

Greene Light

<u>GREENEBUCS</u>

Successful Membership Drive with 6 new members to join GreeneBucsI

A BIG WELCOME TO

Jack Bergen

Gerry Thornton

Ginger Dosedel

Mark Koogler

Chuck Gibson

Tabitha Peters



Cathy Peters welcomes Chuck Gibson as a new GreeneBucs member.



Speaker:

Scott Fitzgerald from Roth & Co reviewed the Ohio Commercial **Activity Tax** during the luncheon meeting



Project.

Pictured: Shoppers and gift wrappers get together to provide Christmas for families in Greene County from funds raised at the **Annual Holiday** Auction.



Pictured above: Charlotte O'Meara, Alan & Sue Eakle, and Paul Monnig



Walt buying a raffle ticket from Maggie



Over 20 volunteers from GreeneBucs showed their support for the Brown Backers Fish Fry and Monte Carlo night to raise funds for trykes.



Prospective family looking at AMTRYKES







Pictured above: Catie Shedden currently a Speech student at Miami University, Ohio spoke at GreeneBucs luncheon meeting.

Pictured below:

A recipient of a GreeneBucs Scholarship Katie Depp graduated from University of Washington in Pennsylvania with a major in Speech Therapy.





AMBUCS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

- Begun in 1955 (15 scholarships were awarded in the amount of \$4880 nationwide).
- Number of scholarships given peaked in 1990-01 (664 Scholarships were awarded).
- 2006 -240 scholarships were granted out of 1474 applications a total of \$165,150 was funded.

Scholarships are awarded to 3rd and 4th year undergraduate students in Occupational, Physical, Speech and Hearing Therapy. Grad students in those disciplines.

The AMBUCS Scholarship Program is the largest single private source of educational grants for therapists in the U.S.

- GreeneBucs was awarded 8 scholarships including 1 mentor slot for 2006-2007.
- Because of the donations that GreeneBucs designates for the Scholarship Fund the number of winners continues to increase.
- Last year we sponsored 14 and 8 received scholarships.

If you have any questions contact about the Scholarship Program contact: Gussie-562-6504



February is National Visibility Month and National Service Day!

GreeneBucs has decided on two projects. One for each of these activities.

- The first activity involves member's attendance at the Ohio State Moose Association Conference. AMBUCS/GREENEBUCS has been selected as the service club for this year's Moose annual charity project. At this convention the club will receive donations for AMTRYKES from Moose clubs in the state of Ohio.
- For the National Service Day the club members are being asked to bring a pair of "reading glasses," for the Women's Recovery Center, to the next GreeneBucs luncheon meeting. This group has a pressing need for the glasses and any strength will do. **BIG HAT PROJECT**

The Big Hatters are making a donation to the Combined Health District for child car seats for children at risk. Beth Player who represents this agency, had a 3 year grant that has been exhausted. This organization provides car seats for qualifying families.





GREENEBUCS SELECTED

AS A 2007 RECIPIENT

OF

THE "CHANGE FOR CHARITY" PROGRAM AT THE GREENE TOWN CENTER.

OVER 70 ORGANIZATIONS APPLIED AND 6 WERE SELECTED FOR 2007. THE AGENCIES

SELECTED WILL RECEIVED PROCEEDS OVER A TWO MONTH PERIOD FROM THE

PARKING METERS LOCATED IN FRONT OF BUSINESS.

PICTURED: YAROMIR STEINER WITH SANDY ZIMMERMAN AND DEVLYNN TANNER AT THE THE GREENE COMMUNITY LUNCHEON HOSTED BY BRIO TUSCAN GRILLE AT THE GREENE.

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GreeneBucs Events Calendar

REMEMBER: GREENEBUCS LUNCH IS HELD THE 1ST & 3RD WED. OF EVERY MONTH 12-1 AT THE BEAVERCREEK GOLF COURSE 1ST OF MONTH IS SPEAKER MEETING: THE 3RD OF EACH MONTH IS BIG HAT MEETING AND RAFFLE.

FEBRUARY 2007 VISIBILITY MONTH

FEBRUARY 7 LUNCHEON MEETING

FEBRUARY 9-11 MOOSE CONVENTION

FEBRUARY 9 REVERSE RAFFLE DOWNTOWN CLUB

FEBRUARY 12 BOARD MEETING LA ROSAS 6:00 PM

FEBRUARY 21 SPEAKER MT/BIG HAT GINGER DOSEDEL SEW MUCH COMFORT **MARCH 2007**

MARCH 7 SPEAKER MEETING MIKE PEBBLES BRD OF REALTORS

MARCH 12 BOARD MEETING TBA

MARCH 21 BIG HAT LUNCHEON MEETING



APRIL 2007

APRIL 4 SPEAKER MEETING

APRIL 9 BOARD MEETING TBA

APRIL 18 BIG HAT LUNCHEON MEETING

SPRING TRAINING APRIL 27 & 28, 2007 BATTLE CREEK MICHIGAN

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