

JUNE 2019

## SOCIAL COMMITTEE DINNER JUNE 22

Save the date! Saturday, June 22 we will hold another one of our famous Social Committee meetings, to plan our activities for the remainder of the academic year.

We had so many great ideas come up at our last meeting, we haven't had time to schedule all the cool events suggested. So at this gathering we will plan out the spring and summer months with as many exciting events as possible.

The location this time is Matt the Millers Tavern, 1400 Grandview Ave. There is parking on both sides of Grandview Avenue, in Matt's own lot and in a public lot across the street. Starting time **4:30 pm**. The Club will provide some snacks and beverages during the meeting, then you can stay for dinner afterwards if you want. Join us for a good time and to share your great ideas!

Everyone is welcome! Just RSVP by emailing us at [OSUAlumniFranklinCounty@yahoo.com](mailto:OSUAlumniFranklinCounty@yahoo.com) with your name and phone number, so we know how many to plan for.

## COME RIDE THE RIVER WITH US!

Our alumni club is hosting our first-ever canoe & kayak trip at Trapper John's on Big Darby Creek this summer! Save the evening of **Saturday, July 13**, for a river ride with fellow Buckeyes. We will meet at **6:00 pm** at Trapper John's in Grove City for an evening ride – it's cooler in the evening and less crowded.

You'll want to check out some the details on Trapper John's website ([www.trapperjohnscanoeing.com](http://www.trapperjohnscanoeing.com)) for age and weight restrictions, rules and regulations, and what to bring / NOT to bring. They do provide safety gear and all necessary equipment.



We'll be done by 8:30 or 9 pm, so there's plenty of time to go out afterwards for more socializing. **To sign up, visit our website [www.BuckeyeAlumni.com](http://www.BuckeyeAlumni.com)**. For questions, contact Sarah Spaulding at 937-212-1614 or by email at [SarahSpaulding@yahoo.com](mailto:SarahSpaulding@yahoo.com).

## SCHOLARSHIP BANQUET WEDS JUNE 5

Our annual scholarship banquet will be held **Wednesday, June 5** at the Longaberger Alumni House, and will feature guest speaker **Joshua Perry** from the 2014 National Champion Buckeyes football team.

The banquet includes our annual Silent Auction scholarship fundraiser, as well as the culmination of the year's events for our alumni club. Our newest scholarship recipient for the upcoming 2019-2020 academic year will be introduced.



Perry was the team leader in tackles during the 2014 inaugural **CFP Championship** run, and was named to the First Team All-Big Ten roster his senior year. After a few years in the NFL, he has come back to Columbus and is the Founder and CEO of the **Joshua Perry Family Foundation**, a non-profit organization devoted to helping children with a variety of life challenges. He and his family exemplify the "Pay It Forward" Buckeye spirit by giving much time and energy to the annual Buckeye Cruise for Cancer.

Social Hour (cash bar) will begin at **5:30 pm**, and Silent Auction items will be ready to view. Dinner will be served at **6:30 pm** with presentations to follow.

Our annual **Silent Auction** for the benefit of our scholarship fund will be part of this event as well – come check out all the great Buckeye items for sale!



## MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!!

Next Meeting Date: **Wednesday, July 10**. Meetings are usually the second Wednesday of every month at **6:00 pm**. Our usual meeting location is the **Longaberger Alumni House, 2200 Olentangy River Rd., on the corner of Lane Ave & Olentangy**.

June 22: Social Committee meeting  
July 13: Canoe/Kayak Big Darby Creek  
July 20: Volunteer at Unverferth House  
Aug 3: Target Shoot



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## 2019 ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP DUES

Based on changes with the OSU Alumni Association, our membership year is aligned with the **calendar year**. Membership dues can be paid any time **early** in the calendar year and are good thru Dec. 31 that year. Or pay in the last two months of this year for the following year.

**Remember to take advantage of our two-for-one special!** If you choose to donate your \$75 Association contribution directly to our **Franklin County Alumni Scholarship Endowment Fund**, your membership dues for our Franklin County club are **waived for the following year!** To contribute to the scholarship fund, contact the Endowment office directly at **614-292-2141** or [www.giveto.osu.edu/igive/onlinegiving](http://www.giveto.osu.edu/igive/onlinegiving) and use the fund number **#600137**.

One great benefit of keeping your membership up to date is that you are eligible for sporting event tickets that we provide throughout the year. **Note: Dues are required before any football/basketball tickets can be requested!**

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**\$20 for single membership, or \$25 for a family.** You can send your check and the form above to **Franklin County OSU Alumni Club, PO Box 2411, Columbus, OH 43216**. You are also welcome to download a more complete membership form through our club website ([www.BuckeyeAlumni.com](http://www.BuckeyeAlumni.com)) to express interest in volunteering, committees, etc.

Anyone can join our club! You do not need to have graduated from OSU or live in Franklin County. Associate memberships for those who did not attend OSU are available for \$25/single and \$30/family. Please contact **Jerry Vance**, [jerry.vance@yahoo.com](mailto:jerry.vance@yahoo.com) or **614-316-0852** if you have questions.

## VOLUNTEERING AT UNVERFERTH HOUSE

Join us for a new Community Service project this year as we volunteer at **Unverferth House**, a temporary home away from home for families and patients of the OSU Medical Center. This facility started in memory of Don Unverferth, an OSU football player who later became a surgeon and served our country as a military physician.

We need about 10 volunteers, half of whom will be preparing lunch for the patients and their families on **Saturday July 20**, from 10 am to 1 pm. The others will get to do some gardening work outside, if you prefer. If you are able to volunteer for this event, please RSVP to Karyn Johnson ([englanke@yahoo.com](mailto:englanke@yahoo.com) or 614-822-1430 with your name, phone number, and email address. Thank you for supporting our community service efforts!

## TARGET SHOOT AUGUST 3 IN SUNBURY

We're bringing back our **Target Shooting Day** at the Range on **Saturday, August 3, from 11:30 am to 2 pm**. This year we will meet at a range in Sunbury at 6979 Lott Road. You are welcome to bring your own guns and ammunition, (some ammunition will also be available for purchase) and to try out other guns if you wish.



Eye and ear protection will be provided. It's only \$10 per person to attend, and **lunch** will be provided. **Please Register no later than Saturday, July 27** either on our website

([www.buckeyealumni.com](http://www.buckeyealumni.com)) or by mailing your name, phone, and email along with your check (payable to OSU Alumni Club of Franklin County) to Leyla Hawkins, 1149 Tillicum Dr, Worthington, OH 43085. If you need **directions**, we can send those when you RSVP. Questions? Call Jerry Vance at 614-316-0852.

## FALL FUN WITH YOUR ALUMNI CLUB

Our annual Tailgate will be on Sept. 7, the opening weekend of the **OSU Sesquicentennial** celebration (150 years of Buckeye graduates!) and we'll also host our annual **Happy Hour** on Sept. 5 to welcome back alumni leaders from around the country in September. Stay tuned for details!



**Donations to our Scholarship Fund # 600137 are always welcome and appreciated!**