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ON THE COVER: Motorcycle enthusiast David Cameron with his Ultra Limited Harley, at his home in Perrysburg. Photographed at Wildwood Metropark are Peter Garforth and Chip Eddy. All photos are by John Kuser.

CLUB **EVENTS** FOR JULY/AUGUST 2022

Please NOTE: The details on any of the events shown on the calendars or mentioned in *Topics* are as accurate as possible at press time. Members are encouraged to check the online event calendars and watch for weekly email updates to get the latest information on event details and Club hours of operations.

MARK YOUR CALENDAR!



JULY

MONDAY	4	Independence Day Athletics open, Dining closed
WEDNESDAY	6	Lunch in the FDR 11 AM-2 PM
WEDNESDAY	13	Lunch in the FDR 11 AM-2 PM
THURSDAY	14	Wine Dinner in the FDR 6-8 PM
FRIDAY	15	Members' Jam 6-8:30 PM (See page 5)
TUESDAY	19	ZIPZ Dinner - Sous Vide Menu by John MacKay 5:30–8:30 PM <i>(See page 16)</i>
WEDNESDAY	20	Lunch in the FDR 11 AM-2 PM
THURSDAY	21	Third Thursday Sports Grill & Tavern, 6 PM Great Books Discussion Group Noon (See page 5)
FRIDAY	22	Party in the Parking Lot 6 PM-Midnight (See page 20)
WEDNESDAY	27	Lunch in the FDR 11 AM-2 PM

AUGUST

TUESDAY	2	First Tuesday in the FDR \mid 6–8 PM		
WEDNESDAY	3	Lunch in the FDR 11 AM-2 PM		
WEDNESDAY	10	Lunch in the FDR 11 AM-2 PM		
WEDNESDAY	17	Lunch in the FDR 11 AM-2 PM		
THURSDAY	18	Third Thursday Sports Grill & Tavern, 6 PM Great Books Discussion Group Noon (See page 5)		
FRIDAY	19	Calypso Caribbean Carnival 6 PM (See page 4)		
SUNDAY	21	CLUB SUMMER SHUTDOWN BEGINS Through September 5: Athletics open, Food and Beverage closed		

SAVE THE DATE

SEPTEMBER 20 ZIPZ Dinner - Polish Menu by Matt and Nella Shock 5:30–8:30 PM (See page 16)

resident's message

Doug Kearns, President 419-842-7848 | dkearns@yarkauto.com



Dear Toledo Club Member.

As I finish writing this Club update, it's approaching 95 degrees and we are preparing for what turned out to be a wonderful

Italian Wine Dinner at the Club. No matter the season there is always a lot going on at your Club, even during what would seem to be the "off-months."

In July, look forward to the First Tuesday dinner on the 5th in the Founders Dining Room, and the ZIPZ Dinner on July 19. Following that is the biggest party of the summer in Toledo — The Toledo Club's very own Party in the Parking Lot on July 22.

We'll take a deep breath in August with a number of facility projects to complete, then on to a jam-packed fall at the Club, including the initial plans for a Club Anniversary Gala. Stay tuned for more details.

Need more reasons to come down? How about bocce ball and the Club's outdoor patio? Or just speak to anyone who has held a recent event at the Club, gone to one of the wine, whisky or beer special dinners, or maybe had dinner in the Overlook, and you will hear a pretty consistent response.—the setting and service was wonderful and the food was excellent. I think this is what we all expect from The Toledo Club: an excellent experience and meal from Chef Sean that you will not find anywhere else in Toledo.

I am also very excited to announce even more value in your Toledo Club membership. We have been able to restart four excellent local reciprocal dining arrangements with Inverness Club, Sylvania Country Club, Toledo Country Club and Carranor Hunt and Polo Club. See all the details on page 13.

In closing, we are at a point where we really need to start growing our post-COVID membership back to a healthy level, and we need your help. I know I sound like a broken record as I have said this in every President's update since becoming the Club's president last fall, so here I go again... If you have not brought a guest to the Club for dinner or an event, and/or referred a prospective member lately, please step up. Members drive membership, plain and simple. Don't keep the Club a best-kept secret.

Please also be on the lookout for an upcoming Toledo Club Executive Committee update.

So for now, stay cool and use your Club!

Thank you,

Doug

New Members

Rachel Keesey Intermediate I

Daniel Tipping Resident

George Asay Honorary

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Anniversaries

JULY

Dennis G. Johnson	1972	49 years
Elizabeth B. McKinney	1972	49 years
George J. Eistetter	1978	43 years
Mark C. Zeller	1978	43 years
David P. Miller	1979	42 years
Frederick W. Schwier	1979	42 years
Charles R. Schaub	1980	41 years
Timothy L. Schmidt	1981	40 years
Mary Helen Williams	1983	38 years
Craig A. Joseph	1985	36 years
Jeffrey T. Urbanski	1987	34 years
Antonio Lamantia	1990	31 years
John J. Dooner	1994	27 years
Fred J. Harrington	1994	27 years
Mario N. Procaccini	1994	27 years
Sharon S. Speyer	2001	20 years
Carl Morton	2002	19 years
John Leslie	2005	16 years
Richard Effler	2006	15 years
K. Tyson Fankhauser	2006	15 years
Kirkland Mizerek	2008	13 years
James H. Hartung	2010	11 years
Brian Trauring	2011	10 years
John M. Skeldon	2011	10 years

AUGUST

1971	50 years
1972	49 years
1977	44 years
1982	39 years
1984	37 years
1985	36 years
1986	35 years
1986	35 years
1994	27 years
1999	22 years
2001	20 years
2004	17 years
2010	11 years
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Memoriam

Our heartfelt condolences to the family of a long-time Toledo Club member who has recently passed away:

Bob Lucas ~ June 10, 2022 Bob joined the Club in November, 1986, and was a member until May, 2020.

THE CHARLOTTE HALL Excellence in Service **AWARD**

We are delighted to announce the first annual award honoring the warm and caring service we all remember from Charlotte. No one was ever a stranger and all were met with a smile and a promise of wonderful times at The Toledo Club.



To honor our current staff who perform in the spirit of Charlotte, the Board has created the CHARLOTTE HALL EXECELLENCE IN SERVICE AWARD. This will be presented to an employee, chosen by the Board, at the end of the Club's fiscal year. The employee chosen will have reliably demonstrated excellent service, a caring attitude toward members, and the ability to inspire others with their performance of duties. The award includes a \$500 bonus for the person honored.



◀ This year, the first honoree will be Shirley Shields.

Shirley has clearly followed in Charlotte's footsteps with her warm and welcoming attitude, and quickness to do what is needed to provide top service. Her long time at the Club has won her many friends who, we are sure, will be glad to congratulate Shirley on the award.

More information on Shirley and her career at the Club can be found on page 22 in this issue of Topics.

Welcome!

Christina Westmark

The Toledo Club's new **Executive Assistant and** Membership Coordinator



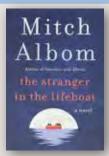




Thursday, July 21 Noon

The Stranger in the Lifeboat by Mitch Albom

Moderator: Ed Weber





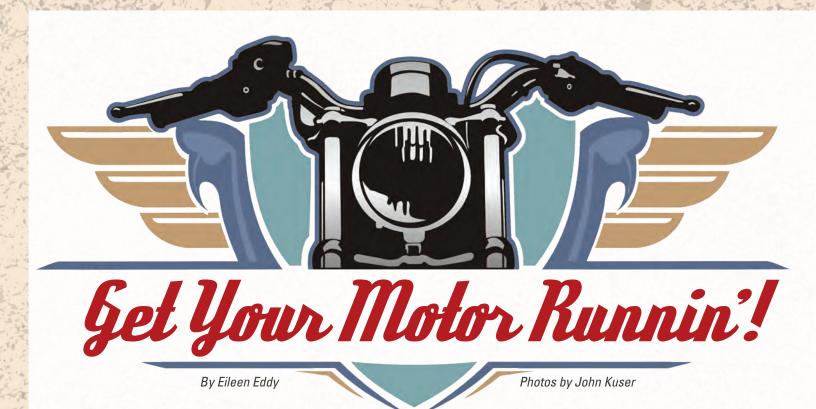
Thursday, August 18 Noon

Black Yellowdogs:

The Most Dangerous Citizen is Not Armed, But Uninformed by Ben Kinchlow

Moderator: Ron McMaster

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he motorcycle. Often misunderstood, often unappreciated. We tend to think of the motorcycle as a two-wheeled symbol of rebellion, the vehicle choice of the unlawful troublemaker.

But that wasn't always the case, and it certainly does not describe many motorcycle owners today. The motorcycle started out as a motorized "Penny-Farthing" big-wheeled bicycle. Its purpose? Economical transportation at the start of the age of the automobile. But the motorcycle turned out to be an important invention that actually helped to win two World Wars. After World War II, many of the men that had used motorcycles during the war purchased a bike when they returned home. They formed clubs for riding and camaraderie, and were coined "bikers." They didn't have a bad reputation, but that soon changed due to the press and Hollywood. In 1947, newspapers across the nation wrote about the "Hollister

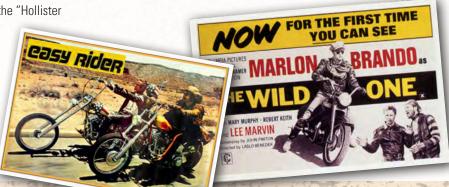
Riots." This gathering of biking club members in Hollister. California drew far more attendees than expected. Afterwards, they left behind some minor damage, but newspapers painted a picture

of bikers that were out of control, tearing up everything in sight. This left much of the public fearing motorcyclists, while the 'bad boys' of the day were inspired. Then in 1953 along came the movie The Wild One, starring Marlon Brando. On a motorcycle, decked out in full leathers with his "gang" riding behind, it sparked more fear from the public, while also giving "bad boys" yet another person/ look to aspire to. Photos appear of James Dean with his bike, looking tough and menacing. The Hell's Angels were formed in 1948, and received a lot of press, much of it reinforcing the perception of bikers as a criminal gang. Then 1969 brought us Easy Rider, a more thought-provoking counterculture film, but the movie still held on to the rough and tumble image of motorcycle riders.

Unfortunately, while the motorcycle was a proven form of economical transportation and an important piece of equipment in war time, it suddenly had a bad reputation, thought to be the choice of the rebel.

At one time the vast majority of motorcycle owners were blue-collar workers, most being men that wanted a cost-efficient mode of transportation. Originally, many motorbike owners were teens. Today over 30% of motorcycle owners are white-collar professionals, compared to just 6% in 2003. There is a motorcycle club comprised of Merrill Lynch employees that goes by the name of "The Lynch Mob," proof that the reputation and demographic of the motorcyclist is definitely changing. Motorbikes are still popular with those under 20, but are also enjoyed by adult urban dwellers, some for economics and others that choose to be environmentally friendly. When a biker pulls up next to you at a traffic

> light it could very well be your investment banker or your kid's orthodontist. And three of our Toledo Club members are a good example of respected, adult professionals that love their bikes.



lub members David Cameron,
Peter Garforth and Charles Eddy
all love their two-wheeled toys.
Although they were in different corners of
the earth in their youth, all three have a
similar story of how and when they became
enamored with motorized two-wheelers at
a very young age. They were all inspired by
another person who owned a motor-driven
bike. And all three have continued the
interest for several decades since.

Dave Cameron has been riding motorcycles since the age of 13. He knew another young man with a Honda 305 two-cycle bike, tried it and decided he had to have one. As Dave says, "it's a lot more fun than pedalling." So that was it—he was hooked. And so, Dave bought his first bike while still in high school.

It was very enjoyable speaking with Dave about his love for motorcycles. You can see in his eyes and hear in his voice the compassion that he







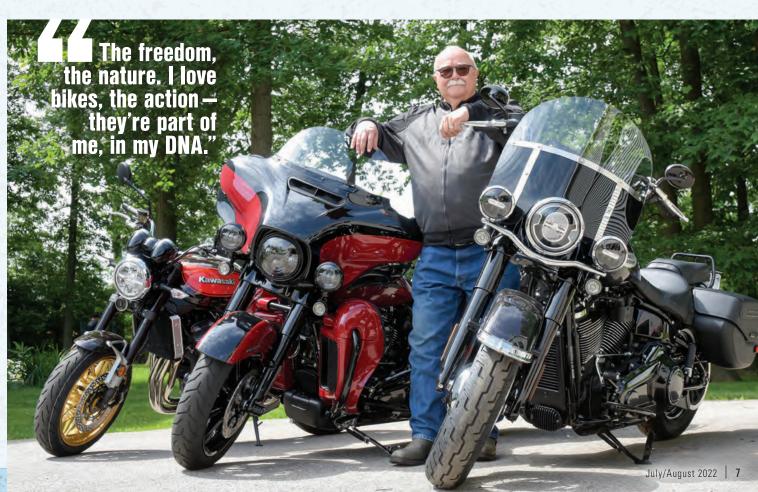
has for his bikes. He spoke about the various bikes he has owned throughout his life which are too many to list, and include Honda Gold Wing, Suzuki, Kawasaki, Ducati, Triumph and, of course, Harley-Davidson.® Japanese, British, American—you name it. In his estimation he has owned about 55 motorcycles throughout the years. Dave just loves bikes. He still rides Harleys to this day.

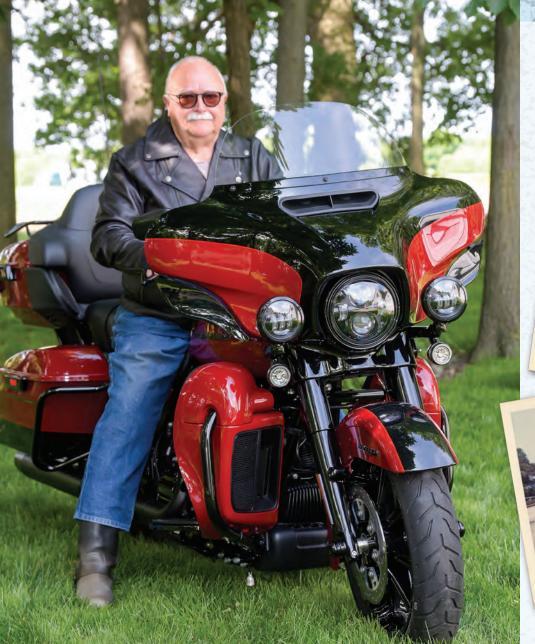
I asked if Dave's current bikes were customized. He said they are not, but both are definitely top-of-the-line. His current Harleys are an Ultra Limited in a gorgeous shade of red, and an all-black Heritage Special Softail. He also has a rather rare (50th Anniversary edition) 2022 Kawasaki Z900.

Dave doesn't work on the mechanics of his motorcycles, but he does clean, polish and maintain his bikes. He told me that he keeps them immaculately clean, or as he says, "you can eat off of the bottom of my bikes." No bug juice on his Harleys!

From bee stings to spills, many are the hazards to a motorcyclist. Dave spoke of these and of being so cold on a ride in upstate New York that he was almost "absolutely frozen." Dave states that the sport is not for the weak. Once again referring to the bee stings, Dave says, "if you can't handle the stings, it's not your hobby." That's why proper riding gear is a must. Yep, Dave does the whole black leather look. For intimidation? Absolutely not. It's for protection. Helmets protect your head, leather protects your skin, and strategically placed plates protect vulnerable bones and joints. Does it still look cool? Well, yeah, but that's just a fringe benefit. A pretty good one.

Dave sometimes rides alone, but also takes long road trips with his wife Beverly, whom





(Below) That is indeed Dave in 1972 as he prepares to head out on a trip to the Colorado Rockies with a buddy, and then making some adjustments to his bike along the way.











he refers to as his co-pilot. "She's the one who does the navigation with the GPS. She's a good sport," says Dave. They sometimes travel with others to biking events and fundraisers. They've travelled far and wide and experienced everything from Chicago traffic jams to the beauty of the Smoky Mountains, Maine, the Adirondacks, and much more. Two very important road trips stand out. Dave had the honor of attending both the 95th and 105th anniversaries of Harley-Davidson in Milwaukee. While in Milwaukee, Dave was the lucky

winner of a fundraiser lottery prize, the prize being a private tour of the Milwaukee Harley-Davidson factory.

I also talked to Dave about the misconception of being a rebel if you own a bike. He said he hasn't had a lot of issues with people, but does know that the stigma is still there and tends to hide his bike at times.

I asked Dave to give me his "why," what it is he loves so much about motorcycles. His answer: "Just fun! I started in Junior High with no break. The freedom, nature. I love bikes, the action —they're part of me, in my DNA. My daughter Mandy even has a [Harley-Davidson] Sportster!"

Peter Garforth was

British-born, and raised in Sutton, Surrey, England, now a part of London. In Great Britain, the motorbike and motorcycle are more of a way of life than a hobby. As Peter said, "it was transport, not a toy." Peter now spends most of his time split between his homes in Ottawa Hills, in California, and in Belgium. He still has bikes, but now as a hobby.

When Peter grew up in Britain it was the heyday of the British bikes. At the time, British bike manufacturers had global dominance of the motorcycle market—Triumph, Norton, Vincent, AJS and BSA, to name a few. Today only Triumph survives. Aptly named, the bike manufacturer was able to keep up with industry changes.

Peter's first encounter with motorcycles was at the age of 15. He started riding borrowed bikes at that age (which, as Peter pointed out, meant he was not riding legally). He got his first bike at the age of 18 when he went north to university in Manchester. His first bike was a small BSA Benson. After that he had a DKW Hoby 75cc scooter, and from there went to a Blackburne. Then he met Valerie, then marriage, and then no more bikes until 1998. But he never lost the interest or the desire to own a bike; consequently, Peter's back in the motorcycle game. He now owns three bikes, two of which he keeps here and one at his home in California.

One of Peter's motorcycles is a 1955 Enfield. This British brand has an important place in history. Enfield was a big contributor to both World War I and World War II efforts. A special side car with a Vickers machine gun was designed for World War I use. In 1940,





the company developed a special lightweight 125cc bike that could be dropped by parachute. Dubbed "The Flying Flea," this bike is credited with making an enormous contribution to the war effort. The post-war Enfield models like Peter owns were made in England until 1955. The Royal Enfield Cycle Company then partnered with Madras Motors and formed Enfield of India. At first the Enfield of India bikes were made in India using British-made parts. Starting in 1957, machinery from the English factory was moved to India. By 1962 all Enfields were of 100% Indian manufacture. You can go to India today and purchase what is basically the same iconic bike fresh from the factory. Enfield is a standout spectacle on the streets today. Peter's 1955 Enfield with side car is very popular with the public. When taken to Costco for a grocery run, onlookers marvel at the side car serving as a convenient boot (or trunk, as we would say in the states).

Another bike in the Garforth collection is a Triumph Bonneville. The Bonneville was so named due to Johnny Allen's land-speed record runs at the Salt Flats in 1956, which broke the world land-speed record at the time. The Garforths also garage a 145 hp triple water-cooled Triumph Sprint at their California home. "It's more fun there" says Peter.

Unlike Dave, Peter prefers to ride alone. He feels that to join with others defeats the purpose. He likes the escape of a solo ride. He likened it to sailing. On rare occasions, Peter's wife Valerie will join him for a fundraiser or other special event, but she generally prefers not to accompany him.

Peter also wears protective gear, but not the leathers, as bikers call them. He has an armored jacket with special protective abilities built in, and spiffy racing stripes. But even in motorcycle boots, helmet and jacket, Peter is still the quintessential British gent in his signature ascot.

I asked Peter if he had ever been the subject of disrespect due to the motorcycle stigma. He said not with his bikes, as they are not "aggressive-style" bikes. In his words, "Quite the reverse. They're curious."

he Whizzer **Pacemaker that** Chip owns is a rare bike.

Charles Eddy (aka Chip) spent most of his childhood and teen years overseas. His first encounter with a motorized bike was in Jamaica. A horse racing jockey named Richard DePasse spent training time at the stables where Chip kept his horse. The jockey found that he was staying near Chip's home and give him a lift home on the back of his Honda. Later he let Chip try the bike out. Chip was only 10 years old, but has been very fond of

A few years later Chip made his own motor bike from spares. He found an old bicycle and a lawn mower engine to build his one-of-a-kind bike. Then the Eddy family moved to England. At the age of 15 he acquired a 1969 Triumph Trident. As

motorized bikes ever since.



Peter pointed out he wasn't legal to ride at that age, but his parents must have been unaware of the laws there. Then on his return to the states at 17 years old he acquired a Honda 350, which he rode for several years.

Upon his move to Toledo as a young adult, Chip bought a 1981 Harley-Davidson Super Glide. This is the bike he rode until about 1998. Upon the arrival of a daughter that could not partake in the fun of motorcycling, Chip's attention turned in the direction of antique and vintage autos that she could enjoy too. But he had to still have a two-wheeled toy. His current bike is a 1948 Whizzer Pacemaker.

The Pacemaker that Chip owns is a rare bike. Whizzer sold kits to transform two-wheel bicycles into motorbikes. The most popular bike to convert was Schwinn. It wasn't until 1948 that Whizzer started to sell a complete bike. The Pacemaker made its debut on a frame built by the Cleveland Welding Company. Schwinn

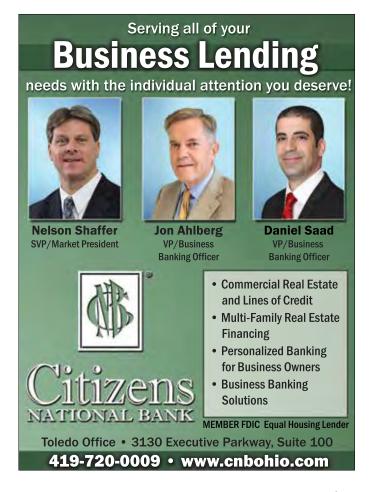
threatened to sue as they said the frame was too much like theirs. Whizzer decided not to fight it and began to use Schwinn frames. Of the over 330,000 bikes sold, only 1,000 were Cleveland frames. The Whizzer was promoted for fuel economy. They tried to reach businessmen of the 1950s with an ad campaign that was about savings from not riding the bus or driving a gas-guzzling V8. Something I found interesting is that James Dean's first bike was a Whizzer.

In summation, the motorcycle has a rich history, and a few of our Club members truly appreciate that history and the machines themselves. Motorcyclists aren't all tough guys.

Author's note: I owned a Suzuki GT750 (aka the Water Buffalo) for a short time in the 1990s. I get it— I love anything with wheels.







Membership update

By Bill Wolff Membership Committee



Calling All Former Members: WE WANT YOU BACK!

Looking back on the 30-plus years that we have been members of The Toledo Club, Amy and I look fondly on the friends we have

made over those years—so many people of all ages and interests, with the common bond of the Club. Most of those continue today with both members and former members.

This is where our next drive for membership comes in. The Board and the membership committee would like to invite our former members to come back home to The Toledo **Club** and join us once again.

As a former member, they may rejoin for a one-year promotional rate of \$185/month or \$1,800 pre-paid.* Age-appropriate food minimums will still apply. So, if you have some old friends that you would like to see back down at the Club, please reach out to them and let them know about this great offer!

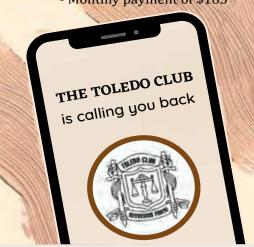
*12-month commitment is required. After 12 months, membership rate will increase, and after 24 months the rate will convert to age-appropriate rates.

We've missed you...

Rejoin the Toledo Club by 8/31 and receive your choice of the following promotional rates*:

- Single upfront payment of \$1,800 for the full membership year

- Monthly payment of \$185





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As a reminder to all of you, and to note in case you are inviting former members to rejoin, the ClubCorp benefit is free to **all members.** The Toledo Club is part of the ClubCorp Alliance Network of Clubs, which will provide access for our members above and beyond our existing reciprocal arrangements already in place. Along with access to the more than 400 ClubCorpowned-and-operated private clubs and the Alliance clubs like The Toledo Club, our members also enjoy special offerings at more than 1,000 hotels, resorts and entertainment venues. The Alliance membership is just another privilege of membership at The Toledo Club (qualifying membership categories only).

Members also have the option of **upgrading**, for a monthly fee of only \$50, to the Signature Gold level of Club Alliance membership, which provides complimentary golf and meals. Contact Christina Westmark for further details and a Signature Gold membership form.

Finally, please see the current local reciprocal benefits offered at local clubs for the summer on the next page.

Being a member of The Toledo Club not only offers our amazing facilities and benefits, but also access to hundreds of additional clubs around the country, along with social and golf clubs right here in our backyard.

See you at the Club. @





Toledo Club members can take advantage of our reciprocity relationship with the local clubs listed below. Each club requires payment by credit card at time of service.

Highland Meadows: GOLF and DINING

GOLF: Cost is \$115 with cart, May through September. No Friday afternoons or Saturday mornings. Closed for the Dana Open (August 29-September 4). \$70 weather permitting the rest of the year.

For tee times or dining reservations, call: 419-882-4040.

Stone Oak Country Club: GOLF and DINING

Cost is \$95 with cart weekdays or weekend afternoons.

For tee times or dining reservations, call: 419-867-8400.

Inverness: DINING Options

To make dining reservations, call: 419-578-9000.

Toledo Country Club: DINING Options

To make dining reservations, call: 419-382-3416.

Sylvania Country Club: DINING Options

To make dining reservations, call: 419-882-2082.

Carranor Hunt & Polo Club: DINING Options

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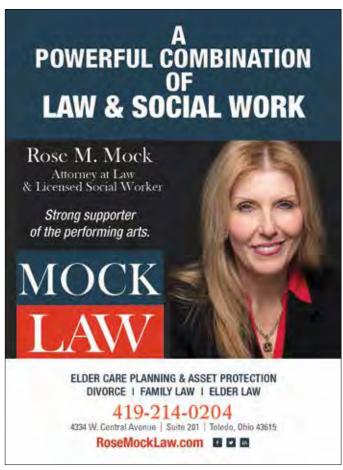


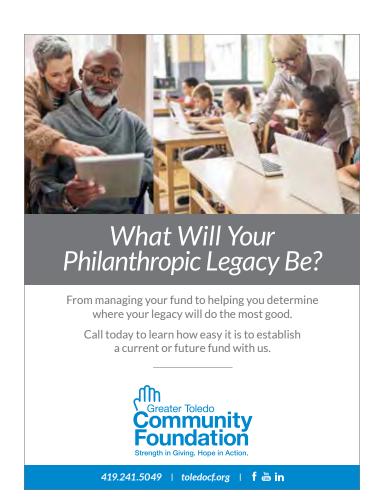
















Dave Cameron is once again the excitement "whipper upper" for the Club's

ZIPZ DINNERS!

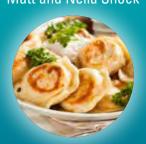
July 19 5:30-8:30 PM

Sous Vide menu from John MacKay



If you have yet to experienced this professional cooking technique, you're in for a treat!

September 20 5:30-8:30 PM Polish menu from Matt and Nella Shock



Join your fellow members in enjoying some tasty Polish dishes!

Join the fun!

RESERVATIONS REQUIRED

JULY 2022

Dining

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
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Dining in the **Sports Grill & Tavern**

New Tavern Hours through September 1: Wednesday 5-9 PM*

Thursday and Friday 11 AM-2 PM / 5-9 PM*

*UNLESS a special event is held at the same time. Please refer to the event calendars at toledoclub.org for the most up-to-date dining hours and locations.

Dining in the Founders Dining Room in July and August

(reservations required):

Thursday, July 14 Wine Dinner

Tuesday, July 19 ZIPZ Dinner

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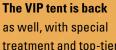


This year's PPL, on 7-22-22, is back bigger and better than ever.

Music? We've got you covered, with returning headline band "Rumours," the Fleetwood Mac tribute band, and "Hear Now," led by Toledo Club member Paul Jacoby, on the more intimate inside stage. Kicking off on the outside stage will be the soothing sounds of "Chloe and the Steel Strings," a great local band that just cut their first album, and in the Red Room, Toledo Club favorites "Chris Brown and Candice Coleman." They're always a huge hit when they play the PPL.

Food? Oh yeah! We've got Fat Boyz burgers, Antojitos Laredos tacos, We Be Ribs BBQ, and southern fare from Stella Blue Mobile Kitchen. There'll be something for everybody with this variety of offerings from some of Toledo's favorite food trucks.

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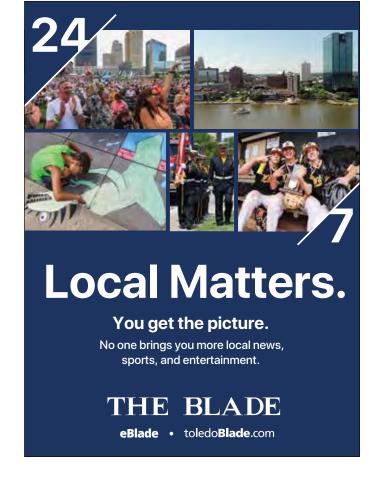


This year's charity beneficiary is Nature's Nursery, a local 501(C)(3) dedicated to

Wildlife Rehabilitation and Conservation Education.

Individual tickets will also be available for \$15. in advance.

SPONSORSHIPS: The deadline for sponsorships is July 6, and now's the time to jump on it. They sold out last year, so don't wait till the last minute. Contact Tom Baird at tom@toledocpas.com to get your logo included and your tix reserved in the promotional materials for Toledo's ultimate summer party.





Staff SPOTLIGHT

Shirley Shields, left, shares a moment with Charlotte Hall and musician Jim Gottron.

Shirley Shields

Recipient of the Charlotte Hall Excellence in Service Award

By Judy Finkel

"Oh, I'm home!" Shirley Shields (Main Dining Room and Night Manager) said, the first time she came to work at The Toledo Club. She was first hired for one day, but she didn't get to work because of an accident. Two weeks later, after recovering from the accident, the Club called her back. After passing a two-hour telephone test, she was immediately rehired.

Shirley had previously worked as a waitress at Frisch's Big Boy and then started as a hat check girl at the Toledo Yacht Club. In her ten years there, she worked her way up the ladder, rising to head waitress. When she eventually left the Yacht Club, Shirley received a gift and a standing ovation from the members and staff for her dedication.

Shirley takes her job at The Toledo Club seriously, and over the years has worked under thirteen general managers. She remembers when the Club had staff meetings where problems and suggestions were raised and discussed. Shirley also reminisced about receiving saving bonds for perfect attendance and never being late. She still has several of those bonds that have now matured and are still earning interest.

After coming to work at The Toledo Club, she was trained in wine service, table settings and various ways to fold napkins. Shirley served as the union representative at the Club for





about ten years, attending the Chicago Forum and negotiating contracts for the staff.

Shirley has had the joy of three children, and the heartache of losing all three. Her daughter Kimberly worked as a waitress at the Club for 10 years, and passed away two years ago from a heart attack. Her oldest daughter Tracy died of cervical cancer, and her son Roger was killed in an auto accident at age 17. Because Shirley's grandson perished in a fire, she has raised two of her great-grandchildren for the past six-and-a-half years. Ultimately, she raised three children, four grandsons and two great-grandchildren by herself. They have all moved to Texas, so Shirley is now an empty nester.

I asked Shirley what she likes best about working at the Club. She replied, "My favorite part about working at The Toledo Club is all the members and staff—it's like a second family to me. I've met so many wonderful people that have helped me through the years, people who have listened to me as I have listened to them. There are special groups, like the Foster Group and the Wednesday Nooners, who've helped me through so many difficult times."

Shirley has many stories of unforgettable member encounters. One day, a lady was sitting at a table and smoke started billowing out of the wall (it was an electrical fire). "I went to her and said, 'I'm afraid we're going to have to leave.' The woman responded, 'What do you mean?' I said, "Don't you see the smoke coming out of the wall?" In an irritated voice the woman said, "Does this mean I'm not getting my salad?" I told her, "Ma'am, please come with me and I'll bring your salad to the parking lot." She also remembers one Mother's Day when a gentleman arrived for dinner, sat down on the bench behind her, and passed away.

Shirley has officiated at many memorable dinners and, in addition to receiving the Club's first Charlotte Hall Excellence in Service Award, has received other awards for her service at The Toledo Club. In the past, General Manager Charles T. McKnight awarded Shirley the Team Member of the Month Award for Dedicated Service to Members and Staff. She was also proud to have received The Châine Des Rotisseurs Certificate of Award for outstanding professionalism and dedication for Le Dinner, February 19, 1994. The Châine Dinners were very orchestrated, with staff wearing special uniforms and gloves. Service was timed and everyone had to work in unison. Waitstaff had to be invited to participate.

Shirley has waited on some families for three generations, and has been requested to work for special parties and weddings. She hopes to stay at the Club as long as she is needed, which, given her dedication to the Club, should be quite some time. ©























Squash News

Eddie Charlton, Athletic and Squash Director 419-254-2962 echarlton@ToledoClub.org



Eddie Charlton

Summer is Here!

Things have slowed down in Athletics as is customary for the time of year, but make no mistake —for those still wanting to work out, we have the Tri One, Tri All challenge consisting of running, biking and swimming. We have the

Summer Box League for those wanting to keep their eye on the squash courts through the summer months, golf outings for our members, and various outdoor patio events. It's still a great time to stay active!

Charleston Invitational 2022

Back in early June we embarked on another successful trip south to the Charleston Invitational. Chad Bolles, Ian Andrews, Jeff Levesque, Tim Kalucki and I played in the event and had a wonderful time down there. The food was fantastic, and the club welcomed us with open arms. We also recruited a few players to return to our Club for the Squash Classic next year, and guaranteed them a good time.

All the guys performed well, considering they were playing on the "bigger courts." I managed to take home the Pro Invitational, beating childhood idle and former world #1 John White in the semi-finals (granted he's probably 40 lbs. heavier nowadays!) and Zambian Patrick Chifunda in the finals. Chad Bolles worked his way through the 4.0 division nicely to setup a rematch with his rival from last year's event. Bolles, who was fighting a lack of sleep and a couple (!) of beers the night before, put up a good fight, narrowly losing in four well-contested games. Jeff Levesque also made it to his respective final in the 3.5 division at the expense of friend and training partner Tim Kalucki. Jeff came up against an up-and-comer in the finals who was less than half his age, but that didn't stop him. Jeff played clinically in game one to show the youngster that he had a match on his hands. The rallies were tough, but Levesque held tough, narrowly losing games two and

Toledo Club Golf Outing 2022MAUMEE BAY STATE PARK GOLF COURSE Friday, July 29 **Shotgun start at noon** \$85 pp (includes food and a gift) E-mail: echarlton@toledoclub.org to sign up SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABL

After some fierce squash competition at the Charleston Open, Chad, Jeff, Tim and Eddie get ready to hit the links.



three. The crowd was hoping for more, but it wasn't to be, as youth got the better of experience. Still, a great match from Jeff. Tim and lan both lost out in the semi-finals of their divisions, but nevertheless played some good squash with plenty of positives to take away from the weekend. It's worth mentioning that we also had some fun on the golf course. On Friday morning we played Dunes West as part of ClubCorp (more to come on that shortly), and on Sunday after the squash had concluded, we played the Osprey Course at the beautiful Kiawah Island. Thanks to Chad and Jeff for allowing Tim and me the victory. These Toledo Club road trips are a fun way of meeting new people, testing your game out and visiting some stunning locations. We hope to see you on one of these trips soon!

Pickleball & Bocce at the Club

Did you know you can play both pickleball and bocce here at The Toledo

Club? All the equipment you need is available from the front desk. Why not reserve in advance and

> bring a group of friends? Pickleball is one of the world's fastest growing racket sports and has exploded across the U.S. It is a userfriendly game that is very easy to pick up and fun to play. The game is played as singles or doubles with no over-head

volleys allowed close to the net (in the area

known as the kitchen). If you haven't played before you should give it a try! Bocce ball was introduced last year and is a fun social game best played with a drink in-hand. Like pickleball, it can be played as singles or doubles, and involves throwing your ball closest to the small white ball known as the pallino. After all of the balls have been thrown, the closest ball(s) to the pallino score points. Book the bocce court via Club Locker. (If you don't have a Club Locker account, don't hesitate to email me.)

Summer Box League May-September | \$10 per person

Don't forget the Summer Box League goes through the summer months and offers players of all levels the chance to compete during the off season. If you'd like to get added to the league at any time, or are just interested in learning more about the game of squash, contact Eddie or Tron.

Take Advantage of ClubCorp!

As some of you may know, one of the perks of being a full member of The Toledo Club is having access to ClubCorp. ClubCorp provides you with reciprocity to hundreds of other private clubs around the world. Whether it be dinner on a work trip or a golf trip with the family, you have access to some of the best clubs through ClubCorp. As an example, you could visit the Jack Nicklaus-designed TPC Michigan located in Dearborn. Pay the guest green fee and take a guest with you, too. ClubCorp also offers the "Signature Gold" membership which, for an additional monthly fee of \$50, reduces your fees at golf courses to cart fee only. Play at Pinehurst, TPC Michigan or one of the other hundreds of course and only pay a cart fee! You can see more information about the benefits of ClubCorp on page 12.



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SQUASH AWARDS NIGHT RESULTS

(Right) Sarah Berling, Ladies Club Champion for another year.





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(Above) 2022 Sportsmanship Award Recipient Steve Turner (sixth from left) with previous winners of the award.

(Right) Our fantastic squash committee (from left): Nick Demarco, Craig Witherell, Drew Snell, Jeff Levesque, Kevin Carmony, Chad Bolles, John Skeldon, Laura Berling, Alicia Huckaby, Eddie Charlton, and squash committee chairman Rich Effler.







Lynette Glorioso

Stay Active This Summer!

We all want to look good and feel our best in these summer months, so why is it so hard to stick to that commitment we made earlier in the year

to stay active? Well, let's see...family vacations, a busier social calendar, just not feeling motivated. It's okay, it happens to the best of us, including me. That's why we need to remember that with the warmer temps, there are plenty of fun outdoor activities to keep you in shape!

Here are a few suggestions:

- **Work out outdoors.** It's always more enjoyable, so grab a friend, plug into your favorite motivational playlist and take a walk, run or ride a bike. Better yet, try a variety of local parks for a beautiful setting no matter where you are this summer. Scan this QR code for a playlist made just for our Toledo Club members to help you stay motivated while working out!
- Practice swimming at a local pool or even the lake at your cottage. Swimming is one of the best full body workouts you can do, as it works every single muscle in your body. If you're new at swimming, please make sure you have a buddy to watch for you. If you would like to perfect those strokes, join our Master Swim class that meets on Thursdays at 5:15 PM at the Club.
- Try a new summer sport such as kayaking, paddle boarding, sand volleyball or pickleball. Kayaks and paddle boards are available for rent around the Toledo area.
- ▶ Join the TRI ONE, TRI ALL Challenge that runs until Labor Day, where you can run, bike or swim from wherever you are and log in your miles for great prizes. Do one event, two or really embrace the challenge and do all three! To register, email me at fitness@toledoclub.org with the event(s) you want to participate in.

Welcome **Ashley Forche!**

Please join us in welcoming Ashley Forche to our Fitness department. She will be teaching the Tuesday night 5:30 PM Yoga class. Ashley's style of teaching is rooted in Ashtanga, a Vinyasa style of yoga that is dynamic yet



disciplined in nature. In reference to what to expect in class, she said, "We build strength through repetition, while focusing on energy and synchronizing movement with breath." Please join Ashley on Tuesday evenings outside through August when the weather is cooperating. Otherwise, class will be in the Garden Group Exercise Room on the fifth floor

IT'S NOT TOO LATE TO TRI!



Enjoy the summer, stay active and try something new!

Lynette

Spring Kids Swim Program Provided Stroke Techniques and Conditioning

A group of Toledo Club kids made a splash in the pool this spring with the Club's Kids Swim program. The six-week series was aimed at improving stroke techniques and worked on getting the kids conditioned to be swim-ready as summer approached. Their workouts were followed by games and fun with water balloons.





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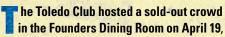




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for a dinner to help raise awareness and funds to help Ukraine as it resists the brutal Russian invasion. The event was scheduled on the date set for the ZIPZ Dinner, and attendees feasted on a special buffet with Ukrainian recipes from The Blade's Food Editor Mary Bilyeu, expertly crafted and presented by Chef Sean.

After dinner, guests were treated to a presentation by U.S. Representative Marcy Kaptur, who recounted in words and photos, her first trip to Ukraine in the 1980s to discover her family roots in Ukraine, when the country was still part of the Soviet Union and known as "the Ukraine." Her presentation continued with an update on her trip to Poland's border with Ukraine just weeks ago, where she met with U.S. soldiers working to move critical weapons and supplies into Ukraine, as well as with Ukrainian refugees fleeing the Russian attacks. Wendy Pestrue, **CEO of United Way of Greater Toledo,** followed with a review of her organization's efforts to support Ukraine's people, and encouraged contributions to a special "United for Ukraine" fund to help in that effort.

The crowd left with a better understanding of the current situation in Ukraine, and with the satisfaction of having made a financial contribution that will make a difference in the lives of the people of Ukraine, as they resist the Russian invasion and deal with the harsh realities of war.

- By Dave Karmol | Photos by Kurt Nielsen





















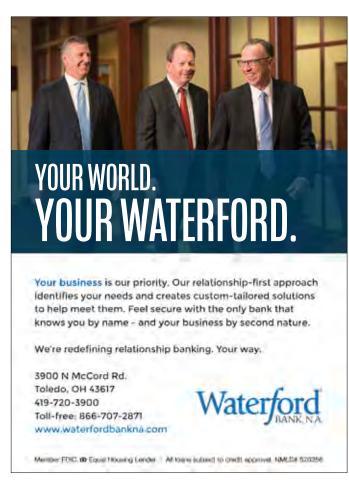








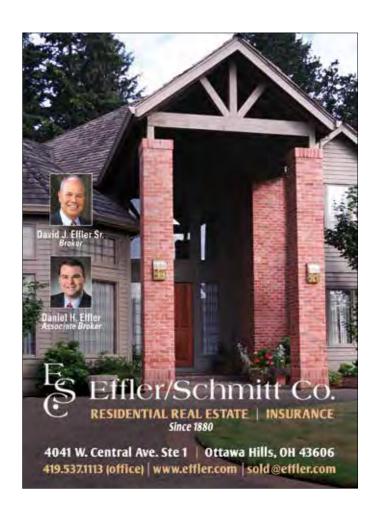








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