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Today's Program...

Kiwanis Hall of Honor inductions were the order of the day as we recognized three members—**John Bassett, Harry Cross, and Al Dailey**—for outstanding contributions to our club and Kiwanis International. **Bob Carr**, moderated the presentations and introduced the members who provided background on the new honorees. Bob noted that our club has had some 1,200 members over the years, of whom 42 have been inducted to the Hall of Honor. This year, six new members will be inducted—three today and three next week.



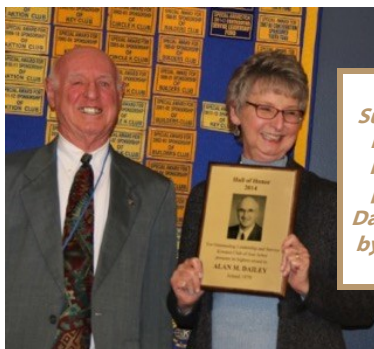
Bob Carr, MC



John Bassett receiving his Hall of Honor plaque from Cliff Sheldon as Bob Carr looks on.



Harry Cross after receiving his Hall of Honor plaque from Peter Schork.



Sue Dailey after receiving the Hall of Honor plaque for Al Dailey presented by Larry French.

Next Week's Program...

Monday, November 24 - Hall of Honor Induction II, Presider: Lynne Lande

Upcoming Programs...

- **December 1** - *Is Michigan Best Served by a Politically Elected State Supreme Court?* Speaker: The Honorable Bridget McCormack, Justice, MI Supreme Court; introduced by **Dale Leslie**. The meeting will be held at the Ann Arbor City Club, 1830 Washtenaw Avenue.
- **December 8** - *2014 Michigan Election Analysis & Possible Outcomes*. Speaker: Nolan Finley, Editorial Page Editor, Detroit News. Introduced by: **John Kidle**. The meeting will be held at the Ann Arbor City Club, 1830 Washtenaw Avenue.
- **December 15** - *The Greatest Story Ever Told—Fact and Faith*. Speaker: Dr. Waldemar Schmeichel, theologian, retired professor, Kalamazoo College. Introduced by: **Ron Gardner**.



This is what we call HOME... now in our 94th year.



The Early Days

The Kiwanis Thrift Sale

- Since 1927
- Over \$3.5 Million in Community Service Funding
- Thousands of Lives Touched



The Family Learning Institute "bookmobile" purchased with a grant from our club in 2014.

ASSIGNMENTS for the COMING WEEK:

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| Officer of Day | Mark Wishka |
| Dockers | We need dockers |
| Warehouse | Bob Gray, Nick Dever, Doug Ziesemer, Al Engerer |
| Sorters | Kathy Stroud |
| Hardware | Dan Burroughs, Marianne Clauw, Ted Brokaw |
| Furniture | Larry Hill, Bryce Babcock, Jerry McMahon, Mel Williams |
| Shoes & Sports | Gordon Beeman and Charmin Archer |
| Men's Clothing | Don Clewell and Jocelyn Wilder |
| Electronics | Bill Robb and the Wild Turkeys |
| Lamps | Dennis Powers and the Maker's Mark |
| Antiques | Sally Lamkin and Pat Materka |
| Beds & Toys | Dave Bell |
| Office & Medical | Jim Mattson and the Canadian Club |
| Vouchers | Ellen Webb, Dale Leslie, Claire Dahl, and Carl Williams |
| Invocation | Dale Leslie |
| Greeters | Bryce Babcock, Don Kossick, Joan Masters, Don McEwen |
| Hospitality | John Dahl |
| Cashier | Martha Petroski |
| Attendance | Jim Blomquist (Primary), Chris Winkler and Ray Argyle (Backup) |

Guests at our Club... Today's guests, introduced by **Bryce Babcock**, were Carmen Cross, Alice Cross, Elizabete Lima, Nancy Brennan, Bradley Cross, Fernanda Cross, and Julia Cross all guests of **Harry Cross**; Jennifer Conn, Marie Conn, Melanie Zwegers, and Richard Conn all guests of **John Bassett**; Jennifer Springstead, Bual Williamson, Eryn Springstead, and Greg Springstead all guests of **Sue Dailey**; Major Kris Wood and Darlene Howard of the Salvation Army, guests of **Garry Evans**; and Chiara Sackellares, Jonathan Pevarnek, and Alexa Wutt all of Circle K. Welcome everyone!

Announcements...

- **THRIFT SALE closed November 29th**; but KAC dock open for donations.
- **Kiwanis Holiday Party** - December 12th, KAC, 5-7pm.
- **Holiday Sale Prep Helpers Needed** - **Ken Shaw** (734-971-1445) says help is needed moving Christmas goods this Friday 9-Noon, and on Monday before our meeting. In addition, help is needed Monday through Thursday next week 9-Noon and after the sale Saturday cleaning up and disposing of trash generated by the sale. Call Ken to volunteer, or just show up. Finally, remember to stay after next week's meeting to move tables and chairs for the sale.
- **Newer Member Opportunity** - A couple of extra greeters are needed next week. Contact **Don Clewell** (dclewell@umich.edu) if you can help, or just show up at 11:45am on Monday.
- **Super-Interclub** - Meeting of December 8th at Ann Arbor City Club.



Major Kris Wood of the Salvation Army made brief remarks about our upcoming bell ringing and the Salvation Army's focus on preventing homelessness.

Fines and Happy Dollars...

Fines: **Dan Dever** proposed a fine on **Past President John Dahl**. It seems John borrowed Dan's pen to mark attendance, then failed to mark the attendance sheet but kept the pen!—passed. **Dan Dever** then proposed fining **Claire Dahl** after **John Dahl** used her quarter to pay his fine—passed. Finally **John Dahl** proposed fining everyone who rooted for a losing team on Sunday—alleged to have passed, and the quarters were collected regardless.

Happy Dollars: No time for Happy Dollars today. Save your happiness for next week.

Stuff You Should Know...

New Prospective Member:

Sean Wallace of Belleville, Registered Service Associate at Raymond James, Ann Arbor. Sponsor: **Andrea Kotch Duda**, Co-Sponsor: **George Gilligan**.

Social Events:

Annual Club Holiday Party - Calling all Kiwanians, volunteers, employees, and guests. 5-7pm Friday, December 12, 2014 at the Kiwanis Activities Center. The club will provide hearty appetizers, sandwiches, desserts, tea, and coffee. If you would like to have a glass of wine, please bring a bottle to share with others. No reservation required.

Offsite Meetings:

Remember, the location of our December 1st and December 8th Kiwanis club meetings has moved to the Ann Arbor City Club, 1830 Washtenaw Avenue, just south of the Hill Street intersection. Parking on the club property will be at a premium both days, but particularly on December 8th as that meeting is the divisional super-interclub for the month. The City Club has asked club members and friends to carpool. Parking will be available at the side and behind the club, on nearby streets, and at the church across the street.

Next Week's Menu:

Beef Tips, Egg Noodles, Tossed Garden Salad, Tart Apple Crisp.

Attendance Today: 82

Last Week's Sale Revenue

KAC: \$8,781 (Including \$1,205 in Women's; \$963 in Hardware)

Warehouse: \$2,743

Total Sale: \$11,524

Vouchers: \$897.25 to six families

Today's Fines: \$21.07

Today's Happy Dollars: No time today

Game Auction:



Garry Donner's game auction brought in \$130 for the Salvation Army today!



Known worldwide as the place for the "funkiest" gift.

*The Christmas Sale is
December
5th and
6th!
🔔
Salvation
Army Bell
Ringing
December
20th!*



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

November 2014



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



Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

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| | | | | | | 1 Sale: KAC 9-12 Warehouse 10-1 |
| 2 | 3 John Hanson Menu: Meatloaf | 4 | 5 | 6 Donations 9am- Noon | 7 | 8 Sale: KAC 9-12 Warehouse 10-1 |
| 9 | 10 Wystan Ste- vens Menu: Deli Sandwiches | 11 Board Meeting 7:15pm | 12 | 13 Donations 9am-Noon | 14 Grant Applica- tions Deadline | 15 Sale: KAC 9-12 Warehouse 10-1 |
| 16 Kiwanis Day at Breslin | 17 Hall of Honor Menu: Chicken Parmesan | 18 | 19 | 20 Donations 9am-Noon | 21 | 22 Sale: KAC 9-12 Warehouse 10-1 |
| 23 | 24 Hall of Honor II Menu: Beef Tips | 25 | 26 | 27 Dock Closed Thanksgiving | 28 | 29 No Sale Open for Dona- tions 'til 12 |
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December 2014

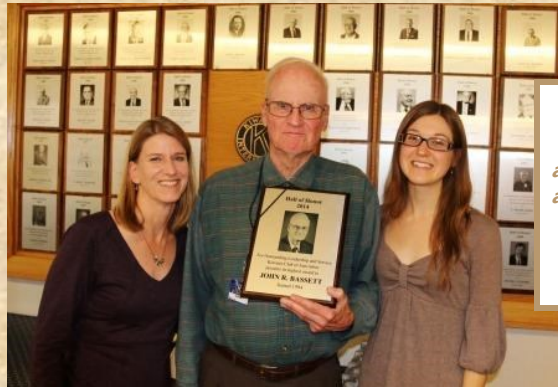
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| | 1 Bridget McCor- mack at AA City Club. Menu: Deli Sandwiches | 2 Board Meeting 7:15pm | 3 | 4 Donations 9am- Noon | 5 Holiday Sale KAC 9-Noon | 6 Holiday Sale: KAC 9-Noon Warehouse 10-1 |
| 7 | 8 Nolan Finley at AA City Club Menu: Citrus Grilled Chicken | 9 | 10 | 11 Donations 9am-Noon | 12 AA Kiwanis Christmas Party  | 13 Sale: KAC 9-12 Warehouse 10-1 |
| 14 | 15 Dr. Waldemar Schmeichel Menu: Tomato Basil Meatballs | 16 | 17 | 18 Donations 9am-Noon | 19 | 20 Sale: KAC 9-12 Warehouse 10-1 |
| 21 | 22 Jennifer Nico- demus Menu: Grilled Sandwiches | 23 | 24 | 25 Dock Closed Christmas  | 26 | 27 No Sale Open for Dona- tions 'til 12 |
| 28 | 29 Bring Your Kids to Kiwanis Menu: BBQ Chick- en | 30 | 31 | | | |

Go to <http://a2kiwanisfoundation.org/calendar-2/> and add the Kiwanis calendar to your own Google calendar.
Never miss an Ann Arbor Kiwanis event again!

Hospitality Information... **Pat Buhrer** reported the good news out of Switzerland is that her son's health is improving and he is becoming more mobile. **Chris Winkler** had surgery last week, is doing well, and is expected to be home soon. **John Dahl** also told us today was wife **Claire's** birthday which allowed him to take her out for a free breakfast at Denny's—last of the big spenders! **John Dahl** is your contact for hospitality news the remainder of the month: <jedwardd20@gmail.com> 734-395-3840.

More Pics from Today...



John Bassett and daughters after receiving Hall of Honor plaque.



The Cross Family celebrates with Harry on his induction into the Kiwanis Hall of Honor.



The Dailey Family after Suzanne accepted the Hall of Honor plaque on behalf of Al Dailey.

Great Furniture—Great Cause!

Help Us Help Kids!
Find your perfect accessory piece at the Kiwanis Furniture Warehouse Sale! Give back to the children of our community with great values on new merchandise weekly.

Items shown are representative of typical sale items, not actual inventory.

Kiwanis Thrift Sale

Kiwanis Thrift Sale
Saturdays, 9am-12pm
Washington at First St.

Kiwanis Warehouse Sale
Saturdays, 10am-1pm
840 Airport Blvd.

www.a2kiwanis.org

Our Sponsored Programs in Service to Youth:

Kiwanis K-Kids
Young Leaders Helping Others
Angell Elementary

Kiwanis Builders Club
Building Leaders

Kiwanis International

Huron High School
Pioneer High School

CKI
Circle K International
U of M Circle K

Kiwanis Aktion Club
Service in Action

WISD Aktion Club

ELIMINATE
Kiwanis eliminating maternal/neonatal tetanus

Make a contribution today. Contact Past President Ron Gardner for information on how to help.

Progress Toward Our Club's Eliminate Goal: \$100,000 by 9/30/2015

| Category | Amount |
|----------------------------|------------------|
| Contributions Received | \$87,450 |
| Contributions Still Needed | \$12,550 |
| Total Goal | \$100,000 |

Data as of September 28, 2014

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ANN ARBOR**

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Mondays at Noon
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734-665-0450

**“Ann Arbor Kiwanis
Thrift Sale” is on the
Web at:**

www.kiwanissale.com
and



Other Links:

- [Michigan District Kiwanis](#)
- [Kiwanis International](#)
- [U of M Circle K](#)
Meets 7pm Thursdays at UM
Union or League (Check Cal-
endar on Website)
- [Kiwanis Club of Ypsilanti](#)
Meets Noon Wednesdays at
EMU Student Center
- Ann Arbor Western
Meets Noon Tuesdays at
Quarter Bistro
- Kiwanis of Ann Arbor -
Morning Edition
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at Guy Hollerin's

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