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**"We Serve The Children Of The World"**

## June Programs--- 2007

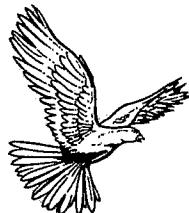
Chairman--- Bob Knudson

06	Council on Ageing
13	The Battle Between the Monitor and the Merrimac
20	Physical Education In Chinese Schools
27	Rock County Sheriff

with Julie Seeman  
Mark Boeche  
with Carol Tyriver  
with Bob Spoden

July 11, 2007--- To Be Announced

## KIWANIS ITEMS



### *Human and Spiritual Values*

Chairman: Glenn Kipfer

06	Jesse Scarborough
13	Charles Wanninger
20	The Rev Jim Miller
27	The Rev Roy Postrock

### *Raffle*

Chair: Dewey Cooper

06	Joel Moore
13	Fred Wiltse
20	Gordy Drake
27	Dewey Cooper

Greeters  
Chair: Maury Frey

06	Bud Holliday – Gene Shepherd
13	Jim Miller – Dick Wixom
20	John Olson – Frank Spoden
27	Glenn Kipfer – K B Chladek

Community Services  
Chair: K. B. Chladek

On 5/2/07, 6 Kiwanians played Bingo with 30 individuals from the ROCK HAVEN NURSING HOME. They spent a total of 12 man-hours at a cost of \$12.25. Participants: Karl Petter, Glenn Kipfer, Duane Durrant, Carroll Flanagan, K B Chladek and John Holcomb.

Ronald McDonald Dental Mobile  
Chair: Ray Anderson

The Dental Van was at the YMCA Care House, 1126 Conde St. on May 15,16,17,22,23 and 24<sup>th</sup>.  
Twelve-4 hr shifts were manned by volunteers. Jim Merchant served 3 of the time periods. Thank you Jim. Approximately 25 young children had work done on their teeth, free of charge. There was no expense to our Club. It is unknown when the Dental Mobile will be back in Janesville. On Average it returns to Janesville two times each year.

### Notice:

Any member may submit items to the Newsletter Editor.

Board of Director's Meeting 5/30/07

- 1) Will Reck recommended some service account budget reductions. Transfer to 0, reduce scholarship contribution for Blackhawk College and UW Rock to \$2,000 each and eliminate misc. line item generating savings of \$7,357. Motion approved.
- 2) Phil Selgren stated that 4- 3<sup>rd</sup>. grade students in Terrific Kids @ Roosevelt, have received certificates and that 2 more should receive them by school year end.
- 3) The Board decided to cancel our 7/4/07 Meeting. Motion approved.
- 4) Phil Selgren received a request from Don Eckert that the Board consider recommending his grandson, Joseph Fox, to receive a scholarship from Blackhawk Tech. Will Reck will make this recommendation when he delivers our \$2,000 check later today.
- 5) Phil Selgren received a memo from Don Eckert stating that the June issue of the Smoke Signal will be his last one as he doesn't have the needed software. Due to a change in circumstances Don will probably be able to continue.
- 6) Phil Selgren stated that Dave Soderberg is in charge of flag disposal day, which will be June 14, 2007.

For further details, consult the Secretary.

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Bloodmobile

Co-Chairs: Marv Hauser & Ron Devine

Congratulations Golden "K" for your cooperation for the June 4,5,6 2007 American Red Cross Blood Mobile at Roxbury Church of Christ.

You provided 21 or 50 of the 42 needed to operate the Blood Mobile and six blood donors. The number of hours spent was 88. The event helped 230 people and did not cost a cent.

The blood donors were Curly Bold, Gordie Drake, Bob Johnson, Carroll Flanagan, Bob Knudson and Jerry Landok.

The following members volunteered for this project: Fred Adams, Ray Anderson, Bob Carlsen, Art Castro, Lefty Clark, Dewey Cooper, Carroll Flanagan, Len Griffith, Marv Hauser, Bob Johnson, Bob Knudson, Curt Larson, Jerry Langdok, Tom Lesniak, John Olrand, Phil Selgren, Frank Spoden and Charles Wanninger. One wife volunteered; Diane Adams.

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FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

Summer is here - at last ! Now we can look forward to outdoor fun and games - picnics, family parties, GOLF, barbecues, "vacations", ball games, etc. Most club members are aware that the cost of replacing the projector has been paid. Many thanks to those who generously contributed. Though many members participated in the Car on Ice and Tree Sale fund raisers, the effort fell short of what was expected. The total shortfall was \$5,000. The Board has approved budget revisions to compensate for the shortfall. Support and success of the September Peanut sale is critical in ending the year with a balanced budget.

The board continues to be concerned about the 2007-08 vice-president vacancy. We continue to hope that someone will step forward to fill this important officer position. SMOKE SIGNAL editor Don Eckert is experiencing computer problems, however, he and Hadden have apparently corrected the problem. Looking ahead to June activities: on June 14 (flag day) the Club will again provide the community with the chance to dispose of worn American flags, thanks to the efforts of Dave Soderberg. It will be held at Kiwanis Community Park on Thursday, the 14th, beginning at 10:30 AM. Fred Wiltse has served as coordinator for many years and has asked to be replaced. Thanks Fred, for your many years of service. The Edison Builders Club is planning to visit Camp Wawbeek in June (date not yet determined). Golden K'ers have been invited to join them in a tour of the Camp. When the date is set, a sign up sheet will be passed for those interested in the trip (probably by bus). Maurey Frey is signing up those members who are interested in helping keep scores at the Ronald McDonald Golf Classic in Beloit on Wednesday, June 27th, from 11:30 to ? PM. PLEASE NOTE: there will be no Club meeting on Wednesday July 4. According to Article XI, section 2 of the By Laws, this can be done without penalty. Other summer events you may want to mark on your calendar include: August 1 - we will travel by bus to the Rock County Airport for the meeting's program. Arrangements made by V.P. Bob Knudson. August 5 - the Rock County Historical Society's annual Ice Cream social will be held at the Tallman House. A sign up sheet is being passed to provide 7 club volunteers to serve in shifts from 10:00 to 5:00 PM. August 15 - the annual Buckley picnic will be held at the lower Palmer Park east pavilion. A sign up sheet will be passed in Mid July for those interested in attending. On Sunday, August 19 the WI-UM district is arranging a "Kiwanis Family Day at Miller Park." Three families have indicated an interest (not enough to hire a bus). A sign up sheet will be passed in June (deadline for registration is July 15). So far, the Brewers are playing very well - this game is vs. the Cincinnati Reds. Game time is 1:05 and the ticket price is \$16.50. We will try to arrange a tailgate lunch before game time.

Looking forward to 3 months of summer fun.

Phil Selgren, Club President

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