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## Ohio JCI Senate

### 56<sup>th</sup> President Karen Schoonover #57305

WOW! Just WOW! What an amazing PIG ROAST! Chairman Dan Szakal #66180 and committee did a fantastic job. The food was plentiful, the entertainment outstanding. Zack the Glass Blower was interesting and talented, and the weather was perfect for a golf outing. While we don't have the final numbers in yet, it's safe to say it was a huge success. We had five visiting State Presidents and our US JCI Senate National President Hal Williams #43912. What a way to start the new year.

Our thanks to the Hudson Jaycees and the North Canton Jaycees for helping with the Pig Roast and the Ron Robinson Golf Outing. Just let us know when we can Return the Favor for one of your projects or programs.

My first official duty was to help the North Canton Jaycees with their 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade. We baRgged up candy to be distributed throughout the parade route and lined up the participants. While I thought I was going to help direct the parade route, it was a surprise that Chapter President, Eric Smer #80183, arranged for a Corvette for us to ride in! It was fun to be in the parade, not in charge of it. Thank you for the invite and I hope you ask me to come visit again.

The ARK has sailed to two ports of call, on the cruise through Region V. The first was our own Pig Roast, the second was the IL JCI Senate Picnic. This was my first time attending and had a very enjoyable time. Congratulations to MaryAnn Hilleary #46415 on being installed as the 57<sup>th</sup> President of the Illinois Senate.

Our next stop will take us to Portage, IN for the IN JCI Senate Picnic on August 18-20, after a quick side trip to West Virginia and their Steak Fry the weekend before. The last two stops will be at KY JCI Senate Fall Frenzy on October 20-22 and at MI JCI Senate Jeans & Jewels Scholarship Fundraiser November 18<sup>th</sup>.

We have a date and a place for the OH JCI Senate Year End Meeting and Elections. The date is May 3-5, 2024 at the Hampton Inn in Oregon, OH. Our block room rate will be \$149 for either a double queen room or single king room.

Our next meeting will be held in Springsboro, OH at the Hampton Inn & Suites Springsboro/Dayton Area South on November 10-12, 2023. Room rate is \$129 for two queen beds or one king bed. The room block ends October 10<sup>th</sup>. Our theme will be "German Fest". Come EAT, DRINK and be MERRY! And don't forget your Lederhosen!

Keep doing Acts of Random Kindness to your fellow Senators!

Karen Schoonover #57305  
56<sup>th</sup> President OH JCI Senate  
A.R.K. Acts of Random Kindness

# Vice President Allison Geddes #74777

Hello fellow Senators,

It is I your friendly neighborhood VP Allison Geddes, many of you know me. For those that do not I have been the one keeping up the Ohio Senate web site or more recently rebuilding it due to a failure on the back end. I will continue to maintain the web page for President Karen. So if there is anything you would like to see added or changed shoot me a email and I will see what I can do to make it happen.

I am also looking for someone willing to take lead for the S.O.A.R program. S.O.A.R. is the Senate Outreach Activation and Retention the idea is to help welcome new senators as well as try and reach out to those senators that we haven't seen in a long time and see how they are doing and what would interest them to come get back involved. Region V's own Kim Hubbel #68729 from MI is the national program manager and I have the training she gave in St. Louis to help get you started. So if anyone is interested in gaining more information or taking on this position please let me know.



The ARK year has gotten off to a fast start with the kickoff event of the Pig Roast in Kent. Chairman Dan Szakal #66180 and committee did an awesome job! It was nice to see so many in attendance, I am looking forward to next year. Last week I was at my first Illinois Picnic and despite the heat had a great time. Chairman Lynn McGill #70634 did a great job, I look forward to attending again. Next up is the West Virginia Steak Fry and then the Indiana Picnic will be the following weekend. It's a busy time of year but worth it as I get to see old friends and meet new ones. I look forward to see you all in November at our next meeting if I don't see you before.

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# Treasurer Tammy Snapp #79574

Hello ALL SENATORS!

My name is Tammy Snapp, and I am your 2023-2024 Ohio State Treasurer!

It was wonderful seeing everyone at the Pig Roast! Great job to everyone on the Committee and all of their help!

Illinois Picnic was very fun! I'm excited to go back next year!

Next up....Indiana Meeting in Portage Indiana! Hope to see you there!

I have sent out dues billings for all September Membership. You should be receiving your invoices shortly if not already received.

**Remember a life membership is currently \$250.**

**If you are not currently a life member, please think about it.**

Have you moved?

Has your email address changed?

Please send your changes to my email: [tallen43074@yahoo.com](mailto:tallen43074@yahoo.com) or you can go to the US JCI Senate website, [usjcisenate.org](http://usjcisenate.org) and select address change and fill out the form.

This will update your information on everything. It will also be sent to me. Then I can forward it to Joe Callison, to update our state directory.

We are always looking for new members.

Are there any chapters out there that are planning to give out senatorships? Let us know!

Do you know someone whose chapter has folded? And believe they deserve to be a Senator? Let us know!

I am looking forward to an amazing year and all the new "Family" I will get to see!

Respectfully Yours,

Tammy Snapp #79574

Treasurer 2023-2024

OHIO JCI Senate



# Upcoming Events

Aug 11th-13th	West Virginia Steak Fry	Parkersburg, WV
Aug 18th-20th	Indiana Summer Picnic	Portage, IN
Sept 21st-24th	US JCI Senate Fall BOD	Houston, TX
Oct 20th-22nd	Fall Frenzy (former Bourbon Bash)	Bardstown, KY
Nov. 18th	MI Jeans and Jewels	Livonia, MI
Jan 11th-14th	US JCI Senate Winter BOD	Greenville, SC
Jan 26th-28th	IN/KY JCI senate meeting	Louisville, KY
Mar 15th-17th	Region V Spring Fling	Columbus OH
June 18th-22nd	USJCI year end meeting	Tampa, FL

*We believe:*

*That faith in God gives meaning and purpose to human life;*

*That the brotherhood of man transcends the sovereignty of nations;*

*That economic justice can best be won by free men through free enterprise;*

*That government should be of laws rather than of men;*

*That earth's great treasure lies in human personality;*

*And that service to humanity is the best work of life.*