

Kiwanis

Kiwanis Club of Newark, Ohio

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WHAT'S KNEWS?

June 17, 2010

Greeters (Coordinated by Sam Kiner)

6/21 Rich Clark & Jeff Wilson
6/28 Greg Halbe & Michael Harris

Invocation — — Song Leaders (Accompanied by Bob Handelman)

6/21 Greg Halbe — — Rich Clark
6/28 Paddy Kutz — —

Future Programs (Coordinated by Phil Frye)

6/21 Goodwill Mentoring Program
6/28 *Sam Kiner* will talk about the KI Convention in Vegas

Recent Programs

6/7 **Matthew Trombetta** and Weathervane Performers: **Kirsten Paisley & Patrick Mullen**
Introduced by *Bob Handelman*
6/14 Club Projects, Activities & Issues: Strawberry Festival Review,
Moderated by *Doug Stutz*

Note: Independence Day will be celebrated on Monday, July 5. We will meet on Tuesday, July 6.
The Board meeting will be postponed until July 12.

- The *Noon News* is reported by *Dave Doney*, News Director, WNKO/WHTH Radio
- The pdf version of the newsletter is assembled and emailed by *Dave Whiteman*
- The printed copies are distributed by *Bob Evans*
- The membership roster is maintained by *Dave Whiteman* (dave@ohiokiwanis.org)



Guests Commercial photographer **Jace Delgado** attended as a guest of **Chris Miller**. Jace took many pictures of the Festival that can be seen on his Facebook page which can be accessed via his website: www.jrdphotography.com.

Announcements

- The 2010 Ohio District Convention will be held August 13-15 at the Crown Plaza Cincinnati North hotel. Watch www.ohiokiwanis.org for details.
- Kiwanis night will be on September 3 for the Columbus Clippers baseball and on July 24 for the Columbus Crew soccer.
- **Chris Miller** said that his mother will be making strawberry jam from our leftover sliced strawberries — for our club to sell.
- **Judy Bradley** reported that we have 30 flats of uncut berries left at Sav-A-Lot that can be purchased at a discount.
- **Ted Cobb** noted that he will handle the unused food. The campers will eat all 23 tubs of ice cream (with no complaints); the camp will use some of the unused shortcake with the balance going to the Food Pantry or the Salvation Army.
- **Doug** thanked everyone for making the Festival succeed in spite of the storm damage — especially to those who responded promptly to his 911 call for help on Saturday morning. He compared our efforts to Apollo 13: by working as a team we turned a disaster into a success. Doug also noted that the immediate response and hours of extra work by **Chuck Jackson** deserved considerable thanks.

June 7, 2010



A very surprised and happy **Greg Wallis** accepts his Festival 50/50 winnings from **Doug Stutz**.



Paddy Kutz, accompanied by Weathervane singers **Kirsten Paisley, Matthew Trombetta** and **Patrick Mullen, Jr.**, lead the club in singing God Bless America. Our club has never sounded as good!!

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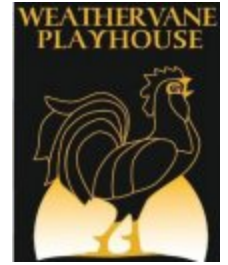
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**June 7,
2010**

Matthew Trombetta, Managing Artistic Director of the Weathervane Playhouse, returned for his annual visit to Kiwanis. This is a meeting that everyone looks forward to every year — it is always special. He brought with him three talented performers, pianist **Judy Rauch**, and two members of the Weathervane Staff, **Patrick Mullen, Jr.** and **Kirsten Paisley** — who treated us to two great musical selections (*see the picture panels*).



Patrick Mullen, Jr. (*picture to the left*) sang “On the Street Where You Live”, a song that he sings as Freddy in the Weathervane production of the award winning musical My Fair Lady. Freddy sings while standing on the street outside the Higgins’ home waiting and hoping to see Eliza Doolittle, the Cockney flower girl who is being trained to become a lady by voice coach Henry Doolittle . Did Freddy succeed? Did Higgins transform Eliza? You simply must see this spectacular performance to find out.



Kirsten Paisley, (*picture to the left*) sings in the chorus of My Fair Lady, the long running Broadway musical now being performed at the Weathervane Playhouse. Today, Kirsten sang “Good Morning Baltimore”, a song that she will be singing later this season when she stars in the award winning fun musical Hairspray. This is a must see performance that is filled with great music, dancing, laughter and romance from the 60’s.

Matthew was ecstatic when he talked about Weathervane performances—and the recently completed renovations. The theatre is now air conditioned and the rest rooms have been enlarged to make the hot summer evenings more comfortable. Look forward to year-round performances at Weathervane. In addition to My Fair Lady and Hairspray, the summer schedule includes The Producers (starring Matthew Trombetta and Granville’s own Brice Corder) and Alice in Wonderland for children and adults. In addition, the Weathervane will have two Cabaret performances, one at the Granville Inn and one at the Midland where you can get to know the cast and enjoy a fun evening of song, food and drink.

Matthew Trombetta along with Musical Director & pianist Judy Rauch (who is better known to us as Pastor Bill’s wife).



6/7 Announcements (cont.) *Sam Kiner* made three announcements:

- First and foremost—his new grandson, **Cohen Jacob Kiner**, was born Saturday morning. Sam proudly distributed chocolate cigars to everyone.
- **Matt Kunsman** will assume responsibility for next year's Charity News.

6/14

"Weathervane's Matthew Trombetta killed in crash" These were the headlines in today's issue of *The Advocate* — headlines that shocked and saddened us all. Matthew was a visionary, a great managing artistic director, a superb performer and our friend. Just one week ago, he met with us to proudly talk about the newly renovated Weathervane Theatre and the summer productions. He sang with us and laughed with us: it was a great meeting (*see pages 2&3*). We looked forward to sharing a great summer together. Today, we sadly mourned his loss and paid tribute to his many accomplishments. In many ways, Matthew has made our community a better place to live.

Pastor **Bill Rauch** opened our meeting with the following words of tribute for Matthew:

On June 13th our community suffered the loss of the artistic director of the Weathervane Theater in a tragic automobile accident. Matthew Trombetta was here with us at Kiwanis just recently, as he has each year going back seven seasons, touting the virtues of the Weathervane Theater's summer stock series. He benefitted our Kiwanis efforts directly by welcoming the kids of Camp O'Bannon to view the dress rehearsals of family oriented musicals and plays. He likewise helped our efforts by serving as the director of this year's Twentieth Century Flyer, a major fund raiser for the camp. In many ways, he is the person most responsible for the recent evolution of the Weathervane program, now offering year round theatrical opportunities for the community and the much needed transformation of its facilities into an enclosed, air-conditioned space. He was multi-talented as a musician, actor, director, administrator, fund raiser, and was a great asset to the Newark community and a friend of Kiwanis.

6/14 Announcements

- Taking the first step to appoint committee members, **Sam Kiner** collected information about our current committee involvement and our preferences for future committee assignments.
- **Doug Stutz** asked us to be flexible while decisions are made regarding our caterer and meeting space.
- **Phil Frye** asked for volunteers to join with him and the Licking County Board of Realtors on the United Way Day of Caring work on a Coalition for Housing home.
- **Bob Cullen** distributed flyers for the "Walk for The Works" on Saturday, June 26, in downtown Newark to benefit The Works scholarship fund.
- **Doug Stutz** distributed worksheets and asked each table to brainstorm ways to make the Strawberry Festival better. Several good ideas were mentioned. Doug will summarize the information for use and further discussion. Doug stated that every member should be involved.

This article was written by Advocate reporter, Abby Roy, as part of The Newark Advocate's Aces of Trade series. It was published by The Advocate on May 31, 2010.

Camp O'Bannon director takes hands-on approach

NEWARK -- At times Ted Cobb finds himself knee-deep in "pool goo," and at other times -- however rare -- he dons a suit and tie to meet with potential donors about fundraising.

It just depends on the day.

At any given moment, he's glad to expend a bit of elbow grease to make sure Camp O'Bannon is running smoothly. As a 17-year veteran director there, Cobb is familiar with what that might entail.

"I consider myself the best toilet cleaner around," Cobb said one day last week amid a walking tour of the Camp O'Bannon grounds. He was attired in one of his trademark tie-dyed T-shirts, of which he has one for each day of the week for each year he's been director.

Don't worry -- he gives most of them away. After all, he has plenty of camp memories without having to accrue a rainbow-colored wardrobe to show for it.

Cobb got an early start at Camp O'Bannon: By the time he graduated from Ohio University with a degree in recreation management, he already had spent time as a counselor there, where he met his wife, Betsy.

He became director in 1993, and since then he has been pleased to see the lives that have been changed at Camp O'Bannon, whose campers are referred by teachers and social service agencies.

That's part of why he enjoys his job so much, Cobb said.

"The goal is giving the kids an opportunity they couldn't have," he said.

The other part?

"Every day is something different," he said.

The camp is located northeast of Newark, and its wooded grounds include four dormitories, a main lodge, shelters for crafts and nature activities, a swimming pool and plenty of open space for camp activities ranging from Capture the Flag to kickball.

Summer camps open June 14 and run through Aug. 14, but the facility is used year-round for parties, meetings and other events.

Cobb's job as camp director doesn't shut down with the end of camp season, however. Aside from his annual September vacation, the remainder of the year is spent fundraising. The Kiwanis Club of Newark and Twentieth Century Club are major supporters, he said, and the camp couldn't be run without the core group of individuals who help day-to-day operations go smoothly.

As he gears up for a new wave of campers, Cobb is looking forward to another summer of variety and fun.

But if you happen to stop by in forthcoming days prior to the campers' arrival, don't be surprised if you see Cobb scrubbing toilets or cleaning trash cans.

"I'm not going to ask (campers) to do something I haven't done," he said.

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Columbus Northland	2nd & 4th Monday, 6:15 PM	Northern Columbus	Thursday, 6:00 PM
Friendship Village, 5800 Forest Hills Blvd, Columbus		Wesley Glen, 5155 N. High St, Columbus	
Granville	Monday, 6:15 PM	Westerville	Wednesday, 6:30 PM
Granville Inn, 314 E. Broadway, Granville		Public Library, 126 S. State St, Westerville	
Heath Moundbuilders	Thursday, 6:00 PM	Worthington-Linworth	1st & 3rd Monday, 6:30 PM
Stacey's Home Style Buffet, 833 S. 30th St, Heath		Holiday Inn, 7007 N. High Street, Worthington	