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## What the Prez Sez

Happy New Year Friends!

I'm looking forward to what 2018 brings to us personally and for our club. While Donnie Kerksieck traveled most of the 2017 year I filled his position and was able to learn a lot about our club. I am thankful for your nomination and votes to be the 2018 – 2020 President for the Route 66 Parrothead club. Donnie, I thank you for all you have done for the club as President and setting the path for me to follow. You stepped out of the box and introduced some new events to our club, Casino Night being one of them. What a great event you hosted. I am happy that I had the opportunity to stand by your side as Vice President!

As we enter the New Year of 2018 our primary goal is to have Fun, enjoy the friendships new and old! I feel I have gotten to know each of you, and every one of you bring something different to the table. That's what makes us who we are! I am so proud to be your friend and President of The Route 66 Parrothead Club!

The President doesn't make the club what it is, it is all of us that do. I hope that each of you get as much out of being a Route 66 Parrothead as I do!



Laura P.

## Birthdays & Important Dates

### Another Trip Around the Sun



Linda Brown 1/1

Julie Dickerhoof 1/13

Marlene Guittar 1/20

Chuck Shufeldt 1/24

Trish Voss 1/25

Jeff Voss 1/26

Cathy Rose 1/30

Mary B Fitzgerald 1/31

Marcela Rice 2/6

Mike Mester 2/17

Richard Rice 2/17

Murrell Jones 2/18

### Important Dates:

January 11, 2018 Monthly Board Meeting

Ray's Happy Island pre-meeting 6:00 Meeting 7:00

February 4, 2018 Rte. 66 PHC Birthday Party!

February 16, 2018 CCPHC Spring Fling

(the events in red are Rte. 66 PHC events)

# Getting to Know Your Fellow Parrothead

*By Jeff Palazzolo*

Featuring Tim & Mona Davis



Welcome to our bi-monthly "Getting to Know Your Fellow Parrotheads" where we peek inside our fellow members to get to know them just a little better.

## **Name**

*Tim & Mona Davis*

**Hometown:** *St. Clair, Mo*

## **Occupation**

**Tim**

*American Family Insurance Agent*

**Mona:** *Marketing Director for the Davis family business*

*"The Skeeter Beater" <https://theskeeterbeater.com>*

## **Birth / grow up town / School**

**Tim**

*Born in Glendale, grew up in West County going to Parkway West*

**Mona**

*Grew up in Fenton going to Fox High School*

## **Children**

*When I asked this question, it was a fun lesson in math, both have children from previous marriages and sorted by ages*

*Tim 3 children*

*Mona 2 children*

**Pets**

*There are 2 dogs running the Davis household, Roscoe, Pointer Pit Bull mix and Bailey, a Labrador Retriever. Both are rescue family members.*

*The Davis's are passionate about animal rescue and host an annual event "Luau on the River" always fun and a successful fund raiser to benefit the Franklin County Humane Society. <http://fchsmo.org/>*

**How long Have you been in Route 66 PHC**

*2 Years*

**How did you get involved in Rt 66 PHC**

*Tim played football with member Mike Adkins. Mike & Robin drug them to Belmont for a function and they were hooked!*

**Has your opinion of Parrotheads changed once you became a Parrot Head**

*Being friends with the Adkins, they were aware of what Parrot Heads were about. They like everyone else stated that charitable side has been a pleasant surprise.*

**Favorite Music Genre**

**Tim**

*Southern Rock*

**Mona** *is not as stuck in her musical ways as many of us are, her answer was great "I like classic rock, but I like new shit too". Reminding me that all music is related*

**Favorite Buffet Song**

**Mona**

*Son of a Son of a Sailor*

**Tim**

*Margaritaville*

**1st Concert**

**Tim**

*Moody Blues at Kiel Opera House*

**Mona**

*YES at Kiel Opera House*

**Last Concert (major venue)**

*Jimmy Buffet Hollywood Amphitheater, St. Louis*

**What's your relaxation-hobby?**

*Both are avid RV'ers although they question if it's true relaxation*

**How you met significant other**

*Mona was referred to Tim's insurance agency, after their initial meeting they both immediately called their friend whom had referred Mona asking the status of each other, the rest as they say is history!*

**First Date with S/O**

*Dinner at Calicos then a Blues Game*

**What are you driving? Mona: Jeep Wrangler, Tim: Acura****One interesting thing nobody knows about you:**

**Tim:** *So far this is the craziest interesting fact. Tim was the groundskeeper on the golf course where CaddyShack was filmed. As an enterprising young man that always likes a good party he befriended Chevy Chase, Bill Murray and Rodney Dangerfield stating Rodney was the best!*

**Mona:** *Volunteered as a ropes course instructor for the Girl Scouts for 4 years where she helped build up their confidence to let go at the end of the course and zipline back down.*

# Musician Spotlight



## *Drop Dead Dangerous*

**Drop Dead Dangerous is a musical force. Two women who met touring independently, teamed up and are ready to take on the world. Since their start in autumn of 2015, they have toured and performed in front of the continental United States and Caribbean islands.**

**Vocalist and guitar player, Kitty Steadman, is arguably the most powerful female vocalist the southern rock and country-music landscape has heard. Melanie Howe, commonly known as "The Djembabe", effortlessly fills the pocket with groove. Her wild drum kit and percussion rig leave audiences saying, "how in the Hell can she do all of that?!"**

**Blending with "sister-like" harmonies, Drop Dead Dangerous released their first album, "Drop Dead LIVE" including regular band mates JD Edge and Paul Wray. You can catch them in night clubs, festivals, beach bars, and honkytonks; traveling thousands of miles with their "ready to party" attitude.**

**A djembe or jembe (/ ˈ dʒ ɛ m b eɪ / JEM-bay; from Malinke jembe) is a rope-tuned skin-covered goblet drum played with bare hands, originally from West Africa.**

# Route 66 Parrothead Holiday Party 2017

The annual Christmas party was held November 18<sup>th</sup> at the Bourbon Community Center with musical guest the Phin Addicts

52 members and guests enjoyed the easy to listen to band out of Springfield, MO – The Phin Addicts. They mix TropRock favorites with familiar rock and country songs. The crowd was up and dancing from the first song.

The great meal was provided by Meats & Eats from Sullivan, MO with deserts brought by the guests in attendance. The festivities included a decorated hat contest that had to start as a sand pail. TropRock fan of the year, Colleen Fuchs won the hat contest which was judged by the Phin Addicts. Colleen wisely included the Phin Addicts in her hat design!



Nice Hat Colleen!



Richard Ray won the 50/50 and promptly donated his half back. What a great gesture! Thank You Richard. We appreciate your gesture and all you do for our club.

There were 12 items on the raffle table that raised monies to hold the Christmas pizza party for the residents of Happy Acres. Thank you to all that donated for this great cause

The evening ended with the chant of "one more song", which had the Phin Addicts doing an encore performance.



# Happy Acres Christmas Party

On December 18, 2017 The Residents of Happy Acres residential care center attended a Christmas party at the Sullivan Community Center hosted by the Route 66 Parrothead Club. The 13 residents were treated by a visit from Santa, a pizza party, bingo and an ice cream social. The Route 66 PHC was able to provide this by the funds raised at their Holiday party.

Santa's helper, Mary Barbra Fitzgerald, knew exactly what each resident really wanted for Christmas. The list was filled by the club members with every resident receiving their Christmas wish.

There were many highlights of this magical afternoon including a visit by Santa himself! We all know mall Santa's are really helpers, on this day we had Santa Clause himself whom we found closely resembled Rt 66 PHC member Marty Busch!

Each resident became honorary Route 66 Parrothead and were presented a name tag with the Rt. 66 PHC logo. The buttons were made and contributed by member Marlene Guittar.

After the Pizza Party the residents participated in Christmas Bingo with cards that had Christmas related items to create "A Bingo" (in this case "A Jingle Bells"). M&M's were used for markers and the residents showed their self-control by not eating them before all "Jingle Bells" were scored. The Christmas bingo cards were provided by members Mike Baetz and Crys Warren and enjoyed by all!

The festive day concluded with residents and members enjoying an Ice cream social.

Santa's magic was in full force on this day. Marlene and Brian Guittar gifted a bowling ball to one of the residents who is an avid bowler and wanted his own ball. Recently Brian learned that his sister-in-law has a brother who is a resident of Happy Acre's. He had no idea that this person was the one who was receiving the bowling ball they donated. After the gift exchange the resident asked to be introduced to Marlene and Brian then new friendships were made. Santa's magic is very mysterious!

The care givers of Happy Acre's said this event is one of the highlights of the honorary Parrotheads. Little do they know this event is the highlight of the Route 66 Parrothead club.



## Member Recognition



### Route 66 Parrot Heads of the Year 2017 Craig and Linda Brown

There probably would not be a Route 66 Parrot Head Club if Craig and Linda had not introduced Pam & Rich Ray to the Parrot Head World many years ago.

They were 2 of the 26 people who met to sign a petition requesting the club be sanctioned by PHIP. They attend approximately 80% of club meetings, participate in most trash pickups, (even after knee replacement surgery) and they attend most club evens – Unless they are in Jamaica! They also organized and manage the collection of beer/soda tabs for donation to Ronald McDonald House... last but not least, they are damn nice PHOLKS!

### Trop Rock Fan of the Year

The 2017 Trop Rock Music Awards were held at the Casa Marina Resort in Key West during the Meeting of the Minds. Kudos to Route 66 PHC member **Colleen Fuchs** for being named Trop Rock Music Association "Fan of the Year" Congratulations Colleen!



# Clinton County Parrothead Club's 11th Annual Spring Phling at Bretz Wildlife Lodge & Winery benefiting Clinton County Senior Services

## Sat. Feb 17th

\$20 per person....includes draft Bud Light and Fried Chicken

Doors open  
at 6:00pm



**The Beach Bum Band - 615p-815p**

Get both  
nights for  
\$40.00



**The Phin Addicts - 830p-1230a**

## Fri. Feb 16th

\$25 per person....includes draft Bud Light



**Jimmy and the Parrots featuring Crowdaddy - 815p-1200a**

Doors open  
at 7:30pm



## Thurs. Feb 15th



Jimmy Maraventano  
and Crowdaddy  
perform at the  
Gridiron Grill in Breese

**Social starts  
at 6pm**

**Music from  
8p-12a**

For information contact Todd Peppenhorst at 618-792-6586 or [toddpcparrot@gmail.com](mailto:toddpcparrot@gmail.com)



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## 2018 Membership Application

Single \$20 / Couple \$40

Name (First, "nickname", Last): \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_

Name (First, "nickname", Last): \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zipcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address(es): \_\_\_\_\_

I am interested in the following activities:

Parties  Writing for Newsletter  Producing Newsletter  Hosting Parties  Local Community Service

National Community Service  Club Promotion  Concerts  Weekend Trips  Outdoor Activities

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

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### Fine Print:

Each member of the Route 66 Parrot Head Club is responsible for his or her actions and behavior and shall treat phellow members, guest and hosts and their personal property with respect. Members agree to abide by all local, state and federal laws. Members agree to abide by all the Bylaws of the Route 66 Parrot Head Club.

Membership in the club does not give the member permission to use Jimmy Buffett's name, song titles, lyric, names of businesses or other trademarked, copyrighted or reserved material owned by Jimmy Buffett; nor can any member use the logo of the Route 66 Parrot Head Club or Parrot Heads in Paradise, Inc.

Since Parrot Heads are known to enjoy a cold one, we support using a designated driver. This contribution is not tax deductible as a charitable contribution for federal or state income tax purposes.

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