

The JACKSONIAN



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This is a volunteer office. We are only in the office a couple times a month. Please email a board member.

News for and about Jackson-area Retirees



November 5, 2025

6151 Portage Road, Portage



Reservations have been made. See you at the Air Zoo

Location: 6151 Portage Road, Portage, MI.

Registration Time: 10:00am

Map: <https://maps.app.goo.gl/cE6h96DuKQCUP2Rh7>

download the QRcode for a guided tour of the Air Zoo, along with many other museums with the "Bloomberg Connects" App. above.

If you are going to use the app., headphones or earbuds would be your best option to listen to the tour.

You also have the option of ordering on your own from the Café.



Annual Christmas Luncheon at Country Club of Jackson – Tuesday, December 9th



Registration begins at 11:30 with Lunch served at 12 noon.

Menu: Chopped Salad with Ranch and Italian dressing on the side

Choice of: Roast Strip Loin of Beef with Bearnaise Sauce or

Atlantic Salmon with Champagne Sauce

(guest can request without sauce)

Served with: Herb Roasted Fingerling Potatoes & Seasonal Vegetables

Dessert: Black Forest Cake

Cost: \$40.00 a person

Guest Speaker: Garrick Rochow,

Chief Executive Officer of CMS & Consumers Energy

Our Entertainment for the afternoon is, CE retiree Jeff Fouty & CE employee Jen Yoakum playing a variety of music for your enjoyment.

We thought we'd sleigh things up a bit at this year's Annual Christmas Luncheon! Come dressed in your most gloriously ugly Christmas sweater bonus points for blinking lights, jingling bells.

A prize awaits the "ugliest of them all," so bring your festive worst and let the holiday hilarity begin.



Deadline for registrations is December 2nd.

We would appreciate early registrations!

Donations will be accepted at our luncheon for "Paper Products" for SOAR a Non-Profit dedicated to providing healing, housing, and employment for women survivors of human trafficking, sexual abuse, and trauma. Visit SOAR website as www.soarcafeandfarms.com. Consider bringing a donation paper products, (tissue, paper towels, toilet paper, napkins) to the luncheon or donating to SOAR when registering for Christmas Luncheon.

Euchre & Lunch held Monthly – Fallon Walker



Euchre & Lunch at Knights Steakhouse at 2125 Horton Road

Date: November 3rd & December 3rd

Time: 11:00am - 3:00pm Lunch at 11:00. You are welcome to join us for just lunch.

RSVP by emailing Fallon Walker at: fallonsstar@gmail.com or call 517-812-3806

Come join us for a friendly game of Euchre and Lunch! Beginners to advance welcome!



November 3rd -& December 3rd Euchre at Knights Steakhouse

November 5th – Air Zoo in Portage

November 11th – Jacksonian board meeting 10am Parnall Office.

December 9th – Christmas Luncheon at Country Club of Jackson

(if you wish to attend a board meeting by phone in call Joann at 517-740-0293)



Website for Retiree Information:

www.consumersenergy.com/retiree or use your camera to scan this QR Code

New Retirees/Recent Deaths/Newsletters/Chapter Information

Sympathy & Anniversary

Sympathy to the Families of:

- * Theron "Terry" Hicks (ret. 1991)
- * Clifford Harter (ret. 2000)
- * Ron Mealoy (ret. 1999)
- * Thomas Bishop (ret. 1989)

Sympathy to retirees/employees who have lost family members:

- * Therese Tash (ret. 2009) husband, Michael Tash
- * Karen Connell Hicks (ret. 1991) husband
Theron "Terry" Hicks (ret. 1991)
- * Yvonne Neubecker (ret.2002) husband, Frederick Neubecker
- * Betty Bishop (retired. 1989) husband, Thomas Bishop (ret. 1989)
- * Daniel Bishop (ret. 2017) father, Thomas Bishop (ret. 1989)

Contact our Sunshine Committee Chair Jan Riede (contact info on the sidebar) with information you'd like included in the Jacksonian: **Congratulations - Sympathy - Special Event - Wedding Anniversary** (clarifying landmark anniversary dates: 25th - 50th - 55th - 60th and every year after 60).



FORERUNNERS/JACKSONIANS 2026 MEMBERSHIP
& Scholarship Donation

Annual dues Forerunners = \$10.00
Annual dues Jacksonians = \$7.00

NAME (Print)

SPOUSE

ADDRESS

APT.#

CITY

STATE

ZIP

Is your address above New? Circle Yes or No

Is you email address New? Circle Yes or No

Phone: Email:

Please print clearly

Winter Address (if applicable)

Address

Apt.#

City

State

Zip

2026 Membership Dues (\$10+\$7= \$17) \$

Forerunners Scholarship donation \$

Total Enclosed \$

Check \$ Date:

Check your newsletter envelope for the year your membership was last paid.



Annual Christmas Luncheon at
Country Club of Jackson – Tuesday, December 9th

Name (Print)

Name of Spouse/Guest

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Area Code Phone Number

Email Address (Print)

Roast Strip Loin of Beef

Atlantic Salmon

Reservations at \$40.00 each:

I would also like to renew my Forerunner (\$10) Jacksonians(\$7) Membership for 2026 = \$17.00

Include in my check is a donation to SOAR non-profit organization in the amount of \$

Total Amount Enclosed: \$ Check# Date:

Registrations must be in our office by December 2nd

Make your checks payable to: Jacksonians and mail completed to Registration Forms with check to:
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