

# LIZARD LETTER

May 2015



## Nate's News, Notes and Nonsense

Greetings Lizards!

It's been awhile, but I'm back in the Saddle again! I would like to first thank the outgoing board and support members for all they have done in the last few years. Thanks Bob, Karen, Kyle, Sara and Tim. We also welcome Pat Kolar as VP, Steve Gibson as Treasurer, and CJ Wilson back as Secretary! We've had some great shows and I promise there will be many more to come. As a matter of fact, the BIG ONE is back again, too. BUTT 2015 is finalizing the small details. More on that shortly.

We will be going through some changes. We are going to embrace the electronic era and do away with our standard newsletter. We will be sending event postcards and things of that nature, but newsletters and correspondence will be posted on our website [www.lizardcreekblues.org](http://www.lizardcreekblues.org) or on Facebook and email. In transitioning to the new, hopefully more efficient way of doing this, we expect a few hiccups. Please spread the word and let us know if we've missed anyone or anything. Memberships and sponsorships are the lifeblood of the society. Please renew your memberships and include all contact information we need to keep you in the loop.

BUTT is back!! Saturday July 25<sup>th</sup> at Frontier Sports Park (formerly Mineral City Raceway). Tickets will be going on sale soon! We have our favorite openers Joe and Vicki Price kicking things off. The award winning, International Blues Challenge winning, violin slinging, Lionel Young Band. Headlining is the ever impressive, international star, **Kenny Neal**. And taking us to the finish line, rockin' Blues from the Kris Karr Band. Yes, Jesse James has confirmed that catfish and Jambalaya will be on hand as well.

I'm so excited to continue the tradition started many years ago. Keeping the Blues alive, so you don't have to Drive!!

Nate Gibson  
President LCBS

**Blues Under  
The Trees  
Is Back!  
July 25, 2015**

### OFFICERS

President, Nate Gibson  
Vice President, Pat Kolar  
Secretary, Connie Jo Wilson  
Treasurer, Steve Gibson

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Tim and Sara O'Leary

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*It's Hard To Feel Bad, When The Blues Makes You Feel So Good - Albert Cummings*

## Jeri Collins Memorial Scholarship Fund

The Jeri Collins Memorial Scholarship is available through the Lizard Creek Blues Society (LCBS) at CS Bank. \$500 is awarded to both a Fort Dodge Senior High graduate and a St Edmond High School graduate annually. The requirements to receive the scholarship are as follows:

- 3.25 GPA
- Majoring in the Arts, but not limited to music
- A one page essay as to why they deserve this scholarship

There is a panel of six LCBS members who choose the recipients. If you would like to contribute, please contact one of our Board Members.



**Remember to  
check your  
Membership  
Renewal Date!**

## **UPCOMING EVENTS**

May 21	LCBS Meeting	Access Audio – FD
May 24	Dirty River Ramblers	Byron's – Pomeroy, IA
May 31	Bruce Katz	Byron's – Pomeroy, IA
July 25	B.U.T.T.	Frontier Sports Park – F.D., IA
August 15	Matt Woods	Miller's Landing – Humboldt, IA

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**Next meeting date:**

**Thursday, May 21 @ 6:00**

**Access Audio & Accessories**

**500 1st Ave S, Ft Dodge**

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