

# FCRTA

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**Our June speaker will be FCRTA member Richard Wheeler.** A World War II veteran, he will speak on The Battle of the Bulge. Richard was a Private First Class in the 460th Airborne Parachute Field Artillery Battalion.

*Kathy Thomas, Program*

Also **Rick Billeaud** of AMBA (member benefit provider), will present information for Identity Theft Protection - a new benefit AMBA has available.



The FCRTA Board of Trustees recognized our April luncheon speaker, Dr. Damon Asbury, with a "Making A Difference" Award for his dedicated years of service as a teacher, administrator and Executive Director of STRS.

## Luncheons and Board Meetings 2008

### **June 18**

Aladdin Shrine  
3850 Stelzer Rd.

### **Sept. 10**

Berwick Manor  
3250 Refugee Rd.

### **Oct. 8**

Aladdin Shrine  
3850 Stelzer Rd.

### **Dec. 10**

Berwick Manor  
3250 Refugee Rd.

## Executive Board Meetings

will meet at 10:00 a.m. on these dates.  
Lunch is at 12 noon.

### **Check our website**

<http://www.geocities.com/fcртаoh>  
to see the Newsletter in color.

Information for the September/October Newsletter should be to Daisy Clarke, [aclarke@columbus.rr.com](mailto:aclarke@columbus.rr.com) by August 22, 2008.

## **JUNE LUNCHEON RESERVATION**

Wednesday, June 18, 2008

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Street \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Year retired \_\_\_\_\_

e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

**Deadline: June 11, 2008**

**Cost per person: \$15.00**

**Make checks payable to FCRTA and send to:**

**Mildred Becker**

**311 East Walnut Street**

**Westerville, OH 43081-2339**

Do visit our website: <http://www.geocities.com/fcртаoh>

## FROM THE PRESIDENT

In our attempt to cut costs and to bring our organization up to date, we are going to give you an opportunity to receive your FCRTA Newsletter by e-mail. It is presently on our website but you may receive your personal copy if you will send me an e-mail which includes the address to whom you want it sent. You will not receive a paper copy if you choose to get yours by e-mail. My e-mail address is: [gwoods@columbus.rr.com](mailto:gwoods@columbus.rr.com).

Thanks to all who participated in the clothing collection. We will also continue to collect food for the local Food Bank at each of our luncheon meetings.

Let's continue to  
**MAKE A DIFFERENCE—AGAIN!**

*Gloria Woods*

## FCRTA 60th Year Anniversary Celebration 1949-2009

### Help the Anniversary Celebration Committee

1. If you have photos of events or individuals pertaining to FCRTA, please make a copy of the photos, identify the event and/or people and send to the address below.
2. If you have news articles pertaining to FCRTA, please make a copy and send to the address below.
3. If you remember a story or a particular individual involved with FCRTA, write about it or the person and send to the address below.

Thanks for your interest and help.

Send to:

Tom Beck  
105 S. Remington Rd.  
Columbus, OH 43209  
[NABTOM@aol.com](mailto:NABTOM@aol.com)

Volunteers needed for Columbus Area Junior Achievement Pilot Program. This supports financial education outreach for students in grades 1-12. For more information, contact area director Roger Murphy at 614.771.9903 ext. 17 or check ORTA Spring Quarterly, pg.3.

Thanks to all who brought cans of food to our last luncheon for the Mid-Ohio Food Bank. We're told that every can matters. Let's continue this throughout the year at each gathering.

Thanks, also, to those who donated 'gently used clothing' to the *Good Shepherd's Place or at the Mid-State Credit Union* in honor of NEA's National Teacher's Participation Day on May 8.

A new **Veterans' Free Store** has opened at 1205 W. Broad St. This store provides various services as well as clothing and household items for needy veterans. We can help by bringing our donations to the June 18 luncheon at Aladdin Shrine. To learn more about the Veterans, go to [www.veteransfirst.us/](http://www.veteransfirst.us/) Click on "Facts".

Thanks to one of our trustees, **Robert Croye**, for volunteering to transport our donations of food, clothing and other items to their designated places. Don't forget to give yourself some **volunteer hours** for your donations!

### **FCRTA members, consider getting involved in a healthful, anti-aging experience this summer.**

Vaud-Villities offers a **Fifty Plus Show Camp** that involves men and women in 30 hours of the following learning activities: **singing, dancing, scenery design and construction, costumes and theatrical make-up**, followed by a performance for family and friends. These activities provide both physical and mental exercise that promise to aid in self-efficacy, the loss of which leads to stress and hardship as we age. No prior experience or talent required, just the will to stay active and have fun.

**Where?** Northland Performing Arts Center, formerly the Northland Cinema 8 Theater, 865 Morse Rd.

**When?** Classes: Mon. thru Fri., June 9-13 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Dress rehearsal and Performance on Sat. June 14.

**Tuition?** \$125 for the 6 days. Lunches included.

How to enroll? Contact FCRTA member Delena Doan at 614-755-4371 or email [delenadoan@wowway.com](mailto:delenadoan@wowway.com)

*Delena Doan, Community Participation Chair*

## INFO HIGHLIGHTS



The Senior Partners Program provides medical students at The Ohio State University with the opportunity to learn more about successful aging and the role of physicians in caring for older adults. In addition to providing you with the opportunity to teach this important information, you will be able to learn more about health, wellness, and other important medical topics.

This is a required component of each student's medical education. As such they are responsible for successfully completing all aspects of the program. They will arrange the times and dates and location for your meetings.

If you are interested in contributing to the education and training of future physicians, you may contact Millie Becker, 311 E. Walnut St., Westerville, OH, 43081; email: [mbec76@aol.com](mailto:mbec76@aol.com); or go directly to the Course Coordinator, Michelle Myers at 292-2936. Thanks for caring.

Millie Becker, IPS Committee Member

Millie told the committee that she thoroughly enjoys her sessions with the medical students. The students come to your home if you wish. You can count your sessions in this program as your FCRTA Volunteer Hours.

*Katherine Wheeler, Informative and Protective Services Chairman*

## MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Reminder: If your Newsletter label does not have FL or FA 08, then you have not paid your 2008 dues. Continue to recruit new members. You may contact any FCRTA Board member for information.

Welcome New Members!!!

Madeleine Knill  
Deborah Miller  
Nancy Johnson

Michael Boulwart  
James Liddle  
Nancy Nathans

Joy Waldron  
Vernice Calloway

### Mid-State Educators Credit Union FCRTA Credit Union Connection

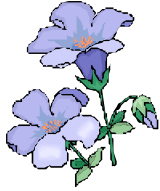


Angie Freeman

Mid-State Educators Credit Union has been offering financial products and services to educators and school employees since 1936. Angie Freeman has been designated by Mid-State Educators Credit Union to personally assist FCRTA members concerning credit union products and services and she is available to answer any questions that FCRTA members may have. All members of FCRTA are eligible to open an account at Mid-State Educators Credit Union. The credit union is a full-service financial institution and deposits are insured up to \$350,000. Please visit the credit union's website at [www.educu.org](http://www.educu.org) for a complete list of products and services available to you. Members of FCRTA may contact Angie directly at **614-340-1518** during regular business hours or via email at [afreeman@educu.org](mailto:afreeman@educu.org). When speaking with Angie or whenever you contact her please identify yourself as being a member of FCRTA.

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Street Address	Apt.	City	State	Zip
_____				
Telephone	_____	_____	Year retired	_____
e-mail _____				
_____ FCRTA Life .....	\$100.00	_____ ORTA Life.....	\$300.00	
_____ FCRTA Annual.....	\$ 10.00	_____ ORTA Annual.	\$ 20.00	

Check the organizations you are joining and enter dues here:  
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Please make check payable to FCRTA and mail to:  
Gloria Woods, 2237 Koebel Road, Columbus, OH 43207-2825  
(Enclose a stamped envelope if a dues card is desired.)

If you have moved, please inform the membership chairperson. Be sure to include your phone number.

### NEW ADDRESS

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Street \_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_  
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