

# Kiwanis

Lee's Summit Kiwanis Club

## NEWSLETTER

September 2011

### MEMBER NEWS

**A Distinguished club shows growth. We need 3 new members this month to reach distinguished. We can do it. We need to pursue it. Ask you friends, family and neighbors and any one else you can think of to join Kiwanis. It is a great place to invest your time.**

### CLUB CALENDAR

#### Sept

- 19 Division 4 Council – Passing the banners for new officers. Lee's Summit will have a Lt. Gov. Select.
- 20 Installation at our regular location, Special meal .
- 22 Read to Head Start 10 AM & 2 PM
- 23 Oktoberfest – Set up and Funnel-cake sales
- 24 Oktoberfest – Funnel cakes all day long.

#### Oct.

- 13 Read to Head Start 10 AM & 2 PM
- 17 Division 4 Council – new year begins with Dave Skitek as Lt. Gov.
- 27 Read to Head Start 10 AM & 2 PM

### COMMITTEE REPORT

The treasurer's report as of 8/31/2011 shows our funds at \$16,358.34. Allocations included \$525.16 in the Administrative account and \$13,833.18 in the service account. Expenses from the service account included \$2000 for our 2 scholarships and \$300 for Head Start books. We had 19 meals for the LaGrange in August Dick Daily has worked hard to get a reading schedule for the Head Start classes. The first reading session will be Thurs 9/15 at 10 A.M. and 2 P.M. Roger S. is scheduled for the morning and Dick for the afternoon. Any one interested in joining them, make arrangements with these guys. They are pros at reading to the youngsters.

The Terrific Kids Program is a Go at Lee's Summit Elementary. Thanks to Claire for her diligence to get this running again. She convinced the Principle of the need for Terrific Kids. Way to go Claire! Watch for more information on dates and time of presentations.

## BIRTHDAYS

### September

Do we have Twins?"

9/23 John Horner and Ed Herde

9/26 Roger Shipley

### October

10/3 Doug Stoll

10/6 Roger Brown

10/22 Cheryl Anderson

## Special Thoughts for our Members

Keep Don and Louise Casey in your thoughts as Don is recuperating at Wilshire at Lakewood

## SPEAKER SCHEDULE

Sept. 13 Lanny Lea

Sept 20 Installation

Sept. 27 Cheryl Anderson

Oct. 4 Business Meeting

Oct 11 Wilma Brown

Oct 18 Bill Mohle

Oct 25 David Sketik

Nov 1 Business Meeting

Nov 8 Karen Jones : speaker from Narcon

Nov 15 Mel Blunt

Nov 22 John Horner

Nov 29 Richard Veasman

Dec 6 Business Meeting

Dec 13 Claire Jones

Dec 20 Tim Hite

## PROGRAMS and SERVICE

Sept 13, Lanny has Dena Mezger as speaker. Dena is City Engineer for Lee's Summit. This should be an interesting program.

We will need to get a head count for those attending the Installation on Sept. 20<sup>th</sup>. Meal that evening is scheduled to be garden salad, bar-b-que brisket, green bean almandine, a gratin potatoes and apple pie for desert. I hope we have a good attendance.

1 million pillow case challenge is our new project. Not that we plan to make a million pillow cases, but we will be making pillow cases for Hope House and for our Head Start students. Our numbers will be added to the challenge. If any one has extra cotton fabric, it takes 26 inches of 45 inch fabric for the case and 10 inches by 45 inches to make a contrasting band that will fit a standard pillow. Everyone matched up cases and bands last week to get a start on the project.

It is good to have Lado Sirdadze with us this year as Mel's student from the country of Georgia. We hope to hear a program from him in the near future about his country. We are also looking forward to his music at Installation. We are Kiwanis international. It was good to see Vlad while he was visiting. Thanks for bringing him to the meeting Mel.

And while we have international students with us, Doug presented his program on his trip to Nicaragua. The team he went with built houses, provided food and household goods and provided medical needs to the people all in the name of Project Hope. Great job. How do you put a goat in your carry on luggage?

## Additional dates

September 20 Installation of officers

September 23-24 Ocktober Fest Funnel cakes.

## KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL

Kiwanis International Convention 2012

New Orleans

June 28- July 1 2012

## LEE'S SUMMIT KIWANIS CLUB OFFICERS

Roger Shipley, President

Karen Van Jones, Secretary

Bill Moehle, Vice President

Richard Veasman, Treasurer



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