

# CHICAGO PARROTHEAD CLUB NEWS

### Midwest Caribbean Association

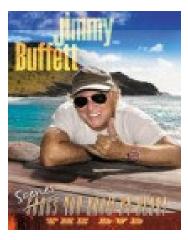
# VOLUME 15, ISSUE 6 JUNE, 2008

Please spread the word to area clubs, friends and potential new members that we have a great location to pre-party long before the Saturday concert begins. Any questions at this time concerning the Alpine Trip should be directed to Donna or Mike, and myself concerning Toyota Park. Look forward to seeing all of you at "The Year of Still Here" 2008 Jimmy Buffett tour

Elections are coming up quickly, so start thinking about running for the Crew 2008-09 year. Please review the current by-laws for Crew descriptions and also provide the current Crew with any updates and or suggestions to our current by-laws.

Fins Up Bob—The Prez

# IT'S CONCERT TIME



### **Special Points of Interest:**

- 3 Jimmy Buffett Concerts in July
- MOTM Registration is open, rooms at Casa still available
- Make your reservation for SUNSET cruise at MOTM

#### FROM THE CAPTAIN'S CHAIR



Bob Noonan President

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The Buffett concert season began nationwide with Houston in April and will end in Las Vegas on October 25<sup>th</sup>. Yes Jimmy is playing in Paris again this year on September 20<sup>th</sup>. Have you made your flight reservations yet? Well if you have not, you still have time to join your fellow Parrot Heads here in the Midwest. We are lucky to have three Buffett concerts in the Midwest. The first show will be in Alpine Valley, WI on Saturday, July 19<sup>th</sup>. The remaining two shows will be at the new location of Toyota Park in Bridgeview, IL on Thursday, July 24<sup>th</sup> and Saturday, July 26<sup>th</sup>.

The planning for both locations is in full swing. Donna Perry, our treasurer, and Mike Bresnahan will be handling the transportation and tailgating to Alpine. Details are elsewhere in this newsletter and on our web site. Time is running out so sign up soon.

As for Toyota Park, we (The Crew) are still putting the final finishing touches on the event. As of right now, tailgating will only occur at the Saturday,

July 26<sup>th</sup> concert. All the details will be in the next newsletter but we do know that the good people of Toyota Park have agreed to rope off a tailgate area just for club members and their friends. This area will be prominently located and should provide the club with a great way to attract new members. We will have a sign-up table for new members and information about the club available. The Club's tailgate event will be BYOB for both food and beverage. We also know Levy Restaurants will be serving food for sale in the parking lots giving a great option to either bring their own food or buy it on the grounds. Once the location of the Club's tailgate is confirmed by Toyota Park staff, a map showing the exact location of the Club's tailgate area will be in next newsletter and available on the web site. This is a new venue for us and I know Toyota Park is looking working hard to insure it receives positive feed back from not only the Chicago Parrot Head Club, but the entire Buffett Nation.

So, get your fin hats, grass skirts and Hawaiian shirts and show up for a great party at Toyota Park in Bridgeview, Illinois. Changes in attitude, Changes in latitude! Well, not quite, but we recently have had a change in crew. Barb Popescu has resigned as Secretary and Membership chairperson. But there is a person that the crew feels should be recognized, Cam Needham a long time member of our club has been all along taking care of the membership database and has graciously offered to continue this job. This is a big part of being membership chairperson and a huge thank you goes out to Cam for doing this part of the job all along.

Kristin McFadden has agreed to take on the position of Secretary, and Bev Kleinman is going to take on Membership chairperson, . Please welcome these three members to the crew.

# Elections are right around the corner

According to our by laws, it is time to start the ball rolling on Elections for the 2009 year. This year, your crew has been working very hard on bringing this club up to where we should be. So according to our current by laws, here is where we start:

We must have an ELECTION OFFICER appointed no later than July 31st. At this time we have had one club member step up and offer to be an Election Officer. If you are interested in that position, please send an email to the crew's address: <code>crew@chicagoparrotheads.com</code> We will then take all that step up and choose an Election Officer from there.

A call for nominations are being printed in June and July's newsletter, the positions that are open for nomination are:

President, Treasurer, Secretary, Membership director, Charity director, Social director, Communication director, Member at Large, Technology director.

Each board member who wishes to continue in his or her current position or in another position must also submit a nomination to the Election officer between August 1, 2008 and September 1, 2008.

Any member of CPHC shall have the opportunity to submit to the election officer a nomination for consideration of office. Applications must comply with the following requirements:

- 1. Applicant must be a member in good standing.
- 2. Applicant must have been a member of CPHC for three (3) full months prior to nomination for his/her position.
- 3. Applicant must submit their nomination for consideration to the Election Officer no later than September 1, 2008.

For complete details on officer responsibilities, please reference our club By-Laws which are posted on the club's website.

#### Our club's by-laws have been in place for one year now.

Over the last year, we have received only a few comments on our by-laws. Maybe you see something that could be worded differently? Maybe something isn't explained fully enough? Or maybe too much? Do you have a question, comment or suggestion? We \*need\* to hear your feedback. Please email any comments or suggestions to us at Crew@ChicagoParrotHeads.com

Once we receive comments from our membership, the Crew will evaluate your feedback and publish any revisions that are being suggested. These suggestions will then need to be ratified or voted on by the general membership.

By-Laws are not intended to make our club overly organized or structured. Rather they are here to keep our club fair to everyone, and ensure that we have some guidelines

A copy of our current by-laws can be found on our website at <a href="https://www.chicagoparrotheads.com">www.chicagoparrotheads.com</a>
Thank you in advance to all for your help during this process! It is a step that we all take together to ensure the future of our club.



Kristin McFadden The **Good** Gossip Lady

Hello Parrotheads! First of all, thanks for all the great news you have sent me....keep it coming! And second, a big thanks to Jean for making this newsletter a joy to look at and read! Now....on to the phun stuff....

#### They're Not Getting Older....

Birthday wishes to Bob Noonan on his fabulous 55!!! Bob and 20+ of his closest friends celebrated at Carnivale in the city. And his favorite birthday present???? A Landshark surfboard he received from his sons. I wonder if we'll be seeing Bob trying to catch a wave out on Lake Michigan anytime soon?? Keep your cameras handy!

#### Wedded Bliss:

Congratulations to Al and Susi Camp or (O'Camp) on their recent marriage in the Caribbean! They threw a great party back here to celebrate with one of our favorite bands, Mr. Meyers, playing plenty of JB tunes to kam44@comcast.net keep the guests dancin'. I think Al may still be recovering!

Congratulations to Jenny and Kevin Marren who renewed their wedding vows while in Honolulu for their 5 year wedding anniversary! They met up for a few days in Honolulu with Karen and Dan Boylan who were also on vacation in Hawaii! (See Changes in Latitude, below).

#### **Changes in Latitude**

Pat Eberhardt spent a long Memorial Day weekend in New York City visiting her new grandson. He's 2 mo. She a great time bonding with him and even went on a picnic in Central Park!

Julie and Mike Hardesty are currently in Virginia Beach having completed one graduation and will spend a few days on the Outer Banks of North Carolina before returning for another high school graduation. Anyway, here are the bragging points:

Julie's niece Monica Bennett graduated from Bishop Sullivan Catholic High School in Virginia Beach, VA. She has been accepted to Virginia Military Institute on a Navy ROTC scholarship.

And her other niece Margo Savage graduated from Princess Anne High School (my alma mater) in Virginia Beach, VA. She was recently voted Prom Queen and will be attending James Madison University on a Field Hockey Scholarship!

Karen and Dan Boylan were recently in Hawaii on vacation!! They were even seen sporting matching tropical apparel at Al and Susi's party!

**Rafone** spent some time in Merimac WI with the guys.....While there were no strippers involved, that we know of, there was a Brat Stop for cheese curds and beef jerky at the Barraboo Meat Market!

And, speaking of Rafone....Molly will be climbing on her horse and heading south for the reenactment of the Civil War in Gettysburg.....My money is on the North.....

Billy and Kristin are taking the whole clan to Disney World!!! Believe it or not, Billy is a virgin...a Disney virgin, that is.....and yes...I am making him go into "It's a Small World"!!!!

#### Keet News....we love our kids!!

I received this note from Carol and Terry Leigh......Our daughter Jennifer (15) is going to be a Sophomore in HS. She made varsity POMS and is very excited. The squad will be going to nationals in Florida in February if they qualify during summer camp. Jennifer has been dancing since she was 3 years old and this means a lot to her to be part of the dance team in school. She made JV POMS for Freshman year. Our son Joe (20) was accepted to DePaul University in the fall this year. He will be transferring in as a junior. He is living downtown Chicago with 3 of his buddies. Boy oh boy, please take off your shoes when you enter, something not done while home (lol).

Kathy Knoch wrote...My son graduated from the University of Montana with a BA in History and a minor in Political Science. I dove out to Montana for the event. Not a tropical vacation, but the scenery was fabulous. He is working as an assistant director for a Boy Scout camp in WI for the summer, but any leads on a job in the fall, would be much appreciated. By both of us!

Bob Dunbar emailed this great news....On May 17th, my youngest son, Michael, age 17, was inducted into the United States Marine Corps under their delayed enlistment program. His orders are to report for recruit training (i.e. boot camp) on June 15th, 2009 following his high school graduation.

#### Moving Up!

Jim Mctighe recently opened his own law practice on Oak park Avenue in Tinley Park

If you see *Kurt* holding something other than a spatula this summer, it may be his new gal Denise! Good luck, Kurt!!

#### **Returning Phaces**

Tami Casey just informed us she is coming HOME! Welcome back Tami

And that's this month's scoop!

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Social Disturbances: June of 2008



#### By Bloody Bill; the bringer of Floridays sun and fun!

Pale invaders and tanned crusaders; Are worshipping the sun On the corner of ''walk'' and ''don't walk''; Somewhere on US 1 I'm back to livin' Floridays; Blue skies and ultra-violet rays

<u>Camping!!</u> Surprisingly, we had an opportunity drop into our lap for a location for a camping overnight right in our own back-yard of DeKalb! It is private property and we are working out the bugs, but some ideas are to provide food, drinks, and entertainment for a fee, since there will be no cost for parking or camping! more details to come, but we will look for a date the end of summer, probably September, when it cools off a bit!

And coming back by popular demand.....the <u>Chicago Parrothead Train Crawl</u>. Yes....when we make conductors blush and force passengers into other cars to avoid us, how can we not do it again! We will be setting an August date once again to get out of concert season, and hopefully plan a new route as well! keep your eyes open for this Train O' Phun!

Kick off the Month social gathering for July.....Uncle Fatty's Rum Resort at 7:00!!! 2833 N Sheffield Ave, at W Wolfram; Lakeview Chicago; 773.477.3661. Of all your hazy college memories, spring break's the one you can't quite recall most fondly. Bringing Spring Break to Chicago, Uncle Fatty's Rum Resort. Fatty's is a Tiki-themed jackass's paradise replete with an enormous sandbox, surfboards, private cabanas, shuffleboard, palm trees, & loads of bamboo, but no food, as that'd impede the bar's raison d'etre. Paths to drunk include 15+ beers, available in iced-down coolers by the 12, 24, and 30; and specialty cocktails like the Porch Crawler, Pink Monkey Punch, and Ocean Potion, which come garnished with Gummy fauna and can be had in 60oz rectangular "fishtanks" (like the traditional fishbowl, but you can poke your eye out with it). And for August.....let's head up to the actual particular harbor at Blarney Island for the Parrothead Convention on Saturday, August 9th for a daytime affair! Catch Howard Livingston and Mile Marker 24 at 2:00, followed by Mr. Myers at 7:00!

Baseball with the **Schaumburg Flyers**.....sorry to say, but response was not enough to purchase a block of tickets, which was the same for last year with the Cougars (Sorry, Tom!), so if anyone wishes to go to Jimmy Buffett night on July 10th, feel free to attend, however this will not be a club social event. I will also be contacting them for future reference to maybe not choose a night game mid week for our fun in the sun! We can always wait for hockey season again with our **2008 Calder Cup Champion Chicago Wolves!** 

June 20-22 is Key West Fest at Blarney Island!!! Check out www.blarneyisland.com or the club website for details about times and location, but be ready to enjoy the music of Matt Quinton, Matt Avery, Howard Livingston & Mile Marker 24 all the way from Key West!

Mark your calendars for July 18th, the night before the Alpine Valley show! Mac MacAnally will be performing in Crystal Lake in a benefit fundraiser for Randy Salerno, with the Boat Drunks in Attendance as well! Full information is available on the Club Calendar at www.chicagoparrotheads.com!

And do i have to remind anyone that in just over a month.....it is concert time? The busses are ready for Alpine, and we shall see how our new concert venue at Toyota Park sounds! But I do know that we will be having a great time!!!

On a sad note.....One Particular Tuesdays are no more. Cheeseburger is cutting it out, but we would like to thank Frank Whiting for all his good times and great music!!! We will be out to see him and his band Local Favorites whenever we can, and who know.....maybe OPT will be continued? Hmmmmmmm!!! Keep those fins up!

I'm back to livin' Floridays; Blue skies and ultra-violet rays Lookin' for better days, lookin' for better days; Lookin' for Floridays

Better days, better days; Everybody's lookin' for better days
Somewhere beneath the shining star; Better days, won't you take me to
better days
Better days, I sure could use a few better days
Floridays







June 1st Highway Cleanup

Our first highway cleanup of the year is over and we had an enthusiastic turn out. Thank you to all that came out on a sunny Sunday afternoon to do your part in a commitment that we as a club have made.

Pictured: Paul Perkins, Eleanor Skopek, Mike LaGioia, Donna Perry, Jenny Marren, Kurt Rubin. Not pictured is Pat Eberhardt the one with the camera



Let's not forget the highways and byways. OK, bad metaphor, but it's that time of year again where we need to pick up other people's trash. Remember one man's trash is another man's treasure. In the past, people have been known to find some interesting stuff, the happy hour after clean up has always been interesting conversation. I remember people finding gift cards with money still on it.

So, June 28<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 am, we will once again on our little Island of the World in Oak Brook Terrace, We will be meeting at the back of the Holiday Inn Parking lot located just west of Rt. 83 on the North side of 22<sup>nd</sup> Street. We supply latex gloves and garbage bags, if you want to use a heavier glove, then you have to bring it yourself. Remember if you are using club tickets for the concerts, this is a requirement. Remember, the more events your participate in, the better your view!



Going to Coco Bowl \$43.00, Buying a *wing span* of 50/50 tickets \$10.00, going to a club meeting and seeing your money going to some great cause..... PRICELESS.

Well, this past month, we did just that, we made contributions to some of the GREAT organizations we support.

Kurt Rubin presenting check to Peggy Farrell in behalf of Good Samaritan Neo Natal Unit \$2,189.42 Kurt Rubin presenting check to Tom Primozic in behalf of Misericordia \$1,357.50 Kurt Rubin presenting checks to Jessica Kirby and Teresa Gruber In behalf of Alzheimer's Memory Walk \$3,546.92



#### **MEMORY WALK IS RIGHT**

**AOUND THE CORNER. SEP-**

TEMBER 14, 2008 IS THE DATE. It is time to get our team together and start raising money for Alzheimer Memory Walk. If you have not participated in this event, you are really missing out on a fun one. Not only do you have the opportunity to raise money for such a great cause, you spend the day on our beautiful lake front in the company of fellow Parrot Heads. This is one of our club's favorite charities since this is the awful disease that Jimmy Buffett's dad suffered with. There are a lot of us in the club that have had family members or friends that have been touch in one way or another by this sad disease and here is our opportunity to get out there and make a difference. We will be sending the link to sign up to walk thru the Yahoo Groups, or if you cannot participate, please sponsor a fellow club member

#### ALPINE BUS IS FILLING UP QUICK, CONCERT IS A MONTH AWAY

#### The Following is an Incomplete List Of Reasons To Get On The Alpine bus:

- 1. Jell-o shots strong enough to put hair on your chest
- 2. A chance to say "Hey Kurt! is that a spatula in your hand or are you just happy to be Here!"
- 3. Not having to worry about those Damn Wisconsin State Troopers in the rear view mirror and being referred to as "The first catch of the day"
- 4. Not having to worry about what happens to you AFTER you get pulled over by those Damn "Sconsin" troopers. Do I hear banjos playin'?
- 5. Random acts of nudity. (That's why we bring lots of jell-o shots)
- 6. A chance to recite the immortal words of Socrates' who once said "I drank what?"
- 7. Beer! Now cheaper than gas. So drink. Don't drive.
- 8. It's not just a booze trip. We're going GREEN!

More reasons to get on the bus: COMING SOON!

Don't forget. \$70 for club members and \$80 for your guests covers all your food and drinks for the day. And I'm told we have a few surprise on the menu this year. The grill master has found an assistant. Hmmmm.



*Local Favorite Duo*: Friday June 20th, Cheeseburger in Paradise/Des Plaines *Local Favorite Band*: Saturday July 12th, JT's Porch Glen Ellyn/Lombard

Local Favorite Duo: Friday July 18th, Cheeseburger in Paradise, Downers Grove

OD TAPO IMI: Sunday June 29th, Navy Pier, Beer Garten

OD TAPO IMI: Friday July 4th, Taste of Lombard, Lombard, IL

OD TAPO IMI: Friday July 11th, Barrington City Caribbean Pool Party, Tickets must be purchased in advance

OD TAPO IMI: Saturday July 12th, Lemont Heritage Fest, Lemont, IL

OD TAPO IMI: Wednesday July 16th, Riverside Plaza, 120 S Riverside, Chicago, IL

OD TAPO IMI: Friday July 18th, Cimino's Little Italy, Cimino's Summer Fest, Freeport, IL

OD TAPO IMI: Sunday July 20th, Haigh Quarry, Shedd Aquarium Drive Benefit 1-4 pm

OD TAPO IMI: Sunday July 20th, Vernon Hills Summer Celebration 6-7:30 pm

Mr. Myers: Wednesday June 18th, Ty Warner Park, Westmont, IL

*Mr. Myers:* Friday June 20th, Todd solo at Long Grove Fest 2-3:30

Mr. Myers: Friday June 20th, Key Wester, Naperville, IL 6:30-9:30

Mr. Myers: Saturday June 21st, Hemmingway's Lake Geneva, WI

Mr. Myers: Sunday June 22nd, Post Game Concert, Kane County Cougars

Mr. Myers: Tuesday June 24th, Old Town Park, 3rd & Franklin St. Bloomingdale, IL

Mr. Myers: Thursday June 26th, Lions Park, 1180 Silver Lake Rd, Cary, IL

Mr. Myers: Friday June 27th, Starved Rock Lodge, Utica, IL

Mr. Myers: Saturday June 28th, South Stage, Downers Grove Heritage Fest, 801 Burlington Ave

Mr. Myers: Sunday July 6th, Todd Solo at Lindy's Landing, Wauconda, IL

Mr. Myers: Tuesday July 8th, Main Beach Band Shell, Crystal Lake, IL

Mr. Myers: Wednesday July 9th, Island Park, Rt 25 S of Rt 38, Geneva, IL

Mr. Myers: Thursday July 10th, Viking Park, 4374 Old Grand Ave, Gurnee, IL

Mr. Myers: Friday July 11th, Fountain Hills Golf Club, 12601 S Kostner, Alsip, IL

Mr. Myers: Saturday July 12th, Blarney Island, Antioch, IL

Mr. Myers: Sunday July 13th, Kracklauer Park, Rt 45 & Courtland, Mundelein, IL

Mr. Myers: Tuesday July 15th, Family Aquatic Center, 340 E Palatine

Mr. Myers: Wednesday July 16th, Engle Memorial Park Bandshell, 2200 E Grass Lake Rd, Lindenhurst, IL

*PARTY AT PEARL ROOM:* JUNE 28TH, Beach Bums to support IAFF BURN FOUNDATION sponsored by Frankfort Firefighters. 19081 Old LaGrange Road, Mokena, IL For info call 708-906-7351

#### Friday, July 18, 2008 The Randy Salerno Foundation Presents:

# Under the Caribbean Twilight Lippold Park, Crystal Lake, IL Tickets: \$75 per person

Join in as we celebrate Randy's laidback love of life with an island-themed party benefiting the Randy Salerno foundation. The foundation honors Randy's memory by helping students of all ages achieve their dreams of a career in broadcast journalism.

Entertainment line up includes: Mac McAnally, Mr. Myers, and The Boat Drunks.



#### **HAPPY BIRTHDAY**



#### **LINKS**

www.cheesburgerinparadise.com
www.margaritaville.com
www.blarneyisland.com
www.phip.com
www.phip.com
www.mrmyers.com
www.piratesover40.com
www.beachbumband.com
www.beachbumband.com
www.odtapoimi.com
www.southofdisorderband.com
www.localfavoriteband.com
www.gone2paradise.net
www.flipflopstikibar.com

# WELCOME NEW MEMBERS

Sharon Klupar
Bill & Dee Tropp

IF YOU ARE A NEW MEMBER THAT HAS NOT RECEIVED YOUR SHIRT OR NAME TAG, PLEASE SEE DONNA, OR EMAIL HER AT: DONNA@CHICAGOPARROTHEADS.COM

CHICAGO PARROT HEAD CLUB PRESENTS YOUR OPPORTUNITY OF A LIFETIME TO WIN YOUR VERY OWN CORONA NEON BAR LIGHT



Only 250 chances will be sold, do not miss out on winning this neon sign for your very own bar. Chances are \$5.00 each, and winner will be drawn once the 250 tickets are sold. Do not wait to long, tickets will go fast. Here is your chance to make a donation to your club in an effort to do what we do best! Party with a purpose. See any crew members for details. Sign was obtained by Mike Rafone Erickson. A HUGE THANK YOU TO MIKE FOR YOUR efforts in obtaining this to benefit the club.

Beverly Metzger Kleinman has submitted her review of *Swine Not*Once again I was lucky enough to be an Advance Reader....Here is my review
Great Summer Read for the entire family......Parrotheads Lets Push This To # 1 **Swine Not** is a surprising Good Read....

It is not "Where is Joe Merchant", nor a "Salty Piece of Land", more often it reminds the reader of Tales from Margaritaville. But it is Definitely worth the read. Something the adult ParrotHeads can read (and enjoy) and share with their young Parrotkeeets....

When the family uproots themselves and moves to New York so Mom Ellie can take a job at a prestige Manhattan Hotel. (The perfect place for her Volcano Cakes lava cakes to flow). So, Barley can play on the youth team for the Red Bulls her (favorite team), and Maple (the other twin), can be near and study her favorite clothing designer Karen Wu., leaving Rumpy, (the pig) who was the goal tending champion in their old home town of Vertigo Tennessee hiding in the closet because the wicked Monsieur Boucher (Ellie's Boss) got the hotel to outlaw EXOTIC PETS in the hotel. So the story begins...

No this tale does not end on a ship sailing majestically into the sunset...But with this Tale Mr. Buffett proves he really did study journalism and deserved his degree... A delightful summer read for the entire family...

Thanks Jimmy

JUNE

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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8	9	10	11	12	13	14 FLAG DAY
15	16	17	18 Club meeting Elmhurst Public House 7:30-9:30	19 Key West Fest Blarney Island	20 Local Favorite CIP/DesPlaines ***  Boat Drunks Champaign, IL ***  Key West Fest Blarney Island	21 So of Disorder Hemingway's Bar ***  Boat Drunks Tucan's /Milan, IL ***  Key West Fest Blarney Island
22 Gone 2 Paradise Navy Pier *** Key West Fest Blarney Island	23	24	25	26	27 Pirates over 40 East Dundee, IL *** Gone 2 Paradise Arlington Ht's Fest	28 HIGHWAY CLEAN UP 10:00 ***  Johnny Russler Frankfort Firefighters Fundraiser. Pearl Room, Mokena, IL
29	30					

# **JULY**

Sunday	Mon- day	Tues day	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1	2	3 Gone 2 Paradise Wicker Park Highland IN	4 INDEPENDENCE DAY	5
6	7	8	9	10 Buffett Night With Schaumburg Flyers.	11  Kick off the Month  UNCLE FATTYS  RUM RESORT	12 Boat Drunks CEFCU Riverfront Peoria, IL *** Gone 2 Paradise Michigan City Fest Michigan City, IN
13 Gone 2 Paradise Westchester, IL	14	15	16 Club Meeting Elmhurst Public House 7:30	17	18 Mac McAnally Lippold Park Crystal Lake, IL	19 JIMMY BUFFETT AND THE CORAL REEFER BAND ALPINE VALLEY
20	21	22	23	24 JIMMY BUFFETT AND THE CORAL REEFER BAND TOYOTA PARK BRIDGEVIEW *** Gone 2 Paradise Plaza Del Lago, Wilmet	25 Mac McAnally Colosseum Bar Mokena, IL	26 JIMMY BUFFETT AND THE CORAL REEFER BAND TOYOTA PARK BRIDGEVIEW *** Gone 2 Paradise The Villa, Oak Forest, IL
27	28	29	30	31		

# FEATURE BAND OF THE MONTH



Jimmy Buffett is internationally known for his fun & totally outrageous sold-out concerts world wide . Gone 2 Paradise, featuring Frank Paul, continues the party, bringing the ultimate Jimmy Buffett experience alive throughout the year! Gone 2 Paradise, entertains all age groups including the faithful followers of Jimmy Buffett known as "Parrotheads". Gone 2 Paradise has been featured on WGN and NBC TV and some of the places they have played include: Navy Pier, US Cellular Field, Hawthorne Race Track, Northerly Island, The Columbia Yacht Club, and The Chicago Yacht Club. With Frank Paul's voice and the island dressed band performing hit songs that span Jimmy Buffett's entire career.

#### **UPCOMING DATES:**

June 22, 2008, Navy Pier Bud light Stage. 1:00 pm to 3:45pm,

June 27, 2008, Arlington Height Fest Main Stage, 7:00 pm to 8:30 pm

July 3, 2008, Wicker Park Concert, 2215 Ridge Road, Highland, IN 8:00 pm – 11:00 pm

July 10, 2008, Deerfield Square Concert, 740 Waukegan Road, Deerfield, IL 7:00 pm – 8:30 PM

July 12, 2008, Michigan City Fest 2008, Washington Park, Michigan City, IN 8:00 pm – 11:00 pm

July 13, 2008, Westchester Fest 2008, St. Joseph High School, Westchester, IL 6:00 pm – 7:30 pm

July 24, 2008, Plaza Del Lago, 1515 Sheridan Road, Wilmette, IL 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm

July 26, 2008, Parrotheads Knights 2008 Concert, Villa Santa Maria, 5901 Oak Forest Ave, Tinley Park, IL 8:00 pm – 11:00 pm

Tickets presale \$10.00 at the gate \$15.00 Family Friendly Event, Ticket price includes concert and food. (Beer and Margarita's are extra) For tickets and info Call 630-461-6541

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### MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL AND POINT INFORMATION

If there is a date next to your name, and it matches the date on this newsletter, It's a sign that your membership is due for renewal. Please submit your dues within the next 30 days to keep your membership in good standing. The other number on your label indicates the number of points you have accumulated for the current year. If you need more information or have a question about points, please see any crew member. Dues are \$25.00 for a single member, \$35.00 for a couple or household. If you have any questions regarding membership, please do not hesitate to contact the crew. Crew@chicagoparrotheads.com



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Jean Motal **Editor** 

The Midwest Caribbean Association/Chicago Parrot Head club is a Not For-Profit organization whose purpose is to assist in community outreach programs and to provide for its members a means of social interaction for people interested in Jimmy Buffett's music and tropical spirit. Any general questions regarding our club, contact Mike "Rafone" Erickson Rafone66@comcast.net or write us at MCA/CPHC, PO BOX 6313, VILLA PARK, IL 60181 URB

> Hotline is open: 630-729-3156 Or visit Club website www.chicagoparrotheads.com

Chicago Parrot Head newsletter is a monthly publication. If you have any information on an upcoming event you would like published, or a review of a current event, please contact Jean Motal the Communication director. No later than the second Friday of the month. jean@chicagoparrotheads.com



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