



Tampa Bay IOWA Club HAWKEYE C NNECTION

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Schedule of Events Fall-Winter 2011

- **Football Game Watch:**
Sat. 11/5 – University of Michigan (Wolverines) at [Boston's](#).
Time: Noon
- **Football Game Watch:**
Sat. 11/12 – Michigan State University (Spartans) at [Boston's](#).
Time: TBA
- **Hawkeye Happy Hour:**
Thurs. 11/17 at [Grille One Sixteen](#) at 15405 N. Dale Mabry, Tampa, FL. Time: 5:00 pm.
- **Football Game Watch:**
Sat. 11/19 – Purdue (Boilermakers) at [Boston's](#). Time TBA.
- **Football Game Watch:**
Fri. 11/25 – Nebraska (Cornhuskers) at [Boston's](#). Time: Noon.
- **TBIC Bucs game vs. Carolina Panthers:**
Sun. 12/4 at [Raymond James Stadium](#).
Time: Tailgate at 10a-1p; Game Kickoff at 1p.
- **Basketball "First" Game Watch:** Friday 12/9 – ISU (Cyclones) at [Boston's](#). Time: 8:00p
- **TBIC Holiday Party:**
Sunday 12/11 - at 6pm @ the Reserve at Gateway Clubhouse, St. Pete ([details on page 4](#))
- **Hawkeye Happy Hour:**
due to the holidays. There will be no HHH in December
- **Basketball Game Watches:** at [Boston's](#). Games and Times TBD in December issue.

TBIC President's Corner by Doug Smaus

Hello to all of you in the Tampa Bay IOWA Club.

Another month and year have flown by! Thanksgiving this year is the beginning of the holiday season and the day after will be the ending our regular season football game watches. The Hawkeyes will play the Nebraska Cornhuskers at Lincoln on Friday 11/25...kickoff at Noon. If you are in town come join us for a Noon kickoff at Boston's.

The Big Ten of Tampa Bay is becoming more and more organized. Tampa Bay IOWA Club has actively supported and spearheaded events in the past and will stay active in the future. The Big Ten of Tampa Bay is currently beta



Doug Smaus, President

testing a web page at www.Bigtentampabay.org.

In the future I will be encouraging you to go to the Big Ten web site for updates on activities that effect our club. We will also continue to develop flyers for TBIC-Big Ten events.

Have you noticed anything different about this 44th edition of the *HAWKEYE CONNECTION*? The past 43 editions were created using Microsoft Word. This is the first to be created using Microsoft Publisher. Dick Fry has proven that "old Hawks" can learn new tricks!

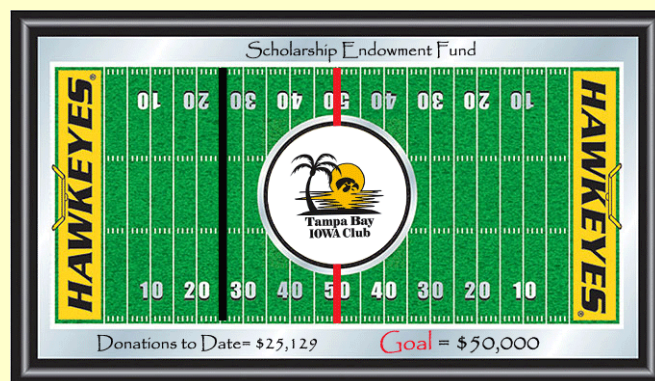
Happy Thanksgiving to you and your families and wishing you safe travels.



TBIC Scholarship Endowment Fund \$25,149 to date!

Contribution levels established for the scholarship fund are:

- Donor: up to \$49**
- Garnet: \$50 – \$99**
- Ruby: \$100 – \$249**
- Sapphire: \$250 – \$499**
- Emerald: \$500 – \$999**
- Diamond: \$1,000 – plus**

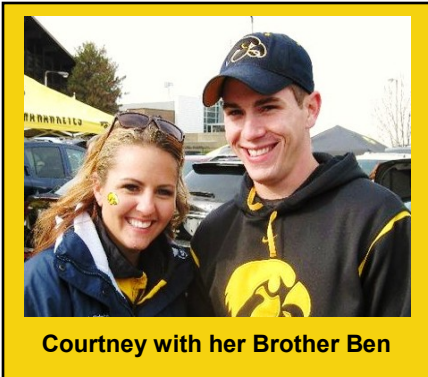


The following members have made donations to the Tampa Bay IOWA Scholarship Fund in the month of September, 2011. Their generous support adds to our goal over the next five years of reaching the \$50,000 endowment level. TBIC will regularly feature donors and donations generated from events in each issue of the *Tampa Bay IOWA Club Hawkeye Connection*.

Ruby	Sapphire	Emerald
Mike McCracken		Events

Hawkeye Insider – Courtney Krieger

Courtney was born a true Hawkeye in Iowa City and raised in the one and only Muscatine, IA. No really, it is the one and only city named Muscatine in the entire world. She graduated in 2005 from [Muscatine High School](#) (Go Muskies!). She



Courtney with her Brother Ben

was a very busy high school student! She was a dual-enrolled student at Muscatine High School and Muscatine Community College and earned 32 college credits before graduating. In her spare time Courtney was a member of Student Council, National Honor Soci-

ety, Who's Who in America, National Council of Youth Leadership, and Fund Our Future campaign during the 2004 presidential election. She was captain, MVP, and Academic All-State for the high school girls' golf team, and captain of a competitive cheerleading squad in town called the River City All-Stars and competed in the Nationals in Orlando.

Courtney attended her freshman year of college at Bradley University in Peoria but transferred to The University of Tampa in August 2006 and graduated with a B.A. in Psychology in December 2008. She transferred to Tampa after traveling to Tampa in December 2005/January 2006 to watch "her" Hawkeyes play the Florida Gators in the Outback Bowl.

After working part-time jobs in the Tampa area in college she decided that if she could find a job in Tampa, there was no reason to move back home to Iowa. Courtney started working in sales for Barbizon USA as

a Sales Director and then moved on to be an Account Manager for Adecco/Accounting Principals. After a couple of years of sales, She decided to pursue a career in Human Resources. She is currently the HR Coordinator for Kass Shuler, P.A. in downtown Tampa. Her goal is to obtain her "Professional in Human Resources" certification within the next year, and possibly return to school to achieve a Master's in Industrial-Organizational Psychology.

Courtney has been with TBIC for 3 years. She was encouraged by her family, huge Hawkeye supporters, to join so she would not be the only person in a restaurant/bar screaming for the Hawkeyes. She is happy to have found such amazing friends and a new Hawkeye family in Tampa. Courtney's advice to all of us is, "**On Iowa...Be loud, Stand proud, GO HAWKS!**"

Hawkeye Happy Hour

Hawkeye Happy Hour
November 17th at 5:00 pm

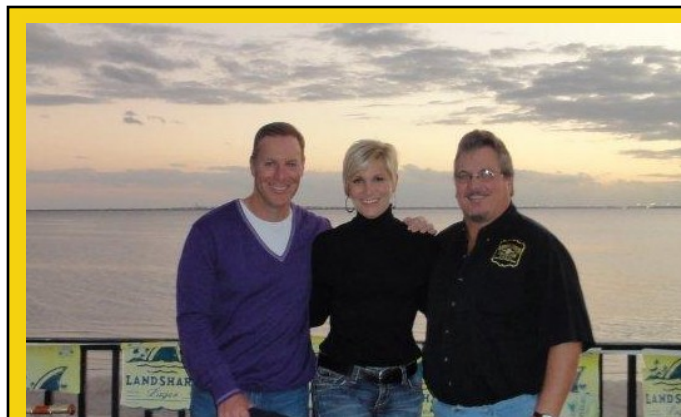


Grille One Sixteen

Come & join us at the

Hawkeye Happy Hour

15405 N. Dale Mabry
Tampa, FL 33618



On October 20th, Dave Byers (r), and Debbie and Jeff Summers met at Whisky Joes to enjoy the drinks and appetizers offered at this great on-the-water venue.

Our next Hawkeye Happy Hour will be held at Grille One Sixteen...a new venue for the Tampa Bay IOWA Club. Grille One Sixteen is located on North Dale Mabry. Grille One Sixteen is its namesake. It was designed to 116 seats and to be large enough to create energy and atmosphere, yet small enough to provide superior food quality and superior service.

For those of you who have not had an opportunity to attend a Hawkeye Happy Hour, Jeff Summers (pictured above), researches venues around the Tampa Bay area to allow members to socialize, network and to just relax on Friday-even.

Don't be shy - join in the fun.

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TBIC "Here and There" Snapshots



For the Fourth Year TBIC Conducted a Food Drive for Hope Children's Home. Kudos to all of you who Again Donated so Generously!



TBIC Members on the Patio for a Game Watch at Boston's

As you can see on this page your Tampa Bay IOWA Club continues to stay focused on bringing the members quality events. Turnout for the football game watches at Boston's has been good again this year and that may be a tribute to the staff at Boston's who continue to provide their usual outstanding service.

The Hawkeye Nation is not enjoying the bumpy ride this season, especially after the upset minded Minnesota Gophers prevented the Hawkeyes from becoming bowl eligible. Come to the next four game watches to help cheer on the Hawkeyes as they compete for a post-season bowl game. **GO HAWKEYES!**



Doug Awards Jeff Summers an Autographed Football After his Ticket was Drawn for Donating to the Food Drive



Pictured are IOWA Club Representatives From Throughout the Country (TBIC Represented by Dick Fry) at the Annual UIAA Workshop Held in Iowa City. Picture Taken in the Wrestling Facilities at the New Hawkeye Carver Arena Addition



Marvin McNutt, Jr. Breaks the Iowa Touchdown Catch Record of 22 With an 80 Yard Touchdown Reception Against Indiana. McNutt now has a Record Total of 25 Career Touchdown Catches. **RUN Marvin, RUN!**

TBIC Holiday Party



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Holiday Party

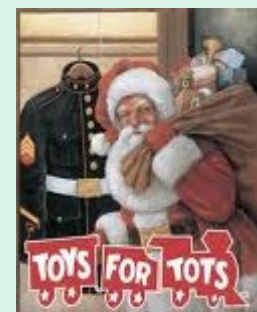
December 11th 6:00pm

at the Reserve at Gateway Clubhouse

500 Trinity Lane, St. Pete 33716



- **Catered BBQ dinner from Jimbo's with dessert for \$10.00 per person. Limited to the first 40 people.**
- **All drinks are BYOB...coolers, ice, and water will be provided.**
- **Gift Exchange...Each person should bring a wrapped fun/gag gift - \$5 limit.**
- **Bring donations for Toys for Tots (unwrapped) &/or the Humane Society (food, toys, old towels, blankets, supplies) – prizes for all donors)!**
- **We'll have a prize for the best, and weirdest holiday attire... so pull that holiday clothing out of the closet!**



Toys4tots



Please RSVP at:

tampabayiowaclub@gmail.com

RSVP and then mail a check payable to TBIC;
to TBIC, 500 Trinity Ln #7107 St Pete FL 33716

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Show Off Your Tampa Bay IOWA Club Branded Merchandise



Proceeds help fund scholarships for Tampa Bay IOWA Club students and other club member programs

TBIC Branded Merchandise

**The Tampa Bay IOWA Club has the best logo of any IOWA Club!
You can proudly display your TBIC loyalty on a variety of branded merchandise!**

Here's what we have:

- ◆ BBQ Aprons ▶
- ◆ Car decals
- ◆ Pint glasses
- ◆ Lapel pins
- ◆ Coozies
- ◆ Lapel pins
- ◆ Lightweight sweatshirts
- ◆ Regular & moisture management t-shirts
- ◆ Women's tank tops (just 6 left)
- ◆ Wristbands (hand-made in Cozumel) ▶
- ◆ Postcards
- ◆ More!



New Apron



Old favorites and new items



New Car Decals



TBIC Logo Shirts



Wristbands

GREAT HOLIDAY GIFTS!

All merchandise is available at our football game watches!

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We're on the Web at:

www.tampabayiowaclub.com

Email us at:

tampabayiowaclub@gmail.com

Other Important Website Links

- [Other IOWA Clubs](#)
- [Nat'l I-Club E-News](#)
- [University of Iowa](#)
- [Daily Iowan](#)
- [Hawkeye Sports](#)
- [Iowa City Area](#)
- [UI "Fyi"](#)
- [Alumni Band](#)
- [Alumni Career Services](#)
- [Go Hawks - Football](#)
- [Hawkeye Express](#)
- [Boston's](#)

Tampa Bay IOWA Club is part of University of Iowa Alumni Association (UIAA) club program whose support is vital to our success. Membership in the UIAA helps support our activities.

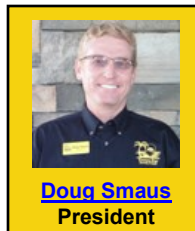
Go to:

[UI Alumni Association](#)

for important membership information.



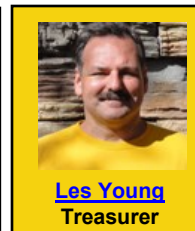
Meet the TBIC Board Members



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[Jeff Summers](#)
Hawkeye Happy Hours

Membership Information

Membership in the Tampa Bay IOWA Club (TBIC) is open to all alumni, former students, active military stationed in the Tampa Bay Area and friends of the University of Iowa.

Annual member dues support TBIC, allow us to sponsor events and maintain communication with area alumni. **Help keep the TBIC alive!**

Tampa Bay IOWA Club Membership Form

Please clip and fill out this form. Make your check payable to Tampa Bay IOWA Club. Active military are free.

Annual Dues: \$15/single; \$25/couple, and active military are free.

Name _____

If your are an Iowa Grad, Year and Degree _____

Spouse _____

If your are an Iowa Grad, Year and Degree _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Telephone No. _____

Thank You For Your Support!