



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 2013

Minnekotan for this month is available at:

http://kiwanisone.org/public_district/pub_newsletter.aspx?NewsletterID=77

CELEBRATE



INDEPENDENCE

OFFICERS

President	Mike Siverling
Imm. Past Pres.	Richard Odell
Pres. Elect	Jim Cook
1 st Vice Pres.	Judy Zierdt
2 nd Vice Pres.	Nick Lauer
Secretary/Treasurer	Dick Lundberg

DIRECTORS (3 yr terms)

Diane Johnson	2013
Richard Vrieze	2013
Larry Scilley	2014
Rick Johnson	2015
Helen Kolb	2015

CHAIRS & Meeting Dates

Membership	Judy Zierdt	3 rd Thursday 9am
Program	Jim Cook	1 st Tuesday, 10:15am
Youth Services	Jerry Steinke	1 st Tuesday
Community Services	Nick Lauer	3 rd Tuesday, 8:35 am
Human & Spiritual Values	Frank Nichols	2 nd Tuesday
Young Children Priority One	Larry Scilley	4 th Tuesday
Operations	Richard Odell	1 st Tuesday
Board Meeting	Mike Siverling	2 nd Tuesday, 10am
Eliminate Project	Herb Erickson	1 st Tuesday, 10am

Historian: Bruce Keller	Pres. Advisor: Bob Nowiki
Interclub: Gene Mullenbach	Web/Newsletter: Dick Odell
Asst Sec./Treas: Bob Mayhew	Regional Rep: Zanti Squillace

Program Schedule:

July 02 -Highlights of Bicycle Master Plan,
Muhammad Khan, Jim Morton

July 09 -Pulmonary hypertension, Dr. Mike
McGoon, Eric Skuldt

July 16 - Current Crime Trends, Darrell Hildebrant,
Ella VanLaningham

July 23 - Bolder Options, Darrell Thompson, Dave
Arlander

**July 30 - Day Makers Bicycle Repair/Safety 2nd
Graders,** Al Southwick, Jim Cook, Pat Mann

Kiwanis Presidents Comments:

No input provided by press time.

(Mike Siverling, President)

Dates to Remember:

July 9th - Bakers Square North, 5 - 8PM
July 18th - Perkins South Kiwanis Coupon Day
<http://www.kiwanisrochester.org/PerkinsCoupon.jpg>
July 30th - Spouse day at club meeting

Aug 3rd - Garage Sale, 8AM - 2PM
Aug 9 - 11th - MN-Dak District Convention
Aug 13th - Club Picnic Quarry Hill

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

Think Eliminate MNT:



**Click on link to view photo slide show from Kiwanis
International Convention in Vancouver, BC.**

http://www.flickr.com/photos/kiwanisinternational/sets/72157634401684738/show/?utm_source=KIUpdate&utm_medium=email&utm_term=july&utm_campaign=english

Dick Odell

July Birthdays:

4 John Ryder	15 Phyllis Jacobs
9 Jim Morton	16 Richard Severson
9 Ruth Squillace	17 Judy Zierdt
11 Will Rasmussen	28 Margee Jacobson
15 Fred Hodges	28 Curt Pearson

June Anniveraries:

3 Tom & Susan Lemke	27 Dallas & Ruth Glaser
11 Chuck & Margee Jacobson	
18 Nick & Emily Lauer	
21 Fred & Colleen Hodges	
21 Diane & David Johnson	

Secretary/Treasurer's Report – June 2013

Bank Balance 5/31/13:	\$ 8,586.03
Administrative Account:	\$ 9,652.52
Service Account:	\$ -2,313.32
Hockey/YCPO:	\$ 613.94
Bike Repair:	\$ 179.99
K-Family Funds	\$ 452.90

Day Makers on leave: Don Cain, Joann Markee, Judy Lien

May Service Hour Statistics: 971 hours by 50 members, 57% Participation.

The board discussed the financial status of the 2012 Hockey Festival. Our club has now received \$2,122.10 from the 2012 Hockey Festival. Bob Nowicki believes that he has recruited a major sponsor to replace Think Bank.

The MN/Dak District Convention will be held on August 9-11 in Aberdeen SD. The board selected Jim Cook, Dick Odell, and Mike Siverling as our club's three delegates. Also attending the convention; Joan Olson, Roger Olson, Curt Pearson, Jack Zierdt, and Judy Zeirdt.

A question was raised on the 100% Eliminate Participation Award. What are the requirements, and how to apply? Dick Odell will follow-up.

Cheryl Moertel is stepping down as Century Key Club Faculty Advisor. Her replacement will be Ellen Sassenberg. The Youth Committee will come up with a suitable recognition for Cheryl's eight years of service as the Century Key Club advisor.

Sue Thalacker, K-Kids Faculty Advisor at Riverside Central, is retiring, and will need a replacement. The Youth Committee will come up with a suitable recognition for Sue's service as the Riverside K-Kids advisor since the club was formed.

The board approved the funding of two additional Century Key Club members attendance at the Key Club International Convention at a cost to our club of \$840.

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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.

Sec/Treasurer's Report: continued

(There are now five Century Key Club members planning to attend, three members were approved at the May board meeting)

The Membership Committee's first fundraiser at Bakers Square Restaurant was successful. The next Bakers Square Restaurant Fund Raiser will be on July 9th.

The annual club picnic is scheduled for ~~July 9th~~ **Aug 13th**.

COMMITTEE REPORTS

Membership – The membership committee has another fundraiser in the planning stages; a rummage sale at the home of Kathy Davis. One additional member is needed by September 30th to meet one of the Distinguished Club criteria.

Program- Upcoming programs: 6/18 Steward Ross on book distribution program, 6/24 Lourdes HS Tour, 7/30 Club's Birthday Party. The committee is researching a site for the annual Sept banquet meeting.

Operations- Looking at updating bylaws required by Kiwanis International.

Public Relations- The committee is working with the Post Bulletin on a proposal to publicize our meetings.

Human & Spiritual Values- Twenty-five Salvation Army Bell Ringing slots have been requested for our club for the next Christmas season.

Eliminate - The chair is vacant. A replacement is needed.

Richard Lundberg, Secy/Treasurer

House Flowers:



MN-Dak District News:

96th Annual Minnesota-Dakotas District Kiwanis Convention, August 9-11, 2013, Aberdeen, South Dakota

Click here for more info and reservations for the best convention ever:

http://www.mndak-kiwanis.org/public_district/pub_Content.aspx?PageID=100

Richard Odell

Celebrate the 4th of July:



Granddaughter Genevieve.....

Richard Odell

Service Account Fund Raising: Baker’s Square N

Our first Bakers Square Benefit Night was held on Tuesday, May 28th, and \$106.00 was raised for our service account. The next scheduled Benefit Night will be Tuesday, July 9th, from 5:00 to 8:00 PM at Bakers Square North. Remember that our club will get 10% of all the restaurant sales during that time frame!!!

We know that people like to eat out; so why not invite your family, your neighbors, your friends to go to Bakers Square North and help our club raise some money for our service account. Let's see if we can do even better than last time.

Judy Zierdt, Membership Chairperson

Bike Care and Safety Education for 2nd graders by Kiwanis Day Makers:

Once again for 2013, Jim Cook , Pat Mann, and Al Southwick conducted the Bike Care and Safety Education for 2nd graders in the Rochester School District. During the last two weeks of school we presented to approximately 600 students, in 24 sessions, at 7 elementary schools and in the process logged over 60 service hours!

Each session began with introducing ourselves and giving a little background on the Kiwanis DayMakers Club and the club’s project with Christmas Anonymous. The learning sessions are held outdoors—weather permitting—and consist of two phases:

Phase One - Bike Care: We show the kids two bikes (Christmas Anonymous used bikes) with quite a few problems, such as loose chain, tire nearly flat, etc. We ask the teacher to assign teams of two kids to “fix” each problem. During this time we address the names of bike parts and tools to help fix the problem, such as various wrench and screwdriver types and three tools almost everyone always has with them—their two hands and a brain.

Total Phase One time takes about 30 minutes.

Phase two - Safety: In this 15 minute phase we demonstrate aspects of bike safety. We cover *bike accessories* such as lights, bells, brakes, etc., *how to dress*—bright clothing, helmet, etc. Then we discuss how to *behave*—hand and voice signals, etc. Finally, we march them (partway) back to their classroom, simulating biking, hand signals for hallway turns.

Jim Cook and Jerry Steinke

KI Convention Theme:

What More Can I Do?

I will tell you all the story of this man and how his life has changed because of one dedicated individual At our next meeting.

Dick Odell

Club Garage Sale: Sat, Aug 3rd

Where: Kathy Davis residence
2220 Valkyrie Drive NW
Time: 8AM to 2 PM

Please bring your items to Kathy's on Friday, Aug 2 between 8AM and 7PM.
Arrangements can be made with Kathy if you need to bring your items earlier.

NO adult clothing will be accepted, but children's clothes are acceptable.

Here is another chance for our club to help raise funds for our Service Account. Please help our club out with this project by signing up to help either with set-up, pricing, working the day of sale or clean-up.

Judy Zierdt, Membership Chairperson

KI Convention Photos: Vancouver, BC 2013

Olympic Torches



MN – Dak District Leadership:



Kiwanis International Convention: 98th year

I am on my way home via truck and the convention was incredible good and very uplifting. They definitely “up lifted my spirit” and the really had excellent speakers. The best, in my mind was the opening morning general session which focused on a simple but powerful presentation on “What more can I do?”

Over 4200 Kiwanians from around the world attended, participated in workshops and voted their conscience on many amendments, etc.

I will provide a more specific presentation and comments at a future club meeting but suffice it to say the ...every Kiwanian should try to attend an International Convention sometime during their active membership years...as it is truly an educational and memorable experience.

I was also impressed with how quickly they updated the Kiwanis web site with real time info and data as new results were announced on stage. Every night the web site had results, photos and key officer/speaker messages posted.

The weather could have been better but we did have some sunny days. See photo of sea plane airport next to convention center.



Photo to the left is the huge stage and multiple screens throughout convention hall so there were no bad seats.

Update on election and delegate votes are posted at: http://www.kiwanis.org/kiwanis/stories/headlines/kiwanis/2013/06/29/elections-and-actions-on-amendments-in-vancouver#.Uc5SuKyncco?utm_source=KIUpdate&utm_medium=email&utm_term=july&utm_campaign=english

then select “read the results.”

Richard Odell