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- Up-Coming Events at The Club
- December 10th Winter Steak Dinner Dance 7-11 PM
Chairmen: John Matlat
 - December 18th Club's Christmas Party 2-6 PM
 - New Years Eve Party Dec. 31
\$60.00pp 8PM-2AM

- EVENTS 2012
- 1/20/12 Membership appreciation Night.
 - 2/5/12 Pre-Super Bowl Party
 - 2/26/12 Educational Assistance Fundraiser
 - 3/10/12 Spring Fling
 - 4/22/12 Doo-Wop Show

GENERAL MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS ARE ON THE FIRST TUESDAY OF THE MONTH AT 8 PM. ALSO MEMBERS ARE ENCOURAGED TO COME DOWN TO THE CLUB ON SUNDAYS AT 12PM WHERE THERE IS FRIENDLY CONVERSATION, A CARD GAME OR A HORSESHOE GAME OUT BACK (WEATHER PERMITTING)

PRESIDENT ED'S COMMENTS:

To My Fellow Members : I would like to thank all those members who helped around the club this year, to keep it beautiful and running without a hitch. The hard work does not go unnoticed. The club looks great! Inside and out! President Ed Nowaski

MEMBERSHIP MEETING HIGHLIGHTS:

July: The garden now has a complete sprinkler system, plus an elegant gate adorns the entrance to the garden.

August : A mini school bus was donated by: Rob Leonard it will be brought up at the next directors meeting to hammer out the details.

October: The club purchased a new camera and a all in one copier printer and fax machine. Also a new laptop (yet to be determine) for use by the club's financial secretary. Club member Ted Lucki donated two paintings to adorn the club's walls. The artist was Ted's uncle and the paintings are of Polish character.

September: Club manager Joe Nowaski listed several charities and groups that the club donated money or use of the hall at no charge. Lighthouse Food pantry, Moose club, Dominican Sisters, Polish Gift of Life, The Welcome Inn, Christ Church, Several Golf charities, Trinity Lutheran Church, Keyspan, IRS, The Port Jeff Elks Club and The Terryville Fire Department.

New Members to the Club:

M.Cevellione R.Sorare, A.Duggin, D.Aronow, R.Fedricks, P.Brown, M.Kochezkovich, J.Bureshowski, J. Bureshowski Jr., J.Donza, J.Twachman.

Proposed Amendment Changed to the PAIC Constitution and By-Laws

The proposed Amendment was read at the club's general meetings in September, October and November. It will be up for vote at the **January membership meeting.**

PROPOSED AMENDMENT CHANGE TO "CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS" OF THE POLISH AMERICAN INDEPENDENT CLUB OF PORT JEFFERSON STATION N.Y.

- CHANGE AMENMENT TO :
- Article IX : General stipulations ITEM #6. [delete prior entry]
- ADD ; QUALIFICATIONS FOR "LIFE MEMBERSHIP"
- A) Candidate must be sixty-five (65) years old or older.
- B) PRIOR TO APPLICATION
 Candidate must have a minimum of ten (10) consecutive years as a club member.
- C) Prior to application, candidate must be a member in GOODSTANDING for his LAST five (5) years.
- D) Qualified candidate must apply by written application, to the BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
- E) Qualified candidate's application for LIFE member must be approved by the BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
- F) Upon BOARD approval, the candidate would no longer be required to pay the annual dues.

NOTICE :

The educational assistance award application is attached to this news letter. The award is open to all club member's children, grand-children and step- children. It is a cash award that will help in the persons college expenses. Please direct your questions to Ray Blasko, Award Chairmen.

The Garden Spot

It was another fantastic year for our gardener's The garden produced many different varieties of vegetables. Again THANKS to Zenon, Johnny B. John M. Harold J. and to all the other farmers who made the garden a great success !



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The NEXT NEWS LETTER Publication will be the Spring-Summer Edition

Scenes from past events at the Club: The Clambake and 60's-70's show



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EDUCATIONAL ASSISTANCE AWARD

The Polish American Independent Club of Port Jefferson Station is sponsoring an Educational Assistance Award. The child, grandchild, or step-child of any paid up member or associate member who is presently attending a college or vocational school of higher learning in the **fall of 2011** is eligible for this award.

Two winners will be selected by lottery to receive an award of ~~\$250.00~~ ^{\$500.00}. Alternates (2) will also be chosen in case one or both of the original winners fail to meet the eligibility requirements.

To enter the drawing, a student must meet each of the eligibility requirements. Students must fill out the application and return it to Chairman of the Scholarship Committee RAY BLASKO prior to JANUARY 15, 2012

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Applicant must be a dependent child, grandchild, or step-child of a dues paying member or associate member of at least one (1) year who is in good standing as stated in the By-Laws.
- Applicant must be a full time student in any approved two or four year college or vocational school.
- Payment of the Educational Assistance Award must be used for school expenses. Proof of successful completion of the current semester must be received by FEBRUARY 1, 2012
- Winners who have received this award on a prior occasion will not be eligible to apply again.
- Only one application per eligible student will be accepted.

APPLICATION

Student's Name _____
 Home Address _____
 Presently attending: _____
 Signature of applicant: _____
 PRINT NAME of sponsoring member, associate member: _____
 SIGNATURE OF SPONSOR _____ Telephone No. _____

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