

Tulsa PARROT HEAD Club

FINLINES

Party with a Purpose!

August 2014

Scott Kirby Concert

On a beautiful Thursday evening in Owasso a group of Parrot Heads were treated to an acoustic concert from singer/songwriter Scott Kirby. Scott's musical style is often compared to Jimmy Buffett's. Although similar in style, Scott's songs have a somewhat more humorous, tongue in cheek, tinge to them when you really listen to the lyrics.



Scott spends a lot of time on the road. Just days prior to our backyard concert Scott had played Claremont, Ca., Bonita, Ca. and Tucson, Az. all in less than a week's time. After wrapping up his concert here he was headed up to Indiana for a couple of nights then Illinois, back to Indiana and on to Pennsylvania from there. He really does get around.

The poolside setting for the concert was perfect thanks to our host and hostess Ron and Jeanette North. Scott played for over two hours straight singing all original material. At the end of Scott's set a hat was passed around and we were able to talk

him into playing a few more songs. It was the perfect evening; good music, good friends and good food.

A great big Parrot Head **Thank You** to the Norths for putting together such wonderful evening.



AUGUST PHLOCKING

August 12th - 7:00 pm
Baker St. Pub & Grill
6620 S Memorial Dr

We are hoping to have our meeting on the patio. If you plan to eat please arrive early and order inside.



As most of you know, the Drillers Margaritaville Night was rained out. **They have rescheduled it for Friday August 15th at 7:05pm.** The band **Something Steel** has also rescheduled for that night. If you bought a ticket for the rained out game, it will be good for the rescheduled game on August 15th. If you can not go to the game on August 15th, you can use your ticket for any game this season. But if you want me to try and sell it to someone else, let me know. Also on the same note, if you didn't buy a ticket for the rained out game, but want to purchase a ticket for the rescheduled game let me know and I will get you one. Tickets are \$8.

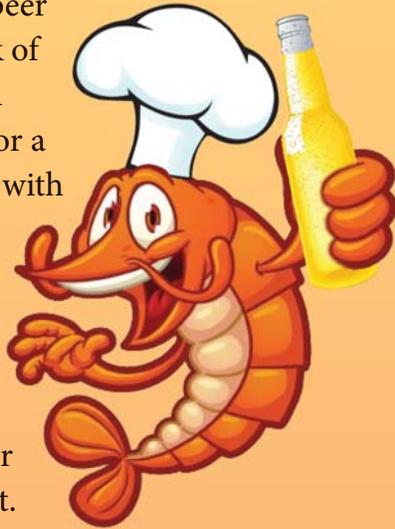
We will still need volunteers to work the gates passing out leis, so let me know if you are interested in doing that. Volunteers will need to be at the ballpark at 5:45.

Continued...

BOLEY BASH!

Saturday, August 9th

The Boley Bash is Saturday August 9th, starting at 4PM We will be having a shrimp boil this year. Bring a side dish, appetizer or dessert. Beer tasting will be available as an option. If you are interested in participating in the beer tasting, bring a six pack of beer to donate. We will also be having a raffle for a GIANT flip-flop, along with a few other items. The money raised will be donated to **Fight 4 Flight**, a local parrot rescue. If you would like to donate a prize for the raffle, please bring it. We will also have a visit from a couple of volunteers from the Fight 4 Flight organization who have promised to bring us a



couple of parrots to the party for a short time to see everyone. A perfect photo op. And if that isn't enough phun, bring a swim-

suit for the pool to cool yourself off, a lawn chair, and your beverage of choice. Lastly, the Golf Tournament check will be presented to our charity Tulsa Cerebral Palsy.



Contact Cathy for Address or questions. See ya there! Fins Up!

Alzheimer Walk

Saturday August 23rd

Tulsa Parrot Heads will have a team walking for Alzheimer's August 23rd. If you would like to join us, let Cathy know and she will help you get signed up. If you can't physically do the walk, you can still be a part of the team. Or if you would like to sponsor a walker, or the Tulsa Parrot Head team, you can either do this on-line. Cash or a check will also work.

So far we have seven team members for the walk. Cathy Boley, Mitch Bryan, Jodie Rogers, Arlene Stutzman, Vicky Courtney, Kris Cunnane and Cindy Kramer. We need more team members. So please sign up today at: www.alz.org - or - through our website.

Raffle News

We raised \$208 at our July meeting which will be donated to the Tulsa Parrot Head Clubs team for the 'Walk to end Alzheimers'.

As always (*so it seems*) two new members won prizes at the July meeting and Jodie was lucky enough to walk away with a free bowling lesson. Congrats to all the winners.

Thank You! to all those who donated gifts: Rick and Jodie, Becky and Mike, Therese and David Hubble, Sharon Shyers, Cindy Kramer, Ron and Jeanette North, Vicky Courtney, Mitch, Larry and Vicki Eberle, Penny and Tony Angelo, Randel and Kathi Ranegar, Linda and Mack Bryant, Don and Carol Jones and Mike Casillas.

tpnc

012345

Newest Mayer Joins the **CORAL REEFER BAND**

By: Don Jones

Most of the members of the Coral Reefer Band have been in place for several years. There have been a few that have come and gone but for the most part, the musicians come and stay.

Jim Mayer has been a member of the band since 1989. He is described as a guitarist, singer, song writer, producer and children's advocate. Mayer was born in Tamil Nadu, India where his parents were working as missionaries. Jim is one of eight children. The family later returned to the St. Louis area where he grew up.

In 1985, Jim formed a pop group P.M. with his brother Peter Mayer and drummer Roger Guth. In 1987 they produced a Top-10 hit, "Piece of Paradise." In 1989, he was introduced to Jimmy Buffett and they recorded "Off to See The Lizard." Jim and his P.M. bandmates joined the Coral Reefers shortly thereafter.

Mayer has toured off and on with Jimmy and the boys since. He has also collaborated with such musical greats as Dave Mathews. Jim lives in Nashville.

Peter Mayer was also born in India and returned to Missouri after spending 17 years there with his parents and siblings. Like his brother Jim, Pete became a member of the Coral Reefers in 1989 after recording "Off to See The Lizard." Jimmy was very impressed with his unique versatility as a musician and performer and the relationship continues today.

In 2000, Peter formed the Peter Mayer Group and began the "Stars and Promises" tour. This is an annual



Peter Mayer, Tina Gullickson and Jim Mayer

tour of original and traditional Christmas music. This tour makes an annual stop in Tulsa in December. This is an excellent chance to see Peter in a more intimate setting along with some beautiful music.

If you like Beatles music, check his CD Goodbye Hello by Peter Mayer and Friends. World class musicians have contributed their talents to this project such as brother Jim, Michael Utley, Mac, Nadirah, and JB himself.

The latest Mayer to join the Coral Reefers is Brendan Mayer, son of Peter. Brendan obviously grew up around the music industry. As the leader singer of the Nashville band, The Turf, he played extensively around the Nashville area. After graduating from

Boston University, his current solo project is pushing his own style and voice to new heights. Any of you who have caught a Buffett concert in the latest tour, have had the opportunity to see Brendan perform his single "Getaway Car", available on iTunes. Brendan also joined dad Peter in Tulsa last December for the "Stars and Promises" tour.



Jimmy Buffett and the Coral Reefer Band



Norma Arthur 2nd
 Gary Orton 2nd
 Don Jones 4th
 Floyd Henry 6th
 Vicky Courtney 7th
 Kim True 8th
 Judy Streigel 9th

This Month's

Birthdays!

Karen Hedge 22nd
 Clay Newton 26th
 Cindy Adams 28th
 Bob Coleman 28th
 Russ Glod 30th
 Jack Kelsey 31st
 Joy Longmire 31st
 Robbie Thames 14th
 Penny Angelo 16th
 Moe Hogan 16th
 Debbie Human 16th
 Margene McKenzie 22nd

Continued from pgl



Yes, Margarita Night at the Driller's game was rained out but - as all good Parrot Heads do - we 'Adapt, Modify and Over-indulge'! So off to the nearest bar we went!

First stop Woody's, then on to El Guapo's for a bite to eat and Arnie's Bar for night caps and darts (*the gentlemen let the girls win*).



Woody's



Arnie's Backroom



Budget®

GREAT News Parrot Heads!! Now when you book with Budget Rental Cars for a rental in the US, Canada or Puerto Rico, you shall receive a 10% to 30% discount on your bookings. You shall always receive a 10% discount but based on factors like, time of year, location, length of rental, availability, special offers etc. you may receive as high as a 30% discount.

To receive this discount, all you need to do is open the Budget Rental Car home page: www.Budget.com type in your pick-up location, dates, time of day you need the car, CHECK the "Use an Offer Code" block, then just type in PHIP's Budget Corporate Discount (BCD) number: **X097865**

We would also like to point out you can use this number for your personal business, pleasure, Parrot- Heading, whatever; it is good YEAR ROUND and good ANY TIME you find yourself needing a rental vehicle!!!!

UPDATE BOWL FOR KIDS' SAKE

Cathy Boley and Mitch Bryan attended the Big Brother Big Sister's Bowl for Kid's Sake "Wrap Up" luncheon recently.

\$210,000 was raised overall. The top Organization - C B Richard Ellis - raised \$40,000.

The Tulsa Parrot Heads Club was in the Top Ten (#9) with \$6,195. **Great job everybody!**

Prayers for Parrot Heads

Joe Vaughn-recovering from heart surgery.

Gary Spriggs-being treated for cancer.

Linda Bryant-recovering from heart surgery.

The Cunnane family-recently lost John's father.

Jerry Stephens-being treated for cancer.

Neta Carrino- being treated for cancer.

This will be a new section of the newsletter. Let an officer know if there are others we need to add to our list.



Welcome New Members!

Be sure to seek out these new members at our next meeting and welcome them personally...

George & Carla McMillen, Chuck Davis & Jan Blankenship. Beth Dee(reenlisted)

Pirates Ball

Saturday, September 20st

The Tulsa Parrot Head Club "Pirates Party-Ball" will be Saturday Sept 20th from 7-11pm at the Tulsa RV Ranch. Tickets are available for \$35 each for club members, and \$50 for non-members, and include 2 drinks of Pirate Punch. Tickets can be checked out by members to sell, and anyone who sells 10 tickets, will get theirs FREE. Appetizers will be served, and a cash bar will be available. Music will be played by the band "Something Steel". There will be a live auction, and a donation auction with proceeds being donated to PAL (Pet Adoption League). Pirate costumes are encouraged, but not required. There will be a costume contest. There are several lodging options for those who do not want to drive home that night. Jeanette or Cathy can give you that info if you need it.



Jimmy Buffett Night at Tidewater Winery

Saturday, September 27th

Tidewater Winery (formerly Tidal School Winery) will be having their annual Jimmy Buffett night on Saturday Sept 27th. Music by the COPA

Reefers. And will include a whole hog as part of the meal. Tickets may be purchased by calling the Tidewater winery, or on their website.



Heads Up! Our September meeting will be at Elwood's on Riverside. There should be plenty of seating, but feel free to bring your own chair if you want. The only food Elwood's has is nachos, hotdogs, and bratwursts. If you would like to order food from the Blue Rose, please get there early to eat, or order from the Blue Rose - get it to go - and bring it to Elwood's.

2014 Officers and Contact Information

President: Cathy Boley
Cathy@tulsaparrotheads.com

Vice President: Jodie Rogers
tphc@tulsaparrotheads.com

Secretary: Debbie McKisick
tphc@tulsaparrotheads.com

Treasurer: Tammi Martin
tphc@tulsaparrotheads.com

Editor: Don Jones
tphc@tulsaparrotheads.com

Graphics: Mitch Bryan
tphc@tulsaparrotheads.com

Remember to check our website regularly for club news and updates.

www.tulsaparrotheads.com

Thanks Loads to Mitch Bryan, our Webmaster.

Also for all you *Facebookers*, check out the *TPHC Facebook page*.