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PROGRAMS FOR JULY 1997

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KIWAN-I-TEMS

RED CROSS BLOODMOBILE: MARV HAUSER

Reports that twenty-three of our members volunteered to work at the last Bloodmobile visit. These volunteers provided eight and one-half hours of service 80.5 hrs.

MEALS ON WHEELS

120 manhours, 16 people participated

BINGO: Chairman RUSS HEGGE

On June 4, RUSS HEGGE assisted by CLYDE MORRIS, BILL YOUNG, CARL SANGREN, JOE MEINGAST, DON STAVEN, and DUANE DURRANT provided 30 people at the Rock County facility with an afternoon of Bingo. They clocked 14 manhours and spent \$5.20 for prizes.

RECREATION: FRED KUFRIN, Social Committee

Chairman

GOLF NEWS: Our second monthly golf outing at Blackhawk was held on June 6 with much better weather - 28 golfers participated; the big buck winners were Hauser, Oestereich, Dooley, Herzic, Johnson and Gersmehl.

Our third outing will be July 11 at Blackhawk.

The annual "Red Barn Open" at Rockton will be in July. Specific date and time will be announced at a later meeting.

The big blast of the year -- 18 holes and dinner will be Thursday, Aug 21 at Koshkonong Mounds, where we had it last year. Keep this date in mind -- think about lining up foursomes -- more details will be given next month. Non-golfers who wish to play cards and have dinner are most welcome - you will be eligible for prizes.

CLUB CALENDAR

07/2/97 Weekly Meeting at SON, 9:30am
07/9/97 Weekly Meeting at SON, 9:30am
07/11/97 Monthly GOLF at Blackhawk
07/15/97 Inter-Club with Clinton "K" at Meadow Park Health Care Center
07/16/97 Weekly Meeting at SON, 9:30am
07/23/97 Special Guest Day
07/23/97 Weekly Meeting at SON, 9:30am
Parenting the First Year Newsletter mailing begin at 8:15am and completed following the Weekly Meeting.
07/30/97 Golden K Board Meeting, SON, 8:00am
08/1/97 Monthly GOLF at Blackhawk
08/6/97 Weekly Meeting at SON, 9:30am
08/21/97 GOLF, Koshkonong Mounds - 18 holes

JULY 1997 SPIRITUAL AIMS

07/2/97 Rev. Roy Deming
07/9/97 Rev. Harold Kromery
07/16/97 Rev. George McKilligan
07/23/97 Norman Alff
07/30/97 Glenn Kipfer

GREETERS FOR JULY 1997

Harold Warmke and George Christopherson

KIWANIS CALENDAR

August 14-16, 1997, WI-UM District Convention

BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

June 25, 1997, SON 8am

Membership: 145

Attendance: 67 %

Club Finances:

Happy Box Account	\$209.06
Service Account	\$6,105.95
Administrative Acct.	\$4,334.47
Total:	\$11,778.09

BOARD ACTION: Approved request to help at the Tallman Art Festival, dispensing ice cream and cake throughout the day.

Budgeted \$500 for delegates to attend WI-UM District Convention at Stevens Point August 15-17.

Authorized placing order for 7000 trees for sales year 1998.

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BLACKHAWK GOLDEN K ACTIVITIES

IDD REPORT:

Jim Clark, IDD Chairman

IDD Loose Change collections continue to be good. They have averaged about \$35 each week in June. The big money from the Snow-Birds does make a difference. A badly bent penny plus a 25¢ gaming token from the Empress Casino in Joliet, Illinois were the unique highlights of recent collections. I'm not sure how the IDD workers in Botswana or Zimbabwe will use these. Remember, 30¢ each week is all we're asking. But keep those dollar bills coming.

YCPO - Parenting the First Year Newsletter

Under the leadership of **CHARLES WANNINGER** and his co-chairman, **TOM ALBANESE**, eighteen Kiwanians prepared 1,117 Parenting First Year newsletters. The volunteers included eleven from Golden K five from the Noon Club. These newsletters benefited 2,234 persons at a cost of \$251.53 for printing and \$238.39 for postage. UW-Extension surveys have consistently shown that our newsletters are having a positive impact on parents.

REMINDER: The July mailing will be done on Wednesday July 23 at 8:15 am.

MEMBERSHIP AND RETENTION

VERNE BURROWS, MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN

SPECIAL GUEST DAY, 16 JULY 1997

REMINDER: Bring your Guest! However, don't forget that guests can be invited to any meeting, not just the special guest day.

JOHN HIGGINS

One of our members, John Higgins, passed away on June 18. He was always a dedicated and enthusiastic member of our club. Besides organizing golf outings, he also generated many ideas for fund-raising. Our annual tree sale was one of John's ideas and he convinced the club of its potential. Another idea he developed was our weekly drawing which has become an important source of income. John was a never-ceasing source of ideas, energy, and enthusiasm. We shall miss him!

THOUGHT FOR THE MONTH

"Small deeds done are better than great deeds planned"
-peter marshall