



## NEWS FROM

# Warsaw Kiwanian

February 4, 2010

## WELCOME

### Greeters

**February 11**

Bob Smith

**February 18**

Ryan Sark

**February 25**

Don Bergen

**March 4**

Don Searce

**March 11**

Neal Carlson

**March 18**

Bruce Andrews

**March 25**

Tom Flora

### Invocation

**February 11**

Tracy Skipper

**February 18**

Willis Alt

**February 25**

Emmett Anderson

**March 4**

Mike Bergen

**March 11**

Don Bergen

**March 18**

George Belsford

## PROGRAMS

**February 11**

'State of the County'  
Bob Conley

**February 18**

"Medication & Dental Assistance  
(Home Health Care & Hospice)"  
Jo Faulkner

**February 25**

Not Scheduled

## GUESTS

### QUOTE TO PONDER

"Self-discipline is an act of cultivation. It require you to connect today's actions to tomorrow's results. There's a season for sowing a season for reaping. Self-discipline helps you know which is which."

-- Gary Ryan Blair --

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one child and one community at a time.**

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## TODAY'S MEETING

### The Real Peace Corps

Don Scarce introduced his neighbor Joel Robbins retired journalist and Wawasee High School teacher who joined the Peace Corps after retiring from teaching. Joel spent most of his Peace Corps time in Azerbaijan teaching English to the locals.

The type of work a Peace Corps volunteer does is ultimately determined by the needs of a host country and the potential of a volunteer to contribute to those needs and to the Peace Corps' mission. The Peace Corps traces its roots and mission to 1960, when then Senator John F. Kennedy challenged students at the University of Michigan to serve their country in the cause of peace by living and working in developing countries

The Peace Corps is in some 120 countries, from Eastern Europe to Guatemala. These emerging countries may lack the luxuries we are used to, but they are hardly all grass-hut and beans-and-rice nations.

Joel described Azerbaijan, where he served in the Peace Corps, as open range, there are hundreds of shepherds outside all day tending their herds and flocks wherever there is grass, not only in rangeland, but also along village and town lanes and streets.

Azerbaijan is a land of contrasts, from its capital of mushrooming residential high-rises abutting stone and tin hovels, through its provincial centers connected by rutted roads, to villages that time has forgotten but charm continues to embrace. Sheep, cows, water buffalos, and even camels roam seemingly at will, until a closer look reveals their watchful herders. Oil and gas reserves make Azerbaijan one of the fastest growing economies in the world. Democratic institutions are on the rise, but former Soviet domination still lingers in the national psyche. Through all this, the people's resilience and entrepreneurial spirit are evident everywhere, as is their hospitality and good will. Azerbaijan is a land riding the crest of a promising wave, yet only time will tell if it will ride it successfully.

Joel ended the meeting by answering members questions.

## MEETING NOTES FOR - February 4, 2010

*This is the 28<sup>st</sup> day of the year,  
there are 337 days remaining in 2010*

Song was lead by **Bruce Andrews**

Today's Door Greeter was **George Brelsford**

Invocation was given by **James Tinkey**

Ethics officer today was **Burt Ramsey**

Attendance **62**

### **Annual Fund Raising**

#### **Rose Project**

This project involves the sale of roses, by the dozen, by members of the club to the general public.



## PRESIDENT'S NOTES

- Please bring in your can goods to support Columbia City Key Club will participate in **CANSTRUCTION**® 2010 Fri. April 16, 2010
- The 2010 Mid Year Conference will be held February 6, 2010, at the Fountains Conference Center in Carmel, IN.

# FEBRUARY

### Birthdays

2/2 - Tamara Stackhouse  
2/9 - Pam Starkweather  
2/21 - Art Marose  
2/21 - Tim Meyer  
2/24 - James Scott  
2/27 - Bob Barkses  
2/29 - Dick Riedel

### Kiwanis Anniversaries

2/1/1973 - Don Searce  
2/5/1973 - Peggy Michel  
2/7/1963 - Eddie Creighton  
2/17/1972 - Neal Carlson  
2/22/1973 - Jerry Helvey  
2/22/1973 - Willis Alt  
2/28/2008 - Bruce Andrews

## Trivia -

## COFFEE FILTERS



Better than paper towels and a lot less expensive... COFFEE FILTERS  
Who knew! You can buy 1,000 for almost nothing even the large ones.

1. Cover bowls or dishes when cooking in the microwave.. Coffee filters make excellent covers.
2. Clean windows, mirrors, and chrome.... Coffee filters are lint-free so they'll leave windows sparkling.
3. Protect China by separating your good dishes with a coffee filter between each dish.
4. Filter broken cork from wine. If you break the cork when opening a wine bottle, filter the wine through a coffee filter.
5. Protect a cast-iron skillet. Place a coffee filter in the skillet to absorb moisture and prevent rust.
6. Apply shoe polish. Ball up a lint-free coffee filter.
7. Recycle frying oil. After frying, strain oil through a sieve lined with a coffee filter.
- 8.. Weigh chopped foods. Place chopped ingredients in a coffee filter on a kitchen scale.
9. Hold tacos. Coffee filters make convenient wrappers for messy foods.
10. Stop the soil from leaking out of a plant pot. Line a plant pot with a coffee filter to prevent the soil from going through the drainage holes.
11. Prevent a Popsicle from dripping. Poke one or two holes as needed in a coffee filter.
12. Do you think we used expensive strips to wax eyebrows? Use strips of coffee filters..
13. Put a few in a plate and put your fried bacon, French fries, chicken fingers, etc on them. It soaks out all the grease.
14. Keep in the bathroom. They make great "razor nick fixers."
15. As a sewing backing. Use a filter as an easy-to-tear backing for embroidering or appliquéing soft fabrics.
16. Put baking soda into a coffee filter and insert into shoes or a closet to absorb or prevent odors.
17. Use them to strain soup stock and to tie fresh herbs in to put in soups and stews.
18. Use a coffee filter to prevent spilling when you add fluids to your car.
19. Use them as a spoon rest while cooking and clean up small counter spills.
20. Can use to hold dry ingredients when baking or when cutting a piece of fruit or veggies.. Saves on having extra bowls to wash.
21. Use them to wrap Christmas ornaments for storage.
22. Use them to remove fingernail polish when out of cotton balls.
23. Use them to sprout seeds. Simply dampen the coffee filter, place seeds inside, fold it and place it into a plastic baggie until they sprout.
24. Use coffee filters as blotting paper for pressed flowers. Place the flowers between two coffee filters and put the coffee filters in phone book..
25. Use as a disposable "snack bowl" for popcorn, chips, etc.

**OH YEAH THEY ARE GREAT TO USE IN YOUR COFFEE MAKERS TOO.**

## INTERCLUB ACTIVITIES to REPORT

**Members Attending:**

**No interclub meets to report for the week of January 29 to February 4, 2010**

## INTERCLUB MEETINGS PLANNED for NEXT WEEK

<b>For a Make-up, Visit one of the following Clubs or any Kiwanis Club.</b>	<b>Day and Time</b>
Bremen, Hospital Cafeteria	Tuesday, 6:30 a.m.
Goshen, Maplecrest Golf Course (611 E. Hacket)	Tuesday, 12:00 Noon
Goshen, Maple City, Salvation Army	Thursday, 6:30 a.m.
Goshen Sunrisers, Waterford Mennonite Church	Wednesday, 6:30 a.m.
Lakeland, N. Webster, Community Bldg)	Monday, 6:30 a.m.
Middlebury, Crystal Valley, Das Essenhaus	Wednesday, 12:00 Noon
Milford, Community Building	Friday, 6:30 a.m.
Nappanee, Del Mar Banquet Hall	Tuesday, 12:00 Noon
Plymouth, Christo's Banquet Hall	Tuesday, 12:00 Noon
Triton, Bourbon, Brito's	Wednesday, 6:30 a.m.
Wawasee, Syracuse - Brooke Pointe Inn	Saturday, 7:00 a.m.
Whitley County, Big G Sports Cafe	2nd & 4th Wednesday, noon
Elkhart, Matterhorn Restaurant	Tuesday, 12:00 Noon
Huntington Metro, Huntington College	Monday, 5:45 p.m.
North Manchester, Manchester College, Union Bldg	Tuesday, 6:00 p.m.
Rochester, The Meat Market	Wednesday, 12:00 Noon
Wabash, Honeywell Center	Tuesday, 12:00 Noon
Akron-Mentone Kiwanis Club - Country Kitchen,	1st & 3rd Monday, 6:00 p.m.
Kosciusko County Key Club, Kosciusko County Community Foundation, Inc.	Tuesday, 5:00 p.m.

## Kiwanis Mobile Meals West Routes for February 2010

	<b>Monday 2/1</b>	<b>Tuesday 2/2</b>	<b>Wednesday 2/3</b>	<b>Thursday 2/4</b>	<b>Friday 2/5</b>
W-1	Sandy Brandenburg	Tom Flora	Tom Flora	Rotary	Bill Darr
W-2	Bob Gephart	Mike Bergen	Bob Gephart	Rotary	Lee Hartle
W-3	Dick Dobbins	Bob Barkes	Ryan Sark	Rotary	Dick Dobbins
	<b>Monday 2/8</b>	<b>Tuesday 2/9</b>	<b>Wednesday 2/10</b>	<b>Thursday 2/11</b>	<b>Friday 2/12</b>
W-1	Chuck Whitcraft	Tim Hollowell	Dick Wright	Rotary	Bill Darr
W-2	Bob Gephart	Mike Bergen	Bob Gephart	Rotary	Lee Hartle
W-3	Dick Dobbins	Tiffany Smith		Rotary	Dick Dobbins
	<b>Monday 2/15</b>	<b>Tuesday 2/16</b>	<b>Wednesday 2/17</b>	<b>Thursday 2/18</b>	<b>Friday 2/19</b>
W-1	Chuck Whitcraft	Tim Hollowell	Bill Darr	Rotary	Chuck Whitcraft
W-2	Brian Hayward	Mike Bergen	Tim Meyer	Rotary	Lee Hartle
W-3	Dick Dobbins	Tiffany Smith		Rotary	
	<b>Monday 2/22</b>	<b>Tuesday 2/23</b>	<b>Wednesday 2/24</b>	<b>Thursday 2/25</b>	<b>Friday 2/26</b>
W-1	Chuck Whitcraft	Brian Hayward	David Brown	Rotary	Chuck Whitcraft
W-2	Joni Trues	Mike Bergen	Tim Meyer	Rotary	Lee Hartle
W-3	Dick Dobbins	Jason Ellis	Jason Ellis	Rotary	

## Kiwanis Mobile Meals East Routes for February 2010

	<b>Monday 2/1</b>	<b>Tuesday 2/2</b>	<b>Wednesday 2/3</b>	<b>Thursday 2/4</b>	<b>Friday 2/5</b>
E-1	Lori Harman & Don Scarce	Ervin Bolt	Pam Starkweather	Rotary	Bruce Andrews
E-2	Jim Tinkey	Kevin Zachary	Ervin Bolt	Rotary	Bob Smith
E-3	Neal Carlson	John Pritz	John Pritz	Rotary	John Pritz
	<b>Monday 2/8</b>	<b>Tuesday 2/9</b>	<b>Wednesday 2/10</b>	<b>Thursday 2/11</b>	<b>Friday 2/12</b>
E-1	Don Scarce	Rick Helm	Rick Helm	Rotary	Bruce Andrews
E-2	Jim Tinkey		Ervin Bolt	Rotary	Chet Clampit
E-3		John Pritz	John Pritz	Rotary	John Pritz
	<b>Monday 2/15</b>	<b>Tuesday 2/16</b>	<b>Wednesday 2/17</b>	<b>Thursday 2/18</b>	<b>Friday 2/19</b>
E-1	Larry Peppel	Greg Weimer & Homer Kent	Greg Weimer & Homer Kent	Rotary	Bruce Andrews
E-2	Jim Tinkey	Chet Clampit	Peggy Michel	Rotary	Chet Clampit
E-3		John Pritz	John Pritz	Rotary	John Pritz
	<b>Monday 2/22</b>	<b>Tuesday 2/23</b>	<b>Wednesday 2/24</b>	<b>Thursday 2/25</b>	<b>Friday 2/26</b>
E-1	Larry Peppel	Willis Alt	Willis Alt	Rotary	Bruce Andrews
E-2	Cindy Cates	Cindy Cates	Jim Tinkey	Rotary	Bob Smith
E-3		John Pritz	John Pritz	Rotary	John Pritz

**Please pickup meals at 11:00 a.m. at KCH west side (back). If person doesn't answer, leave meal, but call Mobile Meal office 267-2012.**

**Please return empty containers to KCH.**