately by looking forward to spring. – Doug Larson

In the garden, Autumn is, indeed the crowning glory of the year, bringing us the fruition of months of thought and care and toil. And at no season, safe perhaps in Daffodil time, do we get such superb colour effects as from August to November. – Rose G. Kingsley, *The Autumn Garden*

The goldenrod is yellow
The corn is turning brown
The trees in apple orchards
With fruit are bending down.
- Childrens song

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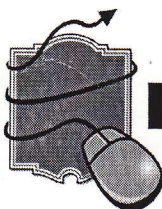


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