

## A Monthly Publication of Janesville Blackhawk Golden "K" Kiwanis Club

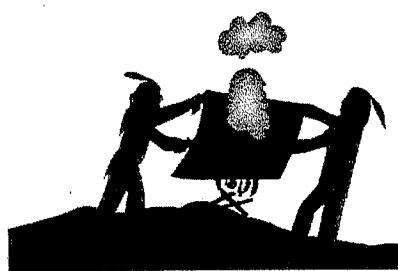
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### May Programs—2005

04 IMPACT OF AGRICULTURE IN ROCK COUNTY—Randy Thompson  
11 WHO ARE YOUR ANCESTORS?—Peggy Gleich  
18 TOUR OF ROTARY GARDENS—Ed Lyon & Mark Dwyer  
25 GETTING TO KNOW JANEVILLE—Neal Mahon [new police chief]  
June 01 LION'S CLUB EYE GLASS MISSION TO HONDURAS—Dave Wagner

### Chairman—Phil Selgren

### KIWANIS ITEMS



### Human And Spiritual Values

Chairman: Glenn Kipfer  
May

04 Bob Johnson  
11 K. B. Chladek  
18 The Rev Jim Miller  
25 Glenn Kipfer

### MAY 18<sup>TH</sup> MEETING - ROTARY GARDENS

We are going to do something different for our May 18<sup>th</sup> meeting. It will not be held at the SONS OF NORWAY. Instead we will be holding it at Rotary Gardens. It will be a regular meeting with coffee and rolls being handled by the Sons of Norway personnel.

The program will be by Ed Lyon, the new Rotary Gardens Director, and Mark Dwyer, Rotary Gardens Horticulturist. They have a great slide show that we are sure all of you will enjoy. Also, it will be peak time for the 100,000+ tulips, daffodils, etc. to be in full bloom so anyone wishing can take a tour before or after the meeting.

Spouses, girlfriends and other guests are invited to attend this special meeting. There will be separate "bachelor" tables for those not bringing guests so there is no reason for anyone not to show up. A sign-up sheet will be passed around on May 4 and May 11. See you there.  Maury Frey

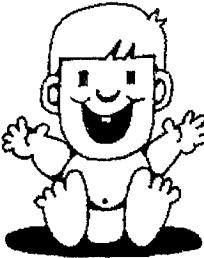
### GREETERS—Chairman: Maury Frey May



04 Tom Hansen & Len Griffith  
11 Don Eckert & Curt Larson  
18 Don Duoss & Gordy Drake  
25 Curly Bold & Dewey Cooper



### YCPO—PARENTING



### FIRST YEAR LETTER

Chairman: Len Griffith  
Co-Chairman: Gene Rupnow

On April 20, 2005, 15 Golden "K" and 5 Noon Club Kiwanians prepared 1,060 Parenting Letters for mailing. 2,120

individuals benefited from this project. This makes a total of 45 man-hours for the month. The cost of printing the letters was \$212. The postage cost [paid by the hospital] was \$266. The next mailing is May 18, 2005.

**Participants—Golden "K"** : Ray Anderson, Jack Biddick, John Dooley, Gordy Drake, Dick Fay, Carroll Flanagan, Nick Furlano, Len Griffith, Tony Guernsey, Bob Johnson, Pete Kealey, Don Kellogg, Rich McMullen, Gene Rupnow, Fred Wiltse.

**Noon Club**: Jack Damrow, Andy Frelich, Floyd Kowal, Jim Leeser, David O'Leary.

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**RAFFLE**— Chairman: Dewey Cooper**May  
Vendors**

04 Dewey Cooper  
11 Fred Wiltse  
18 Elmer Lipke  
25 Tom Albanese

**COMMUNITY SERVICES**  
Chairman: Bill Young

On March 2, 2005, 7 Kiwanians played Bingo with 35 individuals from Rock Haven. They spent a total of 14 man-hours at a cost of \$10.75.

**Participants**—K.B. Chladek, Carroll Flanagan, Maury Frey, Bob Johnson, Glenn Kipfer, Jesse Scarborough, Ray Zahn.

**APRIL INTERCLUB**

Phil Selgren: Chairman

On Tuesday, April 26, six Blackhawk Golden "K" ers traveled to Whitewater for a visit with the Whitewater Noon Club. We enjoyed a delicious lunch ordered from the Novak Restaurant's menu. The Noon Club was recently re-chartered and had 6 members [one woman!] in attendance. Carroll Flanagan is a former member and Past President of the club and enjoyed a "reunion" with one of the current members. The program was presented by the senior planner with the Walworth County Land Use and Resource Management Department. Club members who attended were: Don Eckert, Carroll Flanagan, Dave Knoer Curt Larson, Karl Petter and Phil Selgren.

For May we are hoping to visit a meeting with the Lincoln K Kids some Thursday afternoon before the school year ends.

→ *Phil*

**STATED BOARD MEETING**  
April 27, 2005**Treasurer's Report [Members Equity] :**

Administrative Account	\$ 8,493
Service Account	15,374
<b>Total Cash On Hand</b>	<b>\$23,867</b>

**CONCERNING MEMBERSHIP****Open Houses**

We have already had three successful open houses this year. The purpose of each open house is that each Kiwanian may bring a guest. We have a great organization to share. We all know one or more people who would benefit from being a Kiwanian and the club would also benefit. Let's not presume that it is someone else's job to bring a guest, but each of us can do our darndest to bring one or more guests.

All of our programs have value. Each month we will pick fascinating speakers for our guests to hear. This month we have planned three open houses and have also scheduled one for early June. Here are the details:

May 04 "The Impact of Agriculture in Rock County" by Randy Thompson  
May 18 "Tour of Rotary Gardens" by Ed Lyon and Mark Dwyer.  
May 25 "Getting to Know Janesville" by Neal Mahon [New Police Chief]  
June 1 "Lions Club Eye Glass Mission to Honduras" by Dave Wagner

Now that you know the open house listings, think of a guest and call that person. Both men and women are welcome. Ask him, her, to spend a little time on a Wednesday to share some time with a lot of very fine people and learn something too. Also, any meeting can be an open house if your guest can't make the official open houses. The club will pick up the tab for coffee and the treat. Please do your job and bring a guest!

→ Joel Moore & Bob Johnson

**MAY 2005 CLUB CALENDAR**

04, 11, 25—Weekly Meeting, SON, 9:30 AM  
04—Bingo at Rock Haven  
11—Induction of New Members [if scheduled]  
11—**ANNUAL MEETING, 9:45, SON**  
11—Special Board Meeting, SON, 11:00 AM  
18—Club Meeting at Rotary Gardens  
18—YCPO Parenting Letter Mailing, SON, 8:00 AM  
25—Board of Directors Stated Meeting

**FROM THE PRESIDENT'S  
DESK**

Kiwanians—

I want to say thanks to all of you for your contributions to our club for The Children of the World.

These 6 months of my presidency have gone remarkably well. I look forward to the final 6 months continuation.

Regards to all—

→ *Don*