



# The Commonwealth Crier

## August - September



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### President's Comments

It's hard to believe August is just around the corner. As we continue to open the Club for more events, your Board is also endeavoring to find new ways to introduce the Club to new people. To that end, we had a very successful weekend as a food vendor at the Fraser Lions Carnival, and we will also be participating at the St. Andrew's Highland Games August 6th and 7th. Come down and see us!

I would be remiss if I ignored the elephant in the room: the Delta variant of COVID-19. We are maintaining our current protocols under the Michigan Occupational Safety and Health Administration (MIOSHA) Emergency Rules that are valid until October 14, 2021, as we have been doing - all volunteers will continue to wear masks, and our members will continue to wear masks when entering the Club or otherwise not seated at a table. I appreciate that those of you fully vaccinated would prefer not to wear a mask, but please - you must do so to enter the building. Wearing a mask is the simplest and most effective way to keep us ALL safe.

See you soon!

*Lori*

### Entertainment Chairperson's Comments

It has been wonderful to welcome everyone back to the Club. Our first two big events were great. The steak out was not only delicious, but was also great fun with our Best of Britain Brass, our crown decorating contest, and the celebration for the life of Prince Philip and Her Majesty's 95th birthday! If you missed Drag Queen Bingo, you missed a good belly laugh. We hope to do this again soon. Coming up in August, we have our Booth at the Highland Games, trivia, Riverboat Ramblers and even Elvis will be joining us for a Friday Fish Fry! Looking ahead, we have a repeat of the fantastic Chili Cookoff we did before our shutdown. This year's date is Saturday, Oct. 16. Be sure to mark your calendar. Charlie Langton and Erika Erickson of Fox 2 News had such a great time last time, they immediately responded with a resounding "YES" to being our guest judges once again. Be sure to check the Club website when we get closer to the event for details.

Would you like to be better informed about what is happening at the Club? We would like to start a monthly robocall listing all of the events coming up at the Club. How can you get signed up? We will have a sign-up list at the Fish Fry, or you can call the club at 586.751.9560 and leave a message saying that you would like to be added to the phone call list and clearly leave your name and phone number including area code. We would also use this robocall to inform members of any last-minute changes, such as cancellations or postponements due to weather or other unplanned circumstances. See you at the Club!

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## Membership Report

Please welcome our newest Club members: Pat and Bill Saoud of Sterling Heights, Josh Zapor of Warren, Leonard Remy of Clinton Township and James Ruffner of Clinton Township.

Just a reminder – our fiscal year runs from September 1st through August 31st, which means dues are coming due. You can pay your dues on-line at <https://commonwealthclubmi.com/want-to-become-a-member/> and follow the link for either single or family membership, drop a check in the mail to the Club, or better yet – come down and visit!

## Trivia News

Barring any unforeseen issues, Trivia league play will start on Saturday, September 11th.

Team points will be accumulated from September through April, and your team **MUST** be represented for a minimum of six sessions to win a prize.

Doors open at 6:30 and play begins at 7:00

## BIG NEWS!

The Chili Cook-Off Returns  
Saturday October 16th

## Newsletter Editor's Comments

This year is just flying by. Some days, the news is horrible and bleak and it seems we haven't made any progress from where we were a year ago. Other days, it feels like maybe we're going forward.

Every day, I get up, do the best I can, and try to remember to be grateful for the opportunities I have. It's easy to lash out in anger and complain. It takes effort to be kind and to remember that all of us are enduring some challenge.

*Paul*

# Vroom Vroom Vroom



## Got your Jag ticket?

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# The Commonwealth Club Calender August - September 2021



Saturday, August 7th

Join us at the Highland Games!  
8:00 am - 6:00 pm

Friday, September 3rd -  
Monday September 6th



CLOSED for Labor Day



Saturday, August 14th  
**TRIVIA!**

Doors Open at 6:00/Play Begins at 6:30

Maximum 6 players per table  
\$3.00 per person

Saturday, September 11th  
**TRIVIA LEAGUE PLAY**

Doors open at 6:30/Play begins at 7:00

Maximum 8 players per table  
\$3.00 per person



Thursday, August 19th



**THE RIVERBOAT RAMBLERS!**

Doors Open at 6:30  
\$5.00 per person

Thursday, September 16th



**THE RIVERBOAT RAMBLERS!**

Doors Open at 6:30  
\$5.00 per person



*FRIDAY AUGUST 20th*

**Love Me Tender**

Join us for Fish n Chips,  
Stay for a special evening with a  
fantastic Elvis Presley Tribute Artist  
Show begins at 7:45

Saturday, September 18th

**RAISE THE ROOF *Jaguar* Raffle**



Doors open at 6:00

Saturday, August 28th

Closed

Saturday, September 25th

**AGM**

Doors open at 6:30  
Meeting begins at 7:00

Your dues must be paid for the 2021-2022  
fiscal year to attend.



**The Commonwealth Club:**

Serving the **BEST**  
**Fish n Chips**  
**EVERY FRIDAY!**



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*Happy Birthday!*

**Agatha Christie**

**September 15, 1890**





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## **The Commonwealth Club**

Presents

**Join us for  
Fish n Chips,  
Stay for  
the Show!**



**An evening with  
Eastside Elvis**

**FRIDAY AUGUST 20th**

**ELVIS**  
THE LEGEND

**Doors Open at 5:00 \* Dinner served from 5-7:30  
Entertainment will follow  
Dessert, snacks and drinks available for purchase  
during the show**