

# Hilliard Kiwanis News

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## Meeting

Members – 20  
Guests - 9  
Invocation: Leanna Goss

We had a nice large crowd this evening. 7 Members of Westland area Kiwanis joined us for our meeting AND 2 members of the Hilltop club were present.

Community Service reported on their bins project for the food pantry. Please contact Ted Barrows to help with this project.

All Youth will be holding their first hands on service project. We will be stuffing 200 bags full of goodies for children's hospital at the Feb. 18 meeting. All Youth will also be holding Read Around the World at the Hilliard Community Center on March 3,4,8,9,10,and 11. Please see Kim to spend ½ hour reading

books provided by All Youth committee to the pre-school children. This is a YCPO project.

Delegates for International convention in Las Vegas were approved. Terry Valentine and Carol Parker will serve as delegates. Ted Barrows and Steve D'Ambrosio will serve as alternates.

Darby is looking for a Kiwanis advisor. Monday's at 2:45 for approximately 20 minutes. Please let Terry know if you can help. Don Parker has been attending but has become increasingly difficult with his other duties.

A special thank you to Steve D'Ambrosio for attending Davidson Key Club meeting and discussing scholarships with the seniors.

Don't forget Food pantry item for Feb 11:

Fats, oils, sweets, milk, yogurt, cheese. All non perishable.

Davidson Key Club will be holding their special needs prom on April 3. Please consider chaperoning and helping with this event. It is an absolutely amazing event. We as members should be very proud of our key clubs and offer them our support.

**Congratulations to Valerie Scheel as Kiwanian of the Month for December.**

***Other Projects upcoming from All Youth:***

B is for Baby. Please bring in baby powder, baby bottles, bibs, booties, socks to any meeting between now and March 11. This is a YCPO project that will be taken to Mid Year. ALSO watch for information on the Pinwheel garden in April. First Lady Carol's project for Child Abuse

## Happenings

### **50/50 – PRESIDENT TERRY!**

Ted Jones reported that Mike Ryan had spent some time in the hospital but is now at home. Get better Mike!

**Happy Birthday Phil de Roche! He got a pole barn for his birthday – his present for the next 10 years according to Kim.**

President Terry passed out the comments from members about the 3-2-1 concept and comments on meeting place. Please find it attached to this newsletter.

## Dates to Remember

### ***FEBRUARY:***

**11** – Brown. 6:30 **Annual Valentines Day Party.**  
**SOUP COOK OFF!** Meal : \$5 per person. Bring a friend or spouse! BINGO!  
Greeter /Invocation: Jane Cunningham  
**18** – Brown. 6:30 Meal \$10 Ham .**Committees meet & Hands on project for Childrens Hospital**  
Greeter/Invocation: Chuck Hahn  
**25** – Brown. 6:30 Meal \$10 – Chicken Terriyaki.  
Greeter Invocation: Bill Jackson .**Program: Cathy Sellers, HIV Prevention**

### **Other Important Dates:**

**Feb 6** – Rock N Bowl for Childrens Miracle Network.

**March 13-** Mid Year Education Day.

**April 1** – Easter Food Drop distribution at the Hilliard Food Pantry.

**April 3** – Davidson Key Club Special Needs Prom.

**April 6** – Faith Mission. Cook and Serve.

**April 17** – **Pancake Breakfast**

International Presidents Visit: **May 14, 2010**

International Convention: Las Vegas **June 24-27, 2010**

**Franklin County Fair:** July 17 – 24

Ohio District Convention: **August 13, 2010**

**FSR – September 21-23**

**Hilliard Davidson Renaissance Valentines Gathering. At Hilliard Davidson High School. Feb. 7 from 2-4 p.m. Enjoy Food, games and music. This is a project of Vera Humes grandson, Jared.**

February 8 – 3:00 Darby Key Club making trauma dolls. Please consider helping. March 15 – Davidson Key Club delivering lap blankets to patients at Arbors. Needs donations of cookies and cupcakes – green of course.

### Hilltop Kiwanis and Westland Area Kiwanis News

Opportunities abound: Westland would still like us to consider helping at Doctors West the third Thursday of every month. They would also like for our consideration in helping with their Books for Babes Project which has grown bigger than anticipated. Hilltop is in the running for a grant of \$250,000 with Pepsi for a community center. Go to [www.refresheverything.com/hilltopkiwanis](http://www.refresheverything.com/hilltopkiwanis) and vote. They also presented a flagpole fundraiser which has been referred to the Community Services committee for consideration.

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## QUOTE OF THE WEEK

You get the best efforts from others not by lighting a fire beneath them, but by building a fire within.

~ Bob Nelson

## Valentine's Day Celebration



### Bring your special Valentine!

Soup Cook off! \$ donations will decide the best soup. The winning couple will receive a gift card and the coveted golden ladle. \$5 per person which includes appetizers, salad,

dessert, beverages all provided by the social committee.

Register to bring your favorite homemade soup. **(We only have TWO signed up-we need more!)** Please bring the recipe to share. Let Kim or Val know if you plan to enter your favorite soup – we need at LEAST six entries.

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### ROCK N BOWL FOR CHILDREN'S MIRACLE NETWORK

If you are bowling for Rock N Bowl please meet Kim at 12:00 at Columbus Square Bowling palace, 5707 Forest Hills Blvd. Columbus, OH. Their phone # is (614)895-1122. We will register and turn in sponsor monies before the 12:30 session.

This just in from Children's Hospital Rock N Bowl co-ordinator : Rock N Bowl will go on unless we have a Level 3 emergency. We can make

the decision as teams to not risk the weather. Please contact Kim in the a.m. if you plan to attend and IF we are bowling.

If we do not bowl, Kim will need to have the monies turned in soon. We had a check written for the pledged amount from All Youth committee budget.

If we bowl: DO NOT FORGET TO BRING YOUR PLEDGE MONEY.

President:  
Terry Valentine

President Elect:  
Ted Barrows

Vice President:  
Steve D'Ambrosio

Treasurer:  
Rod Garnett

Secretary:  
Kim de Roche

Immediate Past  
President:  
Phil de Roche

### OTHER NEWS

President Terry appointed the nominating committee for the 2010-2011 year. Hard to believe that it is almost time to consider nominations for another year and it seems like Terry's has just gotten started. The Nominating committee is: Ted Barrows, (chair) Phil de Roche, Rod Garnett, Valerie Scheel and Jake Jacobs. Please consider being a leader for our club. President Terry stressed that we cannot continue to recycle presidents and need some new leaders – as Phil put it “ If I did it, ANYBODY can do it! The committee will begin discussions in March and will report to the club on April 25 the nominations. The nominations will then be posted in the newsletter for two weeks and will be voted on at the Annual Club Meeting on May 6. We would also like the club to consider an assistant secretary. If anyone is interested contact one of the members of the nominating committee.