

COSMO CRIER
Aurora Cosmopolitan Club
Aurora, IL
February 5, 2019

Hopefully everyone has survived the Artic weather we had last week – amazing we go from 40-50 degrees to minus 20 and wind chills of -50 or whatever it was. I believe today from 7 am to 6:30 pm I felt 4-5 different stages of weather – oh my this is nice to brrrrrrrr! Am ready for Spring. Even saw a gal with capris and flip-flops on at the post office.....I knew her and I asked if she was in the spring mood – she replied – well sort of – but I just had a pedicure – so that was the reason for the flip flops (I would have waited for the polish to dry and put socks back on)

1. We welcomed three new members in January – Ed Carroll (Pat Carroll), Donna Carter (Paul Smith) and Carlos Martinez (Matt McCain). February we welcome Tony and Mary Arch – Arch Printing (Russ George).

2. Don't you know somebody who might be interested in joining our club? Join many of us who have brought guests and future members to the club..... It's very heartwarming when they join to think – WOW – had I not asked, they wouldn't be here. Thank you to those that have done that – thank you to our members who have joined because you were asked. Don't be shy – ASK someone to come to a meeting – maybe that is all that it might take to spark their interest.

3. Our business meeting reminder – bring your iPad and/or laptops to get signed up for Club Runner. We need to utilize this feature we have. I know I'm not using it to its full advantage either. I need the “refresher” course

- 4. Aurora Historical Museum is featuring "Bird's-Eye View of Aurora through the years. This display will run through February 23rd, from noon to 4 pm Wednesdays to Saturdays t the Pierce Art and History Center, 20 East Downer Place. Admission is free.**

- 5. Big event coming up – Sci-Tech is having their first fundraiser on Saturday, March 16 – Piper's Banquets on Butterfield Road. Attached is a copy of the invitation.**

- 6. Russ has been contacting members about being on a committee or two for the upcoming year. If you have not yet been contacted and have a committee that you would like to be on – do not hesitate to "speak up" – we want all members to be involved.**

- 7. Membership dues may be submitted by check or credit card at any time.**

- 8. Rummage Sale – please contact Bella or me if you have items to donate. No item is too big or too small. Furniture pickups can be arranged as well. Bella will bring a sign-up sheet to the February meeting for your help on Friday, April 5 - 8:30-4:00 and Saturday, April 6th 8:30-noon. Cleanup is always needed as well on Saturday after the sale. Plans are to be using the two rooms in the front – and Timberlake residents will have the back room for their sales.**

- 9. Find out more about the Sycamore Speedway Event to be held Saturday, July 27 – obviously in Sycamore – at our next meeting. A fun evening is planned – a family event! See our member Matt McCain race! Think it's been 45 years since I've attended one of these races.**

**COSMO CALENDAR
2019**

Tuesday, February 19 – Board of Manager’s Mtg – KCTCU
Thursday, February 21 – Business Meeting – Oak Street
Bring laptops/iPad/Phones to meeting – Club Runner Review
Saturday, March 16 – Sci-Tech Fundraiser at Piper’s Banquets
Tuesday, March 19 – Board of Manager’s Mtg – KCTCU
Thursday, March 21 – Business Meeting – Oak Street
Friday, April 5 – Annual Rummage Sale – Timberlake Clubhouse
Saturday, April 6 – Annual Rummage Sale – Timberlake Clubhouse
Tuesday, April 16 – Board of Manager’s Mtg – KCTCU
Thursday, April 18 – Business Meeting – Oak Street
Friday, April 26 – Annual Wine Fundraiser – Fox Valley Winery
Tuesday, May 14 – Board of Manager’s Mtg – KCTCU
Thursday, May 16 – Business Meeting – Oak Street
Saturday, May 18 – Mid-States Federation Meeting
Friday, June 7 – BBQ at Sci-Tech – pending on approval
Thursday, July 4 – Event at the Tanner House
Saturday, July 27 – Sycamore Speedway Event
Tuesday, August 6 – National Night Out – Washington Middle School

Remember Cosmo Business meetings are the 3rd Thursday of the month. Please mark your calendar.

If you have your raffle basket ready for the wine event – bring to the meeting – Pat/Ernie Jones will take it off your hands. Have you talked to anyone or business owner about becoming a sponsor for the wine event? Wouldn’t it be wonderful if everyone could get at least a \$100.00 sponsorship? Again, all you have to ask or email your friends/business owners.... they might say YES!

Stay healthy and be careful in this crazy Illinois weather.

LaVonne

MEMBERS

Mary Arch*

Tony Arch*

Lisa Babler

Mike Baum

Joanie Boldan

Deanna Bush

Ed Carroll

Pat Carroll

Donna Carter

Gary Christensen

Stacy Corson

Charles Demeter

Jeff George*

Marilyn George

Russ George

Peggy Hasenhauer

Susan Hasenhauer

LaVonne Hawking

Arlene Hawks*

Richard Hawks*

Laurie Jaffee

John Jaros

Ernie Jones

Pat Jones

Deanna Karountz

Jackie Klaisner

David Lies

Bella Love

Jeff Love

Ann McBride

Jenny McCain*

Matt McCain*

Matt McCain*

John McKenzie

Linda Marquardt

Carlos Martinez*

Ed Means

Sherrill Means

Kenlyn Nash-Demeter

Chuck Nelson

George Pappas

Helen Pappas

ToMorie Sanders

Karen Scroggins

Theresa Shoemaker

Paul Smith

Rita Smith

Vic Smith

Richard Stefanich

Dina Weiss

Marilyn Wittenwyler

- **Members since July 2018**
- **Let's see more new names!**
- **Thank you to ALL our current members for continuing your membership in our club!**

HAPPY FEBRUARY BIRTHDAY'S TO:

Stacy Corson – February 5

Paul Smith – February 5

Deanna Bush – February 15

THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS TO:

John McKenzie Family – Doris and son Tim for ongoing health issues

- Tim is being cared for through hospice.

INTERNATIONAL BOARD

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Board of Managers – Rita Smith

Board of Managers meet the 3rd Tuesday of the month
Business/Member Meeting the 3rd Thursday of the month

IMAGINE

FLIGHT TO THE FUTURE

3.16.2019

Greetings .

In 1988, Ernest Malamud, a physicist at FermiLab, had a dream for the future. He reached out to his friends, his co-workers, and his community and together, they created a reality that has touched MILLIONS of people. One man's dream has become the reality of SciTech Hands On Museum where children and adults alike explore knowledge and discover concepts and imagine THEIR future.

For over 30 years, SciTech Hands On Museum has been providing science education through school field trips, classes and workshops, early childhood programs, summer camps, special events, Science2Go outreach programs, museum visits, Cub scout and Girl Scout programs, and much more. SciTech is the premier Hands On interactive STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art, mathematics) museum in the Western Suburban area. With three levels and over 200 exhibits, SciTech reaches over 75,000 individuals annually. SciTech is a registered 501(c)3 non for profit organization.

On Saturday, March 16, 2019, SciTech Hands On Museum will be hosting **Imagine: Flight to the Future**, a night of Innovation, Inspiration, and Amazement. This first annual gala event is for our more influential donors to show their support for the Fox Valley's only Hands On STEAM museum. As an event sponsor you would have the opportunity to get your company or organization's name in front of over 200 of SciTech's influential supporters. There will be other marketing opportunities and benefits depending on the level of giving.

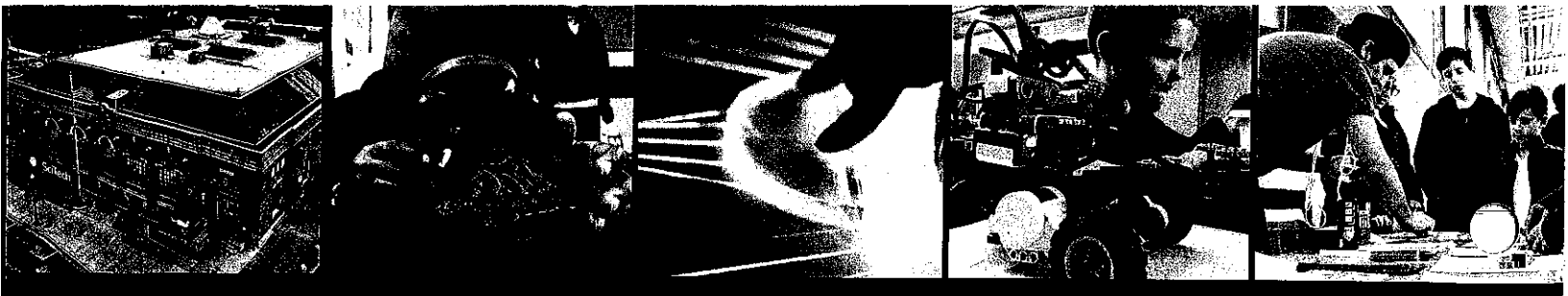
You can help keep people of all ages discovering the world around them! Support SciTech Hands On Museum's vision to inspire and motivate children to achieve their full potential in STEAM - science, technology, engineering, art, and mathematics - by being a sponsor for the **Imagine: Flight to the Future**. If you would like to become a sponsor, would like to advertise at the event, or have any questions, please contact Camille Coller at operations@scitechmuseum.org by February 15, 2019.

Arlene S. Hawks

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SciTech Hands On Museum
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EVENT SPONSOR LEVELS

\$20,000 - PRESENTING SPONSOR

INSIDE COVER FULL PAGE PROGRAM AD
EXCLUSIVE TO ONE SPONSOR

- Name/Logo on Cover of Program Booklet
- Social Media Post with logo and website link
- Three Reserved tables of 10 at event (30 guests)
- Feature slide in event slideshow
- Opportunity for representative to speak

\$15,000 - PLATINUM SPONSOR

INSIDE BACK COVER FULL PAGE PROGRAM AD
EXCLUSIVE TO ONE SPONSOR

- Social Media Post with logo and website link
- Two Reserved tables of 10 at event (20 guests)

\$10,000 - GOLD SPONSORS

OUTSIDE BACK COVER FULL PAGE PROGRAM AD

- Social Media Post with logo and website link
- One Reserved table of 10 at event (10 guests)

\$5,000 - SILVER SPONSORS

HALF PAGE PROGRAM AD

- Social Media Post with logo and website link
- Five event tickets

\$2,500 - BRONZE SPONSORS

QUARTER PAGE PROGRAM AD

- Two event tickets

In addition to the above, all levels will be mentioned in event press releases, their name and logo featured in event emails, event website, event slideshow and recognition by the master of ceremonies.

PROGRAM BOOK SPONSORSHIPS

\$1,000 - FULL PAGE AD

8" x 8"

\$500 - HALF PAGE AD

HORIZONTAL 8" x 4" VERTICAL 4" x 8"

\$250 - QUARTER PAGE AD

4" x 4"

Email all artwork and logos to marketing@scitechmuseum.org
in high quality jpg, tif, pdf or eps format.
All ads printed in color.

SILENT AUCTION DONATIONS

To donate an item or service, please list below and we will contact you for additional information.

*These items may be listed separately, added to a basket or other items.

Approximate Value \$

SPONSOR/DONOR INFORMATION

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Address _____

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State _____

Zip _____

Phone _____

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Card Number _____

Exp. Date _____

CVV _____

Card Holder Signature _____

VISA MC DISC AMEX

Check Enclosed

(Make checks payable to SciTech Hands On Museum)

TOTAL = \$ _____

Formal Invitations and RSVP to follow.

Thank you for supporting SciTech!



IMAGINE EXPLORE DISCOVER

SciTech Hands On Museum is a 501c3 not for profit organization. The mission of SciTech Hands On Museum, a Science and Technology Center, is to inspire learning through creative, interactive educational programs and activities.