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BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES

The following Club members were born and/or joined Kiwanis during the month of February. Club members wish them a Happy Birthday and/or Happy Anniversary!

BIRTHDAYS

Sue Tetu - 2/7
Dave Bernard - 2/11
Paul Weathers - 2/13
Bill Weidacher - 2/26
Stan Shepherd - 2/27

ANNIVERSARIES

Stan Grant - 1959
Bruce Willey - 1966
Erik Lesniak - 2005

UPCOMING SPEAKERS



Feb 3. Janine Tousignant: Manchester Community Music School

Feb 10, Arlene Kershaw: Easter Seals, Seniors Count

Feb 17, Doug Wenners: Anthem BC/BS, Nationalized Health Care and its impact on NH

Feb 24, Dean Williams: Manchester Moves, Manchester Rails and Trails Initiative

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

by Emile Tetu



The Board of Directors held its monthly meeting on January 21, 2010.

President Glenn welcomed Cathy Cere, the chairperson of the Club's Read With A Child

Program at Beech Street School. Cathy asked the Board if they would approve increasing this program from one day per month at Beech Street School to two days per

month; one at Beech Street and one at Wilson Street School. The reason for this is the tremendous response of volunteers from the Club. In addition Cathy requested that if the Board approves this increase that they also approve an additional \$250 for the needed books. The Board approved the increase of days and the \$250.

The minutes of the December 17, 2009 and the financial statements for December 31, 2009 were approved. The balances in the three accounts are: Foundation Account = \$6,096.67; Parking Account = \$11,660.08; Operating Account \$10,223.71.

Mike advised the Board that early next week he will be contacting New Hampshire Charitable Fund to determine what income there is in the Bud Smith Scholarship Fund and make arrangements to have it sent to Breakthrough Manchester per the Club budget.

Tom Janosz had let the Board know that his trade organization makes available to non-profits who are recommended by certain funeral directors grants between \$500 and \$3,000 each quarter. He asked that the Board choose a non-profit from our membership and provide them with the application. The Board placed all names of Club members who work for a non-profit in a hat and drew the name of Natalie Martin with The Way Home. She will be given the application, which will need to be completed and given to Tom for his recommendation. At that point it will be forwarded to the trade association who will choose a winner. Each member of the Board thanked Tom for thinking of the membership when presented with this opportunity.

The Board received a report that Bedford High School Key Club had raised \$1,500 for a child with Batten's Disease. Rob Dionne will be taking over the duties of Club Advisor to the West Key Club and Monika Bryant will assume the duties of the new Key Club at Memorial High School. The Memorial Key Club has 40 charter members and has already held two meetings.

Debbie Landwehr has scheduled an interclub at Hooksett for February 3, 2010. This meeting will include a dinner and a presentation by John Clayton of the Union Leader. Cost is \$15 per person. If you are interested contact Debbie @ 623-0479

The Club has completed their first night of volunteering at Café Lauren (Girls Inc) and will be doing another night on February 3, 2010. If you are interested contact Jen Indeglia @ 625-1296

In case you missed it the cover page of the recent issue of the Yankiwian was provided by the Kiwanis Club of Manchester. Our own Tom Kallechey took this picture. In addition two other pictures provided by our Club were used inside the issue.

Our Social Committee is working feverishly to fill all the seats for the Kiwanis Night at the Majestic Theatre on February 11, 2010. The evening will include a buffet dinner and a stage show performance of the musical SUDS. Cost is \$30 per person. If you are interested contact Emile Tetu @ 627-3255 or David Bernard @ 669-1086

Tracey Adams let the Board know that shortly she will be asking for volunteers to help set up the new playground equipment at the newly renovated Boys and Girls Club. Our service will save the Boys and Girls Club \$8,000. This will be done on April 10, 2010, which is also Kiwanis One Day. No experience necessary; the fact that your Treasurer is going to volunteer proves that point.

The Board approved the following donation requests:

- \$200 – Manchester Boys and Girls Club for Youth of the Year Award.
- \$600 – Manchester Boys and Girls Club for their Kids Day Booth.

The New England Conference is scheduled for March 5-7, 2010 in Worcester and the International Convention is scheduled for June 23-26 in Las Vegas. Debbie Landwehr and Rob Dionne will represent the Club in Las Vegas.

The next meeting of the Board will be held on February 18, 2010 at Hampshire First Bank @ 7:30 am

KIWANIS NIGHT AT THE MAJESTIC

by Rob Dionne

Join us at Kiwanis Night at The Majestic for the NH Premiere of **SUDS: A Rocking Musical 60's Soap Opera**. This Dinner Theatre performance will be held at The Majestic (281 Cartier Street, Manchester)

on **Thursday, February 11, 2010 at 6:30pm.**

Advanced Reservations are required for this event. We encourage you to bring your significant others/friends. Get your tickets soon before we open this up to other Kiwanis groups and their family/friends.

Tickets are \$30.00 per-person and includes soda/coffee, dinner, show, and dessert! BYOB is permitted. Reserved seating and can be purchased by calling Dave Bernard at (603)669-1086 or Emile Tetu at (603)627-3255 or you can mail a check to:

KIWANIS of MANCHESTER
re: SUDS The Musical
P.O. Box 987
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PICTURES FROM OUR JANUARY MEETINGS

by Tom Kallechey



Debbie Landwehr honors Jim Dunphy, President, Hampshire First Bank

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

FEBRUARY INTERCLUB

By Debbie Landwehr

This is a reminder that we will be having our next interclub of the year in February. Information is as follows:

Hooksett Kiwanis Club

February 3, 2010

6:30 p.m.

\$15.00 per person, includes a sit down dinner coffee/soda

Speaker will be John Clayton

The club holds their meetings in the Penman Room at SNHU.

Please let me know by January 29th if you plan on attending. This should be very interesting to see how another club operates. I hope many of you can join us.