



# SERTOMA NEWS

## Sertoma Club of Emporia

## September 2016

### 2016-2017 Officers and Board of Directors

President – Mark Summey  
President-Elect – Wes Matson  
Secretary – Gary Dains

Treasurer – Gary Dains  
Sergeant-at-Arms – Bill Huth  
Chairman of the Board – Alice Dreier

### Board of Directors:

1-year term – Bob Hush, Elton Jensen, Charles Wilhite  
2-year term – Larry Brown, Justin Hensley, Mar Jean Anderson  
3-year term – Bill Huth, Jerry McCalla, Wes Matson

Newsletter Editor -- Ron Dinkel

Items for the newsletter should be submitted by the 25th of the month. By phone – 343-3482; fax – 342-9482; e-mail – dinkel@cableone.net

### MARK YOUR CALENDAR

Sept. 15	Noon
Program – Elton Jensen	
Sept. 17	ESU Flags
ESU Football vs. Missouri Southern	
Sept. 20	5:30 p.m.
Board Meeting – First Christian Church	
Sept. 22	Noon
Business Meeting	
Sept. 29	Noon
Scholarship Breakfast Prep	
Oct. 1	7 to 11 a.m.
Scholarship Breakfast	
Oct. 1	ESU Flags
ESU Football vs. Central Oklahoma	
Oct. 6	Noon
Program – Bill Huth	
Oct. 10	U.S. Flags
Columbus Day	
Oct. 13	Noon
Program – Teri Summey	
Oct. 15	ESU Flags
ESU Football vs. Lindenwood	
Oct. 18	5:30 p.m.
Board Meeting – First Christian Church	
Oct. 20	Noon
Business Meeting	
Oct. 27	Noon
Program – Jerry McCalla	
Oct. 29	ESU Flags
ESU Football vs. Fort Hays State	
Nov. 3	Noon
Open Meeting	
Nov. 10	Noon
Program – Bill McCord	

### Sertoma Scholarship Breakfast

Saturday, Oct. 1

Emporia Senior Center, 603 E. 12th Ave.

The club's seventh annual Scholarship Breakfast is Saturday, Oct. 1, at the Emporia Senior Citizen's Center.

- Serving will be from 7 to 11 a.m.
- Clean up starts immediately after the serving is completed.
- The event is a scholarship fundraiser benefiting students at Emporia State University, Flint Hills Technical College and Newman School of Nursing.
- Ticket prices are \$5 in advance and \$6 at the door.
- The menu includes all-you-can-eat biscuits with sausage gravy or sausage and egg biscuit sandwiches. Meals are served with coffee, milk or juice. Extra sausage, milk or juice can be purchased.
- We need as many members as possible to help to make this event run smoothly. Workers are needed in the kitchen, in the dining area, and especially with clean-up. If you can not work early but can come at 10:30 a.m. to help clean up, this is an area that is lacking workers. It would be great to see as many members there as possible.
- Members have been contacting last years sponsors and potential new sponsors. The deadline to turn in sponsors is Sept. 15 to meet printing deadlines. Contact President Mark or Bud Stapp if you can't attend an upcoming meeting but want to help. They can also get you set up with tickets, invoices, posters, etc.
- We begin serving at 7 a.m., and usually there are people ready to eat or get carry-out meals at that time. Cooking begins around 6 a.m.
- This event has grown each year and it's because of the many sponsors and members who support the event. Let's strive to make this year's breakfast the best yet!



### HAVE YOU PAID YOUR DUES?

Secretary/Treasurer Gary Dains has sent reminder notices to a few members who have not yet paid their dues for the 2016-17 term. Please remit your dues as soon as possible. Thank you!

## **SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS**

- Sept. 1 Wes Matson  
4 Shannon Price  
9 Justin Hensley  
23 Jerry McCalla  
24 Glenn Boyce  
28 Thomas Kriss

*Members celebrating a birthday will have their meal paid for by the club when they attend the meeting the week of their birthday.*

*The birthday list is compiled from the membership roster in the club directory. Some members choose not to have their birthday published. If your birthday was mistakenly omitted from the directory or you wish to have it listed in the newsletter, please contact Ron Dinkel.*

## **FLAG PROGRAM REMINDERS**

These are a few reminders if you're involved with the American and/or ESU flag routes:

- Pick up and follow a route sheet each time as the lists are constantly changing.
- A decision is made by 6 a.m. whether to cancel flag days due to inclement weather. A sign will be posted on the door of the flag storage room.
- If you notice changes of business ownership or location on your flag route, contact Ulli Wallace (366-1516; ulliwallace20@gmail.com).
- If you have flag brackets or snaps that need repaired or replaced, contact Russell Beck (342-4900) or Bob Hush (342-2493).

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## **BITS & PIECES**

• The only phone number used for scheduling train parties is **412-3806**. Ulli maintains the master schedule for all train runs, including the volunteers who work at each run. She has done a great job keeping everything organized and the list of workers current.

• Thanks to Wes Matson and Pat Foraker who worked with Sertoma's international office to design logos for our club. Discussion has started regarding the possibility of having Sertoma-branded items for club members to purchase (polo shirts, T-shirts, etc., to wear at Sertoma events). Share your ideas with a board member.

• If you have a speaker secured ahead of the scheduled program date and want to include it in the newsletter, please contact Ron Dinkel.

• Highlights from recent meetings:

**Aug. 4** – Blaine Warkentine with the Masons talked about the organization. He also talked about the Masons using the miniature train for an awareness event for the Masons, Eastern Star and other groups connected to the Masons. They would reimburse Sertoma for the train fares.

**Aug. 18** – Julie Cayton, Student Support Services at Emporia State University, talked about what Students Support Services does to help students navigate through four years of college.

**Aug. 25** – Brian Rees, Lyon County Extension agriculture agent, talked about various aspects of the crop and livestock industry in the area and statewide. He was introduced by Charles Wilhite.