



Rochester Day Makers Kiwanis Club

Tues 9:00 A.M. at Rochester Elks Lodge 1091 Building,
1652 US Hwy 52, Rochester MN 55901

See Day Makers on the web at: <http://www.kiwanisrochester.org>
See MN-DAK District Site at: <http://www.mndak-kiwanis.org>

Newsletter for August 2021

Minnekotan for this month is available at:
<http://www.mndak-kiwanis.org/Page/1014>

**DAY MAKERS
KIWANIS**

**IN - PERSON
MEETINGS**

**EVERY TUESDAY IN AUGUST
AND
REMOTE ZOOM AVAIL**

OFFICERS

President Kathy Davis
Imm. Past Pres. Jim Schwinghammer
Pres. Elect
1st Vice Pres. Open
Secretary/Treasurer Jack Zierdt

DIRECTORS (3 yr terms)

Dave Bhaskaran 2021
Garry Post 2021
Bruce Keller 2022
Larry Scilley 2022
Jim Decker 2023

Chairs & Meeting Dates

Membership	Jim Schwinghammer	3 rd Thursday 9am
Program	Larry Segar	1 st Tuesday, 10:15am
Youth Services	Helen Kolb, Ken Redding	4 th Tuesday
Community Services	Rick Johnson	3 rd Tuesday, 8:30 am
Human & Spiritual	Ruth Vrieze	3 rd Tuesday, 10am
Early Childhood Dev	Larry Scilley	4 th Tuesday
Operations/Fund Raising	Jim Schwinghammer	1 st Tuesday
Board Meeting	Kathy Davis	2 nd Tuesday, 10am
Strategic Planning	Jim Cook	

Historian: Bruce Keller Pres.Advisor: Jack Zierdt
Interclub: Herb Erickson Web/Newsletter: Dick Odell
Asst Sec./Treas: Jim Decker

Program Schedule:

...Special Notice ...

The five meetings in August are at 9am at the Elk's. The meetings are booked for In-Person and will also be shown via Zoom Meeting software, see details below:

- 8/03 RCTC Update Pres. of RCTC, Jeffery.Boyd, Larry Segar**
- 8/10 Healing Rhythms Update, Christina Wood, Ella VanLaningham**
- 8/17 125 Live Update, Cheryl Thode, Kathy Davis**
- 8/24 The Pain Experience, Kirsti Boyum, Carolyn Heyne**
- 8/31 Rochesterfest 2021 Debriefing, Brandon Helgeson, Bob Nowicki**

Keep in touch via email or phone and stay safe.

Children's Fund: Amazon Smile Program

When you shop this year, remember the Amazon Smile Program for boosting our fundraising projects.

<https://smile.amazon.com/gp/chpf/homepage?orig=%2F>

Same products, same prices, same service. Amazon donates 0.5% of the price of eligible purchases.

What a good fundraising opportunity for our Kiwanis Clubs. Check it out at the web site shown above.

Herb Erickson and Dick Odell

President's Corner:

Greetings to all Day Makers, Summer is quickly slipping by. I can't believe we are in the last moth of summer. Enjoy it all !!

August 6th-8th is our Kiwanis convention in Sioux Falls and our club is sending 3 delegates. I feel very honored to be doing a duel role at the convention as I am both our new Lt Governor for Division 7 and one of our club delegates. I will try to represent you in the best manner possible. Our other two delegates Linda Rouhoff and Judy Zierdt. We will give you a full report when we get back.

What a good turnout and fun time we had at our picnic on July 27th. The talk by the Quarry Hill staff was very interesting and entertaining. I learned a lot 😊

As we look to our fall season coming up please be thinking of new ideas for our club to participate in doing. We have some great projects but new ones are fun too. We are looking to see what we can do to help with the Jerimiah project.

I did hear at the picnic that we will be losing one of our members in the near future. Ella Van Laningham is moving to the cities. Ella you will be greatly missed. You have worked very hard in helping our club be successful.

I know this letter is short but I've got about 3 things going right now and a convention to get ready for. Take care,

Kathy Davis , President

August Birthdays:

06 Herb Erickson
18 Larry Scilley

August Anniversaries:

20 Judy and Jack Zierdt
23 Dave and Helen Truxal

Treasurer's Summary: 2021 August

Accounts Balance 07/29/2021:	\$ 25,538.34
Administrative Account	\$ 6,421.26
Service Account	\$ 13,566.30
Charitable Account	\$ 8,550.78
Total Membership	47
"K" Dollars Total	\$519.00
as of 07/28/2021	

Day Makers ZOOM Meetings:

Time: Aug 3, 2021 09:00 AM
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88902329996?pwd=TzJQUdVuUUZOY1hCWnRJb3hOTDI0dz09>
Meeting ID: 889 0232 9996
Passcode: goblue

Time: Aug 10, 2021 09:00 AM
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82585356187?pwd=bnk4YmX0YUJYWV1ajVKQ2p5R1dQUt09>
Meeting ID: 825 8535 6187
Passcode: goblue

Time: Aug 17, 2021 09:00 AM
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81354440387?pwd=K0lCeJZQaW80NlVhTForc0NMNTJ0QT09>
Meeting ID: 813 5444 0387
Passcode: goblue

Time: Aug 24, 2021 09:00 AM
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88036257717?pwd=ZEEdzRUZnNGR6azQzSWJqbHE3eGFuUT09>
Meeting ID: 880 3625 7717
Passcode: goblue

Time: Aug 31, 2021 09:00 AM
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85896298721?pwd=cCtQV29GRmZrS0tWbDdnVDd4L1dkZz09>
Meeting ID: 858 9629 8721
Passcode: goblue

David Bhaskaran



2021 Minnesota-Dakotas District Kiwanis Convention
KIDS NEED SCHOOL SUPPLIES

This year the conference will be held at the Holiday Inn City Centre, Sioux Falls, SD, August 6th-8th, 2021.

As you pack your bags for the District Convention, remember to pack school supplies for the district's service project.

Here is a list of items kids can use:

Brand new supplies:

- Backpacks (character bags for grades 1-5; bags with
- Laptop sleeve for middle/high school grades)
- Three ring binders – 1 ½-2” rings or zipper/Velcro
- Binders for middle school
- Composition books (wide ruled & college ruled)
- Folders, any solid color (2 pockets, no clasp, solid colors)
- Crayola crayons (24 count)
- Crayola Classic wide-tip markers
- Colored pencils (12 count)
- No. 2 plain pencils
- Scissors – Fiskar Brand, pointed 5” & 7”
- Rulers w/standard and metric
- Glue (white, 4 oz.)
- Blue or black pens
- Red pens
- Erasers – magic rub or equal preferred
- 4-packs of dry erase markers

Kiwanis MN-Dak District Convention: Aug 6 – 8th

The District Convention is in Sioux Falls, Aug 6th – 8th, 2021.



Thirteen Day Makers went to Convention in Sioux Falls in 2011. Are you going this year ?

← See photo.

Dick Odell

Kiwanis Day Makers Club Dues:

July is the 1st month of the 4th quarter of the Kiwanis year. Please send your check for the 4th quarter dues to Jack or you may “hand them in.”

The dues are as follows: Regular Membership \$45.00 @quarter; Spouse Membership \$25.00 @quarter and Life Membership \$35.00 @quarter.



Jack Zierdt, DM Treasurer

Day Makers Club Picnic: July 27th

Our Day Makers club celebrated its 27th Club Anniversary with a picnic on July 27th in the Quarry Hill Nature Center (QHNC) picnic area. After moving QHNC’s picnic tables out of the 90 F degree hot sun, our “Picnic Meeting” formally started around 5:00 with guest speaker Jenny Doty from QHNC. She charmed us with stories of the many “animal incidents” people call QHNC about.

Kathy Davis kicked off the “meeting” portion of our picnic, followed by Jack Zierdt’s Invocation and Helen Kolb’s recitation of July 26 week’s birthdays (Curt Pearson, Garry Post) and anniversaries (Dallas and Ruth Glaser). Then it was “chow time.”

We had 53 attendees which included members, members’ spouses, as well as some possible future members! Our main food feature was Pulled Pork w/ side of BBQ sauce & Buns Pasta Salad, Baked Beans, Coleslaw – catered by Charlie’ Eatery and Pub. Mmmm good! Thanks to Bob Nowicki we all enjoyed our 27th Anniversary cake for dessert, as well as yummy cookies. Mmmm good #2!

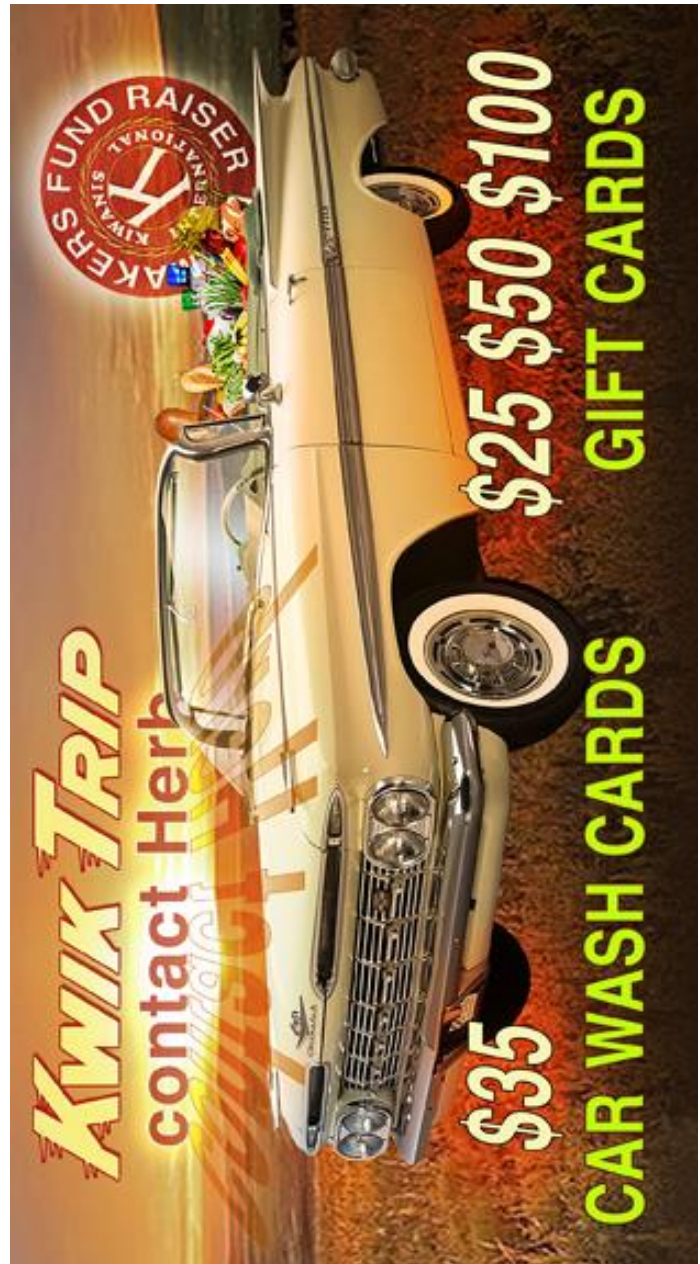
Special THANKS go to the “picnic committee” who helped set up/take down and provided beverages that included: Jim Cook, Ella VanLaningham, Larry Segar, Kathy Davis, Carolyn and George Heyne, Helen Kolb, Herb Erickson, Dallas Glaser, Bob Nowicki. Dave Bhaskaran, Jim Schwinghammer and Jack Zierdt! Extra good time, especially after no picnic during 2020!

Needless to say, “A good time was had by all.”

Jim Cook and Dick Odell

KwikTrip Fund Raising:

Larger size poster to help you remember the opportunity for fund raising via KwikTrip cards.



Summer is finally here Keep that car/truck looking good for that vacation trip, etc.

Gary Post

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING: July 13, 2021

Kathy called the Board meeting to order at 10:00 AM

Board Members/Committee Chairs rPresent: Jack Zierdt, Dave Bhaskaran, Jim Cook, Garry Post, Kathy Davis, Bruce Keller, Jim Decker, Larry Scilley, Ruth Vrieze, Jim Schwinghammer, Helen Kolb, Rick Johnson, Linda Rouhoff, Herb Erickson, Ken Reding

Board Members/Committee Chairs Absent: Larry Segar

Others Present: Judy Zierdt, Dick Vrieze

Approval of Agenda: It was moved, by Jim Decker and seconded by Garry Post to approve the Agenda. **Approved**

Approval of Minutes of Previous Meeting: Ruth Vrieze moved and Herb Erickson seconded to approve the minutes from the June 16, 2021 Board Meeting. **Approved**

Treasurer's Report as of June 30, 2021: The printed report was sent out to all board members preceding the meeting. It was moved by Ken Reding and seconded by Jim Decker to approve the report. **Approved**

OLD BUSINESS:

We discussed ways that we could serve the Jeremiah Program with Ally Hanten Ebert regarding opportunities the Day Makers could be of service. Following Ally's presentation to the Board and discussion it was moved by Jack Zierdt and seconded by Helen Kolb that the Day Makers Kiwanis Club would support The Jeremiah Program with 2 \$500.00 scholarships and 1 Welcome Basket annually beginning immediately. **Approved.**

NEW BUSINESS:

It was decided that we would collect school supplies for the District Convention Service Project. The last day to bring them to a Day Makers Meeting will be Tuesday, August 3rd.

Kathy Davis, Linda Rouhoff and Judy Zierdt were designated as our delegates for the District Convention at Sioux Falls, SD August 6, 7 and 8.

It was announced that budget items for the 2021-2022 Kiwanis Year should be turned to Jack Zierdt by August 1st.

The board approved matching the Happy Dollars Donation at our regular meeting on this date (July 13th) for donation to The Landing MN. The amount collected was \$39 so our total with matching funds would be a total amount of \$78. With other donations received following the Board Meeting we donated a total of \$100.

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Meeting

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OTHER BUSINESS:

HOCKEY FESTIVAL – Jim Decker reported that the festival will be held on December 28th, 29th, and 30th, of 2021. We will need workers and signup sheets will be available when we get closer to the Festival being held. The committee is working on sponsors and ads in the booklet.

Committee Reports:

Community Services:

The Bike Repair Project will be done unless a location and chair is found.

Program:

The annual picnic will be held on Tuesday July 27th 4:45 PM Start Time and 5:15 PM Food Served at Quarry Hill.

Youth Services:

Ken Reding will check with Riverside Elementary on the Terrific Kids Program.

Kathy adjourned the meeting at 11:00 AM

Jack Zierdt

Secretary/Treasurer

Kiwanis Bench:

Our club needs to fund one of these benches 😊
I saw this in Cumberland WI



Kathy Davis

Kiwanis Fund Raising: Save Dollars on Cars/Trucks

Make that old car look new again and enjoy many



other products at Kwik Trip.

Herb Erickson and Dick Odell

K-Dollar Challenge Fund Raising:

If any of you have collected “K Dollars” since our last Kiwanis Meeting, please be sure to bring them to our Kiwanis Meeting this coming Tuesday, August 3rd. I will be taking a check for our club’s total collected since last year’s convention to our District Convention in Sioux Falls, SD, on Thursday, August 5. I will present our club’s contribution to Kathy Welle, Children’s Fund Chair for our MNDK District. So far we have received \$519 as of 7/27/2021.



Remember that our “K Dollars” all go to the Children’s Fund to be given towards reaching children through grants, scholarship programs, and Kiwanis youth programs.

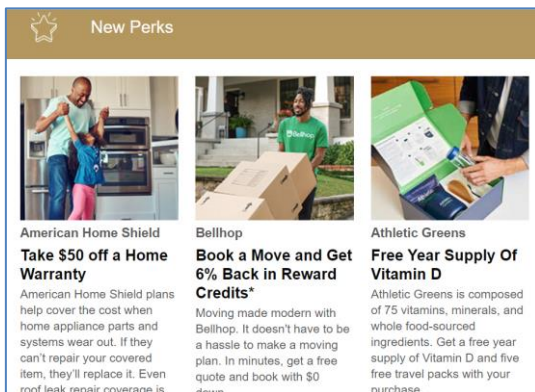
Thank you so much for all of your support of this project.

Judy Zierdt

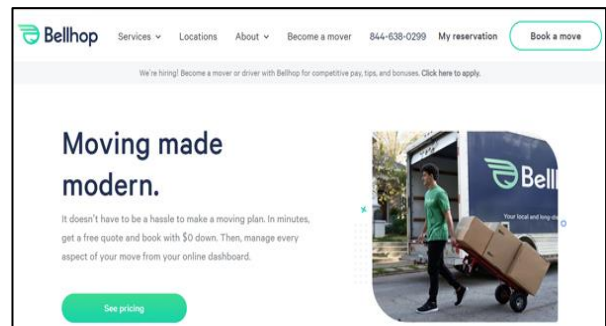
Weekly PerkStop.com Offerings:

Kiwanis International has made special arrangements with PerkStop.Com . Each week you would get a short email showing you various products and service that offer discounts to Kiwanis members.

There are hundreds of products and services... check it out if you are looking for cars, travel, moving, need plumbing, electrical, housingvacation, etc.



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