

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 July 2011

Minnekotan for this month is available at: http://www.mndak-kiwanis.org/public_district/pub_Content.aspx?Page=82

Membership

Operations

Public Relations

Youth Services

Community Services

Human & Spiritual Values

Young Children Priority One

Program



3rd Thursday 9am

1st Tuesday

2nd Tuesday

4th Tuesday

1st Tuesday

1rd Tuesday, 8:15am

3rd Tuesday, 8:35 am

OFFICERS		DIRECTORS (3 yr terms)		
President	Don Wendt		Steve Steele	2011
Imm. Past Pres.	Kathy Davis		Dave Arlander	2012
Pres. Elect	Joanne Markee		David Moehnke	2012
1st Vice Pres.	Richard Odell		Diane Johnson	2013
2 nd Vice Pres.	Larry Segar		Richard Vrieze	2013
Secretary/Treasurer	Dick Lundberg			

Historian: Bruce Keller Pres. Advisor: Ella VanLaningham Interclub: Kathy Davis Web/Newsletter: Dick Odell, Jim Cook Asst Sec./Treas: Bob Mayhew Regional Rep: Open

Program Schedule:

July 5: Senior Advocacy & Support Services, Vicki Lawrence, Rochester Senior Center

July 12: Rochester Civic Music, Steve Schmidt,

July 19: Post Bulletin - Our Questions, Randy Chapman, Publisher

July 26: Birthday Party - Club History, Bob Nowicki, Our First President

Remember these dates:

July 26th –Club Birthday Party
Aug 9th – Day Makers Picnic, Quarry Hill
Sept 27th – Club Annual Dinner, Hubbell House

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

Day Makers Web Site:

IHN Bed Race photos

http://www.kiwanisrochester.org/IHNBedRace1.htm

Humor from the web:

Women Drivers (from the web)

http://kiwanisrochester.org/Car_2.wmv

July Anniversaries:

- 3 Tom & Susan Lemke
- 11 Chuck & Margee Jacobson
- 21 Al & Colleen Hodges
- 21 Diane & David Johnson
- 27 Dallas & Ruth Glaser

Presidents' Corner:

Welcome to July 2011. It will be another 800+ years before there will be a month like this with 5 weekends (5 Fridays, 5 Saturdays, and 5 Sundays), so take advantage of the extra time.

CHAIRS & Meeting Dates

Richard Odell

Jerry Steinke

Larry Segar

Herb Erickson

Larry Scilley

Kathy Davis

Open

Joanne Markee

This is also the time that we will start hearing more about the Eliminate project. Our Govenor-Elect, Denis Cornell, will be returning from the International Convention in Geneva Switzerland, and will be reviewing it at the MN-DAK Region 7 South Sub Region meeting on Tuesday, July 19th at the Rochester Senior Center. Social time will begin at 6PM, dinner at 6:30PM with the meeting starting at 7PM. We will then schedule a review for our Club.

July is also the time that we must register for the Minnesota-Dakota District for Kiwanis International 94th annual District Convention to be held in Sioux Falls, South Dakota August 5,6,7, 2011. Delegates were elected at our June Board meeting and they are Dick Odell and Don and Sally Wendt. There will be many from our Club attending. Registration must be in by July 10th.

We have a fun summer to look forward to, with our annual Picnic and our Birthday celebration along with interesting programs put together by our Award Winning Program Committee. I give them all a Gold Star. Ella Vanlaningham has volunteered to temporarily head this committee during Joanne Markee's absence.

Don Wendt, President

July Birthdays:

9 Jim Morton

17 Judy Zierdt

11 Will Rasmussen

28 Margee Jacobson

- 15 Al Hodges
- 15 Phyllis Jacobs
- 16 Richard Severson

Secretary/Treasurer's Report – June 2011

 Bank Balance 5/31/11:
 \$ 12,909.26

 Administrative Account:
 \$ 10,884.85

 Service Account:
 \$ 2,343.82

 Hockey/YCPO:
 \$ -293.06

 Bike Repair:
 \$ 82.65

 K-Family
 \$ -109.00

Day Makers on leave: Judy Lien, Joanne Markee

May Service Hour Statistics: 747 hours by 49 members, 57% Participation.

June Board Meeting Summary:

Bob Lahtinen is continuing to communicate with the officers of the Kiwanis Hockey Festival and the other Rochester Kiwanis Clubs concerning interested clubs use of the existing 501c3 Charitable Corporation. An issue of comingling funds needs to be resolved. Bob intends to get representatives from each of the Rochester clubs together to resolve this issue.

The board Appointed Kathy Davis temporary 2011/2012 President while Joanne Markee deals with an illness in her family.

The board appointed Dick Odell, Don Wendt, and Sally Wendt as our clubs delegates to the Minnesota/Dakotas District Convention.

The board decided to present the Senior Center with a second \$1,000 at the July 5th meeting in appreciation for our meeting space this Kiwanis year.

The board decided that the \$1,200 budgeted for the District convention will be equally divided between members that attend.

The board agreed to support a K-Family retreat being planned for the fall of 2011.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership- The committee is meeting monthly, and is working to increase our membership.

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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.

Committee Reports : (Continued)

Program- Programs are scheduled through July. The club's birthday party will be celebrated at the July 26th meeting. The annual club picnic will be held August 9th at Quarry Hill Park. The annual dinner meeting will be held the evening of September 27th at the Hubbell House.

YCPO- RochesterFest Family Fun Night was Tuesday June 21st.

Richard Lundberg, Secretary/Treasurer

Kiwanis Bike Safety Program:

Objective: Having children learn safe biking by showing them basic bicycle care and safe biking behavior, using safe clothing and equipment.

The program: 1/2-3/4hr. with 20-30 2-3 graders Kids in teams of 2 are challenged to repair 3 different size and style Christmas Anonymous bikes in different states of disrepair, e.g., flat tire, loose saddle, etc.

Kids then properly "dress" instructors, i.e., bright clothing, helmet, etc. Kids then are drilled in proper biking behavior, i.e., "riding" on correct side of a road, hand and verbal signals, etc.

History: For the past 5 years the Kiwanis DayMakers have conducted Bicycle Care and Safety for Rochester Elementary Students. In 2011 we held 20 sessions in 5 different schools for 500+ 2-3rd graders.

DayMaker Participation: The project involves 2-3 presenters. Kiwanis Christmas Anonymous Bike Repair Project folks help select and prepare the bikes. Here are some comments from the 2^{nd} graders -

"I learned that always wear a helmet." Anon

"Thank you fore teach me a bout bike saftey I relly needed it. Oune thing I lund is the allin rench & you use in on the nuts and it was cool You got to fix things It was rilly cool to watch. I was the gril who said the number [the max. tire pressure] on Megins bike. Thank you agen for coming to teach us about bike saftey" *Emma*

(See photos on page $4 \rightarrow$

Membership Committee:

The next membership meeting at Perkins South, Thurs, 9am, 07/21/2011.

Dick Odell, chair

Kwik Trip Fundraiser:

Touch Free Automatic Car Wash Fundraiser

Do you and your friends and family wish they had a shiny clean car? Well now they can as our club is participating in a fundraiser along with Kwik Trip in selling top of the line, touch free ultimate car wash cards.

We will be selling each card for \$32.00. Each card is good for 5 washes. The regular price for the ultimate car wash is \$9.00 a wash, but when your friends buy the card it will only cost them \$6.40 per wash. Thirty-two dollars for 5 ultimate washes is CHEAP!

Our Executive Board approved this fundraiser at our last board meeting and we have purchased 20 cards so far, we can order more as needed. Our club will make a profit of \$12.00 for each card sold.

These cards will practically sell themselves. To get your cards to sell to friends and family or even to yourself, see Kathy Davis after the meetings or call 282-9604.

Kathy Davis, Operations

PS: Cards are valid at all Kwik Trip and Kwik Star Car Wash locations. This card is redeemable for car wash services and is not redeemable or refundable for cash. For balance information, refer to your last receipt. After 24 months of non-use, a monthly service fee of one wash will be deducted from the remaining balance (unless prohibited by law).

Day Makers Picnic:

Tuesday August 9 - Quarry Hill Nature Center, 5:00pm - 6:30 / 7:00 ish ... eat first / program following, Picnic area adjacent to parking lot (as before).

Program will be **MN Blue Bird Recovery Project** presented by Naturalist / Instructor Carrie Nelson (and Dave Moehnke).

Catered meal followed by world famous HOME MADE DESSERTS from members (?) .

Come early and enjoy a stroll around the newly enlarged pond area or explore on your own following our event.

Regards, Dave Moehnke

RochesterFest Button Sales: June 1 – 19th sales

Thanks to all who bought/sold Rochesterfest buttons this year. We sold a total of 721 buttons which netted the club a profit of \$918.25.

David Arlander, Rochesterfest Buttons Sales Chair



Day Maker T-Shirt Logo worn while working at Festival



Playground Time:

Take a child to the playground or baseball game...



Member Comment:

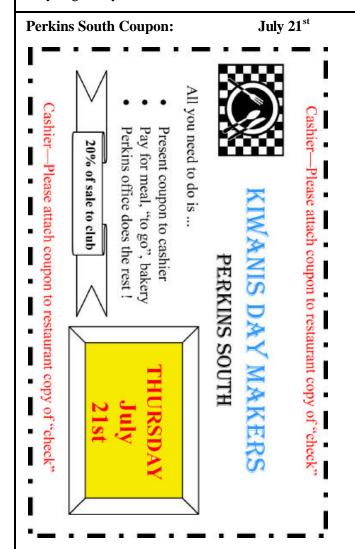
Heritage House, in Central Park, has a Special Exhibit featuring Fashion, Fabric and Photos on display all summer. The house is open Tuesday, Thursday and Sunday from 1pm to 3:30pm. Hollis Feeser

Cutest Key Club T-Shirt Logo:

This is without a doubt the cutest Kawainis Club Logo on a T-Shirt, ever worn by a Kiwanian.



Way to go Judy Z...!



Take me out to the ol' ball game.....



Bike Safety Photos:

Dear Al... what I learned in your Bike Safety Class.



Thank you letters from 2nd Graders.



AI Southwick