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BRANCH 5, LORAIN By Michael Johnson

Summer is in full swing with everyone busy doing the things they love when not working or fulfilling other obligations. The time between meetings goes quickly, yet it's easy to forget that we conduct business on the third Monday of each month at the American Slovak Club, 2915 Broadway, Lorain, Ohio. It's one of those things that you think you'll remember but if it's not on your calendar it's really not that important or you just don't plan on going. We need your participation to be able to maintain this branch of the ATS both locally and internationally. With barely enough members to make decisions about upcoming events, we were able to vote on the location for our Branch 5 Christmas dinner, which needed to be decided months in advance to secure a reservation. It was also voted on to suspend our monthly meetings for July and August. Our next business meeting will be September 18, 2023 at 7:00 p.m. Please mark your calendar and plan to attend.

August 27, 2023 is the date set aside for our Branch 5 Picnic being held at Lakeview Park, 1800 W Erie, Ave., Lorain, Ohio, at Pavilion 1 which is all the way to the west end of the park. Make your reservation to attend by August 20 by calling sister Barbara Gilles at 440-541-7224. Let her know how many people will be attending and the side dish you plan to share. Branch 5 will provide the main dish of fried chicken, corn on the cob, dessert and beverages along with table settings. To our senior members if you would like to attend, but need a ride, let that be known at the time of your reservation as well. The picnic committee is also asking that you not bring your dog or any pet to the picnic, and that one guest per dues paying member be allowed to attend as they have honored in the past. Come enjoy an afternoon of fun with bingo, water balloon toss, corn hole and good food which we'll begin serving at 1:00 p.m.

President Monica Gilles gave us a report on the ATS Annual Presidents' Meeting she recently attended. She also presented to the members the profit sharing check based on the number of members and premiums collected related to Branch 5. She also attended the TSBA Convention representing

Branch 5 in the Saxon Bowling Association which begins their season in the fall. Contact Sister Monica Gilles at 440-309-7894 by August 15 if you would like to bowl on the team this coming season.

Congratulations to our ATS Scholarship winners, Kaitlyn Smith, Grace Zgola, and Braedon Gilles. We wish them all the best as they continue their education and work towards achieving their goals and dreams.

At this time I'm not aware of anyone new receiving any sick benefits. Remember if you are currently under a doctor's care or soon to be, you need to contact sister Jane Mowery at 440-246-3004 to begin the process of receiving benefits due through your membership in Branch 5.

Birthday celebrations this month of July are Sister Dana Brown, Brothers Scott Kranstuber, Kyle Cassidy and junior members Lauren Davis, Kailey Hochevar, Addison Long, and Kaden Windham. Happy Birthday and May you all celebrate in your own special way!

May you continue to enjoy your summer and stay safe in your travels. If you have any questions, concerns or comments about the content of this article, or member news you'd like to share in the next issue of the *Volksblatt*, contact me, Michael Johnson at 440-324-2534 or by email mikjo79@gmail.com.

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By Denise Aeling Crawford
ATS Nat'l President



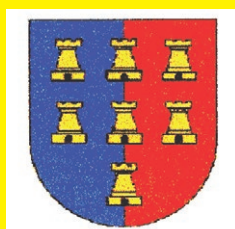
I want to congratulate Robert B. Cunningham, III on his retirement from the ATS Home Office with 40 years of service to the ATS. Rob moved from Monaca, PA to Cleveland, Ohio to take a position at the ATS Home Office in 1983. While he specialized in annuity payouts and settlement options available to members and beneficiaries, he also handled various other duties. I am sure that most members have spoken with him at one time or another over the past 40 years. Rob has always loved our Transylvanian Saxon history and was a participant on many of the ATS sponsored bus tours over the years. We thank Rob for his years of dedicated work. The ATS office staff will miss him as well as many of our members. Rob will continue to serve as the First Vice President of the ATS. Please join with me on congratulating him on his retirement!

I also want to congratulate all of our recent graduates, whether you graduated from High School or College. Congratulations on a job well done! The last issue of the *Volksblatt* spotlighted our ATS Scholarship winners. The ATS awarded \$43,750 of scholarships to 42 young ATS members. What a great benefit of being an ATS member. Remember, the student has to be an ATS member in good standing for at least two years to be eligible for an ATS scholarship. So, if you have children or grandchildren who are not members, contact your local Sales Deputy or the ATS Home Office to get those children signed up.

It's not too late to get your tickets for ATS Family Day at Waldameer and Water World! Join us on Saturday, July 22 for a day full of water fun, amusement park rides, or just great conversation! It does not matter what your age is, there is something for everyone here. If you do not want to ride any rides, you do not have to purchase a ticket. Just hang out at Coaster #1 pavilion with us. We play bingo, hold a raffle, and have a great time just catching up with our fellow Saxons from different Branches. Bring your picnic basket or cooler and join us!

On Wednesday, June 28th, Monica Gilles and I traveled to Rogers, Ohio to visit our 10 young ATS members at Saxon Summer Camp. Monica is the Youth Activities Chairperson and does a wonderful job of planning and organizing events for our young members. On the back page of this issue, you will see a few pictures of the campers. They all scattered prior to us getting a group picture of them. We generally teach a Saxon dance when the committee goes for the evening, but this year we had the group sing Siebenbürgen. The

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Welcome to our
North American Saxon Heimattag!
New Castle PA July 7 - 8, 2023



Schloss Horneck needs OUR help!



Schloss Horneck located in Gundelsheim, Germany is the international location for our Siebenbürger Sachsen to house Sachsen artifacts, books and other historical documents and records. It is important to our worldwide Sachsen community to help in the maintenance expenses of this historical facility that will preserve our Sachsen culture and heritage.

The Federation of Transylvanian Saxons requests donations to help in the funding of the facility. If you are interested in giving a donation, please complete the form below and send to the ATS Home Office, 5323 Pearl Road, Cleveland, OH 44129.

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English translation of the song was also poivided to them. The Church Coats are another tradition for summer camp. The ATS subsidizes a portion of the price for our members who attend Saxon Summer Camp. Just another benefit of being a member!

Did you know that construction on the Hoover Dam started on July 7, 1930? Construction started then, but it was almost 30 years in the making. Arthur Powell Davis, an engineer from the Bureau of Reclamation, originally had his vision for the dam back in 1902. (Note: 1902 was when the ATS was founded!) Herbert Hoover, the future 31st President of the United States, was a conservationist and played a crucial role in making Davis’ plans a reality. In 1921 as the Secretary of Commerce, Hoover pushed for the construction of the dam in Boulder Canyon. It would provide essential flood control from the melting snow in the Rocky Mountains and allow the expansion of ir-

rigated farming in the desert. It would also provide a dependable supply of water for various areas. Even with Hoover’s backing, it took years to get Congressional approval and the cooperation of various states. The House and Senate finally approved the bill in 1928. In 1929, Hoover, who was now President, signed the Colorado River Compact into law, claiming it was “the most extensive action ever taken by a group of states under the provisions of the Constitution permitting compacts between states.” Construction started on July 7, 1930. Over the next five years, 21,000 men worked ceaselessly to produce what would be the largest dam of its time, as well as one of the largest man-made structures of the world. The project was finished two years ahead of schedule and millions of dollars under budget. Wow! The announcement of the name of the Boulder Canyon Project becoming the Hoover Dam came during the 1930 dedication ceremony. The name became official in 1947. On September 30, 1935, Presi-



Close calls are
a symptom of a
problem

In every potential safety hazard, there is probably at least one previous lucky escape.

Unfortunately, the problem is still there and the conditions are still unsafe. Near misses or close calls are events that could have resulted in personal injury, property damage or environmental damage, but did not. But, crucially, these small incidents predict larger accidents to come, according to the Volpe National Transportation Systems Center.

Take the Concorde jet, for example. According to Volpe, the Concorde experienced a series of tire blowouts on the landing gear over a 23-year span. The blowouts damaged the aircraft in various ways, but passengers and crew always remained uninjured. But on July 6, 2000, a tire blowout ruptured a fuel tank, which caused the plane to catch fire. More than 100 people died.

Emerging problems may be invisible due to lack of information or available datya. In the beginning, these problems may often be dismissed as coincidental or one-off incidents. But once reported, these incidents can help create a clearer picture and provide valuable information.

That’s why everyone who has a near miss or close call should report the incident. These reports can lead to improvements in facilities and procedures.

dent Franklin Roosevelt commemorated the structure’s completion. The dam was designated as a National Historic Landmark in 1985 and one of America’s Seven Modern Civil Engineering Structures in 1994. The dam is capable of irrigating 2 million acres and providing enough electricity to power 1.3 million homes.

Until next time.....

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BRANCH 10, COLUMBUS
By Donald Blum

MONTHLY MEETING
HICKORY HOUSE
550 Officenter Place
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July 17, 2023
Time 12:00 noon
Our meetings are the Third (3rd) Monday of the month.

Remember to bring a canned good item or other food item.

HEIMATTAG
We are looking forward to Heimattag-July 7-8, Host: New Castle, PA. Branch

PRAYERS
Please keep long time ATS member, Paul Schaible, in your prayers. Paul is facing physical challenges. We wish him the best. Paul's family was founding members of Martin Luther Church in Columbus.

Please keep John Gellner, long time Saxon Club member in your prayers. John has been experiencing medical issues and could use our prayers.

SAXON MEMOIRS
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CELEBRATIONS
Please join me in wishing Regina Kellner (July 20) a very happy birthday. Alles

Gute zum Geburtstag!
HUMOR
The Sunday School teacher was describing how Lot's wife looked back and turned into a pillar of salt, when little Jason interrupted, 'My mommy looked back one time while she was driving,' he announced, 'and she turned into a telephone pole.'

FACEBOOK PAGE
Alliance of Transylvanian Saxons, Columbus Branch 10 (Facebook Group)

Please invite people to join our Facebook Group, that is open to all people interested in sharing or reading about our Saxon Heritage. We will continue to modify and improve the Facebook page as needed. While we welcome you to join the Columbus Branch 10, you do not need to be a member to join the Facebook Group. You are invited to join our Facebook group and share your Saxon history or just enjoy what others post. If you are interested in becoming part of the Facebook group you can request an invitation or send me your email address (donaldcblum@prodigy.net), and we will set you up.

We are happy to say, we continue to add Saxon/German heritage individuals to the Facebook Group. Some of the new members include people from Europe and Canada. We encourage

you to spread the word about our group.

HISTORY/HERITAGE
We are going to look at some of the lives of ATS members and where their stories began in Transylvania over the next several Volksblatt issues. The fun thing about this is I am learning a lot about Transylvania through the individuals' stories and just telling you. I will give credit to the people and their stories, as they have either already written the stories or are just telling me their stories. I am excited to tell you their travels in life from their beginnings in Transylvania.

We are continuing the story of the first town of Rode (now known as Zagar).

The stories may be similar to other towns of Transylvania and just the name will be different. As with many Saxons, the journey to get to America may not have been easy and included many turns along the way.

This Saxon Club member's story in this issue is from Susi Mueller. I had a wonderful visit with Susi and her daughter Marlene Mueller. As they talked, I listened and took notes. The time passed by so quickly that I did not realize we spent 5 hours talking about Susi's adventure and journey from her birth in Rode to the sometimes heart-breaking, sometimes dangerous, but relentless trip to come to America.

Susi has two sisters that had similar experiences, along with her parents in coming to America. Susi has been back to visit Rode 3 times since leaving at the age of 10.

Susi tells the story of her house. One of the memorable things about the house was it had a wine cellar (which seems to be pretty customary among Saxons). Their house had a big gate where the wagons drove in between the houses. On one side of this Hof was her grandparents' house and their house was on the other side. As being the oldest of the children, Susi had the responsibility to sweep the Hof. This was a plot of dirt on which the wagons would travel. It had to be sprinkled and then swept with branches (homemade brooms made out of the branches) in order to keep down the dust. The wagons would have straw and livestock and had to be kept clean. It was actually Susi's uncle's job to do the sweeping but he was a teenager and many times he was off playing with his friends, so it became her responsibility. Susi says even after her having to

do his job, he was still her favorite uncle (very kind and nice of Susi). Susi says he was her favorite because as they traveled, her uncle would carry her younger sisters and he helped out the family a lot. Susi tells how her grandparents were very particular about keeping the Hof swept. Susi's grandparents business was making wine and some sort of bricks.

Susi's husband, Karl Mueller, was from Woelz, Transylvania, about 30km away from Rode. Susi would not meet Karl until they were both in Ohio. We will cover that in a little bit but it will prove to be interesting and humorous when we discuss it.

As happens with many Saxon families, Susi's father was separated from the family because of the war and would not meet up with the family again until 1947 in Germany.

Susi's family would leave Rode on September 8, 1944. German soldiers had come through the town and told the people left behind (which consisted of women, children and older men) of Rode they had to leave because the Russians were fighting the German soldiers and would be coming to Rode. They were told they had to leave by 4:00 p.m. because the Russians were coming. The Germans would try to hold back the Russians. Susi's mom would leave with the three kids. They would take only what they could carry. All of their belongings were left behind. Susi's family lived in the middle of town and the German soldiers told them to go to the end of town. There were people in the basement hiding. They would join the other people that were hiding in the basement. At night, Susi's uncle would go back to their house to get food. Susi's grandfather refused to leave his house so her uncle Hans went back to help his dad feed the livestock for the entire neighborhood, and get food and blankets. Finally, the German soldiers came and told them they had to leave because the Russians were close. They were told to go into the woods and hide. From the woods they would continue to go further and further.

They would travel by foot to Hungary, where they were put on a train to Czechoslovakia and then to Austria. The entire trip had taken them 6 weeks. They stayed in Austria for several weeks. On the way, they had to stop several times because bombs fell and damaged the train. During the stops, the

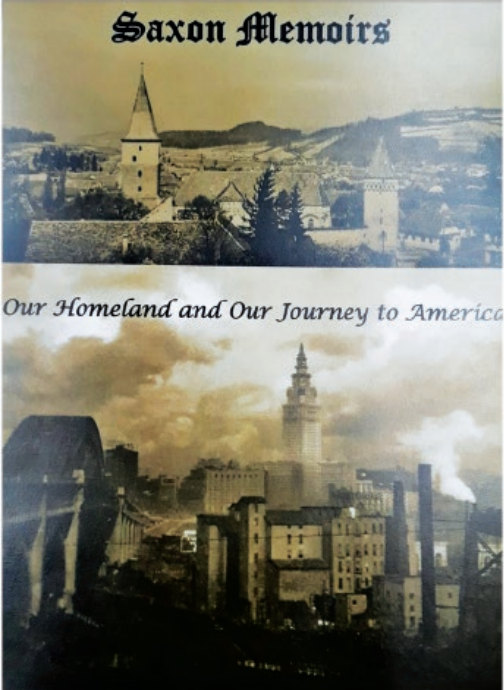
women would get off of the train. They would dig in the fields with their bare hands to get potatoes out of the ground for the women and children to eat. In order to cook the potatoes, everyone gathered kindling (which was very scarce) to build a fire. Susi remembers that a cousin of hers lost one of her shoes. Her mother tried to get off the train to get the shoe but the whistle blew and they had to leave. While at the train station in Czechoslovakia, Susi and her sisters would rummage for food. They found some bread crusts in the bottom of a trashcan. Susi tilted the trashcan so they could reach it and they were happy. They were going to eat it because they were starving. Susi remembers that a man came up and took the bread away, threw it on the ground and smashed it with his foot. Susi and her sisters cried.

Eventually, they would arrive at Passau, Germany. Because they had nothing, they were considered refugees in Germany. They were told they could go back to Transylvania and the train to take them back was to depart at a certain time. The Saxon women and children were loaded into the very last cattle car. The train car still had straw from the cattle that had been on the car before them. The train left during the night but left behind the last car that the Saxons were in because they discovered they weren't Romanian. In order to go back to Transylvania, they would have had to claim they were Romanian.

Susi's father, George Folkendt, said while he was in England, they treated him very nice. He said if they treated him nice while he was a prisoner of war, then he thought England would treat them even better if they were citizens. Then they were told England could not take any more people under immigration.

While Karl, Susi's husband to be, was not quite in the picture, he was on a separate journey at this time. The Russians had rounded up all the young men 15 years and older and sent them to a labor camp in Siberia. He was put on a truck and shipped to Siberia. His job, if you were strong enough, was to get up in the morning and check to see if their fellow laborers were still breathing. They would have to gather the dead and remove them from the barracks. It was winter and the ground was

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NATIONAL EVENTS

July 7 - 8, 2023
North American Heimattag
Host: New Castle Branch 25
July 22, 2023
ATS Family Day
Waldameer Park, Erie PA
October 21 - 22, 2023
ATS Open Bowling Tournament
Host : Merrillville, IN

LOCAL EVENTS

July 9, 2023
Youngstown Br. 30
Saxon Day Picnic
with Traun Austria Cultural Group
July 10, 2023
Cleveland West - Traun Austria Cultural Group
Dinner and Concert
July 12, 2023
Salem - Traun Austria Cultural Group
Dinner and Concert
July 13, 2023
Detroit - Traun Austria Cultural Group
Dinner and Concert
July 14, 2023
Salem Saxon Club Scholarship Joint Social
July 23, 2023
Chicago Br. 9 Annual Picnic, Morton Grove IL
August 20, 2023
Cleveland East Br. 33 Picnic, Penitentiary Glen
August 26, 2023
Cleveland Sachsenheim Summer Oktoberfest
September 17, 2023
Chicago Br. 9 Banquet, Lone Tree Manor
October 14, 2023
Cleveland Saxon Dance Group Traubenfest
October 27, 2023
Cleveland West Children’s Halloween Party
November 12, 2023
Cleveland West Veterans Day Dinner
December 2, 2023
Cleveland West Sausage Sale
December 16, 2023
Cleveland West Children’s Christmas Party
December 17, 2023
Chicago Br. 9 Christmas Party

Don’t sweat the rumors about antiperspirants

Walk down the deodorant aisle these days and you’ll see a plethora of aluminum-free deodorant options shelved alongside conventional aluminum-containing antiperspirants. Maybe all of the aluminum-free marketing makes you a bit nervous -- didn’t you hear that it might cause cancer? Should you make the switch to natural deodorant with “clean” ingredients?

First, it’s important to understand the difference between antiperspirants and deodorants. According to dermatologist Susan Massick, writing for the Ohio State University’s Wexner Medical Center, antiperspirants (which all contain aluminum salts) block sweat ducts to keep users dry, while deodorants only mask smells and target odor-causing bacteria. Natural antiperspirants don’t technically exist, according to The Strategist, though some natural deodorants have drying or absorbent ingredients.

Where did the cancer rumor begin? In the early 2000s, a very small number of studies with limited sample sizes suggested some link between antiperspirants and breast cancer, according to Penn Medicine. But those studies have since been disproved, and researchers have found no additional evidence to support a cancer link. Another theory, which holds that aluminum from antiperspirants can be absorbed into the skin and increase cancer risk, has been similarly debunked, according to the New York Times.

The only established medical risk associated with antiperspirant is among people with advanced kidney disease. However, as the National Kidney Foundation points out, it’s impossible to absorb enough aluminum through the skin to hurt the kidneys -- you would need to eat the stick to cause real damage.

The biggest risk associated with both antiperspirants and deodorants is skin irritation, according to the New York Times. Most skin irritation is related to fragrance, so consumers with sensitive skin are advised to choose fragrance-free options in either category.

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frozen, so they would have to pile them up to be buried later. Karl was treated so badly that he only weighed 82 pounds. The prisoner guards got potatoes and the guards gave the prisoners the potato peels to eat. That was all they had to eat, so to get protein they ate bugs to survive.

Back to Susi’s story: her mother and sisters on their journey to Passau. Susi’s mother found out that her mother-in-law and sister-in-law were in Germany. Through the assistance of the Red Cross they would end up in Germany with family. They would stay in Germany from 1944 to 1952, when they would eventually come to America. While in Germany, the Red Cross would arrange for Susi’s mother and family to live in one room of a farmer’s house. Her mother would buy eggs from the farmer and go to neighboring towns and sell the eggs. The farmer gave them a room to live because he were ordered to do so under Hitler’s government. They would live with the farmer from 1945 to 1948. The farmer’s wife had a friend in Kron, Germany. It was recommended that Susi be sent to be a nanny for a doctor. Susi would be a nanny for the doctor’s baby. There was another nanny for the 3 other children. After that, Susi had a job in the kitchen at an old folks home. Susi would do housecleaning, too. Susi would continue to find other jobs. There was a guest house that was separated by floors. The first floor was a tavern/restaurant, the second floor was the owner’s space and the third floor, in a small room, would be where Susi would stay. Susi was responsible for helping in the kitchen and cleaning the owner’s

living quarters. The lady of the house liked Susi so much that she recommended Susi to go to home economics school, after she completed all her other chores.

Susi’s father was released as a prisoner of war from England and met up with the family in Germany, in 1947. Susi wanted to come home to be with the family. Susi got a job making fishnet stocking and gloves. She would get paid by the number of pieces she made. Susi’s father got a good job at a large factory. They would get an apartment that had 2 bedrooms and a kitchen. Susi’s family applied to come to the United States but it would take 3 years for them to get approved to come to America.

We pause the story here. In the next episode of Susi’s journey, we will cover the family’s journey to America. I want to thank Susi and Marlene Mueller for taking time to tell me Susi’s wonderful story and life journey from Rode, Transylvania, to Columbus, Ohio. My observation of Susi’s story and her family’s experience in coming to America is a story that cannot be lost. The Saxon History lives on through the Saxon people and what we tell our families. Lets not lose our history, keep telling all your family what it was like: trials, tribulations, perseverance, determination and love stories in order to keep our Saxon Heritage alive. This is but a portion of Susi’s Mueller’s family story. In order to hear the full story, and the many other Saxons’ stories order your copy of the **SAXON MEMOIRS** from ATS in Cleveland. This is a must read book.



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...Thank you so much for the scholarship.

Christian Martig

... Thank you so much for choosing me as a recipient of the Jon Weber scholarship.

Jayme O'Neill

... Thank you for choosing me for the Julia & Martin Konnerth Memorial scholarship.

Abigail Haydu

... Thank you for selecting me as the recipient of the Davidson-Schuller Appreciation scholarship. It is very much appreciated.

Macy Mc Conville

...I was so very overjoyed to learn that I was awarded the John F. Spack scholarship. Thank you so much for choosing me for this honor.

Hannah Both

... Thank you so much for choosing me as a recipient of the Marie Stirner Memorial scholarship. I truly appreciate it.

Jillian Mott

... I am grateful to have received a generous scholarship from the ATS. Being able to have the support of the ATS means so much to my family and me.

Erica Schenker

...Thank you for the Marie Stirner Memorial scholarship. It truly means so much to me that I was chosen.

Olivia Gillespie

...I want to thank the ATS for awarding me the Joan Miller-Malue scholarship grant. I am so grateful for the opportunities the ATS has given me.

Heidi Partlow

... Thank you for the George H. Schneider scholarship. It is an honor to have been chosen for this award and I am thankful for your generosity.

Derek Sletvold

...I really appreciate the Dale & Rose Segedi-Kaufman Memorial scholarship. It will help tremendously with my education. Thank you so much!

Brennan Satola

... I am extremely grateful to receive the Dr. David Schuller Appreciation scholarship.

Matthias Fabian

... Thank you for giving me the opportunity to receive a much-needed scholarship. I appreciate all the ATS has provided me through the years.

Daniel Kuhn

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Andreas Angiolelli

...Thank you so much to the ATS for this scholarship.

Jennifer Zayac

... I really appreciate the Erie Branch 2 scholarship the ATS have awarded me. It will help me to achieve my goals. Thank you!

Braedon Gilles

... I am honored to be awarded the Farrell Branch 7 scholarship. Thank you!

Elissa Scheel

...Thank you for this opportunity and scholarship. It will be very helpful with my hopes to graduate in December.

Samuel Kuhn

...I want to express my gratitude to the ATS for awarding me the Erie Branch 2 scholarship. I'm excited to use this scholarship to further my education.

Erika Miller

...Thank you so much for the ATS scholarship. I truly appreciate it and am looking forward to graduating next Spring thanks to the generosity of the ATS.

Maura Pasquale

... Thank you to the ATS for the continuing education scholarship. It will definitely help with the rising costs of education.

Julia Weihs

...Thank you to the ATS for selecting me to receive the Betty Holmes Memorial scholarship.

Calvin Kampman



We remember our Sisters and Brothers who have departed this life in recent days. Our sincere sympathy is extended to the members of the bereaved families.

James O. Shaffer, Sr.
Age 104
Died: January 20, 2023
Branch 30, Youngstown, OH

Lee R. Hively, Jr.
Age 71
Died: May 18, 2023
Branch 30, Youngstown, OH

Helen Schuneman
Age 99

Died: June 7, 2023
Branch 37, Detroit, MI

Sophia F. Fiumara
Age 94
Died: June 9, 2023
Branch 30, Youngstown, OH

The worst thing you can do in this life is second guess yourself and feel like you have to live a double life. I feel amazing just being able to know that I'm myself every day and I don't have to hold anything back.

Collin Martin,
American soccer player

It's important to learn and not repeat the same mistakes. What's done is done.

MS Dhoni,
Indian cricket player

What you feel doesn't matter in the end; it's what you do that makes you brave.

Andre Agassi,
American tennis player

If there's anything I've learned, it's communication. It could be a marriage, it could be in your family, it could be on the court, it could be with someone you don't like, it could be with a co-worker, it doesn't matter. If you don't know how to communicate, things are gonna break down, things are gonna fail.

Jeremy Lin,
American basketball player

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Where: Linne Woods, Grove 1, on Dempster and Ferris Ave. in Morton Grove

When: Sunday, July 23, 2023

Time: Beginning at 11:00 AM



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Deadline for Entries will be July 14, 2023

Not in the past: child labor remains a problem

Being a kid these days in be a lot of fun. Less sponsibility, more time to dulse your imagination, id long summer vacations fine many childhoods. f course, many kids ave chores and it's not common to find a child orking at their family's nall business. Yet wind ick the clock and things oked much different in e not-so-distant past.

Up through the early ages of industrialization, ildren often worked in ctories or performed ickbreaking labor on farms om sunrise to sunset. ill, child labor is mostly historical phenomenon, ght? Perhaps not. In recent eeks, underage children ave been found working fast food restaurants and aughterhouses. In some ses, young kids have en laboring into the wee ours of the morning. Now, abates have flared up over hether laws restricting ild labor should be osened or tightened.

Child labor is far from uniquely American allenge. In fact, in many ountries and locales, the tuation is far more dire. or example, most modern hium batteries (which are pically what you find in ptops and smartphones) se cobalt, which mostly omes from the Democratic epublic of the Congo ORC). A recently published ook, "Cobalt Red", written y Siddharth Kara, found at not only is child labor ommon at so-called artisan obalt mines, but also that orking environments were mensely dangerous, with ildren sometimes buried ive when underground nnels collapse. Because ildren can fit into smaller onfines, they're often favored for tunnel work.

Some experts estimate that as many as 160 million kids are engaged in child labor, with about 80 million working in hazardous conditions. Roughly 86 million of these laborers work in sub-Saharan Africa. Still, in countries with low unemployment rates like the United States, child labor may increase as companies scour for labor power.

Here's how to praise and do it effectively

Whether you want to show appreciation for good work to someone who works for you or someone who works with you, the right words can be hard to find. Here are a few suggestions from Human Capital magazine:

- "You really made a difference by ..."
- "I'm impressed with ..."
- "You got my attention with ..."
- "You're right on the mark with ..."
- "One of the things I enjoy most about you is ..."
- "You can be proud of yourself for ..."
- "We couldn't have done it without your ..."
- "What an effective way to ..."
- "You made my day by ..."



Dog Days
July 3 to August 11

The hottest days of the summer were named by the ancients for the star Sirius, part of the constellation Canis Major, which rises and sets with the Sun during the summer.



ATS Family Day at Waldameer and Water World

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Over 100 Attractions and Waterpark full of
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The short history of anti-perspirant

Humans have always smelled a little funky, and we’ve always been self-conscious about it. For thousands of years -- long before modern indoor showers and deodorant aisles at the drugstore -- humans have battled their own body odor. But the fight against sweat itself is barely more than a hundred years old, and it started with a heat wave in New Jersey.

Sweat is virtually scent-free on its own. According to The Week, the real stink comes from our body’s natural bacteria, which eats certain compounds in our sweat and in turn, secretes that distinctive odor that we all know and loathe. But our ancestors, even the recent ones, didn’t know that, and attacked the problem the only way they knew how -- they bathed when they could (often infrequently) and used plenty of perfume.

Odorono, a liquid mixture of aluminum chloride and water, wasn’t the first true antiperspirant on the market when Edna Murphey started selling it in 1910. Others had tried and mostly flopped, thanks to lingering Victorian sensibilities and the belief that blocking sweat was unhealthy. By the summer of 1912, Murphey was a flop, too, with no sales from her booth at an Atlantic City exposition. But when the temperature rose and attendees started sweating through their clothes, bottles started flying off the shelves.

Murphey took her unexpected windfall to a New York advertising agency, where a Bible salesman turned copywriter named James Young came up with the idea to market “excessive perspiration” to women as an embarrassing medical ailment. He took it a step further in 1919, with ads that warned women that unaddressed body odor would make them the subject of gossip and diminish their marriage prospects. Many readers found the ads insulting, but sales surged. Men adopted antiperspirant as well after Depression-era ads tied anti-sweat products to employability.

Today, the anti-perspirant and deodorant market is worth around \$18 billion. But if the summer of 1912 had been a little cooler for Atlantic City, it might not exist at all.

Watch out for summer safety hazards

Open windows

Now come the nice breezes and open windows. But each year about 5,000 children age 10 and under are injured by falling through windows and 18 die. Screens don’t help much. According to the Children’s Medical Center in Dallas, screens can easily give way under a child’s weight.

They recommend installing window guards and moving furniture away from windows to keep a child from climbing up to reach a window. Tell kids about the dangers of windows and set a good example by not leaning against windows or sitting on their ledges.

Jellyfish stings

The number of jellyfish appears to be on the rise. Carry a small bottle of vinegar or rubbing alcohol in your beach bag. If you get stung, it will ease the pain.



Bee stings

More than 500,000 people are treated in emergency rooms each year for bee stings, and 40 die. Bees are attracted to bright clothing, the smell of perfumes and lotions, and sweet foods and drinks.

If you are stung, remove the stinger by scraping it away with a credit card. Don’t squeeze it -- squeezing can release more venom. Wash the

area and apply antiseptic. If you have a history of allergic reactions, ask your doctor for an Epi-pen, a syringe filled with epinephrine, a hormone that prevents shock.

Poison ivy, oak, sumac

If you touch poison ivy, poison oak, or poison sumac, remove the irritating resin as soon as possible. Wash the area with rubbing alcohol, followed by soap and water. If no alcohol is available, at least wash well with soap and water.

Mosquito bites

Mosquito bites itch like mad and can transmit diseases like West Nile Virus. A swarm could even make you fall out of your boat, so be sure to wear a life jacket. Repellents containing DEET offer the best protection. For children under age 6, don’t use an insect repellent that contains more than 15 percent DEET.

66th TSBA Convention Minutes



The meeting was called to order by President Glenn Spack on June 10, 2023, at 10:30 a.m. in Cleveland West, OH. An invocation was delivered followed by the Pledge of Allegiance. Delegates were reminded to sign in on the convention register.

Glenn Spack appointed Wayne Suts to act as Sergeant-At-Arms.

Roll Call of Officers
President – Glenn Spack (present)
Vice President- Tom Simon (present)

Statistical Secretary- CJ Schmitz (present)

Secretary/Treasurer- Jenny King (present)

Auditors- Rich Baker, Monica Gilles (both present) and Karen Kinser (absent)

Officers gave their reports. President Spack read Karen Kinser's letter of resignation (due to conflict with summer schedule.) Rich Baker gave the auditor's report. After the Officer's Reports were given, a motion was made by Denise Crawford and a second by Joan Miller-Malue, to accept all reports as a complete League Report. All were in favor, motion carried.

A motion was made by Monica Gilles, followed by a second by Bob Lohr, to dispense with the reading of the minutes from the 65th TSBA Convention, since they had already been accepted. All were in favor. Motion carried.

The roll call of delegates showed 15 people present and eligible to vote.

There was no Unfinished Business.
Honorariums and Allowances to stay the same.

Bob Lohr made a motion to keep the league type the same, consisting of a 4-person team, the number of sessions at 7 sessions, the Team and Branch fee at \$15 each and the Bowler fee at \$5 per bowler. Brian Gilles second the motion. All were in favor. Motion carried.

Rich Baker made a motion to keep prize money payouts the same for the next season. Tom Simon second the motion. All were in favor, motion carried.

Vice President Tom Simon, Secretary/Treasurer Jenny King, and Auditor Monica Gilles all accepted another term in their respected positions. Rich Baker made a motion to keep existing Officers in their position and add Bob Lohr as Auditor to replace Karen Kinser. Carl Schmitz second the motion. All were in favor. Motion carried. ATS President Dennis Crawford

performed the installation of Officers.

City Representatives were set for the 2023-2024 season. A list of Branch Representatives is to enable any bowler to contact them during the year to make changes in meal reservations or bowling schedule.

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Tentative Schedule for 2023-2024/
Tentative Number of Teams

September 17
Salem (2)
October 29
Cleveland East (2)
November 19
Cleveland West (3)
December 3
Lorain (2)
January 14
New Castle (6 or 7)
February 18
Cleveland East
(1) (Alliance)
March 17
Youngstown (1.5)
April 6 & 7
Tournament in Lorain

*Tournament forms will be available at the February session and will be due on March 17, 2024.

New Castle will host the TSBA Tournament in 2025.

Youngstown will host the 67th TSBA Convention on June 8, 2024. New Castle accepted the bid for the 68th TSBA Convention in 2025.

Good and Welfare – Merrillville will host the ATS Open Bowling Tournament on October 21 & 22, 2023.

The minutes of the 66th TSBA Convention were read by Secretary/Treasurer Jenny King. A motion was made by Wayne Suts and a second by Brian Gilles to accept the reading of the minutes and adjourn the 66th TSBA Convention. All were in favor. President Glenn Spack thanked all who attended.

Fraternally Submitted,
Jenny King

An upgrade that says ‘welcome!’

Compared to other updates you can make on your house, a beautiful front door doesn't cost that much, but it does give a cheerful welcome to guests and buyers alike.

Your front door might not be top on your mind all the time, but it's the first thing a visitor sees.

A front door is a crucial part of the presentation your house makes from the curb. It is actually part of the landscaping, according to HGTV, and you should pay attention to it when you put your house on the market because it can make or break your home's appeal, attracting buyers from a distance.

The whole front entrance, including porch and door, can set the tone for your home and make it feel well-maintained and secure. The porch and any furniture should be clean and tidy, not cluttered with many plants or decorations. The door itself should be, at minimum, as clean and attractive as the porch and entrance.

Here are some elements to consider with your front door:

Color: Houses with stone or hard materials often look good with a contrasting paint. But it can be tricky to get exactly the right color. Looks for matches with [colorexplorer.com](https://www.colorexplorer.com).



Materials: The door material should be suitable to the house. A lovely mahogany stained door might look great on some houses, but on others it could be overkill. A security or screen door can also be attractive and offer a way to bring a breeze or light into the house and keep your home from looking like a fortress.

Security: Door security is important. A door with windows can be breached and in some areas, this is a serious consideration. Some steel core doors are both affordable and secure.

Enjoy a day at the zoo

The best zoos in the U.S. aren't just places for people to see animals up close -- they protect and care for some of our planet's most vulnerable creatures. Animals aren't confined in stifling cages, but can instead roam through thoughtfully designed habitats that resemble their natural environments and provide spaces where animals can hide if they don't wish to be seen. A day at a great zoo isn't free, but your ticket, snack, and souvenir dollars help support their essential conservation work.

- San Diego Zoo (San Diego, CA): Over 12,000 animals reside in the San Diego Zoo, representing over 650 species and subspecies. Kids will love the zoo's Wildlife Explorers Basecamp, and everyone is sure to enjoy the Skyfari Aerial Tram, which offers quick transit around the hilly property and fantastic views of the zoo and the surrounding Balboa Park area.

- Henry Doorly Zoo and Aquarium (Omaha, NE): The conservation-focused Henry Doorly Zoo boasts the world's largest indoor desert, where visitors can see meerkats, peccaries and death adders year-round. Head to the lower level of the exhibit to Kingdoms of the

Night, where an array of nocturnal creatures await you.

- Cincinnati Zoo & Botanical Garden (Cincinnati, OH): One of the nation's oldest zoos, the Cincinnati Zoo brings visitors up close and personal with hippos (including the famous Fiona), meerkats, and Florida manatees. Stroll through the gardens to enjoy thousands of seasonal plants, or attend one of their many educational events for home gardeners.

- ZooTampa at Lowry Park (Tampa, FL): Consistently recognized as one of the nation's most family-friendly zoos, ZooTampa is also renowned for its work in wildlife rescue, rehabilitation, and release. Visitors can see over 1,000 animals, including African painted dogs, Florida panthers, Malayan tigers, and Queensland koalas.

- Bronx Zoo (New York, NY): The Bronx Zoo houses more than 6,000 animals across its sprawling 265-acre property and is a global leader in wildlife conservation. In addition to exhibits like the Congo Gorilla Forest, visitors can enjoy the Zoo's famed Gilded Age architecture and pioneering landscape design.



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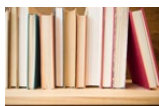
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ASK YOUR
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HELP YOU TO
SAVE!



The completion of the first hall church in Daia occurred in 1447 according to its mentioning on the keystone in the chancel. The church had no tower at the time, which was only added in the western part during the fortification works in the beginning of the 16th century. Later it was dismantled until it reached the height of the nave. In the same fortification phase, a defense level was built above the chancel and the church was surrounded by a ring wall, strengthened by two fortified buildings. The western one is nowadays a ruin, but the eastern one still preserves a good image of the typical storage construction equipped with defensive systems.

In the 19th Century the defensive systems of the ensemble were dismantled step by step, but outside the fortification an impressive freestanding neo-classical campanile, considered to be one of the highest in the country was built between 1829 and 1834. The hall of the church was covered with a flat ceiling in 1884, but the chancel still preserves its late Gothic ripped vault. After the ensemble was closed for regular church service, only the galleries and the pews remained inside.

Place and surroundings

Only an unpaved gravel road that runs parallel for several kilometers with the river of Șaeș leads to Daia. The route passes through wide meadows, where shepherds and their typical chalets can be seen. Visible from far away is the bell tower, landmark of the village that was mentioned for the first time end of 13th Century. Historical documents from the 14th Century suggest that also another place called Daia Mică (small Daia) existed in the area. The development of Daia was typical Transylvanian. At the beginning of the 16th Century one counted 72 villagers, a mill and a school. In 1605 the inhabitants found protection in the fortified church from the attacks of the Székelys troops passing by. Later on, at the beginning of the 18th Century, the plague caused more than 200 victims.

Today the remote location of the village, away from main streets and heavy traffic preserves the special charm of the place. Even the village of Saschiz that is located 10km away east from Daia and it was formerly in close contact with it can be reached only by foot, following the anfractuous paths through the meadows.



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Saxon Summer Camp

June 25-30, 2023



New Adventurers:

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Scarlett Jones

Jemma Krestel

Ultimate Challenge:

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Lukas Jones

Eva Mueller

Sharaden Mueller

James Thellman

Mora Ziegler



Favorite things to do at camp:

- Swimming
- White Water Rafting
- Rock Wall
- Capture the Flag
- Creek Stomping
- Big Slip n Slide
- Looking forward to next year without my older sibling!

