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## Nov Programs— 2004

Chairman— Curt Larson

03 TOURISM IN THE JANESVILLE COMMUNITY— Christine Rebout  
 10 TOUR GENERAL MOTORS PLANT— No Meeting at Sons of Norway Lodge Today  
 17 2004-05 PARKER GIRL'S BASKETBALL— Tom Klawitter  
 24 MEDAL OF HONOR WALKWAY AT TRAXLER PARK— Tom Stehura  
 Dec 01, 2004— ESCAPE FROM EAST GERMANY— John Van Altena

## KIWANIS ITEMS

## Spiritual Values

Chairman— Glenn Kipfer

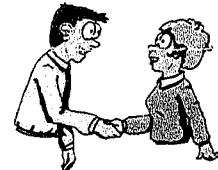
### November

03 Jesse Scarborough  
 10 General Motors Tour  
 17 Charles Wanninger  
 24 Glenn Kipfer

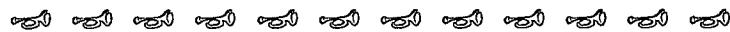


## GREETERS— Chairman: Maury Frey

### November



03 Ray Anderson & Marv Hauser  
 10 Len Griffith & Carroll Flanagan  
 17 Fred Adams & Karl Petter  
 24 Len Griffith & Phil Selgren

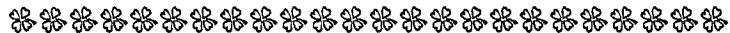


## RAFFLE— Chairman: Dewey Cooper

### Vendors for November



03 Dewey Cooper  
 10 [General Motors Trip]  
 17 Fred Wiltse  
 24 Al Skelly



## GOLDEN "K" INTERCLUB

Phil Selgren— Interclub Coordinator

Our first interclub for this year will be a visit to the Clinton Club for their NOON meeting on Tuesday November 16. We will meet at Blackhawk Golf Course parking lot at 11:30 to car pool.

It is my goal to visit all 7 clubs in our Division by Oct 1, 2005. Also, if possible, I would like to visit the 3 youth Kiwanis clubs [one interclub each month].



## GENERAL MOTORS TOUR

ON NOVEMBER 10<sup>TH</sup>, WE WILL NOT HAVE A MEETING AT THE SONS OF NORWAY. INSTEAD, WE WILL BE TOURING THE GENERAL MOTORS PLANT. THE SCHEDULE FOR THAT DAY IS AS FOLLOWS:

8:30 AM – Meet at Dawson Softball Parking Lot. Take a bus to GM

8:50 AM – Arrive at GM— have a short meeting

9:15 AM – Tour Starts

10:30 AM – Tour ends – take bus back to parking lot

ON THE TOUR, NO WALKING IS REQUIRED AND THE ENTIRE TOUR IS HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE. GM HAS A TRAIN THAT WILL TAKE US ALONG THE TOUR ROUTE. WE WILL SEE ROBOTS IN ACTION AND THE ENTIRE ASSEMBLY PROCESS EXCEPT THE PAINTING OPERATIONS. A SHORT FILM ABOUT THE GM PLANT IS ALSO INCLUDED.

Maury Frey

Phil

## IDD

Jack Biddick, our resident NFL guru, donated the \$10 he won in our recent Last Man Standing IDD contest. Through the continued generosity of our membership we donated \$95.83 to the IDD cause. Be sure to remember the IDD pot near the donuts each week. Keep up the good work!

Jim Clark

## YCPO PARENTING

1<sup>st</sup> Year Letter

Chairman: Len Griffith, Co-Chairman: Gene Rupnow



On 10-20-04, 17 Golden "K" and 4 Noon Club Kiwanians prepared 1,025 Parenting Letters for mailing. 2,050 individuals benefited from this project. This makes a total of 46½ man-hours for the month.

The cost of printing the letters was \$205.00. The postage cost [paid by the hospital was \$256.12. The next mailing is 11-17-04.

**Participants— Golden "K":** Fred Adams, Tom Albanese, Ray Anderson, Jack Biddick, John Dooley, Dick Fay, Carroll Flanagan, Nick Furlano, Len Griffith, Bud Holliday, Bob Johnson, Pete Kealey, Don Kellogg, Rich McMullen, John Orland, Gene Rupnow, Fred Wiltse. **Noon Club:** Ken Austin, Jack Damrow, Dale Henning, Floyd Kowal.

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## STATED BOARD MEETING

SON, Oct 27, 2004



### Treasurer's Report [Members' Equity]:

Administrative Account	\$ 6,730
Service Account	12,704
<b>Total Cash on Hand</b>	<b>\$ 19,434</b>

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## MEALS ON WHEELS

Chairman: Gene Sheppard

Sept 27<sup>th</sup> to Oct 1, 2004

Oct 4<sup>th</sup> to Oct 8<sup>th</sup>, 2004

120 hours

**Participants—** Bruce Bell, Bob Carlsen, John Casper, Don Disch, Ray Flynn, Marv Hauser, John Holcomb, Bud Holliday, Jerry Kauchak, Joel Moore, Paul Odland, Jesse Scarborough, Gene Sheppard, Al Skelly, Jules Teubert.

July: Al and Kay Skelly— 15 hours  Gene

## NOVEMBER 2004 CLUB CALENDAR

- 03, 17, 24— Weekly Meeting, SON, 9:30 AM
- 10—Tour of General Motors Plant
- 13—Governor's Banquet WI/UM District
- 17—YCPO Parenting Letter Mailing, SON, 8:00 AM
- 22, 23, 24—Bloodmobile at Cargill Methodist Church
- 24—Board of Directors Stated Meeting, SON, 8:00 AM

## FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK



What a month! The Sept and Oct Board mtgs were real eye openers! Since I've never been involved in such things I've had, and have, lots to learn. Since I had the good sense to have others help me I've found it very interesting. I've asked Will Reck to be the Robert's Rules of Order person to count on; and help me he has every time I look at him. I've avoided the task of taking a lot of time studying something I may not even understand after reading all the info. Thanks to Will. I'll be relying on you again. The 2 Special Appointments I've made [Pete Kealey and Ray Anderson] are more help than I can say. Thanks fellows and I look forward to more conversations.

As a Club, you've given me a "sidekick" as he calls himself: Curt Larson, President Elect. He and I have grown in our offices over the past year and are a real team at this point. You will have one heck of a President come next year when he takes the helm. Thanks Curt.

Phil Selgren is on board as Vice-President. I don't know Phil that well, but we're on our way. He has our first Interclub Visit with the Clinton Club scheduled and it will actually be the first Interclub meeting I've ever attended. Thanks to Phil and please ask for any help you need.

I'm in a kind of Thank You mode so I'll also say thanks to the Club Membership in total. You've been more than helpful in continuing to keep this Club in great shape. Committees are operating on a high level. Pretty good for a bunch of retired old guys.

I'd like to be present at at least one of all the Committee meetings that you hold to bring your projects together. Please include me as I'm still learning when and where you meet. Sometimes it just seems that the Club works as a well oiled machine and I don't know where the motor is that turns the whole thing. Again, thanks.

Coming up is the Governor's Banquet; my first ever. I've sent 3 names of members to Lt. Governor Lee for consideration for Meritorious Awards. They are: Jesse Scarborough, Will Reck and Dave Ziegler. Their wives will attend also. These are prestigious awards and we will have a good showing of members as they are awarded by Wisconsin Upper Michigan Governor Barry Hersch. We'll also have representatives from the Builders Club attending. Curt, Phil and I will be bringing our wives along. Karl Petter, our photographer, and his wife will also attend. If you would like to be a part of this annual event please contact Will, Curt or me by the November 3<sup>rd</sup> meeting. You can check out the necessary info on our WebSite: [www.kiwanis.org/club/blackhawk](http://www.kiwanis.org/club/blackhawk) click on the link: **GOVERNOR'S BANQUET WI/UM DISTRICT**.

Our Secretary Dave Ziegler has resigned and the Board has accepted his resignation. Tony Guernsey, former Secretary for the Rio Grande, New Mexico Kiwanis Club has offered to take over and was approved by our Board of Directors on October 27, 2004. Dave will now have a much needed rest due to health and the doctor's recommendation that he do just that. He will still be bringing Tony up to speed on this Club's needs and the transition will be completed quickly. Thanks to the both of you.

Our Spiritual Aims Committee name has been changed to Human and Spiritual Values to keep in line with International guidelines. This action was approved by our Board of Directors 10/27/04.

We also have a new "Group" that's been approved. "Finance / Research Group." The basic intent is to channel all fund requests to our Club, to this group for research prior to consideration by the Board. Curt Larson is Chairman and Frank Spoden is Co-Chairman.

November is Kiwanis Month. Remember our objectives, goals and motto.

God Bless America and God Bless all of you.  Pres. Don