

SEPTEMBER 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

September is here, and the first of October I will be handing over the gavel to Andy. I enjoyed the position, learned, and grew a lot. We all had a lot of laughs, and I appreciated all the help from every one of you.

In the past two years we have accomplished a lot. I appreciated the effort you all gave in the great speakers you brought to our breakfast meetings.

I want to thank you all again for a great job in coming together to help with all the community projects, and especially the committee chairs. I am proud to be a member of this great community Club. All of you have great hearts in helping the Children and our community to enjoy life to the fullest.

Thanks Bill Peebles for the speakers for August.

September not much will be happening except for committee meetings.

Thanks again for the great two years!!

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JIM



**ON 2 GREAT YEARS!!** 



Pres. Jim



## September 12th

BILL'BUNCH
Bill Peebles, Captain
Kathy Kaempf
Mark May
Colleen Meyer
Jerry Schneider
Leonard Schacht
Fred Steinlein
Fred Schnell



Jim Fulmer 9-10 Colleen Meyer 9-12



Andy & Carol Wagner 9-3
Steve & Gale Schmiedlin 9-7
Dave & Peggy Lauber 9-8
Len & Lynne Zacharias 9-8
Fred & Mary Ellen Schnell 9-24



#### GREETER & INVOCATION

September 7 Len Zacharias September 14 Deb Bursinger September 21 John Caucutt September 28 Carolyn Crom



## WHAT'S HAPPENING

September 5 Labor Day

September 7 Breakfast Meeting

September 12 Bingo

September 13 Board Meeting

September 13 Aktion Club outing at

Zachariah Acres

September 14 Breakfast Meeting

September 19 Shrimp Dinner Meeting

September 21 Breakfast Meeting September 22 1<sup>st</sup> day of AUTUMN

September 27 Budget Meeting

September 28 Breakfast Meeting

October 1 Christmas Parade Meeting

October 4 Blood Drive

November 6 Shrimp Dinner

December 3 Christmas Parade

Thanks to Jerry Schneider for arranging speakers for the month of September

September 7 – Laura Volz - Azura Director of Community Relations

September 14 - Salvation Army

September 21- Holly Tunak-Shorehaven Fitness Center

**September 28 – Club Day- Discussions** 

- Money from Will Peaska
- Lake Area Free Dental Clinic
- Shorehaven Fitness Center
- Bingo

#### DISTRICT CONVENTION



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August 12<sup>th</sup>,13<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> at Olympia.

Thanks to everyone who worked at the registration desk. Everything went smoothly.

Special thanks to Paula Seffrood for putting together the great basket we donated to the District Foundation's raffle. It was the best of all !! It had the most tickets dropped in the bag for the drawing.

The members who attended felt they came away with some new information. We may be able to apply for a grant from the District Foundation for the Aktion Club start up fees. Jim & Bev will check this out.

The entertainment on Friday and Saturday night was super.

The young ladies from Key Club and Circle K did a fantastic job speaking.

Andy did a great job on coordinating everything with Mark Finger, District Secretary and was recognized at the banquet.

### **SHRIMP DINNER**



Andy reports that he and Tom Ginn met with the officials at First Bank Financial Centre to request the money for the volunteer tickets. They have approved \$2,000.00 so that First Bank Financial and the Kiwanis will be the only sponsors for the tickets. If you know anyone at the bank make sure you thank them.

Tom Ginn is setting up selling tickets on line through Eventbrite. Ticket buyers can get to the Eventbrite site by going to our website –

oconomowockiwanis.org and click on the link.

The next committee meeting is September 19<sup>th</sup> at 5:00 PM at Café LaBelle. Everyone is welcome to attend.

## **ART FESTIVAL**

Thanks to all who worked at the food stand and drove the vans to shuttle the artists to their parking area at Greenland School. Thanks to Steve for getting the vans from Lakeland and organizing the drivers. The rains came through several times on Saturday and kept the crowd down. Sunday was a nice day and the crowd was good so it was a much better day for sales. After our expenses and 40 percent of our net profit to the Art Festival (\$553.51) we had a net profit of \$840.27.(Budget amount was \$600.00) Last year our net was \$675.00 and in 2014 it was \$953.00. If Saturday would have been a little better our profit probably would have been around \$1200.00. new pita bread (Papa Pita) was well received and the price increase didn't seem to hurt as we gave them a generous portion. The net profit from this project isn't huge but the 40 percent that goes to the Art Festival is our contribution to this community event. It also makes our club visible to many people. It is also

a great time to get to know each other better not to mention getting soaked by the rain and wearing some ARTZY hats! Jerry







## **BINGO TEAMS**

The board has discussed the possibility of cutting the teams down to two(2). This means members who are on a team would do this every other month. Sometimes the teams have been short handed. In order to determine what we should do we need to get an updated list of members who have the time available on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month and want to participate. We start at 6:30PM and usually are done around 8:00 PM. A separate email will be sent out to obtain an updated list of members who want to participate. This will be discussed at the club day meeting on September 28th.

## CLUB DAY – SEPTEMBER 28<sup>TH</sup>



IMPORTANT TO ATTEND THIS MEETING TO JOIN IN ON THE DISCUSSIONS.

Items to be discussed

1.What should we do with the \$2044. 14 donated back to the club from Will Pestka. Some ideas are to use it for -Long term donation to Lake Area Dental Clinic, consider another church welcome sign on Hwy 67 South, shoes that fit, hold it for future scout requests, use it for a donation to Shorehaven Fitness Center.

- 2.Long term donation to Lake Area Dental Clinic
- 3.Long term donation to Shorehaven Fitness Center
- 4. Number of Bingo Teams

We just finished a long term donation of \$1000.00 per year for 5 years to Lake Area Free Clinic

One thought was that if we made long term donation to the dental clinic or the fitness center any tax deductible donations made by any member directly to either of these would be their tax deduction but would be added to the clubs total. This could shorten the number of years needed to fullfill our commitment.

#### **BOSTON STORE FUNDRAISER**



Once again we will be selling Boston Store books for their fall community days. This year the sale dates will again be for 4 days – November 9,10,11 and 12. The coupons can be used ahead of the sale dates starting about November 1 through November 8 and then pick up the merchandise from November 9 to the 19th. If they can't make it to the store there is a 30% online coupon. I will be passing out the books soon. Look over the book, there are some very good bargains, especially with using the \$10 coupon. Encourage people to buy the books and stock up on some items they will need in the future. Also, buy items to donate to next year's silent auction. As usual our Club gets to keep \$5.00 for every sale. Last year we cleared \$1306.59 (Bonus check included) and this year our goal is at least \$1000. Our goal is for the members to sell/buy at least 4 books.

They make great gifts or a thank you to someone. Emphasize that their \$5.00 donation gets them a book that can save them over \$500 or more and if nothing else by using the \$10.00 coupon they double their money.

# Money we make goes towards all the good things we do and support.

Please turn in your sales count & money ASAP as I need to give them a weekly count on sales. We need 100 sold to get selected to sell on the sale dates and share in the bonus check from books sold by Boston Store Sales Associates.

We will also be doing pre-sales at the Mayfair store four times which has been successful in the past. The dates are October 6<sup>th</sup>,13<sup>th</sup>,20<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup>. All Thursdays from noon to 2:00PM. We have 2 doors to cover so it would be great to get 4 signed up each time, 2 at each door. I will have a sign up sheet.

In the past we have car pooled or you can meet us at the store.

Sign up and test your sale skills. All they can do is say no. It can be fun.

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Jerry

## **HAPPY FALL**



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