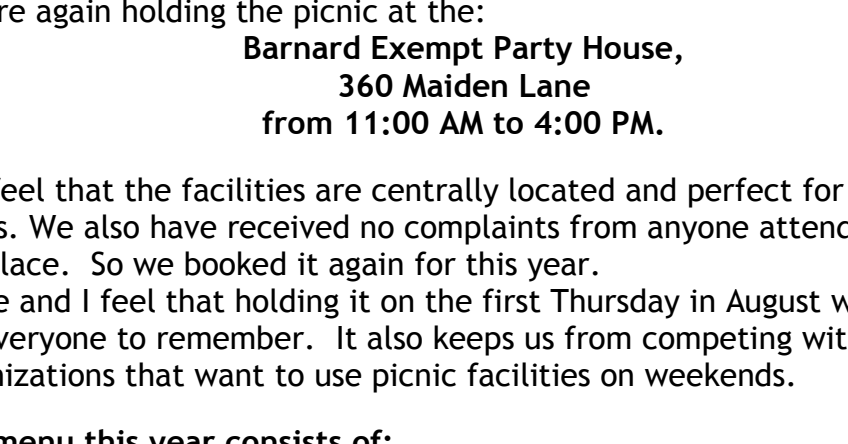




# The Pioneer's Club Newsletter

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## Rochester Picnic



This year's picnic will be on **Thursday, August 4, 2011.**  
We are again holding the picnic at the:

**Barnard Exempt Party House,  
360 Maiden Lane  
from 11:00 AM to 4:00 PM.**

We feel that the facilities are centrally located and perfect for our needs. We also have received no complaints from anyone attending about the place. So we booked it again for this year.  
Arnie and I feel that holding it on the first Thursday in August will be easy for everyone to remember. It also keeps us from competing with all the organizations that want to use picnic facilities on weekends.

### The menu this year consists of:

**Hot dogs (Red & White), Hamburgers, Grilled Chicken Breast, Rolls, Baked Beans, Cole Slaw, Potato Salad, Macaroni Salad, Milk, Tea, and Coffee, and Dessert, and Chips, Pretzels & Peanuts at the bar**  
The food will be available from **12:30 - 2 PM**

It's buy your own adult refreshments and/or soft drinks, so don't forget to bring money.

For those of you that still are working, this is a perfect excuse for a days vacation (or some sick time!)

For tickets, you must send a check made out to the "Pioneers of RG&E" for \$16.00 per person.. Then mail it to:  
**Arnie Stockslader  
131 LeGran Rd  
Rochester, NY 14617**

We would like the checks in our hands by **Thursday, July 14, 2011.** This will give us time to make sure there is enough food and drink for everyone attending.

Remember there will be no tickets sold at the door. The caterer only brings enough food to feed the attendance we guaranteed by the end of July.

So let's get out there and spread the word. It's up to each and everyone of us to make sure our club continues.

And as always, Arnie and I are always looking for volunteers and or suggestions for this party. You can email us at [Arnie@thepioneersclub.org](mailto:Arnie@thepioneersclub.org) or [Tom@thepioneersclub.org](mailto:Tom@thepioneersclub.org).

PS: If this notice looks familiar, the only things that changed were the dates. We kept the price and menu the same.

## Obituary Page

We lost four individuals that I am aware of in May  
They will be missed by who knew them.

**Robert R. "Bob" Brown Jr.** - May 12, 2011, Webster, NY at age 83. He worked at Ginna.

**Giuseppe Bronco** - May 11, 2011, Gates NY at age 75. He worked in the Subway Department.

**Harold E. Rosentreter** - May 17, 2011, Greece, NY at age 92.

Harold worked for Rochester Gas & Electric for 44 years as Safety Coordinator for the Gas Division. In his early years he served in the US Army as Staff Sergeant and was a WWII Veteran. Harold also graduated from the Eastman School of Music from the Preparatory Division and specialized in the French horn. He played in and directed many orchestras and bands. He had many solos and entertained at weddings and special events. Harold directed many church choirs including Wesley United Methodist, Greece Baptist, Dewey Ave. Presbyterian Church and First Baptist of Penfield. In earlier years he directed many minstrel shows. Later in his career, he directed show choirs such as the song and dance team known as "The Songsters", the RG&E and Gleason Works Chorus. Harold also had an affinity for handbell music and directed a few handbell choirs as well. An avid model railroader for many years of his life, Harold spent countless hours designing and building two very large railroad layouts in two of his previous homes.

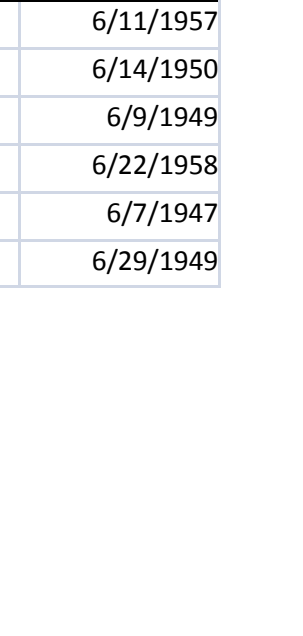
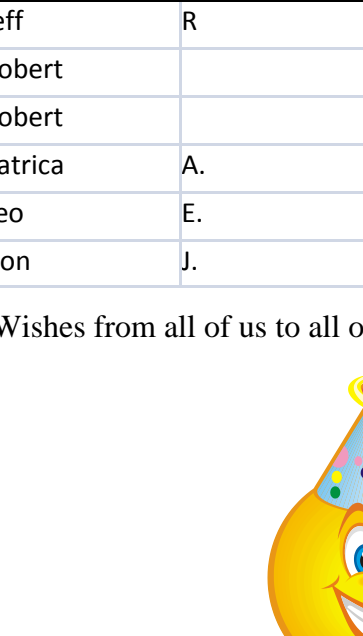
**Joseph J. Polazzo** - April 29, 2011, Ft Meyers, FL. at age 79.



## June Events

Here are the important dates for June:

- June 5th—Canadian Forces Day
- June 7th—Substation Lunch
- June 10—Dan Unger's Retirement Party
- June 14th—Flag Day
- June 16th—Sal Giglio's Retirement Party
- June 19th—Father's Day
- June 21st—First Day of Summer
- June 24th—St Jean Baptiste Day (Quebec)



## Memorial Day

Memorial Day is an important day to an old veteran like me.

Paul and Nancy Grabenstetter visited the Bath National Cemetery and I got some pictures.



## Birthdays

First Name	Middle Initial	Last Name	Birthday
Jeff	R	Clark	6/11/1957
Robert		Hinds	6/14/1950
Robert		Meng	6/9/1949
Patrica	A.	Robinson	6/22/1958
Leo	E.	Smith	6/7/1947
Don	J.	Wilbert	6/29/1949

Best Wishes from all of us to all of you.



## RG&E Chorus



First Row:  
Don Jones, Rose Marie Trerizo, Carm Vaudo,  
Tony Antomasso, Fred Warden, Gilda Ricci,  
Vera Bellows, Jan McGlynn, Jennifer Miceli

Second Row:  
Chris Goreczny, Margot Reed, Stu Neech, Andrew Palzin,  
Ted Paris, Fred Bonisteel, Alison Reed, Nancy Filion

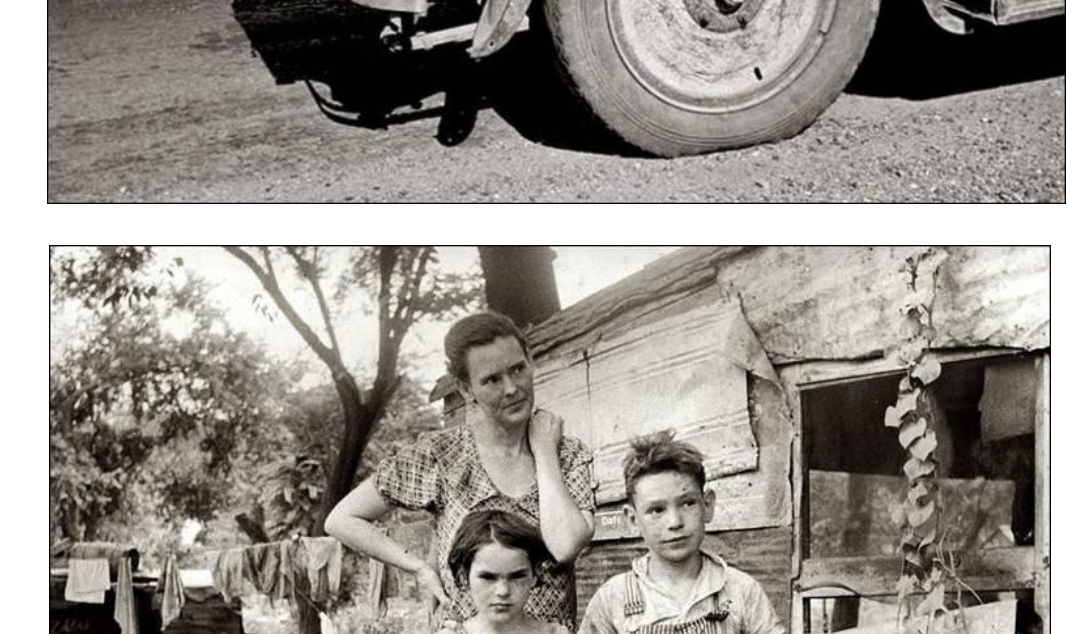
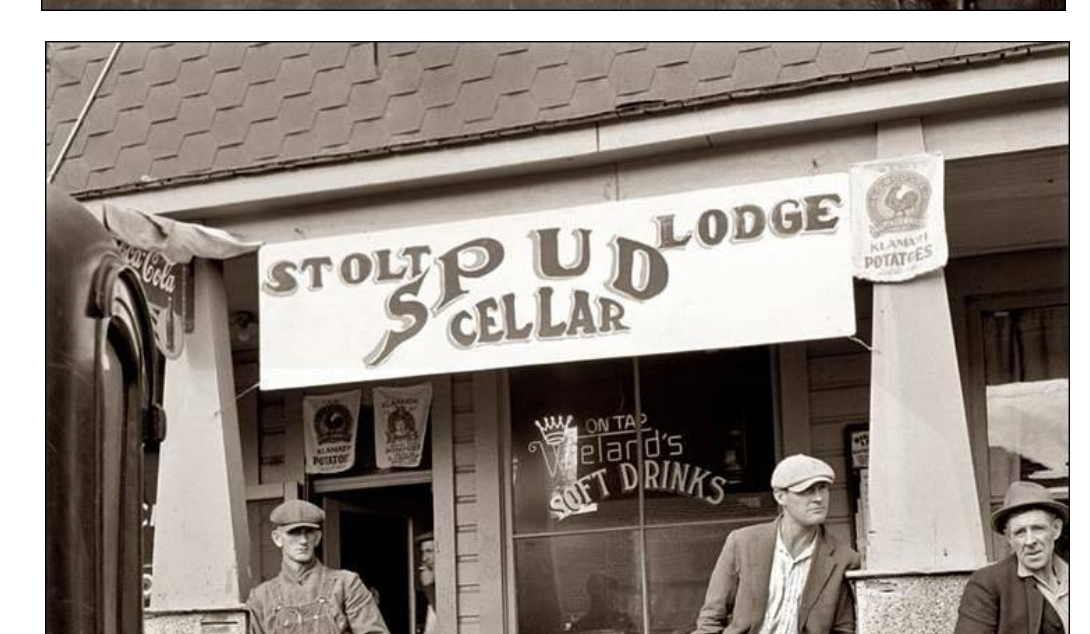
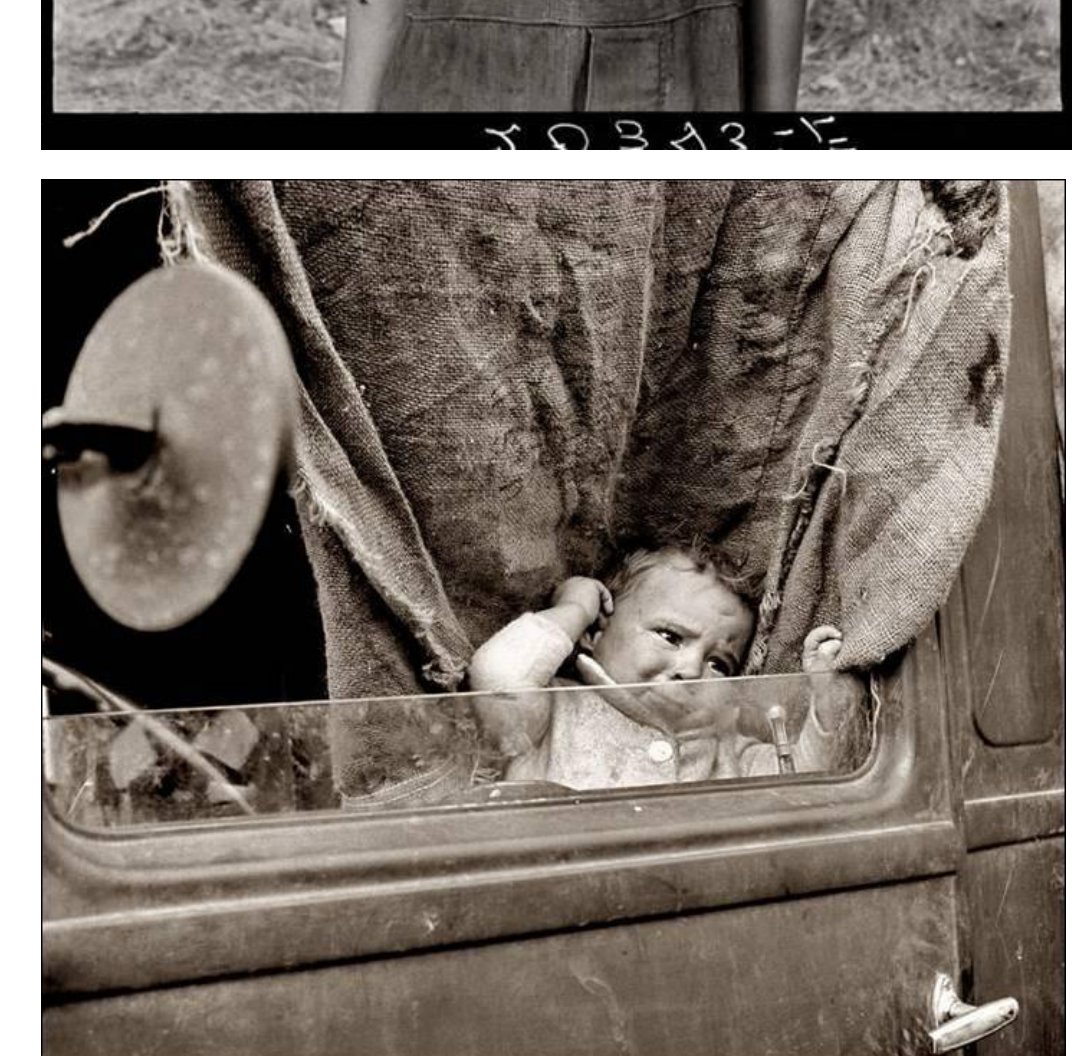
Third Row:  
Ron Schroeder, Guy Torquinio, Harold Rosentreter,  
Ron Saar, Marie Bullaro, Don Filion

My thanks to Ron Saar for this picture.

Check you photo albums for something you might want to share.

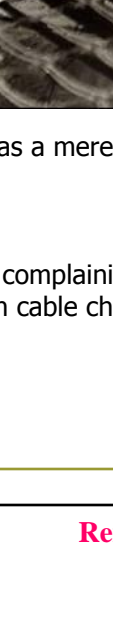
## America ...during the years of 1935 - 1939

Jack Marin sent me these pictures. I hope you enjoy them as much as I did.



This was a mere 70 years ago...

Makes complaining about no cell service, high gasoline prices, not enough cable channels, et al, seem a bit ludicrous.

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