

# Rooster Register



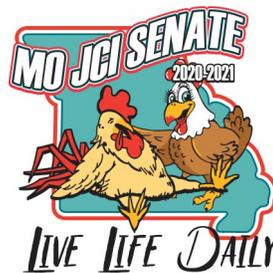
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## The Lead Rooster

Greetings everyone, from the Bootheel of Missouri. I first want to say I am extremely honored to be serving as your Missouri Senate President for the 2020-2021 year. Things are starting out a little uncertain, but I feel confident we will all get thru this together and be a stronger state in the end. It was good to see all of you that attended our year end Zoom meeting. I want to congratulate our new slate of officers, your VP- Terry Rowland #67003, Treasurer- Julie Morff #71917, Secretary- Miriam Wetter #67070 and our Chairman of the Board, Chris Deen #73300. I look forward to working with this great team.



I would like to take this opportunity to thank Dave DeLaney #41203 for having led Region VI this past year. His leadership and wisdom has helped our state, our region and several individuals to become better at what we do as Senators. Congratulations Dave on a great year. Thank you for all you did this past year.

Congratulations go out to Missouri's own Susan Hatcher #58143 for having been elected to the office of US JCI Senate Treasurer. We wish Susan the best of luck this coming year and I offer any help and assistance I can give.

We are coming off a series of very good years here in Missouri. Something we should be proud of. Your new Board of Directors plans to continue the momentum we have, despite the current conditions. Plans and projects are changing daily, but we will be working, borrowing a phrase from Dave, "to keep things on track".

As you may have heard by now, our August meeting has hit a bit of a snag with the Minor League Baseball Season being cancelled. We are working on plans as you are reading this newsletter and will get information out to everyone as soon as we have decided on an event.

The Sikeston Jaycees are still preparing for our annual rodeo. The rodeo board has been working with the Governor's office and the CDC to develop plans on how to best keep our patrons safe. You will see a lot of sanitation practices, as well as masks in places that warrant them. Plans are still in place for this to be a fundraising event for the Missouri Senate. We will be working several areas as we have in the past. I would like to get a head count of everyone that thinks they may be able to attend and what days that would be. This will help us allocate manpower into areas where help is needed.

The Iowa Senate will be holding their annual Picnic the weekend of July 18 in Pella, Iowa. This may be short notice depending on when you are reading this newsletter. This would be a good opportunity to support one of our own, the outgoing NVP Dave DeLaney #41203 as he hands over the reigns to the incoming NVP for Region VI Doreen Lietzau #64069.

I want to mention a couple of meetings in the not so distant future that you might want to put onto your calendar; September 24-27 in Lawton, OK Fall BOD and October 2-4 in Des Moines, Iowa Region VI BOD. And definitely put on your calendar the 100 Anniversary Celebration of the Jaycee Movement in St. Louis October 15-18.

I will be doing some traveling this year, I hope to see many of you soon.

### Special points of interest:

- OFFICER REPORTS
- MO JCI FOUNDATION
- A FEW BAD YOKES

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## The Lead Rooster (cont.)

Please be careful and stay safe. Those of you, like myself, that are exposed to new people on a daily basis, take extra precautions.

Thank you for all you do for the Senate and for your individual chapters.

David Teachout #68700

President MO JCI Senate

## The Vice Rooster



Hello Fellow Flockers!

I hope this finds each of you well and that you have been able to get out and see the ones you have been missing. I am still cooped up in my chicken house working from home. I LOVE IT!!! Even though we are presented with obstacles in meetings, gatherings, events, and so on. I think we had a great year last year. Thank you, Past President and Chairman of the Board, for leading us through it!! I am looking forward to this next year and remain confident that we will have another successful year. We may still have to work around some challenges, but we can, and we will.

In my social distancing time, I have been spending a lot of time at the Osage River. I have caught 44 fish so far. Not a whole lot of keepers, but several small perch that my friends husband puts on limb lines. I'm choosing to Live, Life, Daily as our President David motto states.

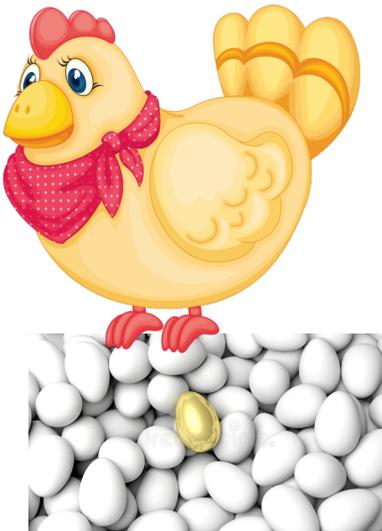
I am really looking forward to seeing everyone in August. Too bad the Springfield Cardinals are not playing, but we will have fun no matter what we do!!!

Stay safe and healthy!!!!

Terry Rowland #67003

2020 Vice President

## Hen House Vault



Hello everyone, I cannot believe it's already time to take over my new role as your Treasurer. While I am a bit nervous I am also extremely happy to be moving forward. Besides work keeping me busy I did have the opportunity to take some time off and spend it at Truman Lake. For those of you who know us that is our "happy place" and we are fortunate to go *glamping* several times a month there. Spring was good to us and we now have our limit of crappie and got a lot of things cleaned so we can just enjoy the rest of the summer.

I hope to get the September Dues billings

out ASAP - but I would ask that if you talk to Senators about considering their lifetime memberships. They can start the process anytime and it ends up being cheaper in the end.

If you need anything or have any questions please reach out. I am still in the early stages of learning so I may need to ask questions and get back with you so be patient. I appreciate your support and look forward to serving as your 2020-2021 Senate Treasurer.

Julie Morff, #71917

2020 JCI Senate Treasurer

## Scribbling's from the Clutch

Hello, honored Senators! By now you know our Summer Meeting will take place in one day, August 15, 2020. The board decided to make it one day due to Covid. We have put together a great day for you! We'll begin with full buffet luncheon at noon and our meeting will start at 1:00. After the meeting we can socialize, play games or shop on Main Street for a while. Just be back at our location by 5:00 so you can jive and wail to the Drive By Boys, a great local band, who pulls their stage behind a pickup truck! I'm able to tell you they are fantastic because Jonathan plays upright bass for them.

This will all take place in one place! The First Capitol Lions Club Hall is located at 520 North Benton in St. Charles, 63301. If you need lodging, there are hotels scattered about.

Please, Please, Please respond to this invitation by Thursday, August 6, 2020, because I need to have a headcount for the caterer. My email is [mwetter54@att.net](mailto:mwetter54@att.net) and my phone is

314-952-4828.

The Senate will provide water, soda and tea. If you'd like anything else, please, bring it with you or purchase it here.

This glorious day will be all yours for \$15.00 per person!

Since we haven't been together since January, please, try to come! Wear your mask, if you want. I will be in one!

Yours in Jaycees,

Miriam Wetter Senator #67070

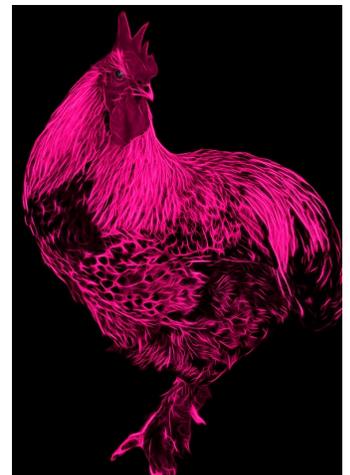


## Chicken of a Different Color

Greetings to all from the bootheel, hope this finds all well,

Let me start by saying THANK YOU to all that made my Presidential year something that I will never forget. The friendships grown and the memories will last a life time. I fully appreciate each and everyone of our proud flock members and what you have done for our state. I am truly honored to have served for our great membership and state. Missouri truly lived the motto "Be the Difference". With that being said, I would ask you to join me in full support of our new board coming into office. With the leadership of David, this will no doubt be another great year for Missouri to outshine all the other states. With many unseen and unknown challenges that lie ahead, the 2020-2021 BOD will be ready. See you guys soon

Chairman of the Board 2020-2021  
Chris Deen # 73300



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### Missouri JCI Foundation—A 501(c)3 Charitable Foundation!

Hello everyone from your Missouri JCI Senate Foundation. President David is allowing your foundation Trustees to run a fundraiser at the August Meeting in St. Charles, MO.

The officers/trustees will be donating baskets and we will run a brown bag raffle. You donate and receive a ticket for

\$5 - 1 ticket

\$10 - 3 tickets

\$25 - 8 tickets

\$50 - 20 tickets

Any donation of \$25 and above counts towards your membership in the foundation of \$100.

We will have a variety of baskets for you to put your tickets in the corresponding paper bag. Then prior to the band event, drawings for each basket will occur.

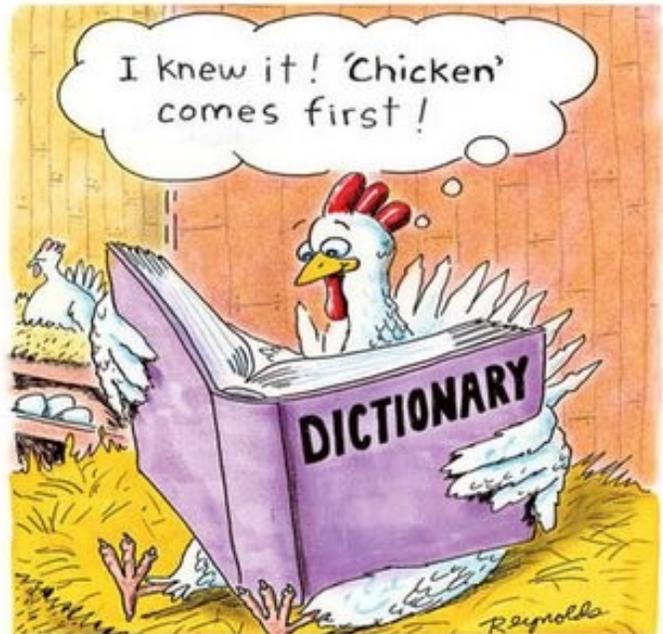
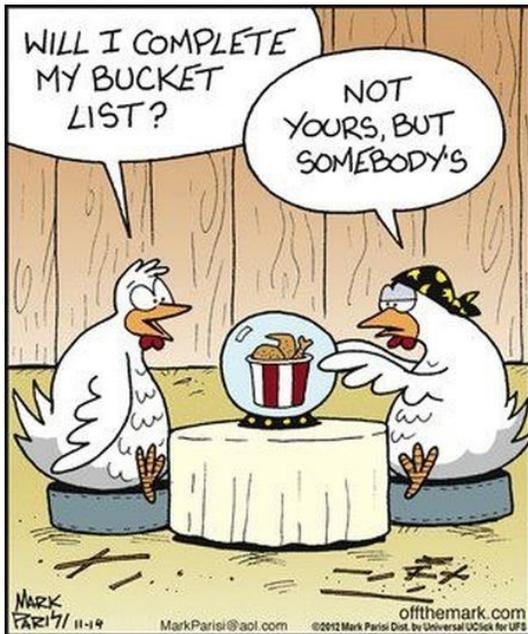
Just a reminder, on March 13, 2020 the foundation was declared 501C3 tax exempt organization and thus, is qualified to receive **tax-deductible** bequests, devices, transfers under Section 2056, 2106, or 2522 of the Federal Tax Code.

Here's another reason to donate right away - The CARES Act passed in March of this year **allows for a \$300 above-the-line deduction** for cash charitable contributions made to 501(c)(3) organizations for taxpayers even if you take the **standard** deduction.

Thank you to all senators who support the Missouri JCI Senate Foundation.

Susan Hatcher #58143  
Missouri JCI Senate Foundation, Inc.  
President

A few bad Yokes !



What do you get when a chicken lays an egg on top of a barn? A: An eggroll!

Why did the chicken go to Burger King? A: To see a chicken strip.



*The principal purpose of the Missouri JCI Senate is to inform local chapters of the Junior Chamber International Senatorship as an honor for deserving past and present Jaycees. To promote fellowship and continued contact among J.C.I. Senators; To maintain contact with the Jaycee movement by offering assistance without interference, to local, state, national and international Jaycee organizations; and to extend invitations to local, state, national and international Jaycees to be guests at meetings of the Missouri J.C.I. Senate.*

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## Want to submit your own clucker?

Do you want to submit something to this years Flamingo Flyer or get out a message to your fellow Missouri JCI Senate members?

There are multiple ways to achieve this goal. If you want to submit something to the newsletter send your articles and pictures to this year's newsletter editor and Chairman of the Board Paul Myers #72173 at [vedderjam@live.com](mailto:vedderjam@live.com).

If you want to get something blasted out send it to this years e-Blast communications director Tonya Myers #66222 at [jci66222@gmail.com](mailto:jci66222@gmail.com).

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