# THE COULD LEAF FORT KNOX Monthly Newsletter

### THE PRESIDENT'S PEN Steve Schmitt

Happy Holidays! I can't believe we've already made it through 2021. They say time flies when you're having fun, and despite the challenges we've faced and continue to face through this pandemic, I am most definitely having fun. Just look back at all the exciting things we've done since May. We raised funds for our scholarship and grants programs in some new and innovative ways. The Little Caesar's Pizza Kits and the E-town discount cards are just two examples. We revamped and improved past methods with favorable results. The Bourbon Pull, the Texas Roadhouse Rolls sales, and Flocking houses around post with our flamingos all increased their income from last year. And, earlier this month we added a Tour of Homes to our Wreath and Tree auction nearly doubling last year's fall fundraising total.

Fundraising isn't the only aspect of our club though. Nineteen sub-clubs are going strong, bringing in countless people for socializing and activities every week. If you haven't yet been to one of our sub-club outings, I encourage you to give any of them a try. I can't imagine you'd be disappointed. Our Monthly Member Mixers are there for you too. They've been amazing so far, and I can't wait to play Minute to Win It in January and bake up something amazing for the Bourbon Baking Championship in February. Don't miss either of these events. The mixers are one of the main ways I'm having so much fun this year, and you will too.

I'm also having fun just being a member of the FKSCC board team. I have to be honest and say that when I started volunteering for Spouses' Clubs I didn't know if that would be the case. Today, the ladies I've worked with are some of the best friends I could ask for. I want to thank the entire FKSCC board for all of your hard work this year. None of our success would be possible without all of you.

FKSCC Family, I also want to thank all of you for sticking with us during the pandemic, and for riding with us on this journey. It isn't over. There are more sub-club events, more mixers, and yes, more fundraisers coming up in 2022. I suggest you get those walking or running shoes warmed up for the spring. Plus, applications for the scholarships and grants mentioned above will be opening in the new year. All of our hard work will come to fruition. I can't wait.

Finally, I hope all of you have a wonderful holiday season. Whether you are staying close to home, or traveling far away, please be safe. We want everyone coming together in the new year. 2022 is going to be another wonderful opportunity for the FKSCC to make an impact in our communities, and I know, it will be another great year where all of us will continue to BE THE CHANGE! Merry Christmas and Happy New Year, Steve





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### JANUARY 11 DOORS OPEN @ 10:30 AM SABER & QUILL

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Come ready to play some outrageously funny games with ordinary objects

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#### Crafts/Sewing

- Are you crafty or want to learn how, join Jennifer Stempien and the Craft Sub Club
  Monthly meet ups with varying dates, times
- and locations. • \*\*NEW\*\* They added 'Learn to Sew' classes this year!
- Keep an eye on their Facebook page for updates, FKSCC Craft Sub Club

### Check out more Sub Clubs here!

# Birthdays

#### <u>December</u>

Michelle Kibitlewski 12/9 Jamon Wallen 12/13 Traci Walker 12/13 Katelynn Burrell 12/16 Toshie Murrell 12/16 Samantha Darrow 12/18 Deborah Stafford 12/21 Jennine Wassink 12/22 Ann Marie Reilly 12/27

#### <u>January</u>

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FOR ALL YOUR SUPPORT THIS YEAR!

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#### SPRING FUNDRAISER DETAILS

**Coming in April, the FKSCC** will hold the 2nd annual Spring 5K. Details are still in the works but if you'd like to volunteer please contact our **Spring Fundraising Coordinator Lisa Welsh** 

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