

NEWSLETTER  
JUNE 2011

103<sup>rd</sup> O.V.I.



## From our President...

103rd O.V.I. Members,  
The 103rd Will Shine.....

Spring has sprung and summer is just around the corner. On behalf of the Board of Directors, I would like to invite each of you to attend our Camp Week 2011. The Presidents of the Sons and Daughters are diligently making preparations for the encampment in August. We welcome back all members and would especially love to see those of you who have not

been with us for a while. Make plans to reengage friendships and help create new and lasting memories.

Most of all, I would like to have your voice and participation during our annual stockholders meeting which will be held on Thursday August 11th @ 8 p.m. Please join us as we set ongoing directions for this unique and special organization. The topic of interest to all will be the planning and directions our

shareholders will discuss as it relates to Casement Hall. If you are unable to attend but would like to provide input please forward your comments and concerns to me at [board@103ovi.org](mailto:board@103ovi.org).

Please join us for the weekly activities and enjoy the gifts we have been given through the foresight of our veterans.

Kind Regards,

Gus Grubaugh

Pres., The 103RD O.V.I. Company



## Special Events

### Births:

Summer Mya King born November 6, 2010 to Richard and Michele King in New Castle, Delaware

Maximus (Max) Gabriel King born November 10, 2010 to Ronald and Jamie King in Dover, Delaware

Fiona Allison Fox was born October 13, 2010, in Kingston, Jamaica. Her mother Brooke is teaching there, and father Kevin is at the USA embassy in his capacity as an A.I.D. officer.

Fiona is a descendant of Sgt. Timothy Metzger, Co. C.

Fiona is the granddaughter of Allison (Susie) Kelly and the great granddaughter of Ann Falver.

Emily & Josh Gillian had an 11 lb 5 oz baby boy, Jonah on April 3rd.

Leslie & Jerry Popiel welcomed a baby boy, Edward, in January.

### Marriage:

Kyle King to AIC Elysee Gardner February 8, 2011 in Dover, Delaware. They reside at Shaw Air Force Base, South Carolina

HAPPY 25th Anniversary to Malcolm & Jean Thompson

## Camp Week 2011:

From: Sons & Daughters Presidents, Camp Week 2011, Laura & Charlie Beedle:

This camp week's theme is Islands, Beaches, Boats and Buffett. A real laid back theme. We will be working to turn the dance hall into an island beach resort. Bring your "don't worry be happy attitude", your swim suit and your patriotism and show up for a relaxing week.

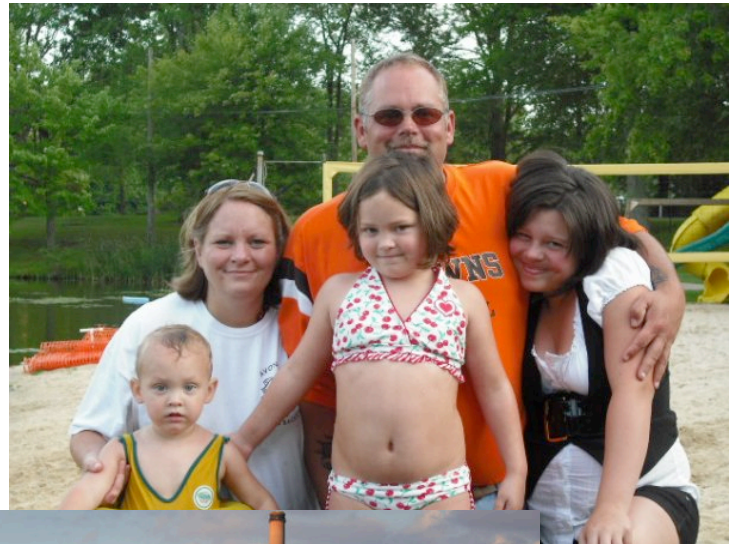
Pre camp is Saturday August 6th. 5:30 pm is the pre camp cookout hosted by Ruth Wagner. There will be no flag lowering that evening but there will be a square dance that evening with a "new" caller named Allemande Al".. he is from Brunswick, Ohio and also does line dancing and contra. hoping for a great turnout!

Please contact me if you or someone in your family needs a camping space.

I am also trying to create a Facebook site to keep everyone informed about what is going on this coming camp week. Please Send "friend requests" or let other members know.

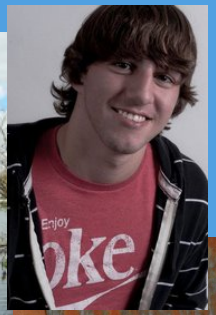
This Facebook Group is called: Camp Week 2011 Islands Beaches, boats and Buffett. This group is "closed", which means that everyone can see the group and its members, but only members can see what gets posted in the group. Members can post and comment on updates, chat with everyone at once, schedule group events, create shared docs, and more . More to come!

—Laura Beedle



## CONGRATULATIONS 2011 GRADUATES!

Oliver Ritter is graduating from Case Western Reserve with an electrical engineering degree and will be moving to Austin, TX.  
Ruby Bemis is graduating from Bexley High School.  
Erin Curby is graduating from Cedarville College.  
Anna Curby is graduating with her Masters from Boston University.  
Hunter Hubbard graduates this year from Oakwood High School.  
Derek Grubaugh is graduating from the University of Colorado.  
Christopher Tiedemann is graduating from Cy-Fair HS Houston, TX



### ON A MORE SERIOUS NOTE... submitted by Cliff Riedle:

#### NOTICE OF PROPOSED CHANGE TO THE BY-LAWS OF THE SONS AND DAUGHTERS ORGANIZATION

At the 2010 annual meeting of the Sons and Daughters Organization, a motion was made and seconded that the Sons and Daughters By-Laws be amended to have our camp week reunion begin on the first Tuesday in August instead of the second Tuesday in August. This proposed amendment would read as follows:

#### ARTICLE III - BASIC ORGANIZATION OF SONS & DAUGHTERS

##### Section I - Reunions

The said Sons and Daughters of the 103rd Regiment O.V.I. shall meet semi-annually.

(A) Firstly, from the ~~second~~ FIRST Tuesday in August, to continue for one week upon our most beautiful grounds, located in Lorain County, Sheffield Township; this being the Lake Front property and the regular reunion of the 103rd Regiment O.V.I.

This motion will be discussed and may be voted on during the Sons and Daughters Meeting to be held on August 13, 2011. The by-laws of the Sons and Daughters may be amended by an affirmative vote of two thirds of the members in good standing who are in attendance at the meeting.

# \* CAMP WEEK 2011 \*

## Islands, Beaches, Boats and Buffett



### Saturday

August 6

- 5:30 Potluck with **Ruth Wagner**
- 7:30 Line dance with **Mary Harwood**

### Sunday

August 7

- 1:00 Dinner with **Connie Parker**
- 3:30 Flag lowering with **Laura and Charlie Beedle**  
**Immediately following: Soldiers of History**
- 6:30 Turkey sandwiches
- 7:00 Ice cream social with **Diana Leitch**, Music with **Bob Ritter**



### Monday

August 8

- 6:30\* Breakfast with **Krista Gemmel**
- 10:00\*\* Children's hour with **Polly Albrecht & Carolyn Popiel**
- 11:00 Church
- 12:00 Lunch
- 5:30 Dinner
- 7:30 Flag Lowering with **Jack Brothers**
- 8:00 Cottager's Island with **Jessica Cashell**

### Tuesday

August 9

- 6:30\* Breakfast with **Tracy Carter-Farrow**
- 10:00 Children's hour with **Polly Albrecht & Carolyn Popiel**
- 11:00 Church
- 12:00 Lunch
- 1:00 **Inflatable boxing ring** and bounce house
- 5:30 Dinner
- 7:30 Flag lowering with **Michelle Brent, Colin & Allison**
- 8:00 Show by **Bev Ritter**
- 9:00 **WAYNES WORLD BAND high energy dance band will play tunes till the wee hours!**

Wear your best beach gear, hula skirts, and Hawaiian shirts!



**Wednesday  
August 10**

- 6:30\* Breakfast with **Cliff and Todd**
- 10:00\*\* Children's hour with Polly Albrecht & Carolyn Popiel
- 11:00 Church
- 12:00 Lunch
- 5:30 Dinner
- 7:30 Flag lowering with **Julie Piazza**
- 8:00 Show with **Carla Fritz and Holly**
- 9:00 DJ HOUSE....dancing and Karaoke

**Thursday  
August 11**

- 7:00\* Breakfast with **Brad & Dee Greenberg**
- 10:00\*\* Children's Hour with Polly Albrecht & Carolyn Popiel
- 11:00 Church
- 12:00 Lunch
- 2:00 Memorial service with **Kalee Thomas**
- 5:00 Dinner
- 6:30 Flag Lowering with **Carl Ford**
- Foundation Meeting
- 8:00 Stockholder's Meeting



**Friday  
August 12**

- 6:30\* Breakfast with **Polly Albrecht and Caroline Popiel**
- 10:00\*\* Children's Hour with Polly Albrecht & Carolyn Popiel
- 12:00 Lunch
- 5:30 Dinner
- 7:30 Flag Lowering with **Ruby Bemis and Friends**

9:00 Swing City Big Band back by DEMAND



**Saturday  
August 13**



- 6:30\* Breakfast with **Connie Parker**
- 10:00\*\* Children's hour with Polly Albrecht & Carolyn Popiel
- 11:00 Church
- 12:00 Lunch
- 2:00 Sons and Daughters meeting
- 5:30 Dinner
- 7:30 Flag lowering with **Krista Gemmel**
- 8:00 Children's hour show with **Mary Wendorff**
- 9:00 DJ HOUSE IS BACK IN THE HOUSE
- 12:00 Wiener Roast with **Billy and Sally Carter**

**After the wiener roast our own Derek Fritz will spin the tunes 'til the wee hours!**

**Sunday  
August 14**

- 1:00 Last Supper with ???
- 3:00 Flag Lowering
- Food sale after flag lowering



\* Breakfast served daily until 8:45 am

\*\* Train to Children's hour departs daily at 9:45 am & the Children's Show will be directed by Mary Wendorff (Peters)

**Look for volleyball, football games and much more on the daily schedule posted during Camp!!**



# 103<sup>rd</sup> O.V.I. Sons & Daughters' 2011 Registration

Your Board of Directors and Sons and Daughters Presidents would appreciate your yearly registration even if you are not able to attend the camp week activities. By registering, you support the yearly maintenance of the O.V.I. grounds and company buildings. Registration also shows your continued support of our organization and helps perpetuate the reunions so they will be in full force when you are again able to attend.

Please separately list each name and the applicable price

**Adults (18 and over) \$ 30**  
**Junior (9 – 17) \$ 15**  
**Child (8 and under) \$ 5**

Send Registration to:

**The 103<sup>rd</sup> O.V.I. Company**  
**5501 E. Lake Rd**  
**Sheffield Lake, OH 44054**

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**Donation for The Assembly Call** \_\_\_\_\_

**Donation for Upkeep of Camp Grounds** \_\_\_\_\_

**Total: Please make out your check to The 103<sup>rd</sup> OVI Company** \_\_\_\_\_

**Veteran(s) and Company** \_\_\_\_\_

**Submitted by** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**An OVI Directory will be available during Camp Week at the Registration Table.** If you are unable to attend but would like one, please so note on this form and one will be sent to you.

**New Addresses:** Please list any **new** addresses, phone numbers and e-mails for your family on the back of this form and they will be updated in the OVI Directory.

**Thank you for your continued support!**

## Thanks From your 103rd OVI Board of Directors

Thank you to the following contributors who have made recent donations to the 103rd OVI Company:

Dan & Lori Barnicle (In Memory of Everett Thompson), Edna Bemis (In Memory of Everett Thompson), DeeAnn Eley, and Ray & Bonnie Scheerer.

Many thanks for the continued support , Diana Leitch, Company Treasurer



Eric Wagner

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