



Rochester Day Makers Kiwanis Club

Tuesdays 9:00 A.M. at Senior Center
Use Senior Center Parking Lot

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

Newsletter for **Sept 2004**

Autumnal Equinox



Sept 22–Balanced

OFFICERS

President	Marv Anderson
Imm. Past Pres.	Carolyn Heyne
Pres. Elect	Ella VanLaningham
1 st Vice Pres.	Al Strom
2 nd Vice Pres.	Richard Hall
Secretary/Treasurer	Dick Lundberg

DIRECTORS (3 yr terms)

John Bradock	2006
Larry Mason	2005
Marlys McCoy	2006
Gerry Kratz	2004
Ken Plummer	2004

CHAIRS & Meeting Dates

Membership	Al Strom	Last Friday Breakfast
Program	Ella Van Laningham	2 nd Tuesday
Youth Services	Dave Arlander	3 rd Tuesday
Community Services	Marie Alexander	3 rd Tuesday
Human & Spiritual Values	Frank Nichols	2 nd Tuesday
Young Children Priority One	Larry Scilley	4 th Tuesday
Operations	Carolyn Heyne	4 th Tuesday

Historian: Bruce Keller
Inter-club: Phyllis Jacobs
Asst Sec./Treas: Jerry Kratz
Activity Patch Coordinator: Dick Hall

Publicity: Tom Lemke
Newsletter: Dick Odell
Regional Rep: Norm Morrison
Pres. Advisor: Pat Horlocker

Program Schedule

Sep 07 *Club Assessment Photo Quiz* - Membership Committee

Sep 14 *Experience in Iraq* - Staff Sgt Greg Ziemer
- rescheduled from Aug 24 (army preempt!)
- hope you enjoyed our replacement program, April Sutor, VP, United Way, community needs

Sep 21 *History of the Plummer Building*
Don DeCramer

Sep 28 *Annual Dinner: Holiday Inn South, 5:30 pm*
- don't want to miss this!
- good food, good fun, good fellowship!
- no morning meeting

Day Maker Web Site

It is best if you can provide a “**Subject**” on your emails that starts with “**Kiwanis**”.... Remember to try and have a digital photo taken of your Kiwanis activities for the web site.

Dick Odell, web editor

September Birthdays

2	David Alexander	27	Marvin Anderson
9	Zanti Squillace	30	Richard Lundberg
14	Carolyn Chaapel	30	John Wade
17	Norman Morrison		

September Anniversaries

1	Craig & Diana Martens	13	Bob & Shirley Rossi
5	Richard & Deedee Odell	26	Zanti & Ruth Squillace
9	Ken & Kathy Plummer	29	Al Southwick & Art Larson
10	Ken & Rosie Reding		

President's Corner

It is hard to believe that my year as president of the Day Makers will end at the end of September. It has gone quickly. Because of all our active and willing members, it has been a great experience. Each of you made my job easy.

In the President's Corner a few months ago I said I think of our club as a mosaic. Just as each tile or small stone contributes to form the mosaic, every individual has an important function in the club. Your job may have been to send a card of encouragement to a member or spouse. You may have been a greeter or a set-up person. You may have been the chairperson of a committee or served on a committee. You may have provided storage for bicycles. You may have chaired or worked on the calendar project. You may have worked at the Hockey Festival. You may have rung bells for the Salvation Army. You may have worked to repair bicycles. You may have introduced a speaker. You may have been an officer or board member. The list goes on. No matter how large or small your job has been, our club wouldn't be what it is today without YOU! Just as each little stone makes up a mosaic, you make up the Day Makers.

At the MN-DAK District Convention in Fergus Falls our club was presented several awards. I presented the patches we earned at our meeting on August 17. At the annual dinner on September 28 we will present our Governor's Full Participation Awards to thirty of our members who have earned 150 or more points. Phyllis Jacobs earned 775 points! The club AVERAGE was 169.36 points per member!

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Secretary/Treasurers Report – Aug '04

Bank Balance 7/31/04:	\$ 9,008.05
Administrative Account:	\$ 10,955.46
Service Account:	\$ -2,775.74
Hockey/YCPO:	\$ 602.04
Bike Repair:	\$ 226.29

Day Makers Currently On Leave: David Arlander, Judy Lien, Ray Ricketts, Susan Ricketts, Dave Truxal

July Service Hour Statistics: 625 hours by 46 members, 61% Participation.

8/3/04 Board Meeting Highlights:

Tom Lemke and Bob Wenner have agreed to audit our books for the 2002/2003 year.

The Program Committee is starting to look for a picnic site for next year. Ideas should be given to Marlys McCoy or Al Strom.

The board approved allocating the \$1,200 budgeted for the International Convention as follows: The two delegates \$450 each, the two alternates \$150 each.

The board suggested sending around a sign-up sheet for JSSVP drivers at the next few club meetings to gauge interest of members.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership- We will be doing a quiz matching names to membership photos the first meeting in September along with the club assessment. "Ask me about Kiwanis" pins will be made available. Two applications for membership were received today.

Program- Programs are set through September.

Operations - Carolyn Heyne will write up a procedure for the calendar project.

Community Service- Four volunteers have signed up for senior agency current events discussion.

Youth Services- Paul Sodt presented a proposal for a new service project which would support Century High School businesses classes with the expertise and experience of our club members. The idea will be presented at a club meeting, and interest will be gauged with a sign-up sheet.

Richard Lundberg, Secretary/Treasurer

Human and Spiritual Aims

The Fall Season is almost upon us. Its colors are rich and its beauty delights the human heart. Its brisk winds rejuvenate the mind; ample sun warms and comforts the body. Frost leaves its impression on nature as far as one can see. Nature is abuzz with transformation. The elm trees are now yellow, glowing along the horizon.

Our blood flows freer in the autumn. Our spirits are invigorated by wind-tossed trees and smoking haze on inviting trails beckons us on to the grandeur and glory in the hills just beyond. Now is time to enjoy life. Make the most of it!

The fallen leaves crunching beneath your feet will bring sweet memories that insist upon coming and going. Why? Because it's autumn! This is the year's twilight zone. Autumn will change you, if you let it. Let it carry you back through your yesterdays. Think about what you might have done. Wonder about what you could have become. Let autumn stimulate your ambition. It will empower you to accomplish more than you've ever achieved before. It will move you on to greater things. Why not let it happen?

Merle A. Dunn

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Overall, Region 7 earned the most awards. I believe I am safe in saying that within Region 7 the Day Makers won the greatest number of awards. While it is great to receive awards, it is even more satisfying to know we have served our community, our district, and the world through Kiwanis.

We look forward to formally inducting Dallas Glaser, Bill Schneider, Vivian Wissink, and Todd Gabriel as new members this month. We know each will be an asset to our club. It appears that our club will again win the Distinguished Club Award!

Finally, please plan to attend our annual banquet on September 28. Ella and her committee are working hard to make it a fun and enjoyable evening.

Until next month . . . *Maru*