

HISTORIC GREENLAWN CEMETERY

MAY 2024

Join us on **Saturday, June 1 at 10 am** as we visit Green Lawn Cemetery for a guided walking tour through Ohio's second largest cemetery. We will begin inside the historic Huntington Chapel, then stroll outside across the expansive grounds to explore unique monuments, special graves, and hear fascinating stories. We will also visit several state champion trees and enjoy the rich natural environment that makes Green Lawn such a special cemetery park.

Founded in 1848, Green Lawn is a vast tapestry of history, art, and nature. They are also part of the Scioto-River Green Lawn Audubon Important Bird Area and an arboretum.

To attend, please order your tickets on our website, BuckeyeAlumni.com. Green Lawn charges only \$10 / person for this guided tour with a cemetery expert. If you have any questions, please email us at: OSUAlumniFranklinCounty@yahoo.com.

CARTOON LIBRARY & MUSEUM TOUR

Join us for a unique afternoon as we take a tour of the Billy Ireland Cartoon Library and Museum on our OSU campus. The tour will begin at **1:30 pm on Saturday, July 20**. We'll have our own tour guide who will take us behind the scenes and show us special items from their collection, and you'll be able to browse the rest of the gallery on your own.

There is no cost to attend, you only have to pay for parking. The museum does accept donations; you can donate online at <https://buckeyefunder.osu.edu/project/35267> or you are welcome to donate onsite during the tour.

To attend, please **email your name, phone number, and the number of people** in your party to us at OSUAlumniFranklinCounty@yahoo.com or just reply to one of our emails advertising the event. If you have questions, they can be sent to the same email. About a week before the event, you'll be sent a reminder along with parking instructions and where to meet the group.



MEMBERSHIP APPRECIATION PARTY ALUMNI HOUSE JUNE 22

It's time to celebrate YOU!

We want to welcome our new members to the club, and thank the members who have been long-time supporters! Please plan to join us on **Saturday, June 22 from 12 to 2 pm** at the Longaberger Alumni House for a celebration of our members!

We will provide a variety of food and beverages. The event will be indoors, but there is room to go outside if the weather cooperates. If you want to dress up in your Buckeye gear, that is totally appropriate! There will be **photo opportunities with celebrity guests, games and prizes**, and an opportunity to purchase unique Buckeye souvenirs to support our scholarship fund.

Everyone is welcome to attend this event! Come meet our leadership team, ask questions about the club, and see how much fun we are! This is a family-friendly event, so feel free to bring yours!

Sign up on our website, BuckeyeAlumni.com or send your check (**made payable to Franklin County OSU Alumni Club**) for \$10 / person to Leyla Hawkins, 1149 Tillicum Drive, Worthington, OH 43085. **Please include your name, phone number and email address if you send a check.**

EVENTS WITH OUR FELLOW ALUMNI

Delaware County Alumni are offering a Wellness / Transformation Workshop on **May 16** at 7 pm. It is free and offered on Zoom, so anyone can attend! You'll need to have some supplies ready before the event. <https://www.locallevelvents.com/events/details/21016> for more info or to sign up.

Asian-Pacific Islander Alumni are celebrating their Heritage Month with a **May 22** Dinner & Dialogue at 6:30 pm at the Longaberger Alumni House. Guest speaker Sophia Antoun, a Chinese-Arab American woman, will present her TED Talk about "When am I from?" Go to: <https://connect1.osu.edu/alumni/osuaa-login?bm=-1018054088> to sign up.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!!!

Next Meeting Date: Wednesday, May 8. Meetings are usually the second Wednesday of every month at **6:00 pm**. Our meeting location is the Longaberger Alumni House, 2200 Olentangy River Rd., on the corner of Lane Ave & Olentangy.

June 1 – Greenlawn Cemetery Tour

June 22 – Membership Appreciation Party

July 13 – Tour the Horseshoe!

July 20 – Cartoon Museum Tour



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Are you a member of the OSU Alumni Association? Join now! www.osu.edu/alumni

2024 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 donate in the last two months of this year to cover 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. Contact us at OSUAlumniFranklinCounty@yahoo.com or **614-893-0559** if you have questions.

TAKE AN INSIDE TOUR OF OHIO STADIUM

Go behind the scenes in the **most famous landmark** on campus -- **inside Ohio Stadium!** This VIP tour will be guided by a "Redcoat" (stadium usher) and take you inside the Press Box, President's Suite, Recruit Room, Band Center, Home Locker Room, Huntington Club, and even onto the field!

Our tour date is **Saturday July 13 at 11 am**, and we are joining together with the Fairfield and Delaware Counties Alumni Clubs to bring you this opportunity. Tickets are \$35 / person, with a maximum of 4 tickets per order.

Info that you need to know: No video cameras (you'll be allowed to take regular photos in most places, but there will be some restrictions). There will be lots of walking -- wear comfortable shoes. Please let us know ahead of time if you need wheelchair access. No food or beverages (only water bottles are allowed). Parking is not included in the cost. No bags -- same limitations as a game day (5"x8"x1" maximum size bag/purse). Tour will last approximately 1 1/2 hours.

Order your tickets on our website BuckeyeAlumni.com (limit 4 tickets per order). We will send parking suggestions with a reminder a few days before the event. Email OSUAlumniFranklinCounty@yahoo.com if you have questions.

TITANIC EXHIBIT AT COSI – A BARGAIN!

Set sail with us on a Titanic Voyage!



If you go to COSI to see the "Titanic" exhibit on your own, it will cost the average adult **\$45**. But we are putting together a Group Tour for our members that will cost you **only \$25!** So join us on **Saturday, August 3 at 1:30 pm** for a group tour just for our alumni club members.

Experience the wonder and tragedy of the world's most famous ocean-liner. More than 200 authentic artifacts recovered from the wreckage will be on display with full-scale room recreations.

Order your tickets online at BuckeyeAlumni.com. Limit 4 per person because we only have 50 tickets, so sign up quickly! We will take names for a waiting list if we sell out, in case anyone has to cancel.

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