THE UNIVERSITY CLUB – A HISTORICAL PERSPECTIVE

Over the years, context has become very important to me in everything I do…especially as I take on new roles as a volunteer and professionally. I believe that it’s very important to understand where we have been, before we can build a plan to move forward. As I was elected as President of the University Club Board of Directors in April, I have again, spent time trying to work to gather information on the past several years in order to understand what we need to do to make sure the Club stays vibrant, relevant and a continued part of the University of Louisville Community.

We were blessed to receive a financial commitment from Barry and Mary Bingham, Sr. As most of you know, Barry Bingham, Sr. was the patriarch of what was at the time considered a media dynasty in Louisville. Barry and his family owned the Courier-Journal, the Louisville Times newspapers in addition to WHAS radio and television. Barry and his entire family left a legacy of community involvement and support of many non-profit organizations and educational institutions such as the University of Louisville. Barry was very passionate about the need for U of L to have a place for faculty and staff to gather to socialize and celebrate all aspects of higher education and the tremendous things that can come when we all get a chance to be part of a community that is passionate about our work and most importantly our students. After Barry’s gift to the University was finalized, the University Club was born, and the concept was expanded to include alumni. Today, we are fortunate to have over 900 members who come together on a regular basis, thanks to the vision of Barry Bingham Sr.

So, as we are a very important part of the University of Louisville, it is fair to say that as how U of L goes, so does the Club. Over the past several years, the climate of the University of Louisville has also provided the University Club with challenges…as the University has struggled with many challenges, leadership changes, budget adjustments and shortfalls. But, as quote goes, “What doesn’t kill you makes you stronger”, so while we have experienced challenges that may have some people questioning our future, we have really good news…we are not going anywhere as neither is our beloved University. Since April, we have been developing ideas to revitalize the Club in ways that enhance the University’s connection with faculty, staff, alumni, retirees and friends. In the next few weeks, we will begin an aggressive membership campaign targeted toward the campus community. The University Club has so much to offer and we want to make sure everyone knows about our programs and facilities. You will be hearing more about our ideas soon.

In the meantime, thank you for your support of the University Club, GO CARDS!

Jeanine Triplett
Chief Development & Communications Officer
Girl Scouts of Kentuckiana
Stop in the Club prior to kickoff of the Eastern KY game. We’re offering great food and drink specials!

**GAME DAY BUFFET**

- Nachos Bar
- Fish Tacos
- Taquitos & Enchiladas
- Ground Beef & Shredded Chicken Wraps
- Wings Station
- Waffle Fries
- Steamed Broccoli
- Vegetarian Refried Beans
- Dessert Station

**COCKTAIL SPECIALS**

- Domestic Beers $2.75
- Domestic Buckets $10.75
- Corona $3.00
- Corona Buckets $12.75
- Margaritas $3.50

**MENU**

- Seafood Chowder
- Hushpuppies
- Battered Cod and Clams
- Fried Shrimp and Scallops
- Linguine w/Clam & Shrimp Sauce
- Mussels
- Shrimp Cocktail
- Oysters
- Mac & Cheese
- Peas & Mushrooms
- Assorted Salads
- Assorted Desserts

$16.95++
SUNDAY BRUNCH

SEPTEMBER MENU
Omelet Station with Pancakes & Fruit
Fried Chicken
Grilled Salmon with Creamy Dill Sauce
Smashed Potatoes
Country Green Beans
Carrots & Peas
Scrambled Eggs
KY Hot Browns
Cheese Grits
Bacon & Sausage
Vegetable Quiche
Assorted Salads
Assorted Desserts
$16.95++

OCTOBER MENU
Omelet Station with French Toast
Fried Chicken
Sliced Smoked Ham
Smashed Potatoes
Corn O’Brien
Steamed Broccoli with Cheese Sauce
Scrambled Eggs
KY Hot Browns
Oatmeal
Bacon & Sausage
Eggs Benedict
Assorted Salads
Assorted Desserts
$16.95++

JAZZ NIGHT
The Club is working on scheduling an elegant evening of jazz and food from Chef Michael. Be sure to watch your email and statement for more details.

SEPTEMBER 8TH
OCTOBER 13TH
11:00 A.M. – 1:30 P.M.
Join us for one of the best brunch values in town.
One of the most serious issues we are facing in our society is gun violence. Mass shootings like the ones in El Paso and Dayton bring the issue back to the forefront far too often.

Almost a year ago, Whitney Austin was shot 12 times in the mass shooting at the Fifth Third Bank headquarters in Cincinnati. Three weeks later, the Louisville native and mom of two founded Whitney/Strong, a nonprofit dedicated to reducing deaths from gun violence. Built on the belief that there is no single reason why senseless shootings keep happening, Whitney/Strong is committed to tackling the issue from multiple angles. They also work with people on the ground handling mental health, background checks, suicide prevention, and more.

You won’t want to miss this timely and engaging Breakfast! Feel free to pass the invitation on to others you think would be interested in hearing from Whitney – as well as mixing with other leaders who are making things happen in our city and beyond. $20 inclusive

**BREAKFAST OF CHAMPIONS**
**TUESDAY SEPT. 10TH, 7:30 AM**

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**PRIME RIB BIRTHDAY**
**Saturday, September 21st, 6-8pm**

Celebrate your September Birthday with family and friends at the Club. Full dues paying members receive a complimentary meal.

**MENU**
- Carved Rib Eye of Beef
- Chicken Cordon Bleu
- Peas & Mushrooms
- Mixed Seasonal Vegetables
- Cheesy Potatoes
- Salad Bar
- Rolls & Butter
- Fruit & Cheese
- Assorted Desserts

*Adults: $24.95++
Children 6-12: $10.95++
5 and Under: Free*

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**PRIME RIB BIRTHDAY**
**Saturday, October 19th, 6-8pm**

Celebrate your October Birthday with family and friends at the Club. Full dues paying members receive a complimentary meal.

**MENU**
- Carved Rib Eye of Beef
- Pork Loin with Gravy
- Steamed Broccoli
- Butternut Squash
- Smashed Potatoes
- Salad Bar
- Rolls & Butter
- Fruit & Cheese
- Assorted Desserts

*Adults: $24.95++
Children 6-12: $10.95++
5 and Under: Free*
GERMAN NIGHT

ENJOY A TASTE OF OKTOBERFEST AT THE CLUB

COME AND LET HANS SANDER ENTERTAIN AS YOU AND YOUR PARTY DINES. HANS WILL BE PLAYING THE PIANO AND SINGING OKTOBERFEST MUSIC FROM 6:30 PM TO 8:00 PM. PLEASE JOIN THE FUN!

MENU

ROASTED CHICKEN
SCHNITZEL—BREADED PORK CUTLET
SAUERBRATEN—GERMAN POT ROAST
POTATO PANCAKES/DUMPLINGS
GERMAN EGG NOODLES
SAUERKRAUT
GERMAN POTATO SALAD
APPLE STRUDEL
ASSORTED DESSERTS
TRIVIA NIGHT

SEPT. 26TH
5:30 PM

TOPICS
1. ANIMALS
2. FOOD
3. GAMES
4. TRAVEL
5. LITERATURE
6. OLD TV SHOWS

MENU
Soup du Jour
Baked Beef Lasagna
Seared Salmon with Creamy Dill Sauce
Mixed Vegetables
Baked Potato Skins
Assorted Salads
Assorted Desserts

OCT. 24TH
5:30 PM

TOPICS
1. MUSIC
2. CELEBRITIES
3. GENERAL KNOWLEDGE
4. HISTORY
5. MOVIES
6. AUTHORS

MENU
Soup du Jour
Beef Stew
Sauteed Tilapia with Lemon Caper Sauce
Broccoli
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The Louisville Executives Club is proud to host Tim Sullivan, award winning Courier-Journal Senior sports reporter, to discuss UofL and sports in general. Now in his fifth decade of prolonged professional adolescence, Tim Sullivan has been writing about sports since the Big Red Machine was disassembled. His career is a tribute to the truism that those who can’t do, type. For more than 40 years, in five cities, he has held firm to a policy of never attempting anything athletic in front of real athletes and almost never ending a sentence with a preposition. He graduated from the University of Missouri’s School of Journalism and performed post-graduate work at the Chicago Tribune, (de-funct) Tulsa Tribune, Cincinnati Enquirer and San Diego Union-Tribune before joining the Courier-Journal in 2012.

Twice nominated for the Pulitzer Prize - and, in the interests of full disclosure, 0 for-2. He has succeeded in writing sports columns for 35 years without being punched or sued. (Tim’s reported bio)

**WELCOME NEW CLUB MEMBERS:**
Courtney Baron – Director of Art Library, U of L
Michael Kaelin – Insurance and Investments, RH Clarkson Insurance Group
Dereck Barr-Pulliam – PhD, CPA School of Accountancy, UofL
Kalasia Ojeh - Instructor, A&S Pan African Studies, U of L
Wanda Watkins – Retired Clergy