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PROGRAMS FOR JUNE 1999

- 06-02-99 **CHARTER SCHOOLS: AN ALTERNATIVE WAY OF LEARNING**
Stephanie Moore, Social Worker,
School District of Janesville
- 06-09-99 **THE ROLE AND WORK EXPERIENCE OF A PARAMEDIC**
Two Paramedics, Janesville Fire
Department
- 06-16-99 **CURRENT ISSUES FACING JANESVILLE**
Steve Sheiffer, City Manager, City of
Janesville
- 06-23-99 **REPORT ON TRIP TO CHINA**
Dave Soderberg, Blackhawk Golden
'K' Club
- 06-30-99 **THE TOURIST INDUSTRY IN WISCONSIN**
Moose Speros, Secretary, Wisconsin
Department of Tourism

BOARD MEETING HIGHLIGHTS (For April)

05-05-99 SON 8:00 AM

Treasurer's Report:

Cash on Hand-----	\$19,589.09
Service Total-----	15,712.75
Admin. Total-----	3,876.34
Flag-----	186.42
IDD-----	907.80
Easter Seal-----	3,858.94

Actions:

01. Elected Jim Clark Secretary
Elected John Holcomb Assistant Secretary
02. Builder's Club Recognition May 18 @ 3:30
Edison MS- Discussed- Need participation.
03. Easter Seals- Authorized payment of \$4,000
to be presented to Ken Saville Exec. Sec.
Camp Wabeek Easter Seal Prog. SON May 26

Actions of Board Meeting Continued

04. Skip-a-Meal Follow Up- To be announced.
05. Confirm Transfer of Pete Kealey- Approved
to accept Pete Kealey as member of Golden
"K" Club (from Noon Club).
06. DECA (Distributed Education Clubs of
America)-- A big success!
07. Wisconsin Badger Camp- Approved a \$200
donation. This is a camp for the
developmentally disabled.
08. Chorus Pianist Gift of \$91 (to Virginia Nitz).
Approved.
09. Brad Puerner Candidate for membership.
Accepted. To be inducted 05-12-99.
10. Discussed admitting women into Golden "K"--
Consensus- Need response from members.
11. Announced that Gerry Fritz is retiring as
Choral Director. A Search Committee for a
new Choral director is composed of the
following: Gerry Fritz, Bob Burke, Len
Griffith and George McKilligin.

YCPO - Parenting the First Year Newsletter
Co-Chairmen Charlie Wanniger & Tom Albanese



On May 19, 12 Golden "K" and 6 Noon Club
Kiwanians prepared 1167 Newsletters for mailing.
2,334 individuals benefited from this project. The
cost of printing the letters was \$291.75.

It should be noted that this was the 84th mailing of
the Newsletter and is exactly 7 years since the project
was initiated! **CONGRATULATIONS!!!**
Next mailing 8:15 AM, June 23, 1999.

Spiritual Aims for June, 1999

Norm Alff: Co-Chairman

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| 06-02-99 | Glen Kipfer |
| 06-09-99 | The Rev Roy Beming |
| 06-16-99 | The Rev Harold Kromery |
| 06-23-99 | Norm Alff |
| 06-30-99 | The Rev George McKilligen |



If unable to serve, please contact Norm Alff or Glenn Kipfer. Jim Masterson has
requested that a signed copy of the weekly invocation be turned in to him at each
meeting.

GREETERS FOR JUNE, 1999



06-02-99	Leo Hansen and Pete Kealey
06-09-99	Leo Hansen and Pete Kealey
06-16-99	Leo Hansen and Pete Kealey
06-23-99	Brad Puerner and Maurie Frey
06-30-99	Brad Puerner and Maurie Frey

MEMBERSHIP: Chairman - Dewey Cooper
On May 12th three new members were inducted into the Blackhawk Golden "K" Kiwanis. They were Brad Puerner, Maury Frey and Pete Kealey (Pete being transferred from the Noon Club). That brings us a total of 11 new members since October 1st. I want to thank all the members who have brought the new members in and to encourage everyone to keep trying to build up our membership. **Keep up the good work!!** — Dewey

COMMUNITY SERVICES:
Chairman - Del Halfman



Bingo- On May 5th, eight Kiwanians played bingo with 22 individuals from the Rock County Health Care Center. They spent a total of 12 man hours and spent \$5.00. Those participating were: Bob Burke, K.B. Chladek, Duane Durrant, Del Halfman, Marv Hauser, Clyde Morris, Bill Oestreich and Bill Young.

TREE SALES PROJECT



Dick Fay and Fred Adams thank those who made the April Tree sale a success. A total of 8,000 trees were sold for a profit of:

\$ 5,810 !!!

CLUB CALENDAR FOR JUNE, 1999

06-02-99	Weekly Meeting at SON, 9:30 AM
06-09-99	Weekly Meeting at SON, 9:30 AM
06-16-99	Weekly Meeting at SON, 9:30 AM
06-23-99	Weekly Meeting at SON, 9:30 AM
06-23-99	Parenting Letter Mailing, 8:15 AM
06-30-99	Weekly Meeting at SON, 9:30 AM

IDD Chairman - Jim Clark
A contribution in the amount of \$100 was received from Dewey Cooper in memory of his daughter Debra. Thank you Dewey!

BLACKHAWK CLUB RANKS HIGHEST IN DISTRICT

Based on the Wisconsin Upper Michigan Club Administrative reports for the month of April, our Blackhawk Golden "K" Club ranks the highest in the District.

Of the clubs having 76 members or more, our club for the month of April was the top club in the "Diamond" category with a total of 82 points. Marquette of Division 22, came in second with 76 points.

Rankings are based on membership at the beginning of the Administrative year and changes thereafter. — Geo. McKilligin

EDISON BUILDERS CLUB RECOGNITION MEETING

Bringing to a close their first year, the Edison Builders Club held a recognition meeting at Edison School on Tuesday, May 18th. Lt. Gov. Arnie Lee attended and presented a Hixon award to Anita Fanta, one of the faculty advisors. He also presented the other faculty advisor Lillian Fieschko with a plaque recognizing her service to the new club. Our club president, Will Reck, installed both faculty advisors as honorary members in the Blackhawk Golden "K". They now have all rights and privileges of membership in our club, except that of voting or holding office. We look forward to their attending meetings and club activities as their schedules allow.

Adam Spaeth, President of the Builders Club, gave an impressive summary of the activities of the club during this past year. "Certificates of Outstanding Service" were presented to twenty-three members of the club for the time they devoted to the life of the club during this past year. Some students had over 100 hours of time given to club activity.

Edison School principal, Dr. Don Tyrivier, spoke of his pride and amazement at the accomplishment of so many projects having school, community and international significance.

— George McKilligin

ADAMS SCHOOL BREAKFAST PROGRAM COMPLETES ANOTHER YEAR

The Breakfast Club Program at Adams Elementary School is completing its fourth year of successful operation. During the 1998-99 school year, an average of 69 students ...(and some adults) were fed breakfast each day. Members of Blackhawk Golden "K" who volunteered their time for this program are are Dick Blair, Dewey Cooper, Len Griffith, Dick Hadden, George McKilligin and Wally Reavis. The assistance of some of the wives of the above is also appreciated. — George McKilligin

KIWANIS CALENDAR — 1999

June 5-6— Children's Miracle network broadcast
JUNE 18-22— KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL
CONVENTION, DENVER, COLORADO
July 3-7 — Key Club International Convention
August 7-11 — Circle K International Convention
AUGUST 13-15 — WI-UP DISTRICT
CONVENTION, Steven Point, WI
September 25 — Kiwanis "Kid's Day"
September 30 — Administrative Year ends

KIWANIANS REMEMBER OUR MOTTO

"WE BUILD"