



Pioneer Connection

November 2018

Happy Thanksgiving

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Dear Fellow Pioneers,

Wishing everyone a Happy Thanksgiving. We live in a great country where we can celebrate with family and friends and be thankful for all the blessings we have. Whatever your plans are, may they be for a safe and enjoyable Thanksgiving!

JoAnn Esposito-ITPA President



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The Otto Wettstein Jr. Pioneer

The Otto Wettstein Jr. Pioneer Club in Leesburg Florida will be holding the 41st Annual Retiree Christmas Luncheon on a new date and location in Leesburg this year. The new location will be the Salvation Army Fellowship Hall located at 2605 South Street in Leesburg on Thursday December 6th starting at 11am. Retired club members, other retirees, their spouses and guests are invited to the event. The traditional holiday buffet lunch will still be catered by Debbie Davis Catering, a longtime partner of the event. The attendees of the luncheon are asked to bring a non-perishable food item with them. Last year 125 attendees donated a total of 687 pounds of food. We are trying for another record breaking amount! Mark your calendars and come join us at our new location.

Contact Jo Ann Esposito at espogirl56@yahoo.com if you haven't received an invitation. RSVP's are due back by November 27th.

Comporium Pioneer Club

The Comporium Pioneer Club will hold their Annual meeting and Christmas luncheon on Thursday 12 noon December 13th at Southern Charm Events in Rock Hill SC. The new Officers for 2019 will be installed by Past President Daniel Barnhart.

Charitable

With so many weather related disasters, we continue to publish the Emergency Disaster Relief Grant information so that Clubs and Chapters have it at their finger tips if and when needed.

Emergency Disaster Relief Grants

1. [Emergency Disaster Relief Grants](#) are available for disasters which are deemed a ‘state of emergency’ by the federal, state or local government (s).
2. Emergency Disaster Relief Grants shall not exceed \$1,000.00 per Chapter/Club.
3. Requests for Disaster Relief Grants shall be made by the Disaster Relief Coordinator serving the Chapter/Club(s) in the locale of the disaster. In the event there is not a Disaster Relief Coordinator, the request shall be made by the Region Vice President serving the locale of the disaster.
4. Chapters and Clubs receiving Disaster Relief Grants must give a written accounting and provide receipts documenting the expenditures and allocations made possible by the grant. This documentation should be sent to the ITPA National Administrator at the ITPA national headquarters within 45 days of receipt of the grant.

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