

## **Rochester Day Makers Kiwanis Club**

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

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# Newsletter for February 2009

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OFFICERS			
President	Marie Alexander		
Imm. Past Pres.	Phyllis Jacobs		
Pres. Elect	Kathy Davis		
1 <sup>st</sup> Vice Pres.	Don Wendt		
2 <sup>nd</sup> Vice Pres.	Joanne Markee		
Secretary/Treasurer	Dick Lundhero		

Ken Reding 2009
Jerry Steinke 2010
e Judy Lien 2010

Pres. Advisor: Ella VanLaningham
Web/Newsletter: Dick Odell

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**DIRECTORS** (3 yr terms)

Frank Nichols

Jim Morton

	CHAIRS & Meeting Da	ites
Membership	Don Wendt	1
Program	Kathy Davis	3
Youth Services	Steinke/Wade	1

Community Services Joanne Markee
Human & Spiritual Values
Young Children Priority One
Operations Public Relations Joanne Markee
Dallas Glaser
Larry Scilley
Phyllis Jacobs
Herb Erickson

1 st Thursday 9am 3 rd Tuesday 1 st Tuesday 3 rd Tuesday 2 rd Tuesday 4 th Tuesday

1st Tuesday

# Asst Sec./Treas: Jack Looft Program Schedule:

Historian: Bruce Keller

Interclub: Larry Krob

**Feb. 3 Our Perspective of a changing Asia** - Merlin Ricklefs

Regional Rep:

**Feb. 10 Recycling your recyclables**- Margo Underwood, Waste Management

Feb. 17 Volunteers St. Mary's Hospital Auxiliary, Susan Pronk

Feb. 24 Rochester Fest- Kak and Dewey Johnson

## **Dates to Remember:**

Feb 18 Hockey Festival Luncheon, Elks Club

### Feb 18 Chanhassen Alert:

This is a heads up on the Chanhassen trip on February 18th. We will be seeing "Seven Brides for Seven Brothers". It is a fun musical and one you will enjoy. As usual we have great seats.

Mar 07 Chili Feed, Senior Center

Merlyn Jeche Picture of Kiwanis Rose Parade →

## **Presidents' Corner:**

The warm weather surely feels a little better today. Some of you have been brave and dedicated enough to be willing to pick up food for Community Food Response. Just being down in the CFR kitchen it gets mighty cold so I can't imagine loading the coolers in and out of your vehicles. Thank you again for all you have done.

The hockey tournament luncheon will be held at the Elks club on February 18. It will be hosted by the Golden K club. Try to make it if you can. It's really interesting to see where the hockey funds go. There are so many worthy groups looking for funds.

The chili feed will be held at the Senior Center on March 7. This event is sponsored by all the local Kiwanis clubs. There will be more details next month.

Have a good month and keep warm and healthy.

Marie Alexander



## Fe bruary Birthdays

1	Bob Mayhew	9	Mike Siverling
1	Jack Zierdt	10	Hollis Feeser
3	Vivian Wissink	15	Marlys McCoy
7	Tom Lemke	26	Sally Wendt

## **February Anniversaries**

- 12 Dick & Ruth Vrieze
  14 Bob & Connie Mayhew
  17 Merlyn & Margaret Jeche
- 17 Ron & Sara King

## Secretary/Treasurers Report - Jan'08

 Bank Balance 12/31/08:
 \$ 16,651.79

 Administrative Account:
 \$ 14,742.57

 Service Account:
 \$ 1,587.96

 Hockey/YCPO:
 \$ 156.60

 Bike Repair:
 \$ 164.66

**Day Makers on leave:** Marv Anderson, Merlyn Jeche, Ron King, Sara King, Rosalie Rusovick

**December Service Hour Statistics:** 1,509 hours by 60 members, 73% Participation.

## January 13, 2008 Board Meeting Highlights:

Tom Lemke and Bob Wenner have completed an audit of the 2007/2008 financial records and found them satisfactory.

Chuck Jacobson reported on the Century High School Calendar Fund Raiser. There was space for twelve more ads on the last calendar, they went unsold. The calendar is lots of work with questionable benefit. The income from the project has dropped from \$3,000 to \$1,500 over the years. There is little support from the club to sell ads We gave away 1600-1700 calendars this school year. The schools on-line calendar can be kept up to date, ours can't. Chuck suggested that we drop it for a year and see if it is missed. The board approved dropping the calendar for a year and see if it is missed. Chuck will contact the school and report back at the next board meeting.

## COMMITTEE REPORTS

**Membership-** Jack Zierdt will attend the membership workshop in February. The committee is looking for ways to make the club acceptable to all members. The committee will attempt to interview a member that recently left the club. The committee discussed bringing the membership photos up to date.

**Operations -** Sixty-two HyVee coupon books have been sold. Outback Steak House is willing to support one or two fundraisers a year.

**Human & Spiritual Values-** The committee is attempting to develop a policy on cards to members for sickness etc. The question is how far beyond the member is appropriate? Relatives, Friends??? Family Fun Night during Rochester Fest.

Key Club- Researching how many Key Club members are attending the meetings. The MN/Dak Spring Rally is March 26-29. The Key Club International Convention is July 1-4 in Dallas, TX.

Richard Lundberg, Secretary/Treasurer

#### Web Humor: PHILOSOPHY OF AMBIGUITY

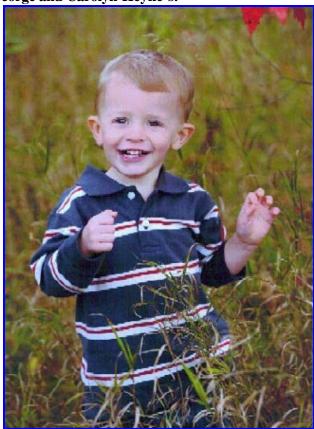
- 1. DON'T SWEAT THE PETTY THINGS AND DON'T PET THE SWEATY THINGS.
- 2. ONE TEQUILA, TWO TEQUILA, THREE TEQUILA, FLOOR.....
- 3. ATHEISM IS A NON-PROPHET ORGANIZATION.
- 4. THE MAIN REASON SANTA IS SO JOLLY IS BECAUSE HE KNOWS WHERE ALL THE BAD GIRLS LIVE.
- 5. I WENT TO A BOOKSTORE AND ASKED THE SALESWOMAN, "WHERE'S THE SELF-HELP SECTION?" SHE SAID IF SHE TOLD ME, IT WOULD DEFEAT THE PURPOSE.
- 6. WHAT IF THERE WERE NO HYPOTHETICAL QUESTIONS?
- 7. IF A DEAF PERSON SWEARS, DOES HIS MOTHER WASH HIS HANDS WITH SOAP?
- 8. IF SOMEONE WITH MULTIPLE PERSONALITIES THREATENS TO KILL HIMSELF, IS IT CONSIDERED A HOSTAGE SITUATION?
- 9. IS THERE ANOTHER WORD FOR SYNONYM?
- 10. WHERE DO FOREST RANGERS GO TO "GET AWAY FROM IT ALL?"
- 11. IF A PARSLEY FARMER IS SUED, CAN THEY GARNISH HIS WAGES?
- 12 WHY DO THEY LOCK GAS STATION BATHROOMS? ARE THEY AFRAID SOMEONE WILL CLEAN THEM?
- 13. IF A TURTLE DOESN'T HAVE A SHELL, IS HE HOMELESS OR NAKED?
- 14. CAN VEGETARIANS EAT ANIMAL CRACKERS?
- 15. IF THE POLICE ARREST A MIME, DO THEY TELL HIM HE HAS THE RIGHT TO REMAIN SILENT?
- 16. WHY DO THEY PUT BRAILLE ON THE DRIVETHROUGH BANK MACHINES?

## **Cutest Grandchildren Photos:**

After a challenge was offered between the club's two "ROs" your Webmaster has willingly agreed to post your "cutest grandchildren" entries in our newsletter for the next few months .... Keep them coming.

Webmaster.... Smile ... © Richard O

Aidan Gross, our grandson. Aidan is the son of our daughter Deborah and her husband Aaron ....
George and Carolyn Heyne's.



Andrew Gross at about three months of age. Andrew is the son of Deborah and Aaron Gross (Heyne).



**Boaz Babbitt-Stamp from Marie and David Alexander. Look at those curls...** 



Anastasia Donna Olson. We call her Anya. Roger Olson. Look at those eyes...



Fun for all ... keep the photos coming. Remember Kiwanis is all about the kids. rjo