



A Message from President Pat ...

"IT IS UP TO YOU!!

What is the difference between people who have confidence they will succeed and people who don't? Is it that they live in essentially different worlds - the confident in an easier place where everyone supports their efforts at success and the less confident in a harsher world where it is harder to succeed? No. The difference is not the world itself. The difference is how they view the world.

The confident construct a reality out of the world around them, a reality in which success is possible because they pay special attention to those who have succeeded and have carefully studied the path to success. Those who lack confidence, meanwhile, pay more attention to those who have failed and the obstacles that exist to thwart their efforts. It is much like two people walking next to each other on a busy city street, one looking up and the other down. The reality of the city is the same, but the view is very different.

The above was borrowed from *100 Simple Secrets of Successful People* by David Niven, Ph.D. According to a study by Franklin & Mizell (1999), the more optimistically people viewed their surroundings, the greater their satisfaction with their job and their confidence in future success.

How do you view your surroundings? Are you looking for the positives or concentrating on the negatives? Your perspective and perceptions will guide you down your path. Which path you follow depends on what you are looking for. If you look for success, you will find it, but it will also come with persistence.

Hold your head high and look forward and upward. *Right Here ... Right Now!*

President Pat

Pat Aubuchon
84th President

"Right Here ... Right Now"



Presidential Incentives for July

Here is a great opportunity to earn some bonus POC points. We have some chapters within our Jaycee family on the verge of folding - they are below 20 members. Instead of losing them, we need to save them, so I am offering you bonus POC points to save them.

For the month of July, a chapter that saves another chapter currently on probation will receive:

- ❖ 100 points if they get the chapter to 20+ members, plus 5 points per new member add.
- ❖ 200 points if they get the chapter to 30+ members, plus 5 points per new member add.

If your chapter plans on accepting the challenge, you will first need to let me know the name of the chapter doing the save and the chapter which you plan on saving. The chapter on the verge of folding in the month of July is the O'Fallon chapter.

US JAYCEES Incentives for July

Presidential Parade Points for July

- States: 25 pts for each new chapter extension
 15 pts for a PRIME or EXCEL registration to the service center by July 31
 15 pts for 25% of your chapters to return a report about their July 4th
 activities
- Regions/Districts: 15 pts for each chapter that grows by +10 in July
- Chapters: 15 pts for report of your chapters July 4th activities
 15 pts for growth by +10 in July

Incentives for July

- States: Growth by +25 to receive a \$25 gas card
 Growth by +10 to receive a \$10 gas card
- Regions/Districts: Grow by +5 to receive a Jaycee key chain
 Grow by +10 to receive a Leaders In Action Polo
- Chapters: Grow by +5 to receive a Jaycee key chain

State IDVP Issues Challenge

Given the strong turnout of participants at the January and May state conventions, I'm issuing a challenge to the entire state in an effort to raise the bar higher when we hold our September State Meeting.

If there are 30 participants in the three competitions -- i.e., Write Up, Speak Up and First Timers -- at the next state meeting (for example, 15 in Write Up, 10 First Timers and 5 in Speak Up), I will perform Carly Simon's "Nobody Does It Better" (it was the theme song to the James Bond film "The Spy Who Loved Me") for the entire general membership at the Sunday morning meeting, September 25th.

Missouri Jaycees, let's make it happen ... RIGHT HERE, RIGHT NOW! HOO RAH!!!

Chris Waltz

2005 Individual VP

Membership Vice President

Congratulations to the following chapters on their outstanding membership growth achievements for June:

Top Growth Chapters for June:

➤ Joplin Jaycees	John Thurman, president	+20
➤ Hannibal Jaycees	Kevin Knickerbocker, president	+9
➤ St. Peters Jaycees	Bryan Spencer, president	+9

Additional Growth Chapters for June:

Jefferson City +4, Columbia +3, Mid County +3, St. Louis +3, Arnold +2, Hermann +2, Bridgeton/Maryland Heights +1, Moberly +1, Rolla +1, Zell Area +1

WELCOME to the **WARRENTON JAYCEES**, extended this month by the **St. Charles Jaycees**, Karen Kobal president.

KUDOS also to the **Joplin Jaycees**, led by president **John Thurman** and the **St. Charles Jaycees**, led by president **Karen Kobal**. They both recruited 20 or more members in June to complete In-Chapter extensions. WAY TO GO!!!

YEARBOOK CAMPAIGN ON-GOING

NOTICE: Heritage Publishing Company, the publisher of our state yearbook, will be running their annual advertising solicitation campaign for approximately two months beginning July 1, 2005. If you have any questions, please contact Executive Director Joe Jerkins at the State Service Center, (573) 634-2321 or at jjerkins@aol.com.

JUNE MEMBERSHIP RESULTS

Here are the stats:

Total Billed in June = 268
 Total Renewals = 163 (61%)
 Total New Members = 136
 Total Extensions = 1 *Welcome to the WARRENTON JAYCEES!*
 Net (+/-) = +31 ☺ ☺ ☺

Open Check Policy for Monthly Membership Dues

Hopefully, your chapter is participating in the open check program for membership closeouts! If not, please contact [Joe Jerkins](#) at (573) 634-2321 for more details. It is really helpful when it comes to membership closeout when we must have a payment in hand before we can turn in your membership to the national organization.

Membership Call-In Deadlines for 2005

By the posted Call-In Deadline, we need to know who is renewing for the following month AND we need information on all new members (name, address and DOB). Chapters should forward that information to their District Director, Region Director, assigned Vice President and Executive Director Joe Jerkins by the following deadlines:

Month	Day	Close Out	Information Needed
July	Thursday	July 28th	Jul new members & Aug renewals
August	Thursday	August 25th	Aug new members & Sep renewals
September	Thursday	September 29th	Sep new members & Oct renewals
October	Thursday	October 27th	Oct new members & Nov renewals
November	Thursday	December 1st	Nov new members & Dec renewals
December	Thursday	December 29th	Dec new members & Jan (06) renewals

EARLY RENEWAL DUES REBATE OFFERED!

Renewal Dues for 2005 have increased to \$53.00, which is the same as dues for new members. This rate went into effect for January renewals. HOWEVER...chapters who submit their renewals (with payment or open check on file) by the posted closeout deadlines will receive a rebate credit of \$5 per renewal. If you have any questions, please contact Executive Director Joe Jerkins or any state officer.

Nominations Due for Outstanding Local Officers & Members

Do you have a local member of officer that was a PERFORMER for your chapter this past month? Maybe someone who recruited some new members to help you get to growth? Maybe someone who went "above and beyond" to make a chapter project successful? If so, please consider nominating them for special recognition by President Beth and her Team at the upcoming state meeting.

Chapter Presidents are encouraged to submit nominations each month. Print off a copy of the nomination form at http://www.mojc.org/Member_Award_Form.pdf. Complete the form, including a summary of the nominee's specific contributions that were outstanding and worthy of special, statewide recognition. After signing the nomination form, fax to Executive Director Joe Jerkins at the State Service Center at (573) 634-4859.

DEADLINE: Nominations are due by the 10th of each month. For example, nominations for July outstandings are due by August 10th.

Chapter & Officers Directory

Please let me know if there are corrections for the [Chapter and Officer's Directory](#) and I'll update the version that's available for download from the website. Click the link above for the latest version. Check back often to ensure you have the most recent contact information for everyone.

Joe Jerkins

Executive Director

Did Your Chapter run a July 4th Project?

The US Jaycees are wanting to recognize chapters that hosted any July 4th activities. Please summarize your project in an email report to President Pat at pataubo@sbcglobal.net.

Membership Night Contest

The US Jaycees are hosting a contest for the most creative Membership Night held by local chapters in the month of August. Missouri chapters host some of the best M-Nights, so please make sure you report on your project to Membership VP Joe Chandler at joe11227@aol.com.

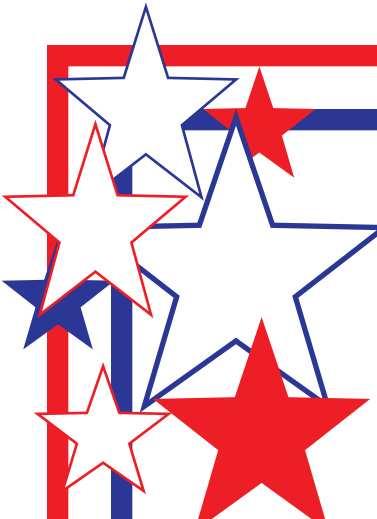
NO!!!

So how many NO responses have you gotten? Did you remember NVP Dewayne Sumner challenged each of us to go out and get as many NO answers as we could!

So have you been trying to get them? We just have to go out and ask people to join and what easier way to get some YES's, than to take away the negative and make it the priority. If you get a lot of NO answers you are going to get some YES answers also.

NVP Dewayne made the challenge that the person with the most NO answers between our convention and the National Convention in Boston, will receive a GALLON of Gentleman Jack direct from Lynchburg, TN!

So who will it be? Remember JUST ASK!!!!



Think you have the most creative idea for a chapter social?
Think your chapter has what it takes to be named the best?
Want to win cool prizes from The U.S. Jaycees?

Host a crazy, fabulous,
creative social
during the month of
August!

Top Prize:
\$50 voucher towards any
U.S. Jaycee products.

Winner will be announced at the Boston Meeting

**To Enter: Submit the following information to
National Membership Director Cassie Evans by September 3, 2005.**

Chapter & State
Chairperson's Name
Description of Project (why should your social be named the best?)
Date of Project
Number of members and prospective members in attendance
Number of new members recruited
Pictures (they are worth a thousand words!)

Send this info to: jcmnight@yahoo.com
OR mail it to: Cassie Evans, 1808 Sumpter Ct., Union KY 41091



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◆ **Early Registration - \$75.00**

(postmarked by August 26, 2005)

◆ **Late and/or On-Site
Registration - \$85.00**

Partial Registration is Available:

- ◆ Friday Dance—\$15
- ◆ Saturday Lunch—\$20
- ◆ Saturday Banquet—\$30
- ◆ Saturday Dance—\$15
- ◆ Sunday Breakfast—\$15

◆ **Room Rate: \$69.00 + tax**

Room Block Cut Off Date: August 26, 2005

Reservations: (573) 449-0051

Identify Yourself as a Missouri Jaycee

- ⇒ Friday Night Dance Party
- ⇒ Friday Night Executive Committee Meeting
- ⇒ Individual Competitions & Training
- ⇒ Saturday Luncheon
- ⇒ Saturday Awards Banquet
- ⇒ Saturday Night Dance Party
- ⇒ Sunday Buffet Breakfast
- ⇒ Sunday General Membership Meeting

Conference Registration:

Name: _____ Chapter: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

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