

Central Illinois Parrot Head Club

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Coral Reefers to Perform At Live By The Lake

No, not all of them, but a couple anyway. The CIPHC has reached agreement with **Amy Lee** and **Doyle Grisham** to perform with **the Boat Drunks** at **Live By the Lake** this year. Amy's sax and Doyle's steel guitar add to the great sound of the Boat Drunks. Hopefully, Amy and Doyle will help draw some more attendance to LBTL.

Plus, we have lined up lodging for our out of town guests. The **Doubletree Hotel** on Brickyard Drive in Bloomington has agreed to an \$89 rate. The Doubletree has recently gone through a multi-million dollar renovation. But more importantly, they have agreed to provide a shuttle to/from the Sale Barn for us. In addition, they have a courtyard area where Parrot Heads can take their coolers and drink all night long - an important consideration when our party shuts down at 11:00 p.m.. As soon as the details are available, they will be posted on the club website (www.CIPHC.org).

In addition to talking about LBTL at our upcoming Happy Hours, our next planning meeting will be held on Wednesday, May 17th at 6pm. Ed and Susie Nnnnewby have volunteered their home at 3107 Dorsey Court in Bloomington. Please make every effort to attend. It's important that we have your help.

As a reminder, **Live By The Lake** is scheduled for **July 8th** at the Sale Barn in Bloomington. And, we need your help. Jim Bright (onebrightparrothead@insightbb.com) has agreed to organize the volunteers again this year. Please do not make him beg you. Email him and tell him you want to help. This party cannot be successful without you!

Parrot Heads and Beer?

The organizers of the **River City Air Expo** have decided to ask the foxes to be in charge of the chicken coop this year. Yes, they want us to pour beer at the Air Show this year. They have assured us that the "Nazi" we had to deal with a few years ago will NOT be involved. The idea is that we'd be dealing directly with the local Budweiser distributor.

Here's the catch, the River City Air Expo is **July 22-23**, that's just 2 weeks after Live By The Lake. Gates open at 9:00 a.m. and the event closes at 5:00 p.m. daily. The River City Air Expo benefits the Children's Hospital of Illinois, the Peoria Playhouse, and the Prairie Aviation Museum with a Challenger Learning Center

Please email Pete (KRBNSoul@gmail.com) if you'd like to volunteer for this event.

May 3
6:00 p.m.
Green Gables
Lake Bloomington

Happy Hour!

June 7
6:00 p.m.
Burger Barge
East Peoria

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Meetings of the Central Illinois Minds

This column is devoted to activity reports from each of our standing committees. It's their chance to tell you what they've been up to and your chance to see if they're doing what **YOU** expect! To join a committee, or just offer a suggestion, be sure to call the committee chairman listed below:

Charity	Jim Bright	(309) 698-6619
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Publicity	Sheila Watson	(309) 353-4829
Membership	Tammy Van Egtern	(309) 452-4584

Social Report

We had a very good turnout at the last happy hour. Thanks to everyone who came out to the Driftwood.

The next Happy Hour, Wednesday May 3rd, 2006, is going to be at **Green Gables** by Lake Bloomington. To get there take I-39 north to Lake Bloomington road. Then go east until you get to the stop sign, Green Gables will be on your right. This Happy Hour coincides with our club president's birthday week, so come out and buy Pete a birthday drink.

The June Happy Hour is going to be at the **Burger Barge** in East Peoria. If anyone needs directions to these social events, please contact Joe Kaywood. (email: joe@alrightguy.com, phone:309-662-0048) Also contact Joe if you have any suggestions for a social event and/or a Happy Hour location.

Membership Report

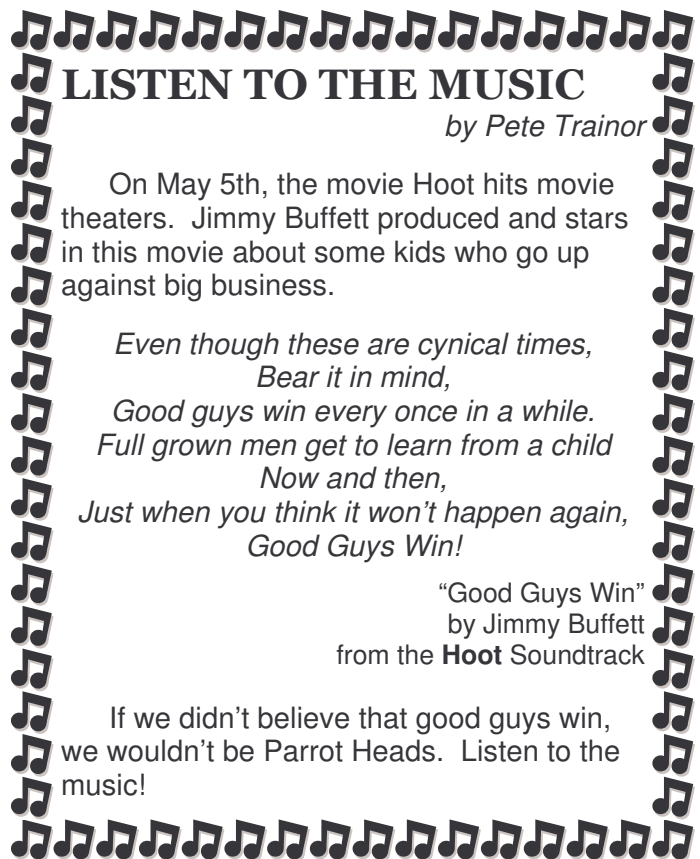
"Welcome!" to new members John & Peg Warriner from Villa Grove, IL.

"Thanks for Renewing" to Charlie Lindberg (Peoria, IL), Beth Pearsall (Normal, IL), David & Betsy Booton (Peoria, IL), Monica Hamby (Pekin, IL), Pete Trainor (Bloomington, IL), Charlie Ross (Cedar Rapids, IA), Doug & Chris Ringer (Normal, IL), and Joe & Michelle Kaywood (Bloomington, IL).

"Happy May Membership Anniversary" to Marty & Rudy Davis (Atlanta, IL), Julie Hozie (Bloomington, IL), Jo & Rich Knable (Bloomington, IL), Christy Ward (Normal, IL), and Mike & Michon Wieland (Bloomington, IL).

Rock the Phlock! If you have any ideas for making our membership even better, or if you need to update your member information, contact Tammy Van Egtern at tammyve@attglobal.net or (309) 452-4584.

And...if you meet any like-minded souls out there in your travels near and far who might like to join our club, please direct them to our website at www.ciphc.org. That's where they can find a membership form, plus all kinds of great Parrot Head information.



LISTEN TO THE MUSIC

by Pete Trainor

On May 5th, the movie Hoot hits movie theaters. Jimmy Buffett produced and stars in this movie about some kids who go up against big business.

*Even though these are cynical times,
Bear it in mind,
Good guys win every once in a while.
Full grown men get to learn from a child
Now and then,
Just when you think it won't happen again,
Good Guys Win!*

"Good Guys Win"
by Jimmy Buffett
from the **Hoot** Soundtrack

If we didn't believe that good guys win, we wouldn't be Parrot Heads. Listen to the music!

DON'T CHU-KNOW ?????

Kristi Bright answered last months trivia question correctly. The question was "What's the current name of the 2006 Buffett tour? "The answer is *Party at the End of the World 2006*.

The first person to tell Joe the correct answer to this question will receive a free beverage at the May HH:

Travis McGee is mentioned in a couple of Buffett songs, what is the name of Travis McGee's house boat?

Charity Report

Hear ye, hear ye, hear ye! We need volunteers for LBTL on July 8th! This is the club's "BIG EVENT" so we need you! The more that volunteer the more everyone can have phun! Thanks in advance.

In Oct. it's very likely we'll be helping out TAPS in Pekin, TAPS being a no kill animal shelter and Boat Drunks will be playing at the Dragon's Dome. We'll need some people for that.

Thanks to all that have helped in the past and the future.

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	1	2	3 HAPPY HOUR 6:00 pm Green Gables	4 HAPPY BIRTHDAY Pete Trainor	5 Cinco de Mayo 	6
7 HAPPY BIRTHDAY Susan Farrell	8	9	10	11	12 HAPPY BIRTHDAY Rich Knable	13 Island Fever Phlocking Cedar Rapids, IA
14 Mothers' Day 	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25 HAPPY BIRTHDAY Michelle Kaywood	26 HAPPY BIRTHDAY Jill Barr	27
28	29 MEMORIAL DAY	30	31 HAPPY BIRTHDAY Julie Hozie			

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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4	5	6 HAPPY BIRTHDAY Jim Bright	7 HAPPY HOUR 6:00 pm Burger Barge	8	9	10 Buffett @ AlpineValley
11 	12	13	14 FLAG DAY 	15	16	17 HAPPY BIRTHDAY Dennis Schulkins
18	19	20 HAPPY BIRTHDAY Marge Stretch	21	22	23 HAPPY BIRTHDAY Michael Butler	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	

And now, a word from our sponsor

The Central Illinois Parrot Head Club and Parrot Heads in Paradise are non-profit organizations whose purposes are to assist in community and environmental concerns and to provide a variety of social activities for people with similar tastes and interests.

Do you know anyone who would like to join the Central Illinois Parrot Head Club? Have them call or write the club at the address below or bring them to the next meeting!

What about ideas or suggestions for the club or the Quietly Making News? Call or write the club at the address below or e-mail us at:

officers@CIPHC.org

Visit the CIPHC Web Site at:
www.CIPHC.org

Parrot Head Store

Call the club hotline, 827-7836, for these items and anything else you think you want to buy.

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Tank Tops	\$10.00	Huggies / Koozies	\$3.00

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Please review your mailing label below. The date after your name on the mailing label indicates the date when your membership runs out. Non-paying members will be removed from the mailing list, so be sure your dues are paid early!!!

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