



**Destination Friendship
2021 - 2022**

***Illinois JCI Senate EBlast
January 18, 2022***

From The President

Illinois JCI Senate,

As I am traveling to Florida to attend the National Senate Winter Boards, I am so thankful for this opportunity to serve the Illinois JCI Senate. It has truly been a pleasure to work with people from across the country and learn more about the Senate and friends for a lifetime. If you are interested in joining the Illinois Senate as either an Executive Board Member or a Chairman, reach out to me, I would be happy to explain the positions.

I hope to see everyone at the January GA, January 28 & 29th. Hospitality Chairperson, Kathy Crick, has a lot planned for us, please see her article below. Before the GA I will be holding a few meetings via Zoom, if you would like to attend please reach out to me and I will send you the Zoom call in information, the meetings are as follows:

Executive Board Meeting

Monday, January 24th at 7:00 (CST)

Audit Committee

Wednesday, January 26th at 7:00 (CST)

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US JCI Senate National Convention - News

Anyone going to the National Convention in Louisville, KY – we need your help.

As you are aware by now, the Indiana and Kentucky Senators will be hosting the 2022 National Meeting in Louisville, Kentucky from June 27-July 1. Typically, each state in Region V takes a day to help the host state(s) serve meals and help with hospitality. The hotel will be providing the bar, so we just need help with keeping snacks out on the table, preparing/serving meals and providing basic cleanup. The committee has put together a schedule for the week, so I wanted to pass that along.

Wednesday-Illinois Senate

Hospitality room opens @ 6:30am and we will have a light continental breakfast from 6:30am-9:00am.

12:00pm-1:00pm - Lunch (Turkey/Ham Sandwich, Chips, Cookie, Fruit Cup)(Drinks)

3:00pm-12:00am - Hospitality

Year End GA - Hospitality

Hospitality - The theme for the GA will be Super Bowl! Wear your favorite team jersey to the hospitality room on Friday night.

The Golden Spoon contest will be appetizers, everyone can participate! I am still looking for a little help with lunch, reach out to Kathy if you can help.

Spring Fling - 2022

Hosted by The Indiana Senate

Here is the link for the Spring Fling Registration

<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1a7V4JY53bOwaGzIILPciDGHfluTHOEa/edit?usp=sharing&oid=117424888603284637654&rtpof=true&sd=true>

Chaplain Report

Joe Krack's (#42792) son passed on January 4 obit info and visitation information

[Obituary for Dale L. Krack at Wilson's Funeral](#)

Cards may be sent to Joe at PO Box 91, Evansville, IL 62242

Lucy Lawless Stafford, mother of Roxy Hollenstine, #78247 and mother-in-law of Rod Hollenstine, #46703, died Thursday, January 6, 2022. The funeral was Monday, January 10, 2022 at Church of Our Savior in Jacksonville, IL, and burial at Memorial Lawn Cemetery. The obituary is enclosed.

Cards of condolences can be sent to Roxy and Rod to their address, 1700 Josephine Place, Springfield, IL. 62704.

Please include Ron Hoeller (#58491) in your prayers he is in the hospital at this time, cards can be sent to Ron at 1125 Collingwood Lane, Bolingbrook IL 60440

Please include Mike Kelley (#33910) in your prayers, he suffered a stroke and is currently at Unity Point Hospital. Cards may be sent to Mike at 107 Barrington Road, East Peoria, IL 61611.

Future Directions

Future Directions will meet on Zoom next week prior to the GA, if you have ever wanted to be a fly on the wall

or share in our discussion reach out to Kathy for the details. kcricker14@sbcglobal.net

Summer Picnic

Plans for the Picnic are well under way! I can't wait to see everyone in Savoy, July 21-24. Fun stuff planned to include a pool party, a Saturday morning craft, golf and Bar Burgers at Bunny's!

(Registration form attached)

https://mcusercontent.com/d89009a84d2fdb0db76b8d76c/files/afa4207e-e43e-c6b4-e7d0-e0425f8d1242/Senate_Picnic_2022_reg_1_.pdf

SCRIPT PROGRAM

Just because the holidays are over doesn't mean you can't get gift cards through the Script Program.

If you don't have an account, please message me for the group code.

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ON THE ROAD AGAIN...Susie Colbert-Curtis #73137

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Get on the bus Gus!....let's travel

Many of us will be traveling to several of the events below. If interested please reach out.

JANUARY 2022

28-30 Illinois Jaycees Year End General Assembly Springfield, IL

FEBRUARY 2022

18-20 FL JCI Senate Meeting/ FL Jaycees Maitland FL

24-27 Region VII Spring Meeting Pigeon Forge TN

MARCH 2022

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