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### REMARKS FROM YOUR CLUB PRESIDENT

Hello Retirees,

I hope your new year is off to a great start!

If you are a new retiree, the Hallmark Retiree Club has quarterly luncheon events at various locations that provide a great opportunity to keep in touch with people you used to work with. You will receive quarterly newsletters with our event details and other noteworthy announcements. Visit our web site **www.hallmarkretireeclub.com** for additional club and Hallmark information.

Our first event this year is on **March 9** at the Diamond Club at the Kauffman Stadium. We can enjoy a great lunch, celebrate the Royals World Series win and get geared up for their 2016 season! An option for a stadium tour is also available.

The Board strives to find fun new locations for our events like this one and the Airline Museum that we visited last September and we are open to new ideas for future luncheons and activities.

The Retiree Board hopes to see you in March at Kauffman Stadium!

See you soon!

Donna Nolan

President



Rezound Bell ringers entertain our Holiday Luncheon in 2015.

# MARCH 9th LUNCHEON AT ROYALS' STADIUM

Wear your Royals blue and get ready for another exciting baseball season! The March 9 luncheon will be held at the Diamond Club overlooking the field at the "K". We will have lunch looking out a wall of windows. Guests can visit the Gift Shop to purchase Royals keepsakes along with a guided tour of the facilities for a small additional charge. Get your reservation in early as the limit is 220 guests. No reservations can be accepted after February 29.

Date: Wednesday, March 9, 2016

Arrival Time: 11:30 (10:15 for 1st tour group); Lunch: Noon

Cost: \$23 per person for lunch, \$6 per person for tour

**Menu:** Organic Greens Salad, Pit Smoked BBQ Beans, KC BBQ Beef Brisket and KC BBQ Sauce, KC Smoked Pulled Chicken and KC BBQ

Sauce, Double Fudge Brownies; Iced Tea, Coffee, Water.

**Tour:** In addition to lunch at the Diamond Club, our March event will feature the opportunity for a **30-minute tour** of team facilities. Additional cost for the tour will be **\$6**, and three tour starting times (**10:30**, **11:15** and **1:15**) will be offered in order to keep groups small and to allow for questions.

If you sign-up for a tour, please indicate your preferred time as "*1st Choice*" along with a "*2nd Choice*" on the reservation form. You will be called if your 1st choice tour is full. Please be sure to **leave your phone number** on the reservation form.

Please arrive 15-minutes before your tour. Some stair climbing will be involved.

Conveniently park in Lot M (between the stadiums) and enter at the doors closest to Gate C.

RESERVATIONS FOR LUNCHEON & TOUR
Name:
Spouse or Guest Name:
Number of Lunch Reservations @ \$23 Each:
Number of Tour Reservations @ \$6 Each:
Tour: 1st choice 2nd choice (10:30am, 11:15am or 1:15pm) Phone number:
Make check payable to <i>Hallmark Retiree Club</i> and mail with this coupon to be received by <b>February 29</b> to:
Paul Kirsch
10277 Garnett
Overland Park, KS 66214

No cancellations will receive a refund. Maximum reservations 220.

## **IN MEMORIAM**

IN WEWORIAW	
1/31/2016	BETTY STARKEY, spouse: Alden
1/28/2016	RONALD HAYDEN, spouse: Elmyra
1/26/2016	BERTHA ZUROVSKY, spouse: Sam
1/23/2016	JUDY MARTIN, spouse: Terry Lee
1/22/2016	DONALD J. McGRAW, spouse: Genny
1/19/2016	EDNA COMPTON
1/18/2016	TOM BRUEGGING, spouse: Jacqueline
1/18/2016	GARY WAHRENBROCK, spouse: Mary
1/17/2016	RICHARD CONNER, spouse: Elizabeth
1/17/2016	PEARLINE THORNTON, spouse: Zeak
1/16/2016	RONALD PHELPS
1/6/2016	EDITH EMMONS
1/6/2016	REGINA MOXLEY, spouse: Stephen W. Staab
1/4/2016	VIRGINIA KREIDER, spouse: Harry
1/6/2016	ELDON WENGER
1/5/2016	SOPHIE KRZYS
1/4/2016	LEO BURNS, spouse: Glenda
1/1/2016	DELBERT "DEL" ROY SALLEE, spouse: Benita
12/21/2015	DOROTHY REDMON, spouse: Lloyd
12/20/2015	FAY UNDERWOOD, spouse: David
12/19/2015	NANCIJO MILLER, spouse: Henry
12/18/2015	JESS ALTON, spouse: Gloria
12/16/2015	RICHARD "DICK" COOK, spouse: Beverly
12/13/2015	ANN McNAMARA, spouse: Lawrence
12/13/2015	BLANCHE THOMPSON
12/8/2015	EDSEL SMITH, spouse: Norrol
12/5/2015	ROBERT BLEDSOE, spouse: Joyce
11/20/2015	AUGUST DECOCK, spouse: Sharon
11/30/2015	MARY KAY O'BRIEN
11/27/2015	<b>ELIZABETH 'BETTY' LIVINGSTON</b>
11/23/2015	ANN CASEY, spouse: Bernard
11/20/2015	JANICE NEWMAN
11/19/2015	RICHARD "DICK" KELLAGHER, spouse: Anne
11/16/2015	VERN SWEARENGIN, spouse: Joann
11/8/2015	NORMA HAMER
11/6/2015	WANDA MANIS
11/4/2015	DOLORES CARMONE
11/4/2015	WILMA JEAN JOHNSON, spouse: Garland
11/3/2015	JAMES L. GRAY, spouse: Patricia
11/3/2015	BARBARA TRIFARI, spouse: Robert
11/2/2015	FREDDIE DON HERD
11/2/2015	MARVIN BELKIN, spouse: Maida
11/1/2015	DOROTHY GOETZ, spouse: Walter
10/30/2015	WILLIE J. ANDERSON
10/28/2015	ELIZABETH "BETTY" BOWEN
10/24/2015	E. RUTH BODENHAMER
10/22/2015	ADELINA 'ADDIE' GENNARI, spouse: Dante
10/19/2015	LENA 'LEE' PURSEL
10/12/2015	IVAN CASON
10/8/2015	JO BLAIR, spouse: Frank
10/7/2015	CLOYDE TAYLOR, spouse: Betty
8/25/2015	FAYE HOWE

Additional information on these individuals and more remembrances can be found on the retiree club web site (www.hallmarkretireeclub.com).



#### **RETIREE CALLING**

The Retiree Club facilitates a program that calls out-of-town retirees each year to help them stay connected with recent events and activities. If you would like to assist in contacting other Hallmark retirees, please call **Patty Couch** at **(913)** 515-6353. Hallmark provides calling cards and there is no cost to you.

# HALLMARK VOLUNTEERS-Continuing the Caring Tradition

To volunteer for any of the United Way positions contact: www.unitedwaygkc.org/ and click on volunteer.

Volunteer help is needed in all areas of the country. If you have spare time, please call your local *Red Cross, Salvation Army* and any other local agencies that need volunteer assistance. With your Hallmark backgrounds they would be delighted to receive your assistance.

#### **LOCAL KANSAS CITY**

The Clay County Archives and Historical Library is looking for volunteers to input information into our database for historic court records. The Clay County Archives and Historical Library is a non-profit corporation organized as a depository and research center for original Clay County Records. The Archives is open Monday through Wednesday from 9 to 4 and the first Wednesday of each month from 6:30 to 9:00 p.m. Please contact Nancy George at 816-781-6496 to express your interest.

**Harvesters** -- Always need volunteers to assist in feeding over 140,000 families in Kansas City each month. To help, please call **1-877-653-9516 (KC) or 1-785-861-7716 (Topeka).** 

**Integrity Hospice in Lee's Summit** is looking for volunteers with big hearts, listening ears... creative types, traveling musicians, military veterans, hairstylists and more are needed.. Help us make a difference in the lives of hospice patients and their families. Serving others is so rewarding! Volunteer as little or as much as you can. We are flexible and can work with any schedule. Contact us today.

Lisa Corson -- Hospice Volunteer Coordinator

Integrity Hospice Lee's Summit, MO

816-254-3131 or lisa.corson@integrityhc.com

### **COMMUNICATIONS**

If you have questions about insurance, deaths, discounts, or need to report a new address, e-mail, phone number, etc please contact the **Hallmark HR Services Department** at **1-888-545-6200**, or e-mail them at *HRservicecenter@hallmark.com*. You can also send us a message by going to the "Contact Us" tab on the Hallmark Retiree Club web site at http://www.hallmarkretireeclub.com/.

Many changes are happening at Hallmark Corporate.
The articles are listed on the web site under
"New and Noteworthy".

Carol Gibson Communications/Volunteer Director



## RETIREE CLUB BOARD MEMBERS

Are still needed: Secretary/Treasurer, Arrangements Chairperson Contact **Alex Kreicbergs** at **816-415-8845**.



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