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Upcoming meeting

Our next meeting will be April 22 at the Senior Center. It begins with dinner at 6:30 p.m. It's election of officers and installation of new Leos. Remember, if you've made reservations for the meal you are responsible for the cost if you don't show up!

Three Community Awards presented by Lions Club

The Centerville Lions Club presented awards to three community leaders during its 26th Community Awards Banquet at the Centerville Senior High School Cafetorium Monday evening, April 8. They were Lion Garrett Roberts, school teacher Joetta Harris and Centerville Police Chief Ed Buchholz, Jr.



Ed Buchholtz, Joetta Harris & Garrett Roberts

Garrett Roberts retired from Chrysler in 1999 and has been busy ever since. He was co-founder of the Centerville Classic Car Club, a board member of the Senior Center, a 50 year member of the Harmony Masonic Lodge #11 in Brookville, Indiana, a long-time member of the Centerville United Methodist Church and a long time Lions Club member. A 1960 Brookville High School graduate, he attended Richmond Business School. He met his wife Janice during his first "real" job at Mercury Records in Richmond. They married six months later and after living in Richmond for a short time, they purchased the house they currently live in at 412 West School Street in Centerville.

Joetta Harris came to teach at Centerville in 1977 after a year at Marion. A Ball State University graduate with honors in both bachelors and Masters work, she applied her knowledge to making a creative classroom. Along the way she was cheerleading sponsor, assistant speech coach and judge, a judge for the academic teams and class sponsor for numerous classes. She also created a support group for the Cross Country team called the Harrier Helpers. It became the basis for the Girls Cross Country teams when the state allowed Girls Cross Country. Joetta has been an outstanding teacher as shown by her selection multiple times as an ISTAR teacher and Centerville Teacher of the Year in 1996. On top of teaching, Joetta created her own business of cake baking and decorating. She won the State Fair Grand Champion in cake decorating. And for many years has helped many young people in this area by demonstrations and judging 4-H cake decorating. For the past four years, she has been one of the State Fair judges in cake decorating.

William Edward Buchholz, Jr. was born in Effingham, Illinois in 1963, graduated from Union County High School in Liberty, Indiana in 1981 and earned an apprentice degree in drafting from Connersville Vocational School. He entered the US Air Force with special training in Security Police. He graduated from Lackland Air Force Base and was then stationed at Whiteman AFB in Missouri until 1985. He recieved many awards and honors while in the Air Force. In 1982, he married his high school sweetheart, Marilynn. They moved to Centerville in 1991 and was hired by the Centerville Police Department when a position became available. He worked his way to sergeant and in 2010 became Police Chief. The term "protect and serve" is within him every day. His vision and excitement to have a new police station is almost complete. Ed attends Centerville Christian Church where he assists wherever he is needed.

Future meetings and events

May 13 - Sam & Ruth Neff, Iran
May 27 – Fish Fry Organizational Meeting
June 7 & 8 – Fish Fry