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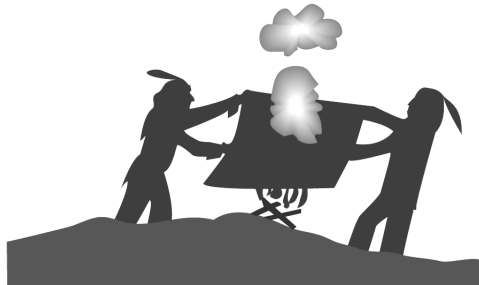
Meeting Each Wed: 9:30AM @ Sons of Norway Lodge, 418 W Milwaukee St Janesville, WI 53545

Wisconsin / Upper Michigan Governor: *Patricia Brinkman*

Division 3 Lt. Governor: *Marcia Lee*

OFFICERS

President: Richard Johnson
Past Pres: Bob Knudson
Pres. Elect: Pete Kealey
Vice Pres: Gordy Drake
Treasurer: Will Reck
Asst. Treas: John Sarnow
Secretary: Tony Guernsey
Asst. Sect: Jerry Langdok



DIRECTORS

2009 Richard Wixom
 Fred Adams
 2010 Richard Olin
 Bill Bessire
 2011 Jerry Langdok

"KIWANIS IS A GLOBAL ORGANIZATION OF VOLUNTEERS, DEDICATED TO CHANGING THE WORLD, ONE CHILD AND ONE COMMUNITY AT A TIME."

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PROGRAMS

Chair: *Curt Larson*

05 What Happened to the *Jeff Heinrich*
 to the Economy *UW-WW Economics Professor*
 12 Travels to Ethiopia *Craig Bergum*
 19 Lean Manufacturing: *Robert Pierson*
 déjà vu all over again
 26 Reflections on 48 Years *Bob Suter*
 of coaching

SEP

02 Market / Meals for Hope *Tony Ends*

AUGUST CLUB CALENDAR

05 9:30 Club Meetings @ S.O.N.
 10, 11, 12 ... Blood Mobile @ Church of Christ
 12 9:30 Club Meetings @ S.O.N.
 13 Golf @ Bass Creek
 19 9:30 Club Meetings @ S.O.N.
 19 5:00 Buckley Picnic
 21, 22, 23 ... District Convention @ La Crosse
 26 8:30 Board Meeting @ S.O.N.
 9:30 Club Meetings @ S.O.N.
 Committee Reports & Smoke Signal Due
 28, 29 Peanut Days

GREETERS:

Chair: *Maury Frey*

08/05 Dick Olin & Glenn Disrude
 08/12 Bruce Pierson & Frank Spoden
 08/19 Ray Anderson & Dick Fay
 08/26 Marv Hauser & Carl Cramer

SPIRITUAL AIMS:

Chair: *Glenn Kipfer*

08/05 Jesse Scarborough
 08/12 Glenn Kipfer
 08/19 Rev. Jim Miller
 08/26 Rev. Roy Poltrock



RAFFLE:

Chair: *Dewey Cooper*

08/05 John Nevins
 08/12 Maurey Frey
 08/19 Joel Moore
 08/26 Dewey Cooper

BINGO AT ROCK HAVEN

Chair: *John Holcomb*



Bingo for the season begins:
Wednesday, September 2
2:00 – 3:00 pm

In our agreement with Rock Haven, we are expected to have 4 or 5 helpers plus a caller. Our dedicated regulars need some help from our new members to keep this worthwhile project going.

Please see me - We need your help

Thanks, *John*

SOCIAL COMMITTEE

Jerry Langdok



Our 2nd golf outing will be on Thursday Aug 13th starting at 9:00am at Bass Creek with the same format as last time.

BEST BALL with:

Flags on all the holes.
 Closest to the pin on par 3's.
 Longest putt on par 4's and 5's.
 Prizes on every hole along with team prize.

I will hand out the foursomes on Wednesday, August 12th so that everyone knows who they are golfing with and you can co-ordinate your golf carts.

If anyone has any questions please let me know.

Lunch will follow the golf with:

Hamburgers and Brats
 Baked beans
 Salad, and Chips.

See me with questions. Let's have a good time.

BUCKLEY PICNIC

Wednesday, August 19
 Palmer Park, East Pavilion
 5:00 Social Hour
 6:00 Potluck Dinner (*coffee & soda provided*)
 7:00 Program

The picnic is our club's summer social event for members, wives/significant others and is named after our first club president William Buckley.

INTERCLUB NEWS Chair: *Phil Selgren*

August Interclub:

After taking a July interclub "vacation", arrangements have been made for the final visit of the 2008-09 administrative year. We will be traveling to meet with the Whitewater Noon Club on:
TUESDAY, AUGUST 18.

Their meeting begins at 11:30 so we will need to meet at the Creston Park parking lot, across from the Firestone Tire Center at 11:00 AM to form a car pool.

The meeting is held at Novak's Restaurant, so we will be ordering from the menu.

KIWANIS, District News *Bob Knudson*

Here are some statistics as of April 1, 2009 to help become better acquainted with our district. We are in the Wisconsin / Upper Michigan district with Patricia Brinkman as our Governor. Our district consists of:

- 6 Regions, containing 4 or 5 divisions each. We are in the Capital region and Mary Meenes is our regional director.
- 25 Divisions. We are in Division 3 and Marcia Lee is our Lt. Governor.
- 190 clubs.
- 6,185 members.
- Average 32 members per club. We had 102 members as of 4/1/2009.
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- The smallest club is North Suburban (*Milwaukee*) in Division 6 with 5 members.
- The club with the most members is in Division 22 Marquette, Michigan with 104 members.
- The smallest division is Division 16 with 3 clubs.
- The highest membership per club is Division 22 with 48 members.
- Our division averages 35 members per club.
- The lowest membership per club is Division 14 with 24 members.
- There are 14 Golden K clubs in the District.
- There is an average of 49 members per each Golden K Club.

MEDICINE DISPOSAL COLLECTION

SATURDAY, AUGUST 29, 2009
WATER UTILITIES BUILDING
123 E. DELAVAN DRIVE

We are looking for volunteers to help for the medicine collection. Workers will need to stand throughout their shift, and we need about 6 members per shift.

Jobs:
Traffic Controllers
Pick up and delivery people (*bucket carriers*)

Two Shifts: 8:30 -11:00
10:45 - 1:00

Thanks, Bob Johnson

FROM THE PRESIDENT’S DESK

Please sign up for the Peanut Sale and Blood Mobile to be held this month, and go to the Buckley picnic as the entertainment is outstanding.

As my term ends, I have not met my major goal of gaining women members. Any suggestions?

Have a great August and thanks for all the help in the club.

Richard Johnson

BOARD of DIRECTORS Meeting 7-29-2009

Members Present: 8:30 am
Richard Johnson, Pete Kealey, Gordon Drake, Will Reck, Bob Knudson, Tony Guernsey, Bill Bessire, Dick Wixom, Jerry Langdok, Richard Olin and John Nevins.

Others Present: *Frank Spoden, Dave Peterson*

Secretary's report of 6-24-09 was submitted at an earlier date. Motion made by Tony Guernsey, seconded by Pete Kealey to approve report as submitted.
Motion approved

Treasurer's report was submitted and discussed by Will Reck. Motion made by Will Reck, seconded by Tony Guernsey to file the treasurer's report as submitted.
Motion approved

Gordon Drake stated that we needed to make a decision on the proposal from Fairview Florist. After discussion it was recommended to table this request as the club had shown only minimal interest.

Frank Spoden made a request that our club purchase a banner recognizing the Aqua Jays to hang from the pole that we use during the winter promoting the truck-on-ice. After discussion a motion was made by Bill Bessire, seconded by Bob Knudson to buy a flag at \$168.
Motion approved

Will Reck stated that it is important for our club to get behind promoting Peanut Day by filling all the slots that John Casper has available.

Our delegates for the District Convention will be Gordon Drake, John Janes and Bob Knudson.

Richard Johnson adjourned the meeting @ 9:02 am.

Report by: *Tony Guernsey*, Secretary

TREASURERS REPORT *Will Reck*



\$ 2,199	<i>Administrative Account</i>
\$ 5,161	<i>Service Account</i>
\$ 7,360	<i>Total as of July 28, 2009</i>