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Dear Kiwanis Club Members:

The Examiner celebrates it's 35th year as a proud sponsor of the Jackson County Spelling Bee that will be held on Saturday, March 20 at the Fort Osage Auditorium. All public, private and home schools in Jackson County can be part of the county spelling bee.

This will be my seventh year coordinating the Bee and having the Kiwanis Club providing breakfast and lunch for students and their parents the last four years has been absolutely wonderful!

Since the Bee is held at the Fort Osage High School, having breakfast and lunch ready and served by Kiwanians makes the day go so smoothly!

Would you kind Kiwanians be interested in being a co-sponsor with The Examiner again? With your donations, we could provide a simple breakfast and lunch for these students and their parents.

With your participation, the Kiwanis Club would be recognized on all literature sent to the parents whose children are participating and on all house ads that will run prior to the Bee, along with a thank you in our Spelling Bee Program for providing the breakfast and lunch.

With recognizing that one of the goals for the Kiwanis Clubs being to promote youth, this seems to be a perfect fit for both of us.

We will be sending a letter to the bee champions of each participating school informing them of the bee location, times, etc. and we would love to be able to say "breakfast and lunch provided by these specific Kiwanis Clubs." That letter will be sent February 25 to the parents.

Thank you for your consideration.

Karen VanJones of the Blue Valley Kiwanis Club is coordinating this joint effort. Please contact her at 461-5204 or 377-7240 or ksorrison@hotmail.com

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