

Rochester Day Makers Kiwanis Club

Tuesdays 9:00 A.M. at Flamingo Bingo, Hwy 52 N., East Frontage Road

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

Newsletter for **Nov 2010**

Minnekotan for this month is available at: http://www.mndak-kiwanis.org/newsletter.php



OFFICERS		DIRECTORS (3 yr terms)		CHAIRS & Meeting Dates		
President	Don Wendt	Steve Steele	2011	Membership	Richard Odell	3rd Thursday 9am
Imm. Past Pres.	Kathy Davis	Dave Arlander	2012	Program	Joanne Markee	1 rd Tuesday, 8:15am
Pres. Elect	Joanne Markee	David Moehnke	2012	Youth Services	Jerry Steinke	1 st Tuesday
1 st Vice Pres.	Richard Odell	Diane ;Johnson	2013	Community Services	Larry Segar	3 rd Tuesday
2 nd Vice Pres.	Larry Segar	Richard Vrieze	2013	Human & Spiritual Values	Herb Erickson	2 nd Tuesday
Secretary/Treasurer	Dick Lundberg			Young Children Priority One	Larry Scilley	4 th Tuesday
Historian: Bruce Keller Pres. Advisor: Ella VanLaningham Interclub: Larry Krob Web/Newsletter: Dick Odell, J im Cook				Operations Public Relations	Kathy Davis Open	1 st Tuesday

Program Schedule:

Asst Sec./Treas: Jack Looft

Nov 2 Riding the Western States, Fred Carlson

Nov 9 Senior Center Future, Sally Gallagher, Dean Stenjhem

Regional Rep:

Open

Nov 16 Visit with Louise Mayo, Coralee Grebe

Nov 23 Cascade Meadow Wetlands, Larry Tarnow Cascade Meadows, 1710 Industrial Drive Nov 30 Dawn's Travel Tips, Dawn Belden

Remember these dates:

Nov 3rd Hockey Festival Committee at 5:30pm in conf room 104 in the Government Center.

Nov 9th board meeting after regular meeting and any interested member is invited to attend

Nov 16th Hockey Festival Committee at 5:30pm in conf room 104 in the Government Center. Nov 18th – Perkins South Kiwanis Day

Check out the World Time Clock and Statistics at: http://www.poodwaddle.com/worldclock.swf
It is cool and very scary....rjo

Remember your "Circle of Three", or they may forget to call you....

Presidents' Corner:

As the new president and after a month on the job, I have to report that things are going pretty well. I found out that I shouldn't sing along with the song if I have the microphone turned on. Apparently my voice isn't what I thought it once was. LOL

Second, when going to a regional convention meeting, I should have a listing of everything we've done since the last meeting, not try to "wing it". I've also learned that I have to be a "traffic cop" in guiding the clip boards around the meeting.

But I've also learned to appreciate what this club does in the way of volunteering not only in this club but other area clubs. There are so many different projects that people are working on that it takes your breath away.

Congratulations to all of you and keep up the good work!

On November 13 we will have an education meeting at the golf course in Red Wing. Our club will be well represented by Chuck and Margee Jacobson, Jack and Judy Ziert and Sally and myself.

Remember to bring a friend to our meetings. It's a good way to introduce them to Kiwanis.

Don Wendt, President

November Birthdays:

Judy Lien Connie Mavhew 1 17 John Griffith 2 Sue Thalacker 20 4 Chuck Jacobson 22 Jack Holmes 9 Al Strom 25 Karen Lee

November Anniversaries:

- 2 Richard & Karen Lundberg
- 15 Paul Sodt & Pat Horlocker
- 21 Bob & Jane Lahtinen
- 28 Gene & Rachel Mullenbach

Secretary/Treasurer's Report - Oct 2010

 Bank Balance 9/30/10:
 \$ 15,531.74

 Administrative Account:
 \$ 12,541.81

 Service Account:
 \$ 2,667.56

 Hockey/YCPO:
 \$ 81.94

 Bike Repair:
 \$ 115.43

 Key Club
 \$ 125.00

Day Makers on leave: Ron King, Sara King, Ruth Vrieze

September Service Hour Statistics: 533 hours by 46 members, 54% Participation.

October 12, 2010 Board Meeting Highlights:

The board discussed our "circle of three" and how it is not currently working. The board decided that the greeter should be instructed to remind members to be sure to check their circle of three at each meeting.

The board discussed how we should reimburse our delegates and other members that attended the District Convention. The board decided to reimburse each member that attended \$110.00 and each driver an additional \$50.00.

The board discussed requesting the \$1,000 hockey tournament funds that were allocated to our K family projects. Jack Zierdt, Dianne Johnson, and Richard Lundberg will follow-up.

The board discussed how service projects are allocated to committees. The Community Service Committee and the Human & Spiritual Values Committee will decide how they will be allocated from now on.

The Rochester Kiwanis Club presidents will continue to meet in order to jointly pursue Kiwanis publicity, and funding for our projects.

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Kiwanis Mission Statement:

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

National Education: Trick or Treat?



Minnie Mouse is ready to read-are you ready to help?

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership- Membership is currently at 85. We will need at least 87 members on September 30, 2011 in order to qualify as a distinguished club.

Community Service- The committee had its first meeting of the new Kiwanis year.

Youth Services- The committee is concerned that other Rochester Kiwanis Clubs do not share expenses for our K Family projects.

Richard Lundberg, Secretary/Treasurer

Membership Committee:

The membership committee would like to remind all new member sponsors and their members to be sure and take advantage of manning the "Greeter" station on meeting days as a way of helping new members meet the current membership as quickly as possible.

As the year end approaches, please be looking for possible new Kiwanis members. Many new retirees are looking for meaningful activities as they are planning on crossing the bridge into retirement.

Richard Odell, chair

Cardboard Box City – 2010:

Another huge success! Thanks to all Kiwanians who donated money as well as those that helped out as volunteers!

The event saw over 230 youth and adults sleep over ... and an additional 50 came down to take part in the event. The event took in \$19,849.

A big thank you to Diane Johnson and Kathy Davis for setting up the Kiwanis corner! Good job ladies!

Joanne Markee

Wild Life is so much fun:

I told you to turn left back there....



Why aren't the fish biting???



Ever wonder?

Light travels faster than sound. This is why some people appear bright until you hear them speak.

If I agreed with you we'd both be wrong.

We never really grow up, we only learn how to act in public.

War does not determine who is right - only who is left.

Knowledge is knowing a tomato is a fruit; Wisdom is not putting it in a fruit salad.

The early bird might get the worm, but the second mouse gets the cheese.

Evening news is where they begin with 'Good evening', and then proceed to tell you why it isn't.

Why do Americans choose from just two people to run for president and 50 for Miss America?

Behind every successful man is his woman. Behind the fall of a successful man is usually another woman.

A clear conscience is usually the sign of a bad memory.

You do not need a parachute to skydive. You only need a parachute to skydive twice.

The voices in my head may not be real, but they have some good ideas!

Always borrow money from a pessimist. He won't expect it back.

You're never too old to learn something stupid.

To be sure of hitting the target, shoot first and call whatever you hit the target.

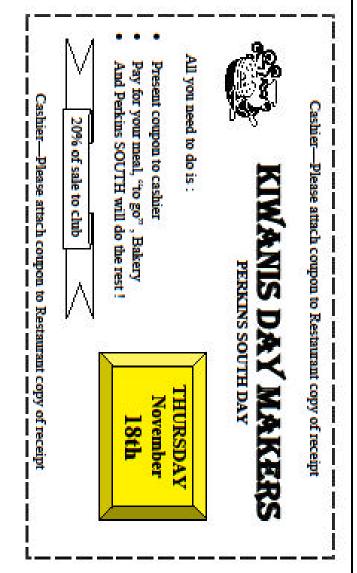
Nostalgia isn't what it used to be.

Some people hear voices. Some see invisible people. Others have no imagination whatsoever.

Kiwanis Day Maker (and friends) at Perkins South:

We're going keep the program going by having another "No Brainer" day, <u>Thursday November 18th</u>, set aside as Kiwanis Day Makers day. Come one - come all. Eat early – eat often. Give to friends, neighbors and use yourself. What a deal for Kiwanis!

Regards, Dave Moehnke



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New Member:

Rogene Fox -9/14/2010

Rogene Fox comes to the Kiwanis Day Makers of Rochester as a representative of the Rochester Senior Center where she is the Volunteer Coordinator. Herb Erickson was responsible for initiating Rogene into the Kiwanis Day Makers. Herb and his wife, Jerine, were most gracious in making her feel welcome into the group, along with Chuck and Marge Jacobson and the Dunns.

Rogene originally comes from South Dakota where she was born and raised. She moved to Rochester in 1951 and since that time has been in many places, always returning to Rochester where she lives at Assisi Heights. She is a registered nurse and spent a large part of her professional life in both nursing administration and nursing education. Where ever she was, she loved doing what she was doing.

Several years were spent also as a nurse educator in long term care facilities. Now in her retirement years (does anyone ever really retire?) she enjoys being part of the Rochester Senior Center. Life at the Senior Center is fun, exciting, and rewarding. She meets many folks at the Center and also participates in activities, as her time allows.

She is pleased to be a member of the Kiwanis Day Makers of Rochester and is amazed at how involved the members are in so many community activites. Everyone seems to enjoy each other and willing to participate and help whenever the "clip boards" come around. It is an honor to be a part of this Kiwanis group.



Welcome Rogene Herb Erickson