

A Monthly Publication of Janesville, WI Blackhawk Golden "K" Kiwanis Club

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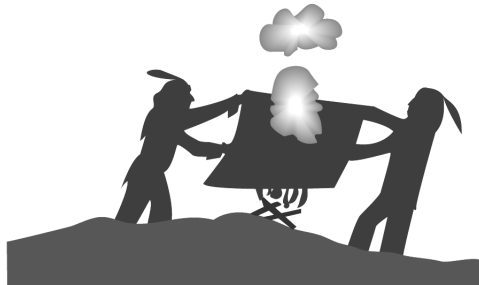
Meeting Each Wed: 9:30AM @ Sons of Norway Lodge, 418 W. Milwaukee St Janesville, WI 53545

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Division 3 Lt. Governor: Robert Knudson

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President: Peter Kealey
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2010 Richard Olin
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2011 Jerry Langdok
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2012 John Nevins
Roy Poltrock

"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

04 Family Farm John Peck
11 Life in a Tanzania Village Mary Batterman
Peace Core Volunteer
18 Long Term Care Ombudsman Matt Rohloff
25 Janesville Charter Schools Dr. Karen Schulte
Superintendent of Schools

DEC

02 New St. Mary Hospital/Clinic Kerry Swanson
President

NOVEMBER CLUB CALENDAR

04, 11, 18, 25 9:30 Club Meeting @ S.O.N.
04 2:00 Bingo @ Rock Haven
05, 12, 19 3:30 Builders Club @ Edison
16 3:00 K-Kids @ Lincoln
17 11:30 Interclub @ Clinton
23, 24, 25 ... Blood Mobile
25 8:30 Board Meeting @ S.O.N.
9:30 Club Meeting @ S.O.N.
Committee Reports.....to Secretary
Smoke Signal Items.....to Editor

GREETERS:

Chair: Maury Frey

11/04 Marv Hauser & Dennis Schroeder
11/11 John Dooley & Fred Wiltse
11/18 Sam Thurner & Vince McKeown
11/25 Ray Anderson & Glenn Kipfer

HUMAN & SPIRITUAL VALUES: Chair: Glenn Kipfer

11/04 Jesse Scarborough
11/11 Glenn Kipfer
11/18 Rev. Jim Miller
11/25 Rev Roy Poltrock



RAFFLE:

Chair: Dewey Cooper

11/04 Joel Moore
11/11 Paul Will
11/18 Bruce Pierson
11/25 Maurey Frey

USE YOUR HEAD

WEAR A KIWANIS CAP!

Ray Anderson still has caps for sale!!

Only \$10.00 No increase in price!!

See Ray for your authentic Golden K cap!!



PRESCRIPTION BOTTLES

Your empty prescription bottles can be put to good use by Health-Net. If you have empty bottles to contribute, they should be washed, labels removed, and placed in a zip lock bag.

Turn in to Paul Will



BINGO AT ROCK HAVEN

Chair: John Holcomb



On October 7th, Duane Durrant, Glenn Kipfer, Gene DeRubeis, Jack Biddick, Ray Zahn, and John Holcomb spent 9 man-hours playing bingo with 30 residents.

Rock Haven residents really enjoy our help.

INTERCLUB NEWS

Chair: Phil Selgren

In November, five club members are planning to visit the Clinton Kiwanis Club on Tuesday, November 17.

They meet at noon at the Sundown Cafe, so we will meet at the Palmer Park parking lot at 11:30 to arrange a car pool.

PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

Pete Kealy

As I wrote in the October Smoke Signal, more information on my goals for this year will be in subsequent newsletters. This month, I want to bring you more information concerning the proposed "**Friends of Kiwanis**".



Any Non-Kiwanian who has assisted the Blackhawk Golden "K" Kiwanis Club in a *significant* way may be named a "**Friend of Kiwanis**" for one year by a majority vote of the Board of Directors.

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- “Significant” may be defined as:
- Volunteering to work two shifts of 2 hours each at any of our Club fundraisers within a fiscal year.
 - Providing transportation to and from meetings for a member.
 - Any other activity the Board of Directors deems worthy of the honor.

A “**Friend of Kiwanis**” shall not be a member of any Kiwanis Club or pay any fees or hold any office.

A “**Friend of Kiwanis**” may attend any of our meetings or functions, and pay the same for that event as does a club member.

“**Friends of Kiwanis**” shall be presented with a certificate of appreciation at a regular Club meeting.

Please talk to board members and share your thoughts, changes, or additions.

BOARD of DIRECTORS Meeting 10-28-2009
Members Present: 8:30 am
Gordon Drake, Will Reck, Tony Guernsey, Richard Johnson, Bill Bessire, Jerry Langdok, Richard Olin.

Others Present: John, Holcomb, Dave Peterson, Bob Knudson, Ed Pulliam and Andy Fraylic from the Janesville Noon Kiwanis Club.

Meeting was called to order @8:30 by Gordon Drake.

Secretary’s report of 9-30-09 was submitted at an earlier date. Motion made by Tony Guernsey, seconded by Jerry Langdok, to approve minutes as submitted. *Motion approved.*

A bill for payment of annual dues to International totaling \$8,174 was submitted. Motion made by Will Reck, seconded by Tony Guernsey to approve dues bill. *Motion approved.*

Treasurer’s report was submitted by Will Reck. Will explained budget for 2009/2010 noting that budget for Elem. School Breakfast was increased by \$100/school, \$500 for Yell and Tell and \$100 for Bringing Up Grades added to budget. Motion made by Will Reck, seconded by Tony Guernsey, to file the treasurer’s report as submitted. *Motion approved.*

Under old business, adding honorary members to our club was discussed. There are guidelines in the International by-laws and our club by-laws as to what qualifies a former member for consideration. Ed Pulliam told us the parameters that the Janesville Noon Club established. After discussion, it was decided that Gordon Drake and Richard Johnson would prepare parameters for our club to be presented at our next board meeting.

Gordon Drake discussed our current by-laws and a proposed attachment #17, “Friends of Kiwanis”. After discussion, Richard Johnson made a motion, seconded by Bill Bessire to table this discussion until next month. Motion approved.

NOTE - ALL BOARD MEMBERS SHOULD REVIEW THE BY-LAWS DURING THE COMING MONTH.


Ed Pulliam and Andy Fraylic of the Janesville Noon Club made a presentation asking our club to partner their annual Mother’s Day Breakfast at the Elk’s Club with the ultimate goal being our club sponsoring the event long-term. They left a copy of last year’s paperwork for us to analyze. This will be discussed further at another board meeting.

John Holcomb discussed a program at Harrison school concerning “Reading for Kids”. A teacher, Jodi Adler would be making a short presentation at our regular meeting. She would like volunteers and could also use some funds to get the program started. John recommended \$100.

Donovan “Don” Filter’s name was submitted for membership. Motion made by Richard Johnson, seconded by Tony Guernsey, to approve Donovan Filter for membership. *Motion approved.*

Gordon Drake adjourned the meeting @ 9:20 am.
Report by: **Tony Guernsey**

TREASURERS REPORT Will Reck

 We have submitted a budget proposal for 2009-2010. It reflects a shortfall of \$1,700 which means we have to exceed our expectations in money raising this year.

MEMBERSHIP Chairs: Bob Johnson, Pete Kealey
Welcome to our newest member.



Donovan Filter
Oct 28, 2009

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Division 3 Newsletter (Highlights), November 2009
Bob Knudson, Lt Governor

I would like to thank the clubs who sent information this month. Remember this newsletter is for all the clubs who have things to share, whether it is fund raiser, a service project, or news about your members. DEADLINE IS THE 25TH OF THE MONTH.

Janesville Noon Club: November 7th (Saturday) will have the “Fall Fest of Ale”. Times are 6pm -10pm at the Holiday Inn Express. Cost is \$50.00 which includes food, music, fun, and beer from over 30 brewers and over 130 brews.

Clinton Club: November 14th (Saturday) will have their Pancake Day. Times are from 7am – 2pm at Clinton High School.

Whitewater Breakfast Club: The annual Poinsettia Sale. Colors are Red, White, and Marble (red and white). Cost is \$9.00 for a six inch plant, (1 plant per pot with 5-7 blooms); and \$16.00 for an 8 inch plant, (3 plants per pot with 15-18 blooms). Orders need to be in by November 24th and will be delivered Tuesday December 8th or you can pick them up at the Whitewater Greenhouse, 301 County Road, Whitewater. To order you may call Pat Brooks @ 608-883-6838. Checks payable to “Whitewater Breakfast Kiwanis”. It would probably be good that one person in each club takes all the orders and give Pat a call.