

Loyalty Cooperation Friendship

# Tri-V Umph March 2015

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# **President's Message**

No report received.

# **In Memory**



Longtime member Art Dushary passed away on February 24, 2015.

# **Tri-V Wives Meeting**

Please note that the Tri-V Wives Club meetings are now scheduled for the first Wednesday of the month at 1pm. (no longer in the evenings) All women of Tri-V members are invited to join us. Next meeting is April 1 at the home of Jane Trachsel @ 1:00 p.m.

#### **Book Club**

The book club will be reading *The Edge of Eternity*, by Ken Follett in April. Date to be announced.

#### **TRI-V ELECTION**

At the March 2015 meeting we will have the election for the above offices and follow that for three Council Seats
Jay Trachsel, Chairman,
Election Committee

## **TRI-V FAMILY EVENT**

Will be at the Best Western Plus Sterling Inn on March 21<sup>st</sup> at the cost of 99.99 for the night. Each room gets 4 water park passes, if you don't need all 4 passes we can use with the people from our group that have more than 4 in a room. Extra passes are 15.00 per day.

You can eat in the pool area. I will be ordering Pizza for the seating area in pool area for around 6:00P.M. Again please let me know if you are going so I can get a count.

Thanks
Committee
Jeff 248-249-2921
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## **Ladies Get Away**

The ladies of Tri-V had such a relaxing, enjoyable time at Hankerd Inn in Pleasant Lake, MI we have decided to return for a get-a-way this year. We will be arriving on Monday, Aug. 3, 2015 and leaving on Wednesday, Aug. 5. The cost per person is \$150.00 and includes lodging for two nights, two breakfasts, two dinners, one lunch and gas money per car. A \$50 deposit will be required no later than May 1, 2015 which can be mailed to Victoria Angelosanto. Final payment of \$100 must be made no later than July 27, 2014. Please make check out to Victoria Angelosanto. Everyone will have their own bed, but may share a bedroom. Pleasant Lake is very close to most of our homes, so if someone is not able to stay the whole time adjustments can be made. If you would like more information on the Bed and Breakfast, go to <a href="https://www.hankerdinnresort.com">www.hankerdinnresort.com</a>.

## **Final Pinochle**

Final pinochle will be at the Cadieux Café on Sunday, April 19, 2015. Dinner will be from 5 pm to7 pm and bowling will be from 7 pm to 8 pm. Committee: C. Cashman, Bliudzius, and K. Stress.

## **Pinochle**

As pinochle draws to a close for the 2014-2015 season, the score sheet reflects the final scores and places. If you have any questions pertaining to the scores, please contact Ken Stress.

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	Judy Lardin	18.0		15.0		26.0	W3	13.0		12.0			С	108.0	96.0		
	Jane Trachsel	12.5		24.5	С	17.0		18.0		10.0	@	22.5	E	104.5	94.5		
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	William Trachsel	12.5		19.0		14.5		13.0		19.0		17.0		95.0	82.5		
	Nick Angelosanto	13.5		19.5		17.0	р	13.0		15.5		14.5		93.0	80.0	1	
	Kristan Trachsel	16.5		11.5	@	8.5		24.0	Χ	14.5		13.0		88.0	79.5		
	Kate Stress	11.5		11.5	@	6.0	@	11.0		10.0		12.0		62.0	56.0		
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# **FLORIDA MARCH PINOCHLE**

On Thursday, February 26<sup>th</sup>, the Florida group got together to play the final month of TRI-V Pinochle (March). The big winner was George Hoffman with 25.5 points, Jan Cashman with 24.5 points, Judy Lardin with 24 points, Pat Wagner with 19.5 points (a friend of Geri Ruetenik not into prize money), Geri Ruetenik with 18.5 points (also not into prize money), Cal Cashman with 12.5 points and John Lardin bringing up the rear with 12 points.

## **May Open House**

May 9, 2015 at Beacon Hills Golf Club, White Lake, MI.

Cost \$70 per person includes golf, cart, and at the turn hot dog-chips-pop, w/dinner after golf. Shot Gun Tee off time between 8:30 and 9:00. If you haven't contacted Nick, yet please let him know your intentions no later than the April meeting. (734) 522-5366 or victoriadominic@yahoo.com

## **Anniversary Party**

The anniversary party is scheduled for Friday, June 19, at Joy Manor located at 28999 Joy Road in Westland. This is the same location as last year. A cash bar will be available at 6:30 p.m., and dinner will be served at 7:30 p.m. The evenings entertainment is still being studied by the committee.

The Committee (Bob K./Matt H./Ken Stress/Brian T.)

#### **Final Golf**

Final Golf is only 5 months away so make sure you keep the weekend of August  $21^{st} - 23^{rd}$  open. Deposit of 150.00 will due by May  $15^{th}$ . I would like to get at least 32 golfers for this year so we can have Ray's Retreat for TRI-V Only. Again mark your Calendars.

Committee Jeff Geoff John M. Dale

## **Trifles**

#### **From the Lardins**

The weather has finally made a turn for the better for all of us. In Florida we have finally gotten into the 80s with very little rain. Great pool weather. Mike, Bev and Judy's Alyssa made it home on February 20. Alyssa wanted Grandma to have a sleep over at her house so Judy went with them and returned on the 22<sup>nd</sup>. Alyssa did not want her to go back to Florida and when Judy told her she had to go back Florida to take care of Grandpa, Alyssa pumped her fist in the air three times saying "Grandpa come home." Judy and John have still not decided on their return date to Michigan. All they know is it will be sometime after April 1<sup>st</sup>. They are fortunate that the couple they rent the condo from is very open to their arrival and departure date.

#### **Calendar of Events**

#### March

4<sup>th</sup> Ladies Mtg (1 pm)
Delores McMillan
7<sup>th</sup> Pinochle
10<sup>th</sup> Men's Mtg
Drakeshire Lanes(6 pm)
27<sup>th</sup> Family Event

#### **March Birthdays**

3<sup>rd</sup> Victoria Angelosanto 4<sup>th</sup> Terry Dunham 20<sup>th</sup> Ellie Connolly 22<sup>nd</sup> Ryan Trachsel 28<sup>th</sup> John Clingerman 29<sup>th</sup> Bill Trachsel(young) 30<sup>th</sup> Cal Cashman 31<sup>st</sup> Geri Ruetenik

#### <u> April</u>

1<sup>st</sup> Ladies Mtg. (1 pm)
Jane Trachsel
14<sup>th</sup> Men's Mtg
Drakeshire Lanes(6 pm)
19<sup>th</sup> Final Pinochle
Cadieux Café (5 pm)

#### **April Birthdays**

3<sup>rd</sup> Judy Lardin 16<sup>th</sup> AnnMarie Angelosanto 23<sup>rd</sup> Brian Trachsel 25<sup>th</sup> Marian Anderson 28<sup>th</sup> Steve Trachsel

#### **March Anniversaries**

3-22-03 Bill & Michelle Trachsel

#### **April Anniversaries**

4-22-72 Brian & Jane Trachsel

#### MEMORIES FROM THE MARCH 2005 ISSUE OF TRI-V UMPH

Blondie Forsyth and Peg Wendt both suffered some minor injuries and could use our prayers. Blondie had a bone spur taken off her foot on Feb. 3<sup>rd</sup> and after the operation she put too much pressure on her foot and fractured it and is under orders to use a wheel chair. Peg hurt her back on the cruise then had another fall in the kitchen at home and broke another bone. Sherry and Bob Kuhr became grandparents for the first time with the arrival of their granddaughter Ea on March 1<sup>st</sup>. Ea's parents are Rob and Dionna Kuhr and Ea and Dionna share the same birthday. Sue Dunham, our fledging writer, had some exciting news when she was notified her work has been published in an online magazine called Muscadine Lines. Final Pinochle was set for April 8<sup>th</sup> at Colonial Acres Clubhouse, South Lyon, and the Council Party was rescheduled for April 23<sup>rd</sup> at Paisano's Dining and Joey's Comedy Club, Dearborn, with Jeff Wayne supplying the entertainment.

#### MEMORIES FROM THE MARCH 2010 ISSUE OF TRI-V UMPH

Our TRI-V Family was in good health. Please keep in your prayers Jeff Trachsel who will be having surgery to remove a polyp and repair a hernia on March 18<sup>th</sup>. Only other article in this issue was reported by John Lardin on the unfavorable weather in FL this winter. The month of Feb. had no more than five days when the temp got into the mid-70s and the nights have been on the cold side reaching lows in the low 40s. Son Brian was able to make it down for four days and get in a couple rounds of golf and was followed by daughter-in-law Gina with Bella and Dante for five days. The temp for March

is expected to be in the high 70s and low 80s. Matt VanHollebeke had a busy month. He finally finished his house to move in and his fiancé Kali went to Las Vegas NV for Matt's sister wedding. There he asked Kali for her hand in marriage and she even said "Yes." March has turned out to be a special and busy month for the Donna and John Clingerman. John has turned in his resignation and will be retied by the time the newsletter comes out. They have sold their condo in MI and started the building process for a new home in Sun City Hilton Head SC. Donna was going to be in Lake Tahoe the entire month of March taking care of grandbaby Isabel. The Children's Easter Egg Hunt was set for March 28<sup>th</sup> at Maple Lanes Golf Course and the Anniversary Party is set for April 24<sup>th</sup> at the AMVETs Hall, Westland. 18 TRI-V Members and guest met at Malley's Bar and Grill, Taylor, for dinner then to Kennedy High School to watch and exciting game between Kennedy, coached by John Mackson, and Melvindale with Kennedy winning 54 to 51. Final Pinochle standings for the 2009/2010 season had Nick Angelosanto finishing in first place with 146 points, Cal Cashman finishing in second place with 133.5 points and Vickie Angelosanto finishing in third place with 133 points. This wraps up another trip down memory lane. 2005 was the first year that the Club Officers term of office for all went from one year to a two year term. This has seemed to work out better for the overall operation of the Club. Neither issue seemed to have much to share with fellow Club members. This trend has continued to this date. The memories will be fewer and fewer to share with each other. Everyone should make an effort to share more information with the Editor to share with others. Until we see you in print next month, the Good Lord willing, take care of one another.