



Rochester Day Makers Kiwanis Club

Tuesdays 9:00 A.M. at Rochester Athletic Club Building,
3100 19th Street NW Rochester MN

See Day Makers on the web at: <http://www.kiwanisrochester.org>

See MN-DAK District Site at: <http://www.mndak-kiwanis.org>

Newsletter for June 2016

Minnekotan for this month is available at:

http://www.mndak-kiwanis.org/public_district/pub_Content.aspx?PageID=79

DO NOT FORGET



FATHER'S DAY JUNE 19

OFFICERS

President	Joanne Markee
Imm. Past Pres.	Judy Zierdt
Pres. Elect	Bill Wichmann
1 st Vice Pres.	Peter Schuh
Secretary/Treasurer	Dick Lundberg

DIRECTORS (3 yr terms)

Joan Olson	2016
Curt Pearson	2016
Bruce Jawer	2017
Kathy Davis	2018
Shar Hain	2018

CHAIRS & Meeting Dates

Membership	Peter Schuh	3 rd Thursday 9am
Program	Bill Wichmann	1 st Tuesday, 10:15am
Youth Services	Jerry Steinke	1 st Tuesday
Community Services	Helen Kolb, Rick Johnson	3 rd Tuesday, 8:30 am
Human & Spiritual	Ruth Vrieze	3 rd Tuesday, 10am
Early Childhood Dev	Larry Scilley, Dick Vrieze	4 th Tuesday
Operations	Judy Zierdt	1 st Tuesday
Board Meeting	Joanne Markee	2 nd Tuesday, 10am
Eliminate Project	Jack Zierdt, Herb Erickson	1 st Tuesday, 10am

Historian: Bruce Keller	Pres. Advisor: Judy Zierdt
Interclub: Roger Olson	Web/Newsletter: Dick Odell
Asst Sec./Treas: Jack Zierdt	Imm Past Lt Gov Div 7: Dick Odell

Program Schedule:

06/07 – New Member Education, Jack Zierdt, Joanne Markee

06/14 - School, Melissa Brandt, Bill Wichmann

06/21 - History Center, Pat Carlson, Bill Wichmann

06/28 - Blood Donor Program, Barb Paradise, Bill Wichmann

Dates to Remember:

June 16th – Membership Committee, Perkins South
<http://www.kiwanisrochester.org/PerkinsCoupon.jpg>

June 23-26th – KI Convention, Toronto, Canada
<http://www.kiwanis.org/convention/2016>

Aug 5-7th – MN-Dak District Convention, Fergus Falls, MN (Used book sale and diapers needed)
<http://www.mndak-kiwanis.org>

Be generous with your service and \$\$s.

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Remember to register with Smile.Amazon.Com to help our club generate Service Dollars. It is “free” money.
<http://smile.amazon.com/ch/51-0155637>

President's Corner:

Note from Joanne...

Happy Summer! June is upon us and it is so great to see sunshine, green grass and all of the beautiful flowers!

A couple of big projects going on in June to help us make our goal for Eliminate...so that we can put that goal to rest. We will all be so happy when we finally accomplish that feat. A huge thanks to everyone who continues to work on this commitment ... we will make it!

The first project is Herb Erickson's brainchild...and he needs help from all of us to man the table at HyVee to raise awareness and money for Eliminate. Don't forget to sign up to help; just 2 hour slots...sitting in the lovely weather and meeting lots of great people as they go in to shop.

The second project is the 'Rochesterfest/Kiwanis Golf Ball Drop'. Richard has enough golf balls now...we hit the 2000 mark this week. A big thank you to all who have already sold a lot of raffle tickets... we need to sell 2000 so we still need your help. Father's Day is coming up maybe dad, sons, son-in-laws, any man in your life might want a chance to win the prize! Please continue to sell so that we can really make a 'dent' in the Eliminate number...that is our goal. We also need people to sign up to work the week of Rochesterfest and especially the day of the Drop (June 25). Be sure to check the clipboards and sign up...it will be a great week of fun. *See poster page 4.*

Happy June..... **Joanne**

June Birthdays:

9	Larry Krob
15	Don Cain
18	Bill Wichmann

June Anniversaries:

3	Bob & Joan Nowicki	10	John & Elaine Griffith	19	Larry & Gwen Scilley
5	Marv & Elaine Anderson	14	Will & Phyllis Rasmussen	20	Bruce & Theresa Keller
5	Dennis & Karen Lee	15	Larry & Gayle Segar	22	Jim & Barbara Decker
9	Bill & Donna Schneider	18	Richard & Majel Hall	27	Jerry & Susan Steinke
				27	Ella & Glenn VanLaningham

Secretary/Treasurer's Report – 05/10/16:

Bank Balance – 4/30/2016: \$11,544.64
Bike Repair: \$ 212.13
Charitable Account \$ 19.27
Administrative Account: \$ 6,063.54
Service Account: \$ 5,249.70

Members on Leave: Don Cain, John Griffith, Dennis Lee, Karen Lee, Mike Siverling, Dave Truxal

April Service Hour Statistics: 973 hours by 43 members, 60% Participation.

May 2016 Board Meeting Summary

The Site Search Committee updated the board on its progress: Investigating: Eagles Club, Hadley Creek Golf, Peace Church, 125 Live, Autumn Ridge Church.

Golf Drop Raffle Fund Raiser for Eliminate Status: Raffle tickets are being sold; Posters have been printed, and will be posted at businesses in June.

The Reading Oasis at Gage School: A \$2,000 IBM grant has been submitted and approved. Other grants are being submitted. The Kiwanis Hockey Festival will provide \$500.

Dave Moehnke described a "Dine to Donate" fundraiser at the Texas Roadhouse Restaurant. On an assigned day, our club would receive 10% of sales from Members & Friends who dine there. The board approved this as a Club Fundraiser.

The Membership Committee was directed to follow-up on five inactive members with unpaid dues.

The board discussed the status of the Builders Club at the Boys and Girls Club. There are issues there that need to be resolved. Cribbage tutoring will be suspended, as a Day Makers project, for the time being. The project will need more Day Makers members, and possibly Key Club member involvement, plus a budget for the next school year in order to continue.

The board discussed our clubs representation at the District Convention. The board named our clubs three delegates: Shar Hain, JoAnn Markee, and Judy Zierdt. The alternates (2) will have to be named at the June Board Meeting.

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Secy Report: (Continued)

Committee Reports:

Community Service- Our club is volunteering once per quarter at Saturday Noon Meals at CUMC.

Early Childhood Development- We have a good supply of books to be distributed.

Human & Spiritual Values- Don Wendt has volunteered to print our "Thinking of You" and "Sympathy" Cards. Interfaith Hospitality Network (IHN) has changed its name to Family Promise.

Operations- Our club will have a fundraiser at the Pizza Ranch in November.

Program- Programs are booked through June 14th. The clubs birthday party is scheduled on July 26th, and the Club Picnic on August 9th at Quarry Hill Park.

Youth Services- Our clubs Century HS scholarships will be awarded at an Awards Ceremony on May 27th.

Richard Lundberg, Secy/Treasurer

Did You Know ?? : Father's Day – June 19th

After the success obtained by Anna Jarvis with the promotion of Mother's Day in Grafton, West Virginia, (see last month's newsletter) the first observance of a "Father's Day" was held on July 5, 1908, in Fairmont, West Virginia, in the Williams Memorial Methodist Episcopal Church South, now known as Central United Methodist Church.

In 1910, a Father's Day celebration was held in Spokane, Washington, at the YMCA by Sonora Smart Dodd, who was born in Arkansas. Its first celebration was in the Spokane YMCA on June 19, 1910. In 1966, President Lyndon B. Johnson issued the first presidential proclamation honoring fathers, designating the third Sunday in June as Father's Day.

Six years later, the day was made a permanent national holiday when President Richard Nixon signed it into law in 1972.

So now you know ... just don't forget June 19th.

Dick Odell

PS: Summer Begins – June 21st – Longest daylight !

2016 MN-Dak District Convention - August 5, 6, 7th Bigwood Event Center - Fergus Falls, Minnesota

(Online registration requires credit card payment)
Please note: If you are a member you will be asked to login using your email and Kiwanis portal password. If you do not have a password you can create one as you begin your registration.

- Full registration fee: \$160 until July 15, (\$185 after July 15) (child \$50). (Full registration fee includes Friday dinner and entertainment, Saturday breakfast, noon lunch, and evening banquet, Sunday breakfast, hospitality refreshments, entertainment, workshops, program book.)
- Saturday only registration fee: \$125 until July 15, (\$140 after July 15)
(Full registration fee includes Friday dinner and entertainment, Saturday breakfast, noon lunch, and evening banquet, Sunday breakfast, hospitality refreshments, entertainment, workshops, program book.)

Sign up now at:

<http://www.mndak-kiwanis.org>

Dick Odell

Kwik Trip Gift Cards: (For Drivers or Gifts)

Our Kwik Trip gift card fundraising program has now raised over \$4,000.00. This has been done with 6 members buying a LOT of gift cards and 4 more buying regularly. Just think what could be done if 20 or 30 members were supporting this project.



PLEASE, try to find a reason to purchase these gift cards. They don't require you to donate even 1 cent toward the project. They make great gifts for birthdays, Christmas, graduations, anniversaries, thank you gifts and of course your own use for gas or any purchases in the store.

Get creative and think of a way to use these cards. There is **NO OTHER FUNDRAISER THAT COSTS YOU NOTHING TO SUPPORT.**

The Kwik Trip Gift cards do not expire and they work for anything in the Kwik Trip Stations, including fuel, food, etc. The Kwik Trip Corp rebates \$\$ to our club for our Eliminate M/NT program to save lives from Tetanus.

<https://www.kwiktrip.com/getdoc/6f1fb01a-90ac-475d-86ad-30ea54c9bbc7/Fundraising>

Herb Erickson, Dick Odell
For Eliminate Project

Harriet Bishop K-Kids:

The Harriet Bishop K-Kids wrapped up an outstanding year at their last meeting on May 17 with an ice cream social. They did a Power Point presentation of their activities and achievements for the year. Having previously set a goal of raising \$300 for "The Boys and Girls Club." They exceeded it by raising \$429.50.

Helping to push them beyond their goal was duct tape day. A vote was taken by the student body of selecting two teachers who had said they were willing to be duct taped to the gym wall. During that day each class came to the gym and began applying the tape which was cut into lengths by the K-Kids, who also assisted the younger kids. When the chairs were pulled, the tape held.

Shown in the picture is Justin Lowndes accepting the check on behalf of the Boys and Girls Club from the Kiwanis Harriet Bishop K-Kids Club.



Rick Johnson

Kiwanis Mission Statement:

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





Rochesterfest Kiwanis Day Makers



Golf Ball Drop

Ball In or Closest to the Hole:

1st Place: \$500 cash

2nd Place: \$100 cash

3rd Place: \$ 50 cash

100 % of the proceeds goes toward the Kiwanis Eliminate Project to eradicate Maternal / Neonatal Tetanus in the world.



The drop takes place at 4:00pm on Saturday June 25, on the west side of the Rochesterfest grounds at Soldiers Field.

**Cost:
\$5 per ball**

Must be 18 or older to purchase a ticket or win a prize.



You need not be present to win !

Tickets sold on Rochesterfest grounds all week. You can also get tickets from any Kiwanis Club member.

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Century Key Club:

Alli Berry, Cara Greaney, Triplet Rihal, and Windy Zheng posed for this picture at their Key Club meeting on May 27th. They along with Alicia Cowel will be graduating from Century High School June 11th. Their last meeting for the year is June 3rd at Valentinos at 5:45pm.

Any Day Makers who wish to attend this award evening are welcome. Cost is \$8.

Helen Kolb

