

Hilliard Kiwanis News

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Editor: Kim de Roche

Meeting

Members – 19
Guests – 1
Invocation: Don Patterson

President Terry opened the board meeting. Very little business. The secretary and treasurer's reports were approved. April 29th meeting was moved to the Senior Center for the Scholarship Banquet.

We are getting in the news. We had 3 articles in the Hilliard Paper this week (thanks to Carol Parker). The Special Needs Prom was held Saturday April 3. Members attending were: Steve (and Ann), Ted B, Phil and Kim, Jenny, Don & Carol, Terry and Past Lt. Gov. James Howard.

It was an amazing event. Every special needs student had a great time. Pictures were taken, dancing, games and just plain fun was had at the event. The Davidson Key Club deserves a round of applause for holding such an important event and giving it their all. Special thanks to Carol Parker for all of her hard work in getting a LOT of food donations for the event. Sponsored Leadership provided the decorations and paper product for the event.

Steve D'ambrosio set up a display for a walk with a doc program. If you would like to know more please see Steve for literature.

Steve D' Ambrosio announced Darby Scholars for 2010
Key Club – Jessica Turner
Kiwanis/Dever – Ashley Jacobs
Kiwanis/Wendell Webb – Debbie Gillum

Scholarship Banquet
April 29 at Senior Center. Please plan to attend to honor our scholars. Great job Steve!

Pantry item next week:
Meat, fish, beans, nuts.

Happenings

50/50 winner was ROD Garnett – again.

Happy Birthday to Mike Ryan April 7.

Larry Battles gave \$2 in Happy Bucks for....wait for it.....you will never guess...sighting TWO BLUEBIRDS yesterday!

Please remember to either turn in your ticket money to Rod or your unsold tickets by April 17.

Dates to Remember

APRIL

April 15 – Committee Meetings. Brown. Meal: Burrito Bar \$10.

April 22 – Brown. Meal: Cilantro Lime Chicken \$10. Jerry Kuyoth – Aging and Health care

April 29 – Scholarship Banquet – Senior Center at 6:30.

Other Important Dates:

April 17 – Pancake Breakfast

April 24 – Road Clean Up. 8:30 DQ

April 24 – Division board meeting at UA Library Lane Rd. 1-4 p.m.

April 28 – Division Council Meeting. 6:30 P.m. at China Bell, 1947 Stringtown Rd., Grove City.

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

International Convention: Las Vegas **June 24-27, 2010**
Franklin County Fair: July 17 – 24

July 24 - Kiwanis Night with the CREW

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

Sept 3 – Kiwanis Night at the Clippers. Governor Don will be throwing the first ball!

FSR – September 21-23

Don't forget to be baking cookies for the **COOKIE WALK** at the pancake breakfast!

Invocation Greeters:

April 8 – Kim de Roche
April 15 – Rod Garnett
April 22 – Phil de Roche
April 29 – Bob Beatty

Hilliard Easter Meals Benefit/Faith Mission

We had a lot of members attend and help distribute food to 49 families on April 1. Thanks to Larry Battles for his organization and getting all that food delivered to the pantry. Thanks to every one for coming and supporting this great project.

Faith Mission – We had a great turn out for serving at Faith Mission. Those attending were Terry, Ted B, Larry and Carolyn Battles, Kim, Leanna, Jenny, Don & Carol, and Bob Maruniak. Again, thank you Larry for delivering the food for cooking and organizing this event! Thanks to all that served.

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QUOTE OF THE WEEK

We keep moving forward. Opening new doors, and doing new things, because we're curious and curiosity leads us down new paths.

~ Walt Disney

Pinwheels for Prevention

We had a large turnout of Key Clubbers for the planting of the pinwheel garden. We planted 960 pinwheels. Thanks to Don Parker, Ted Barrows and Don Patterson for setting up the grid on Saturday. The Pinwheels is a project for First Lady Carol to raise awareness on child abuse. The pinwheels represent a portion of the child abuse cases in Franklin County. There will be a sign for Prevention

and a Hilliard Kiwanis banner on the site soon. Be sure to go by and take a look at our garden. Thanks to Jerry Goss for providing ice cream to Key Clubbers and members in attendance. Members attending were: Don & Carol, Kim, Jane Cunningham, Jerry & Leanna and President Terry. Lt. Gov. Faith Levine also attended. Thanks to Davidson & Darby Key Clubs and Davidson advisor Donna Moss for all of their help.

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Hilliard's First Annual Community Safety Day

We have been invited by the Hilliard Police Department and Norwich Township Fire Dept to participate in this event. It will be on **May 15** from 9 a.m. to 3 P.m. Their mission is to provide the community with a day of enjoyment, involvement and education in safety thru gifts, free lunch, station tours, police and fire demonstrations, equipment displays, **area service provider displays**, DUMP program, public wellness checks, adult and children activities, raffles, videos and landing of Med Flight's helicopter. What they would like from us is to set up a display and man the display to let the public know what Kiwanis is and what it provides to the community. Sounds like a great opportunity to get us in to the public eye. If anyone is interested in manning the booth and possibly **helping Kim** with brochures, set up, etc. Please let her know soon.

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

Miscellaneous Info

Congratulations to Hilliard Kiwanis! Lt. Governor Faith Levine attended our meeting to present our awards! We received Distinguished Club for 2008-2009 and also Go for the Gold for 2008 – 2009. Faith also presented pins to Phil and Kim as 2008-2009 President and Secretary. (ask Phil who got the bigger pin ☺)

Community Services announced their expenditures for their busy week. The Food Pantry Easter meal benefit expenses were \$2,781.69. We fed a lot of Hilliard Families! The Faith Mission cook and serve costs were \$493.83. Great job Ted Barrows and his community services committee.

Please bring your cookies to the meeting on April 15 for the Cookie Walk. You may also bring to the breakfast early Saturday morning.