

SUNRISE NEWS

MAY 2016

Kiwanis Breakfast Club of Oconomowoc
P.O. Box 462 Oconomowoc, WI 53066
Wednesday Morning 7:15 AM
Lake Terrace Clubhouse Restaurant
1380 West Wisconsin Avenue

Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to improving the world one child and one community at a time.



President's Corner - Jim Fulmer

It just seemed like I sent out an article to Jerry for April. Our Club is starting to get more active this month as we have the tree sale on May 7th, then the "Hall Of Fame" on May 10th at the Terrace starting at 6:00 p.m.

Thanks to --

Ed Somers for putting together the tree sale, along with Andy and Jerry picking up the trees.

Jerry also for the work on putting together the meal and program for the Students for the "Hall Of Fame" and arranging the highway cleanup April 30th.

Andy for attending the FFA Banquet and handing out the scholarships.

If you were unable to attend Bill Peebles 80th Birthday Party (Roasting) you missed a great time. Bill's family put together a

awesome program. Bill you have been really blessed, and your family. Thanks for inviting me.

May 10th we are having our second Aktion Club meeting at 6:30 p.m. in the Café at LaBelle Café.

Please think about being a board member (will need 3) or President Elect.

Our Christmas Committee had their first meeting April 23rd and our ladies from the Dance Studio had great ideas.

They even know **Face Book**, so this is really a blessing to help us get the info out for people to sign up. It also cuts down on the time spent on paperwork. Thanks John, Andy, Jerry, for attending.

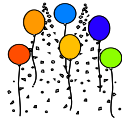
President, Jim



May 9th, 2016

JACK' JUMPERS

Jack Smid, Captain
Carolyn Crom
Jane Fredrich
Andy Wagner
Dave Lauber
Chet Seffrood



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Leonard Schacht 5-6
Tom Massnick 5-10
John Koehn 5-12

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Deb and Mike Bursinger 5-14

GREETER & INVOCATION

May 4 Kathy Kaempf
May 11 Sandy Karkossa
May 18 John Koehn
May 25 Dave Lauber



WHAT'S HAPPENING

May 4 Breakfast Meeting
May 6 Prepare Tree preorders
May 7 Tree Sale
May 9 Bingo
May 10 Aktion Club Meeting
May 10 Hall of Fame Dinner
May 11 Breakfast Meeting
May 18 Breakfast Meeting
May 25 Breakfast Meeting
May 26 Great Grill Out at
High School
May 30 Memorial Day

**Thanks to Jane Fredrich
for arranging speakers for the
month of May**

May 4 **Kathy Larson**
Owner of OIL WELL store

May 11 **Nick Lambert OHS student
and Danielle Sauick**
"GRILLING TO GIVE"

May 18 **Roger Mayer**
Boy Scouts

May 25 **Safia Abdul Aziz**
Exchange student from Malaysia

ROBOTICS UPDATE

The FFA banquet held on Saturday, April 23rd. 2016 Service nominations. The following students were nominated by the Officer team to be considered for Kiwanis recognition for service. They are listed in the order of number of nominations. The criteria was exceptional leadership, teamwork, and cooperation at all activities. This included set-up, clean-up and all of the behind the scenes work. Zach Nehr, Sadie Radanovich, Emma Schampers, Brody Kurtz, Luke Peterson, Marissa Schaper, Alexia Reals, Octavia Buschhaus, Justin Jacobson, Alexander Budzien, Brandon Oldenhoff, Tyler Klotz, and John King. These were paid for by the Golden K Kiwanis Club at \$20.00 each.

Scholarship eligible candidates were Briana Griswold, Steven Point-natural resources: Carly Huelse UW Platteville- agribusiness: Mark Venenga WCTC- Police science: Maxine Miller CISCO- Texas medical assistant: and Maddy Kussrow WCTC- Human Services: These scholarships were given by Oconomowoc Breakfast Kiwanis Club at \$120.00 each.

Thank you to Harlo and Dave Ferrus and Jerry and Sue Schneider for printing the certificates.

Andy

Hello to the sponsors of the OHS Robotics Team,

Just wanted to let you know our team had two big successes this year.

At the WI regional our teammate Nate Early was selected to the "Dean's List". This is the highest award given to an individual student in FIRST Robotics. The team was happy to have the opportunity to nominate Nate because of his dedication to the team and STEM education. Nate will go on to compete at the World Championships in St. Louis where 10 students will be selected to the National Dean's List.

Which brings us to the second success. The OHS FIRST Robotics team mentors many VEX Robotics teams from Oconomowoc. One team went to the VEX Robotics Middle School National Championship in Council Bluffs, Iowa and they won!!! I still can't believe we have National Champions in Oconomowoc. Thanks to the mentorship from our high school students this group of 5 boys had a great year in VEX robotics. Nate Early is one of the mentors. The students in the photo from left to right are Owen, Aiden and Hans Jacobsen, Max Knuth and Tony Rodriguez.

Tony is my grandson, so for me this has gone full circle. It started with my daughter Paula (now Kummrow) in 2000 and now in 2016 it is my grandson. Please feel free to reproduce these photos for company

newsletters. If you do use this and can send me a copy of any newsletter the team keeps these articles.

The OHS Robotics team thanks all our sponsors for your strong, continued, dependable support of STEM education in our school. Because of our sponsors the team had another wonderful opportunity to implement classroom education in an exciting competition and we had the opportunity to pass on our enthusiasm to the younger students in our community.

Robotics, Sport for the Mind!

Laurie Vertz

“Just a Mom” (because Mom’s do everything)

OHS FIRST Robotics Team 269

262-391-0952 cell



SUMMER PARTY

Carolyn is planning our summer outing for Saturday July 9th starting about 12:30/1:00 . It will be at her place on Okauchee Lake. Lunch and boat rides. Bring your own beverage(liquor). She will have water, ice tea, lemonade. Cost to be determined. Sounds like fun !! Please RSVP to ckcrom@yahoo.com or 262-567-9003
Thanks Carolyn



KEY CLUB – NEW BOARD’S FIRST PROJECT

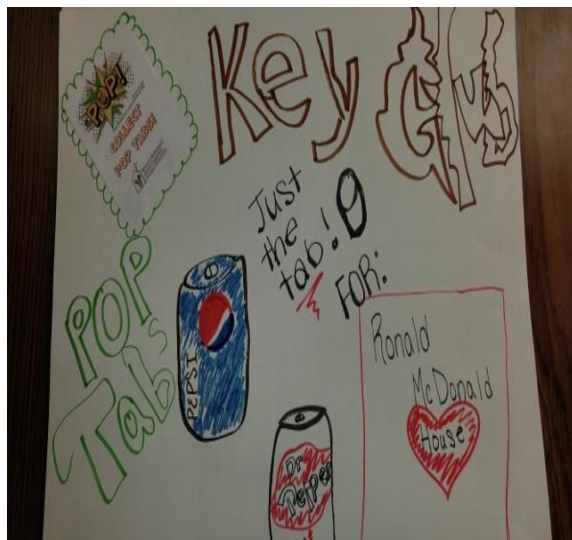
Each year the new Board members come up with a project so they can learn leadership and to work together as a new group. This year they are organizing a collection of POP TABS for the Ronald McDonald House. They will be putting posters and a collection container in the schools in the Kettle Moraine District. If you have any please bring them to a meeting by May 25th and I will add them to their collection

THANKS !

Jerry

OCONOMOWOC HIGH SCHOOL KIWANIS HALL OF FAME

The 51st Hall of Fame awards dinner will be held at Lake Terrace Clubhouse on Tuesday, May 10th. Arrival at 6:30, dinner at 7:00. Cost is \$13.50 per person. Join us to honor this group of students and hear the teachers talk about their accomplishments. Please RSVP to Jerry or sign up next Wednesday.





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OASD GLOBAL SERVICE LEARNING PROGRAM

June 22nd is our youth opportunity work day! We will be working with Nature Hill 7-8th grade students as they proceed with their Service Learning Program.

We have been in touch with John Kelliher, director of Parks, Recreation, and Forestry for the city of Oconomowoc. We have identified the opportunity of developing walking trails in Oerling Park, which is on the opposite side of the river from Riverside Park.

The city will mark the trail to be developed, will supply a truck with wood chips, and provide some necessary equipment. The students, along with the help of Kiwanis, will clear the brush and trees and cover the area with the wood chips. Nineteen students have signed up. We need eight Kiwanians willing to work with the students that

morning, two Kiwanians to serve a meal, and a few cookie bakers.

This is an opportunity for Kiwanis to follow through with our commitment to work with the youth of Oconomowoc, to tackle a wonderful community project, to have a good public relations opportunity with only a minimum cost to our club.

Remember June 22nd is the date! Our project begins right after our regular Kiwanis breakfast.

JACK GROTHAUS

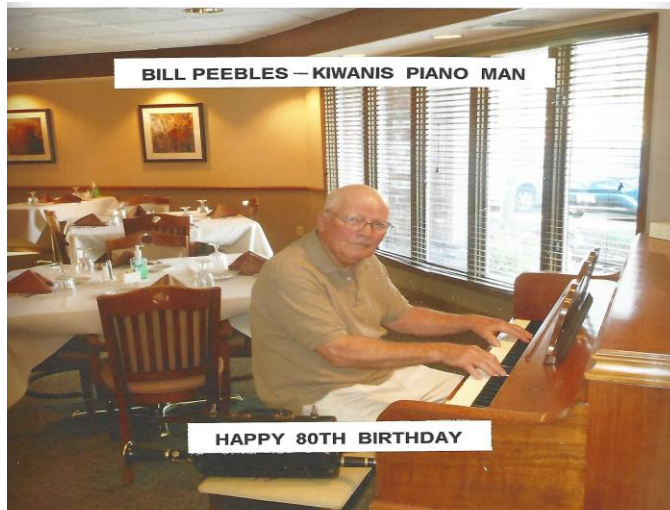
ROAD CLEAN UP



YEAH !!!!!!!!!!!!! This year we were able to get the road clean up done on the 1st scheduled day, Saturday April 30. You may recall we got rained out twice last year, finally getting it done on June 6th. Thanks to Andy, Jack, Jane John and Steve for helping. We were joined by our 2 Key Club advisors, Joanne and Amanda and 2 members Sam and Jacob. **THANKS TO ALL !**

No money found this year (Jacob found \$10 last year) but certainly all kinds of trash. We plan to have another one in fall as we are supposed to do it 3 times per year.

BILL PEEBLES CELEBRATES HIS 80TH BIRTHDAY



Bill's family held a great party for Bill on Saturday, April 23rd. It was amazing all the pictures and history they put together. They even pulled out their old musical instruments to put a family band together to play Yankee Doodle and On Wisconsin. With all the endeavors Bill has taken on through his life and with 4 Kids we can be thankful that he has found time to do Kiwanis service.



The family traveled to all 50 states (WOW)