

# Buckeye Battle Cry

The OHIO STATE Alumni Club of Middle Tennessee

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## CLUB UPDATE

The Ohio State University Alumni Club of Middle Tennessee was formed in 1987 as a local branch of the Ohio State University Alumni Association. We now have 240 members (some more active than others) out of the estimated 700 Buckeye Alumni in this area.

The Club now has a dedicated **web site** at [www.capp.org/osupage.htm](http://www.capp.org/osupage.htm) that provides much good info about our club activities AND The Ohio State University. It also includes links to all of the Middle Tennessee Alumni Clubs of the other BIG TEN Schools. You can always find the site by doing a YAHOO.COM search on 'ohio state tennessee' key words.

And this just in -- our site now has a live cam shot along The Long Walk on The Oval. So now you can get a peek at the OHIO STATE campus any time night or day. Give it a try !!

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## 1999 FOOTBALL TRIP OHIO STATE vs UCLA CANCELLED

Our OSU Alumni Club was to receive 50 tickets to the UCLA game Sept 11 in Columbus. In July, the athletic department notified us that out-of-state alumni clubs would not get tickets this year in order for students to be given preference.

A refund check was sent to everyone who had prepaid for their tickets. Hopefully, we'll do better next year.

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## 1999 COLLEGE FAIRS

Each fall the Alumni Club represents Ohio State at several College Fairs for area school systems. We pass out OSU literature and answer the questions of potential new Buckeyes. These are usually 6:00 to 8:30 PM from late September through early November. It's easy and we send you with someone who has done it before. We will do 5 or 6 events this year - schedule so far:

- Oct 4 Metro Schools - Rivergate Mall  
5:30 - 8:00 PM
- Oct 5 Metro Schools - 100 Oaks Mall  
5:50 - 8:00 PM

If you can volunteer to help this year, put a little tick on your membership form or call Leyla Hawkins 868-0985 or e-mail her at [leyla.hawkins@vanderbilt.edu](mailto:leyla.hawkins@vanderbilt.edu)

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## NEW OSU CLUB SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Susan Storrer has volunteered as coordinator for the OSU Club of Middle Tennessee Scholarship program. The details of how the scholarship will be awarded each year have not been finalized as yet.

This much is known for sure. When our Club establishes and contributes to the fund, the University adds \$500 to the amount that we can award. If we select the recipient, we have to name them by April for enrollment in the fall. We can also permit the University to award our Scholarship along with funds that they may award to one of our Middle Tennessee students.

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## ADOPT-A-MILE

To promote our Alumni Club and demonstrate Buckeye citizenship, we have adopted Royal Oaks Blvd in Franklin from the new Post Office to Mack Hatcher - and our club keeps it litter-free.

We do this four times a year - it takes about an hour of a Saturday morning each time. We provide safety signs & vests, gloves, bags, etc. So call Roger & Laura Noll (790-1964) -- They'll put you on the call list for the next pick-up.

PLUS - Roger & Laura have been 'kicked upstairs' to Indianapolis this fall -- and a big Buckeye thank you to them for all their dedication and hard work. So now we need a Franklin area volunteer to step in for the two of them. Call or e-mail Sam Huffman 370-3842 [samhuff@ibm.net](mailto:samhuff@ibm.net) if you can co-ordinate this club project.

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## 2000 DUES ARE DUE

Does your mailing label have a '00' in the upper right corner? If not, just return the enclosed form with a \$12 check -- and your next OSU Alumni Club mailing will have that famous '00' label.

We use these funds for newsletter postage, and for registration fees for College Night events - (\$25 - \$60 each). **We'd like to have you help us financially, but if you can't, that's OK** -- you're still a member and we want you to come to all the club and BIG TEN events. However, we do include only DUES PAYING MEMBERS in the football tickets & trip event.

So, while you have the blue membership form in hand and are thinking about it, why not complete it and put your check in the mail today? And you can include something extra for the Club's new Scholarship Fund.

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## TV PARTIES AT CROSS CORNERS

OHIO STATE is ranked high in the national polls this year -- And each Saturday we will meet at CROSS CORNERS in Brentwood (behind the Kroger store) to cheer on the Buckeyes. There's plenty of parking. Call Jeff Linkinhoker 776-5023 with questions.

8/29	Miami	see party insert
9/11	UCLA	
9/18	Ohio University	
9/25	Cincinnati	
10/2	Wisconsin	
10/9	Purdue	
10/16	at Penn State	
10/23	at Minnesota	
10/30	Iowa - Homecoming	
11/6	at Michigan State	
11/13	Illinois	
11/20	at Michigan	

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# GO *BUCKS* !!!