

APR 2022

SCARLET vs. GRAY GAME: APRIL 16

What a better way to kick off Spring than to enjoy some Buckeye Football!!! The **Scarlet vs. Gray** spring football game will be on **Saturday, April 16** this year. We'll order a block of tickets, and we'll host our traditional tailgate party. Game time is currently listed at 12 Noon.

You can sign up for your tickets now! For **only \$15** per person, this includes your game ticket AND all the food and beverages at the tailgate (rain or shine – we are “covered”), so bring the whole family! There will be cheerleaders, the Best Damn Band in the Land, and of course Coach Day will lead the team in putting on a “Show in the ‘Shoe’! After the departure of several seniors, who will be the new breakout stars?

You can order on our website (BuckeyeAlumni.com), or you can send a check (made payable to Franklin County OSU Alumni) to Leyla Hawkins, 1149 Tillicum Drive, Worthington, OH 43085. **Please include your name, phone and email information when you order.**

DEADLINE TO ORDER: FRIDAY APRIL 8.

BRUTUS ZOOM EVENT May 11

Join us as we participate in a Zoom presentation with Ray Sharp, the Head Mascot Coach at Ohio State, who will tell us what it takes to become Brutus Buckeye. He'll share what the schedule is like and the expectations for each Brutus.

The event will be held on **Wednesday, May 11, at 6:30 pm**. You will need to sign up in advance but there is no charge to attend.

Did you know there are actually four students playing Brutus each year? There will be an opportunity for questions & answers during this presentation.

Details will be coming soon. Stay tuned to our club emails for instructions on how to sign up.



WINE BISTRO DINNER ON WEDS APR 20

Our semi-annual dinner and wine tasting at the Wine Bistro on Lane Avenue will be on **Wednesday, April 20** at 6:30 pm.

There is limited seating available at this location, so get your reservation in early! Parking is available around the Wine Bistro, behind the building (very limited), or on the street, or also across the street in the Lane Ave Shopping Center.

The chef will provide an amazing 4-course dinner with wines paired to complement each serving. This event is posted on our website (www.BuckeyeAlumni.com), so you can sign up now and pay online, or send a check (made payable to “Franklin County OSU Alumni”) to Leyla Hawkins, 1149 Tillicum Drive, Worthington, OH 43085. The cost is \$40 per person.



Bring your friends or family or anyone who appreciates an excellent meal and some wonderful wines! **Deadline** to sign up is **Wednesday, April 13** or when seats are all filled. **Questions? Call Mary at 614-323-5379.**

BUCKEYE BASEBALL GAME MAY 14

Saturday, May 14, watch the Baseball Buckeyes close out the BigTen season against conference rival Penn State. We will also host a pre-game tailgate party. We will get a block of tickets, and will include all the food and beverages you want at our tailgate, plus your entry into the game. This is a very family-friendly event, so bring the kids and grandkids!

Tickets will be \$15 and are available now on our website. Or you can send a check (made payable to Franklin County OSU Alumni) to Leyla Hawkins, 1149 Tillicum Drive, Worthington, OH 43085. Please include your name, phone and email information when you order. Or pay online at our website: www.BuckeyeAlumni.com. Questions? Email Leyla_Hawkins@yahoo.com or call 614-847-9132.



MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!!

Next Meeting Date: Wednesday, April 13. 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.

APRIL 13: CLUB MEETING AT ALUMNI HOUSE

APRIL 16: SPRING FOOTBALL GAME

APRIL 20: WINE BISTRO DINNER

MAY 14: BUCKEYE BASEBALL GAME



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2022 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 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) 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 or **614-316-0852** if you have questions.

MONTHLY MEETINGS BACK TO ALUMNI HOUSE

Our meetings are back at the Alumni House now! Everyone is welcome to attend any of our monthly club meetings. Please just let us know in advance that you plan to attend, so that we can order enough food for everyone. We meet at 6:00 pm on the second Wednesday of each month. We need to know by Monday if you want to attend so we can order food on Tuesday.

SUMMER EVENTS IN PLANNING STAGES

Shakespeare in Schiller Park – we’re organizing a group outing to the weekly Shakespeare performances in Schiller Park. There is no cost to attend. Potential dates this summer are July 9 or 16 for “A Tale of Two Cities.”

Columbus Clippers Baseball – We will get a reserved section of seats for a Clippers game again this year. Tickets will be very family-friendly priced, so plan to bring the kids & grandkids!

Back by popular demand, our **Target Shooting** event will return in July. We’ll gather at a range, have some lunch and do a little shooting.

We’re also working on plans to tour the Cartoon Museum on campus, a visit to the OSU Planetarium, and of course a Fall tailgate in September. We welcome other suggestions and of course anyone who would like to volunteer to coordinate any of our events!

SEE THE HISTORY OF BRUTUS BUCKEYE

For a little Buckeye fun, check out “Brutus Through the Years” online on the OSU website: <https://www.osu.edu/features/2013/brutus-through-the-years.html>



Do you remember this version of Brutus Buckeye? See photos of Brutus over the course of several variations since his inception in 1965.

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