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Today's Program...

Introduced by **Rip Kinney**, Coach Erik Bakich gave a lively and informative account of the University of Michigan Men's Baseball Program. Coach Bakich, in his second year here, also introduced two members of his staff: Wayne Walton, Director of Baseball Operation and former coach and athletic director for Chelsea; and Sean Kenny, pitching coach and former pitcher for **Rip Kinney**, at Pioneer High School and then at EMU and the NY Mets farm system. Coach Bakich talked about the mission to teach the players the servant leader style of leadership, on the field, in the classroom, and in the community. They are working with the concept of "Selflessness: putting the needs of the team and others before your own"

Coach Bekich told several great stories of things that happen with freshmen on the field and how to deal with an umpire who misses calls. They also have the goal of returning U of M baseball to its former strength and success. They have already played twenty games in the southern part of the season and will begin the Big Ten season this weekend against Indiana. Play ball and Go Blue!



Next Week's Program...

March 24: Charmin Archer from the Family Learning Institute

President:
John Dahl

Vice-President:
John Goff

Treasurer:
Cliff Sheldon

Secretary:
Jeanette Okuley

Immed. Past Pres.
Mark Wishka

Board Members:
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Dan Burroughs
Alan Caldwell
Andrea Kotch Duda
Robert Johnson
Martha Petroski
Gretchen Preston
Sheridan Springer
John Schenk



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ASSIGNMENTS for the COMING WEEK:

Announcer	Dale Leslie
Officer of Day	Jerry McMahon
Dockers	We need dockers! Come on down...it will be warm and sunny!
Warehouse	Bob Gray, Martha Petroski, Gordon Beeman, John Schenk, Nick Dever
Sorters	Kathy Stroud
Hardware	Ted Brokaw, Dave Hughes, Burt Lamkin
Furniture	Mel Williams, Jim Bloomquist, Kathy Barden-Perlberg
Shoes & Sports	Rip Kinney, Ron Williams
Men's Clothing	Bob Johnson, Jocelyn Wilder
Electronics	Bill Robb and the Three Amigos
Lamps	Dennis Powers, Dick Smit
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Beds & Toys	Lee Bachman, Ken Shaw
Office & Medical	Jim Mattson and Flock
Vouchers	Joan Masters, Garry Evans, Andrea Kotch-Duda, Ellen Webb, Rose Marie Barhydt, Bob Johnson
Invocation	Nick Dever
Greeters	Don Clewell, Burt and Sally Lamkin, Gary Elling or substitute
Hospitality	Lloyd Kitchens
Cashier	Martha Pretoski

Guests at our Club...

Nancy Strong, guest of **Jane Talcott**; Jim Swigert and Roy Siciliano, guests of **Don Kossick**; Ian Sullivan, guest of **Harry Cross**; Margaret Kephart and Pam Loduca, guests of **John Goff**; and **William Hampton**, Honorary Member. Welcome to all! We hope you will come back soon.

Announcements...

President John reminded everyone to purchase a copy of the street newspaper "Groundcover", which features the Kiwanis Thrift Sale as the cover story.

He also announced that the Voucher Program, which closes for the season this month, will be close to the budget of \$30,000 of merchandise given to individuals and families.

Finally, **President John** announced that nominations for Board of Directors and Vice President are open, and anyone who is interested in serving should contact him or chair of the nominating committee **Past President Mark Wishka**.

Max Ziegler announced that AA Western Kiwanis will hold their Golf Outing on May 22, and encouraged all golfers to put it on their calendars to come out and support their major fundraiser.

Dave Drake reported that the Super InterClub hosted by Ypsilanti last Wednesday was cancelled by the snowstorm. He wanted us to believe that he shoveled out his driveway and struggled through miles of bad roads only to discover that no one was there.

Fines and Happy Dollars...

Fines:

Ron Gardner proposed a fine on anyone not named **Lynne Lande**, excluding himself of course, because she kept popping up to do one task or another. Passed, and the editor kept her quarter.

Happy Dollars:

Chris Winkler is happy and proud of his daughter's recent appointment to chair of the Africology department at the university where she is and associate professor; **Larry French** is happy about his recent ski trip to Colorado, where he and Linda skied at 11,000 ft elevation and in 35-40 degree weather; **Jane O'Talcott** is pleased that her great great grandparents left County Kerry in 1838 to come to America....she is also a descendent of the boxer John L. Sullivan; **Jerry McMahon** is happy he ran in the Corktown Race March 17, and proud that his parents are Irish; **Evans Koukious** is glad to be back with us today and brought two photograph collages he made for his father in law: the B-17, including a diagram of where his father in law sat as a gunner, and a Tiger score card from 1944, including Dizzy Dean as the pitcher; **Claire O'Dahl** is happy to announce another gathering of "Rosie the Riveter"(s) on March 29, in an effort to set a Guinness World Record....mandatory Rosie dress code...see **Claire** for details; **Cyndi Barton Spencer** is grateful that her father's cancer surgery was successful; and for the luck of the Irish, which netted her a winning lottery ticket and prizes from a conference she attended; **John Sampsel** liked his trip to Florida, then to Maryland, and finally to Ann Arbor and our great weather; **Jim Kane** is happy for his participation in four sold out theater performances, and for the beautiful sunshine; **Fred King** is glad to make the public service announcement that Friday the 13th fell on Thursday this month; **Fred Sanchez** is happy to announce that the Tiger baseball trip is filling up, with fifteen seats still available; that he is happy for any team that beats Ohio State, even Michigan; that he is really happy for his MSU team; then he told a story about a priest and three Irishmen....you had to be here.

Hospitality Information...

Dan Dever shared news that **Martha Petroski** went swimming in a far away ocean, got two severe ear infections and was too sick to board the plane to return home. She will be back soon to take our money in the lunch line.

Editor's note: although **Lloyd Kitchens** did not mention it, he is facing more cancer tests and treatments. Please keep him and Elizabeth in your thoughts and prayers.

Stuff You Should Know...

Fines Collected: \$54 (!) some folks gave more than a quarter!

Happy \$ Collected: \$57

Attendance Today: 79

Last Week's Sale Revenue

KAC: \$5,395

Warehouse: \$2,862

Vouchers: \$1,829 serving 11 families

Meetings:

President John announced that the Major Grants Committee begins its work today, reviewing 51 proposals received.

The Spring Divisional will be held on Saturday March 29 at Stonebridge. We will have an interclub representing our club at the meeting. If you are interested in participating, contact **Secretary Jeanette**.



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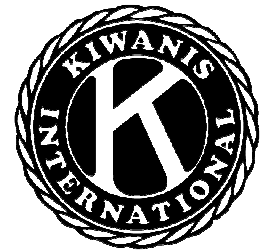
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The Warehouse Sale is now open 10am-1pm every Saturday!

March 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 Sale + Warehouse
2	3 Meeting	4 Board Meeting	5	6	7	8 Sale + Warehouse
9	10 Meeting	11	12	13	14	15 Sale + Warehouse
16	17 Meeting	18	19	20	21	22 Sale + Warehouse
23	24 Meeting	25	26	27	28	29 Sale + Warehouse



Planning Calendar

March
Spring Divisional

May
Club Annual Meeting
Elections
Attendance Awards

June/July
International Convention
Club Family Picnic

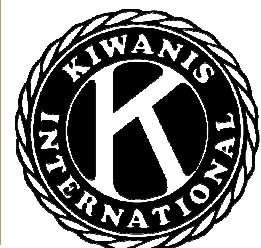
August
District Convention

September
Installation of Officers & Directors
Legion of Honor Awards

December
Christmas Sale
Salvation Army Bell Ringing
Club Christmas Party

April 2014

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
30	31 Meeting	1	2	3	4	5 Sale + Warehouse
6	7 Meeting	8 Board Meeting	9	10	11	12 Sale + Warehouse
13	14 Meeting	15	16	17	18 Good Friday	19 NO SALE Today
20 EASTER	21 Meeting	22	23	24	25	26 Sale + Warehouse
27	28 Meeting	29	30			

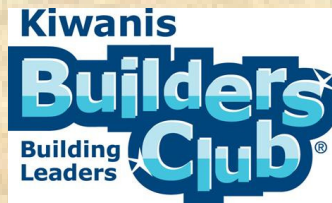


Other News...

Our Sponsored Programs... Service to Youth:



Angell Elementary



We need to start one of these for middle schoolers!



WISD Aktion Club



Huron High School
Pioneer High School



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and



Other Links:

- [Michigan District Kiwanis](#)
- [Kiwanis International](#)
- [U of M Circle K](#)
Meets 7pm Thursdays at UM
Union or League (Check Calen-
dar on Website)
- [Kiwanis Club of Ypsilanti](#)
Meets Noon Wednesdays at
EMU Student Center
- Ann Arbor Western
Meets Noon Tuesdays at
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