

Capital District, Division 9



MOUNT AIRY KIWANIS CLUB

2009 - 2010

President: Tom Walker

President Elect: Dave Krumpholz

Secretary: Rick Campitelli

Treasurer: Angie Moore

Immediate Past President: Marion Taylor

Directors: Oct. 2008-Oct. 2010 - Lee Fogle, Harold Herman, Dave Krumpholz, John Ohm
Oct. 2009-Oct. 2011 - Lou Wiser, Jeri Simon, Marion Taylor

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Meeting Place - Mt. Airy Volunteer Fire Hall - 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of month , 6:30 pm

Club Address: P.O. Box 671, Mount Airy, MD 21771

Birthdays in April

01 - Jim Codd 15 - Lee Fogle

Calendar for April

April 14 - Service Leadership Programs - Jim Jacobs

April 28 - Leslie Sier, Prepaid Legal Services, Inc. - Identity Theft, Could you be a victim?

Annual Meeting - Election Night – Board Meeting follows regular meeting

Dates to Remember

April 22 - Liberty High School Key Club - grounds cleanup at the school - 2:30 pm

April 24 - Grounds Cleanup at Twin Ridge Elementary School - 9 am to 1 pm

April 25 - Westminster Club Pig Roast

April 23-25 - Key Leader Weekend

May 05 - Diamond Jubilee Dinner at the American Legion Post

May 12 - Our Club's Charter Night

June 12 - District Governor's Official Visit to (our) District 9, hosted by Suburban
Frederick Kiwanis Club - it's a PIG ROAST in Middletown

Meeting Room Setup - Lee Fogle, Pat and Sally Dodd

Invocation

Apr. 14 - Beth Jacobs

Apr. 28 - Lou Wiser

Thought for the Day

Jim Jacobs

Lou Wiser

March 10 Meeting - at Lohr's Family Restaurant in Frederick

Guests - Don Klein from Ellicott City Kiwanis Club. Sgt. Dan Pickett, Mt. Airy Resident State Trooper

President Tom Walker presided.

1. Our next meeting, March 17, will be at the Mt. Airy Volunteer Fire Hall. It will be Scout Night.
2. On March 31 we will fill Easter Baskets for Mt. Airy Net needy children. We will meet at the Senior Center at 7:00 pm - no meal. A board meeting will be held following this activity.
3. Our Pancake Breakfast will be on Saturday, March 27 at Calvary United Methodist Church. A sign-up sheet was circulated. Bill Butts asked for volunteers to distribute flyers throughout Mt. Airy and handed out packets of flyers to those who volunteered.
4. Paul Clay reported that the new phone book is progressing well. There are approximately 190 advertisers.
5. Jim Jacobs has accepted the chairmanship of the Service Leadership Programs (SLP) committee.
6. There will not be a Community Expo this year.
7. The South Carroll Key Club would like our help with their Diabetes Walk on April 17. Could we provide our canopy for a shelter - to be used where bottles of water and snacks could be available to the walkers? Could we also provide the water bottles and snacks? They could also use help with registration. It was suggested that this could be our "Kiwanis One Day" project.
8. The Mt. Airy Hall of Fame dinner will be next week. Our club member, Jim Jacobs, is being inducted into that Hall of Fame.
9. Now that we will be meeting at the Mt. Airy Volunteer Fire Hall, the question of where to store our flags, banners, etc., was raised. The Lions have a storage room at the Fire Hall - Tom will find out if we could share that storage room with the Lions.
10. Tom announced that he had learned at the Midwinter Conference that Kiwanis clubs were using the internet to promote their clubs. Tom will set up a club page for our club on Facebook. He will also update our current website.

Don Klein from Ellicott City invited our club members to attend their club's 70th Anniversary on March 15th.

Program

Sgt. Dan Pickett gave a resume of the various calls he and his staff respond to. There are 5 Troopers assigned to Mt. Airy. There have been 51 crimes since January. There were 34 arrests, 19 traffic accidents (none fatal) and 9 DUI arrests.

March 17 Meeting - Scout Night (contributed by Glee Butts. Editor away)

We hosted our annual Scout Night at the Mount Airy Fire Hall. Guest Scouts and Leaders represented the following troops: Girl Scout Troop 514; Boy Scout Troop 460; Girl Scout Troop

5018; and Daisy Troop 2330. Troop 460 Eagle Scout Zachary Dowell presented Glee Butts (Youth Services Chair) with a multi-media "thank you" for Mt. Airy Kiwanis's donation to his Eagle Project, a Monarch Butterfly Way Station. Troop 460 also gave a Slide Show "Thank You" presentation to the Club showing the Eagle Projects to which the Club has made donations.

March 24 Meeting

Tom Walker presided.

1. Guests - Stephanie Feinberg and Melissa Walsh, from South Carroll Key Club. Stephanie announced that she is organizing a School Walk for Diabetes at South Carroll High School in memory of her grandmother on April 17 from 1-4 pm. The goal is to raise \$1,000 for the American Diabetes Association. The Key Club would like some help from our club in manning the registration table, providing a sound system, canopies and rest stop provisions.
2. Volunteers were solicited to help set up on Friday evening for the Pancake Breakfast.
3. Paul Clay gave an update on the progress of the new phone book. He also asked that we send him information regarding any businesses we are aware of which have closed, or new businesses which have opened recently.
4. We were reminded of upcoming events in April - the dates of which are given on the front page of the Newsletter. Two South Carroll Key Club members have registered for the Key Leader Weekend.
5. Glee Butts reminded everyone of the Easter Basket Filling which we will do at the Senior Center on March 31 - at 7:00 pm. (No dinner served) A board meeting will be held following this activity.
6. We were notified that Paul Browne's wife, Joyce, has been in Frederick Hospital for about a week.

Program

Bill Butts gave a program on Membership. What do we get out of being a Kiwanian, and what do we have, as a club, to offer to prospective members? He asked several members to respond to these questions - Glee Butts, Dave Krumpholz, Marion Taylor, Bob Wagner, and Pat Norwood. Bill also spoke on his personal thoughts. He handed out information forms, as well as forms for determining whom we as individuals could consider for membership.

March 31

Filled 42 Easter Baskets for Mt. Airy Net. Met at the Senior Center for this activity at 7:00 pm - no meal.

A Board Meeting was held at the Senior Center following the Easter Basket activity.

February Board Meeting – 02/24/10 Minutes approved 3/31/10

President Tom called the meeting to order at 8:08 pm.

As the minutes for January were read, Secretary Rick made some minor corrections. When Rick finished his report Lee Fogle made a motion to accept the minutes with no other corrections, Marion Taylor seconded the motion and the minutes were approved.

Treasurer's Report: as of 02/23/10

Dues - \$98.10; Admin - \$1,211.88; Welfare - \$11,562.23

Old Business:

President Tom stated that he sent the District Trustee nomination letter for Fred Lohnes to the nominating committee.

New Business:

President Tom reported that Stephanie Dahlquist submitted a letter of resignation from the club effective March 1, 2010 due to pressing family responsibilities. He asked the board to canvas the general members for interest in replacing Stephanie as the Sponsored Youth Chairperson. Geri reported that Jim Jacobs had expressed an interest in assuming Stephanie's position and that she would confirm this with him. Paul Clay made a suggestion to appoint two members as chairs to this committee since we now have responsibility for two key clubs.

There was general discussion to clarify our new meeting nights on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month at the Fire Hall. The board also discussed meeting options for the board meeting. The general consensus was to hold the board meeting sometime during the first week of each month with the location to be determined beforehand. Rick stated that the monthly report is due by the tenth of each month so as long as we meet a couple of days before that, it would be fine. There was also discussion about reporting the new location and dates in the Gazette for the benefit of the community. Paul Clay also spoke about the need to replace the existing signs at either end of town as they have outdated contact and meeting location information. He recommended that a short web name be used to direct interested parties to our actual website for more detailed information about the club. Paul said he will investigate the cost of printing new signs and provide a list of possible URLs for us to select from before having the signs printed. The board agreed unanimously to have the signs updated and replaced as soon as possible.

President Tom asked for a motion to increase the cost of meals by one dollar to cover the \$25 charge we are now incurring for the meeting room. Lee Fogle made the motion to increase the current charge of \$11 to \$12 effective with the next general meeting; Dave Krumpholz seconded said motion and the board so approved.

As a last order of business, President Tom asked Rick to contact Harold Herman to discuss additional fundraising ideas since he has indicated that he feels well enough to participate.

As there was no other new business the meeting was adjourned at 8:52 pm.

COMMITTEE REPORTS for February

Community Service

Eight members volunteered a total 52 hours of service for the following activities: working in a church office; visiting patients at a local assisted living facility; working at the local senior center; working at the local volunteer fire hall.

Spiritual Aims

Committee members volunteered a total of 5 hours of service for the following activities: providing transportation for two ladies to the grocery store and beauty parlor; prepared and delivered two meals; visited patients at a local nursing home.

Young Children: Priority One

Two members volunteered 4 hours of service to assemble and deliver birthday bags for 4 children in the Mt. Airy NET. One member passes the Haiti Relief Fund can at regular meetings.

Youth Services

Two members volunteered 4 hours as mentors. There are 25 mentees receiving this service for one hour each week. Two members volunteered 4 hours of service to assemble and deliver ten birthday bags to children in the Mt. Airy NET at a cost of \$100.00. One member participated as a judge on the Girl Scout Gold Award Panel for 2 hours. Ten girl scouts benefited from this program. Committee donated \$75 for a Boy Scout Eagle Project. One member volunteered as a reading buddy for 4 hours of service.

Service Leadership Programs (formerly called Sponsored Youth)

Committee attends the South Carroll High Key Club activity meetings and is making plans to meet with the newly acquired Liberty High Key Club.

Interclub Visits

Four members will attend the Mid Winter Conference on the weekend of February 26-28.