



Luncheon Programs May 2011

May 5, 2011 Guest speakers were Joe Strychalski and Paula Cosby, Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Greater Miami Valley (BBBSGMV). They shared a variety of opportunities to partner with BBBSGMV in its mission to serve at-risk youth in the Miami Valley through one-to-one mentoring relationships with positive, caring adults. Each time Big Brothers Big Sisters pairs a child with a role model, we start something incredible: a one-to-one relationship built on trust and friendship that can blossom into a future of unlimited potential. http://www.dayton-unitedway.org/agencies_resources/partnerpages/bb-bs.htm

Big Brothers/Big Sisters of the Greater Miami Valley Provides responsible adult companionship for children in single-parent homes who lack mature, constructive influences due to the physical or psychological absence of a parent.



Figure 1 Paula Cosby



Figure 2 Joe Strychalski

May 19, 2011 Guest speaker was George Mongon, Chief Development Officer, Air Force Museum Foundation, Inc. History of Air Force Museum.

The Air Force Museum Foundation is a 501(c) (3) nonprofit organization dedicated to:

- Foster and perpetuate the National Museum of the US Air Force as a medium for informing and educating the public on the history and heritage of the United States Air Force.
- Serve as a philanthropic corporation in assisting the development and expansion of the facilities of the National Museum.
- Receive, hold, and administer gifts in the best interest of the National Museum.



Figure 3 McCook Field

Charles Kettering got involved with McCook field bought by Daytonians for US Government. 1917-1923 used up a few planes and placed in hangars and became start of Air Force Museum and the research center in 1927.



Figure 4 many of its artifacts were stored outside

First official house was built for the museum just before the depression and World War 2. In 1947 the Air Force was formed and the new museum was moved into a manufacturing plant. With a few exceptions, the Smithsonian became a museum for general aviation. The aircraft that was not usable was burned and destroyed.

Three individuals in Dayton raised the money needed to start the museum. November 2, 1960 the Air Force Museum Foundation Inc was incorporated. The Air Force did not have a budget, in 1971 the Air Force Museum was established. In 1973, President Nixon came for the dedication and it was all private funds no government money.

There is a collection of Air Force 1 in research and development plans, are on moon and you can take a shuttle bus to see them from the main building.

2003 preparation for 100 years what's the gun the hall of missus was developed 2002 2003 centennial flight was in full gear 365 aircraft are shown inside and 2010 inventory it aircraft are on loan out to 780 sites in the world. There are 12 field museums for the Air Force; Dayton's is a national museum.

2001 campaign raised \$28,000,000 from private supporters America's primary place for research and development this was the primary test site that killed the jazz age. Edwards Air Force base is used for testing,

and the research and design is done here in Dayton. 1.3 mm people per year come to the museum. The Air Force Museum is an economic machine.

Seven Doo Little Fliers are living; a bottle of cognac in the museum will be opened in the museum when two flyers are left.

Foundation is currently doing the following:

1. Raising funds for fourth building (a collection of presidential planes)
2. Promoting the museum
3. Helping boost education programs to new levels.

Coming to Dayton from the shuttle are the



Figure 3 George Mongon

cockpit trainer and the cargo bay. Dayton will have the

only way for visitors to see the inside of the shuttle. Because the shuttle has a difficult entry way, people will only be able to see the outside not the inside it. This is an advantage that Dayton will have over the four shuttle locations.

Currently about \$45,000,000 towards \$50,000,000 dollars estimated to build the building to house the shuttle components, and Air Force 1 planes is committed.

Please visit the website:

http://www.airforcemuseum.com/pls/apex/f?p=145.:6:1865944321178883.:NO::P0_NODE_ID:941.::

Civitan Club of Dayton June 2011 Newsletter

Dayton Civitan Club 2008-2009 Honor Club Award and 2008 MLK Award Tony Massoud, Editor

Club Business:

Business meeting: In Attendance: Brian Miller, Rebecca Karason, Al Pierce, Sr. Tony Massoud, Michael King and Carlos Reisen

Tony made a motion to accept the nominations as presented. Nominations were approved by the club a motion was made to accept Rebecca as a new member of Dayton Civitan, motion was approved. President is Brian Miller, President Elect is Carlos Reisen, Treasurer is Doug Kneisly and Secretary is Stanley Clarke Wyllie. Wes Ramsey will remain Past President.

The Club purchased tickets for the Dayton Dragons Game June 17th, for the boys and staff from the Building Bridges Boys Home.

Make an effort to attend the Cardinal District Convention for Civitans and spouses. Maybe, even golf on Friday. Please save dates:

August 26, 2011 - District Board Meeting

August 27, 2011 - District Convention Columbus, Ohio

President's Corner:

We are starting June with some very exciting news! We have a new member, Rebecca Karason. Rebecca comes to us through Elements IV and she is very active in the Dayton community. New news; we have agreed to host a spaghetti dinner at URS annually; this idea came from Wes Ramsey, past president. I am committed to following through with making the Civitan of Dayton Spaghetti dinner the best charity dinner of its kind in Dayton. We cannot accomplish this without members, lots of members! Our goal will be to host the dinner annually in October at URS. Due to scheduling conflicts this year we will start the annual dinner next year. However, stay tuned as we might just schedule a dinner in February 2012! Finally, thank you to everyone for giving to others,

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showing good citizenship and being stewards of Civitan in your daily lives. It is true we get what we give. I am grateful for you all and look forward to the coming months with excitement.

P.S. Pay it Forward!

Yours in Civitan,

Brian Miller

President

Luncheon Programs for June, rest of summer only meet 1st & 3rd Thursday:

June 2, Monnie Bush, the Victory Project

June 16th, Al Harmon, Climbing out of debt.



Organizations, Before 1905 (the birth of Rotary) and

After Visit the link from the Rotary website which gives an excellent history of Civitan. Thank you

Rotary International!

<http://www.rotaryfirst100.org/history/history/otherorganizations/civitan/>

Dayton Civitan Projects & Programs:

Civitan will provided 2 teams for the May 6th Presidents Club –WPAFB Fund Raising Golf Outing. Tony won closest to the pin.

- a. WOW K-8th Elementary School reading last day before summer break was June May 31st and for Head Start was May 30th.
- b. MVCDC Reading to Pre-school kids for summer is available. Contact Tony.
- c. Presidents Club Breakfast for Best Member Awards was May 19th at the Dayton Engineers Club, close to 100 participated.
- d. Tony Massoud sponsored the URS Breakfast May 24th. The next URS Breakfast is June 24th, please let Tony know if you would like to attend.
- e. See attached Rubber Duck Regatta flier for URS, Civitans are involved to help with this event.

Contact Tony Massoud to get involved 937-238-0595.

Dayton Civitan Website: Thank You Dan Barret, Club webmaster

<http://www.spiritsgifts.com/civitan.htm> Dan, you do a great job for Civitan!



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- Secretary – Stanley Wyllie, 937-252-8496
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The CIVITAN CREED

I AM CIVITAN, as old as life, as young as the rainbow, as endless as time.

MY HANDS do the work of the world and reach out in service to others.

MY EARS hear the cry of children and the call throughout the world for peace, guidance, progress, and unity.

MY EYES search for others to join in the fellowship and service of Civitan.

MY MOUTH utters the call to daily duty and speaks prayers in every tongue.

MY MIND teaches me respect for law and the flag of my country.

MY HEART beats for every friend, bleeds for every injury to humanity, and throbs with joy at every triumph of truth.

MY SOUL knows no fear but its own unworthiness.

MY HOPE is for a better world through Civitan.

MY MOTTO: Builders of good citizenship.

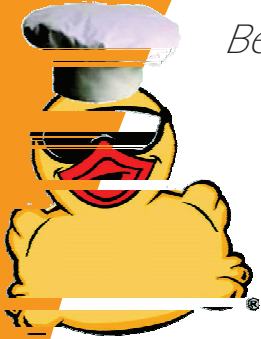
MY BELIEF: Do unto others as you would have them do unto you.

MY PLEDGE: To practice the Golden Rule and build upon it a better and nobler Citizenship

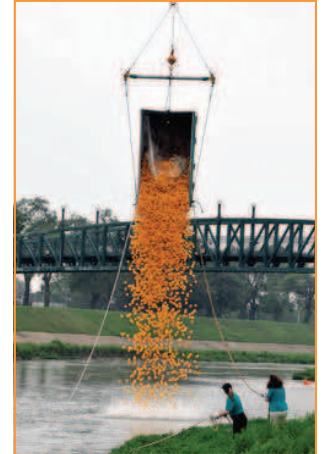


8th Annual URS Rubber Duck Regatta

Benefiting Children & Adults with Disabilities in our Community



September 17, 2011
in conjunction with
The Taste of Miami Valley



What is the United Rehabilitation Services Rubber Duck Regatta?



The release and river race of up to 15,000 bright yellow rubber ducks for a controlled race down the Great Miami River. This event takes place at RiverScape's Festival Plaza on September 17th in conjunction with The Taste. All proceeds help enhance the quality of life for children and adults with disabilities!

How you can help:

The Dayton Civitan Club President Brian Miller challenges your service organization to sell ducks in the community during the summer! This is a great opportunity for your club to help children and adults with disabilities! In addition to selling ducks at local festivals and events, your organization can plan and conduct a Duck Adoption Campaign. URS will provide ideas on planning your campaign!

For more information, contact Vivian O'Connell : voconnell@ursdayton.org, 233-1230 X105, or Brian Miller: Brian@4mach4.com, 1-888-477-8101.

\$5 Dollars...

One Duck...

Infinite Possibilities



Visit www.ursdayton.org for more egg-citing details!