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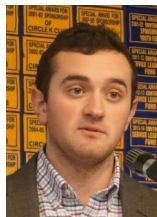
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### Today's Program...

#### The Ann Arbor Fire Department



*Zach Ackerman*

**Zach Ackerman**, Kiwanian and City Council member, introduced our speaker Chief Larry Collins of the Ann Arbor Fire Department. Chief Collins, who has been serving here since 2015, has a strong background of more than forty years of service and graduate degrees in Public Safety Management and Business Administration. He is currently pursuing his PhD.

Chief Collin's presentation focused on the mission and scope of services of the Fire Department, and a vision for the future. With a \$15.7 million budget, the FD protects 117,000 residents, 80,000 daily workers, 40,000 college students, and 100,000 football fans. The scope of service is about 29 square miles. Within that area there are five stations, each equipped with trucks and fire fighters on standby 24/7. Services include fire fighting, handling Haz/ Mat situations, technical rescue (i.e. building collapse), community emergency management, and EMS first responder. In 2016, the FD made 4,046 EMS first responder runs. 57% of calls are medical, 4% are fires. Chief Collins used the analogy of red and white blood cells in our bodies: the white blood cells are not so busy as the red cells, but jump into action when there is an infection or other attack on the body.

Two of the goals for the Fire Department are to build and increase community awareness and engagement, and to increase efficiency through regional dispatch services and training resources.



*Chief Larry Collins*

### Next Week's Program...

**March 13**—*UM Hospital Child and Family Life Department: Founded by AA Kiwanis.* Speaker: David Fischer, Director. Introduction by: **Larry French**.

### Upcoming Programs...

- **March 20**—*The Diversity of Avalon Housing.* Speaker: Ashley Blake. Introduction by: **Sally Lamkin**.
- **March 27**—*Spirit Matters: The experience of Attending to Spirituality in Psychotherapy.* Speaker: **Marianne D'Angelo**. Introduction by: **Bob Gray**.
- **April 3**—*Cancer Wellness Community.* Speaker: Erin Kelly. Introduction by: **Evan LeRoy**.

### Meetings...

- **Member Recognition** met after the meeting today.
- **SMOC** will meet on March 13 at 10am in Ned's Place.
- **Membership Growth and Education** will meet on March 13 at 1:15pm in Ned's Place.
- **Building and Equipment Committee**—Thursday, March 9th at 9am at KCW.
- **Kiwanis Young Professionals (KYP)**—Meets the first Thursday of the Month. Next meeting is April 6th at 6pm at Wolverine State Brewing Co., 2019 W. Stadium Blvd., Ann Arbor, MI 48103.



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**ASSIGNMENTS for the COMING WEEK:**

<b>Officer of Day</b>	John Dahl
<b>Antiques</b>	No Info
<b>Beds &amp; Garden</b>	Steve Hiller
<b>Dockers</b>	We need dockers
<b>Sorters</b>	Max Zeigler is away; we need sorters
<b>Hardware</b>	Jerry Brown, Marianne Clauw, Bill Milne
<b>Men's Clothing</b>	Dick Smit, Dave LaMoreaux
<b>Books/Records</b>	John Schenk
<b>Office &amp; Med.</b>	Jim Mattson and the Edmond Fitzgerald's crew
<b>Lamps</b>	Dennis Powers and his Gales of November
<b>Electronics</b>	Bill Robb and company
<b>KCW Cashiers &amp; Sales</b>	<b>Friday</b> —N. Dever (OD), Garry Evans, L. French, Bob Gray, Bud Roberts, J. Schenk, Ellen Webb <b>Saturday</b> —B. Barden, N. Dever, A. Engerer, E. LeRoy, B. Roberts, C. Sheldon, E. Webb, J. Wight, D. Ziesemer (OD)
<b>KCW Sorting &amp; Pricing</b>	<b>Tuesday</b> —George Gilligan, Bob Gray <b>Wednesday</b> —C. Bagchi, J. Clear, G. Gilligan, B. Gray, M. Harback, P. H-Duynslager, J. Kidle <b>Thursday</b> —P. Caufield, K. Gravlin, B. Gray, J. Kidle, R. Nuhn, K. Rickelmann <b>Friday</b> —C. Bagchi, J. Bloom, M. D'Angelo, P. Dittmar, P. Hankins-Duynslager, G. Kavanagh, M. MacDonald, G. and R. Maten, J. McNish, L. Meneghini, L. Nicholas, S. Rabidoux, M. Stewart <b>Saturday</b> —P. Brown, M. D'Angelo, A. Price, K. Rickelmann, M. Stewart
<b>Vouchers</b>	Ellen Webb, Page Caufield, Dale Leslie, Rose Marie Barhydt, Sally Lamkin, Susan Smith, Bob Carr, Matt Chaiken, RJ Taylor
<b>Invocation</b>	Kathy Barden-Perlberg
<b>Greeters</b>	Burt Lamkin, Sally Lamkin and Dick Smit (A), Max Ziegler
<b>Hospitality</b>	Dave Hughes
<b>Newsletter</b>	Lynne Lande
<b>Cashier</b>	Bryce Babcock

**Guests at Our Club...**

**Sally Lamkin** introduced our guests: five students from Circle K! Melissa Zhou, Morgan Darrow, Courtney Beauchamp, Justin Gaber, Christian Wire. Our guest speaker, Chief Collins, was accompanied by City Administrator, Howard Lazarus. We hope you will join us again soon!

**Hospitality...**

**Dave Hughes** provided updates on the following members and friends: **Sue Dailey**, member and wife of deceased member **Al Dailey**, is recovering from what has been diagnosed as a heart attack. She is out and about close to home. **Don Kossick** lost his younger sister a week ago, cutting short a vacation to travel to her funeral in Arizona. Former member **Lou Velker**, is recovering from a serious fall from a ladder, which resulted in a brain injury requiring surgery. **Bob Johnson** is setting a record for rapid recovery from hip replacement surgery last Thursday, leaving the hospital the next day and already walking a bit without a walker; **Kathy Barden-Perlberg** is recovering from surgery on March 3 and doing well. **Odie Elden**, wife of deceased member **Judge Sandy Elden**, is recovering from walking pneumonia. All of these good folks are in our thoughts and best wishes.

**Announcements...**

- **Dan Dever** asked members to complete the short survey about extending Thrift Sale hours and days in order to increase sales, operating income, and community support. The survey was sent electronically, and paper copies are available in the meeting room. We are asked to vote with our willingness to help out more times, not just say it's a good idea and assume that others will take care of the additional time and effort required.
- We need more volunteers to help with the voucher program on Thursday mornings in April and May. Please contact **Ellen Webb** if you can help.

—Announcements Continue on Page 3—

**Fines...**

**Fred Sanchez** heard **Dan Dever** mention "change" in his invocation, and thought he meant "change" in our pockets to be contributed to the fine bucket. **Nick Dever** quickly added "change is women's purses", so we all paid.

**Happy Dollars...**

No time for Happy Dollars today. Bring them next week.

**Announcements Continued...**

- Pledges for scholarships are due back to **Harry Cross** next Monday March 13. The Cross Foundation matches each pledge of \$500, which can be contributed by an individual or group. Forms are in the meeting room and attached to this newsletter. The deadline for pledges for camperships (\$250 to be matched by the Cross Foundation) is later this spring.
- If you have an idea or contact for an interesting program, please contact **Deb Jones**, Program Committee Chr., or **Dale Leslie** or **Al Engerer**. There are openings May 8th and beyond.
- **President Alan** announced that our opinions on the Kiwanis of Michigan Division realignment proposal run 2-1 against. President Alan will be writing a letter explaining our position and concerns.
- The Spring Divisional is Saturday, April 8, 10:30am to 2:30pm at Mt. Brighton Ski Resort. See **Secretary Kathie** to register and pay \$20 ahead of time. All are welcome. [See page 8 for the registration form.](#)
- See page 9 for info on this year's Tiger Baseball trip.

**Welcome Division 10 Presidents...**

Starting with this issue of the newsletter our distribution list will include all Division 10 Presidents. We are pleased to share news from the Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor and invite news from the other Division 10 clubs. If you have a event or activity of interest, please email the information to the publisher, John Kiddle, at [jkiddle@gmail.com](mailto:jkiddle@gmail.com).

**Happy Birthdays!**

March birthday babies were serenaded with a fine rendition of "Happy Birthday to You": March 1, **John Dahl**; 3, **Gordon Beeman and Andrea Kotch Duda** ; 10, **Todd Jones**; 12, **Dave LaMoreaux**; 15, **Dave Hughes**; 17, **Rip Kinney**; 21, **Sara Mehraban and Martha Petroski**; 22, **Paul Klinger**; 23, **Bob Conlin**; 26, **Bob Snider**; 28 **Carl Williams**. Happy Birthday to all and best wishes for a year of good health and happiness.

**Opportunity to Volunteer with the Youth Concerts at Hill Auditorium...**

About 6,000 children in elementary and middle schools will attend three concerts presented by the Ann Arbor Symphony Orchestra on Wednesday March 15 and Tuesday March 21. They need volunteers at the event to help things run smoothly. Go to the Symphony's website for details and to sign up: [www.a2so.com/support/volunteer](http://www.a2so.com/support/volunteer). Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor has a long-standing friendship with the A2SO. Here's a chance to lend a hand and share a great experience with children in our community.

**Thank-You Tours of Arbor Hospice Inpatient Facility Available...**

Arbor Hospice is hosting thank-you tours of their new facility and all Kiwanians are invited. Tours are from 9am to 10am on Monday April 17, Friday April 21, Friday April 28, and Friday May 19. Call (734-794-5542) or email ([JVindici@aborhospice.org](mailto:JVindici@aborhospice.org)) Judy Vindici at Arbor Hospice to participate.

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Over \$6,000,000  
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*Kiwanis Merchandise is now available online at [A2kiwanis.org](http://A2kiwanis.org) or [here](#). Samples available at KCW.*

# March 2017



## This Week's Numbers

**Attendance:**

56

**Fines:**

\$17.58

**Happy \$:**

\$0

**Mott Pot:**

\$0

**Vouchers:**

\$1,136

\$25,207 YTD

(9 Families)

**Thrift Sale:**

**KCD:**

\$5,913

**KCW:**

\$6,645

**Other:**

\$0

**TOTAL:**

\$12,558

\$260,722 YTD



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# April 2017

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## Flippin' News...

Flippin' for Kiwanis is a fun and creative initiative that gives customers, members and volunteers an opportunity to up-cycle or restore a piece of furniture and sell it for more than it was originally priced. With a little bit of time, supplies and imagination, pre-selected furniture pieces have been up-cycled for a profitable resale at the Kiwanis Center West (KCW) Thrift Sale. We started up-cycling again February 17 and spent the last three weekends working on the items that will go on sale March 10!

Please come to KCW and view or buy a one of a kind piece! The included photographs represent a small sample of what is available. Go to our FB page or the website for a more intimate view of the details, "before" and "after" pictures and additional information about the event. Thank you to our many volunteers, members, customers and carpenters who helped this event be another success!



## Ann Arbor/Ypsilanti Regional Chamber E3 Awards / Business Education Honor Roll...

The Ann Arbor/Ypsilanti Regional Chamber is honoring educational programs and/or educators in the local K-12 schools (Ann Arbor, Lincoln, Willow Run, & Ypsilanti) that deserve to be emulated in other K-12 schools. To nominate a school or program please email Barbara Davenport at [barbara@a2ychamber.org](mailto:barbara@a2ychamber.org). For more information click [here](#). All Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor members are also members of the A2Y Chamber.

## By-Law Presentation...

The general membership will vote on "adopting" the proposed updated Club By-Laws on Monday March 13. You must be present to vote. Please review the attached documents on pages 6 and 7 which include the Guidelines for Voting on the 13<sup>th</sup>.

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## Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor

### Guidelines for Voting on Proposed Updated Club By-Laws

Scheduled for Monday, March 13, 2017 at the regularly schedule membership meeting.

**Official voting will start at 11:45am and end at 12:30pm. (45 minutes)**

President Alan (or his designee) will announce the official voting process prior to the vote, and will indicate the official opening and closing times for the vote.

- Voting is confidential.
- Voting will be by official paper ballot only.
- The vote will "pass" if the YES vote equals or exceeds a 2/3 majority of those members who are both qualified to vote and are present on March 13, 2017.
- An official list of those individuals qualified to vote are Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor members who have paid their dues in full for this current Kiwanis year. If unsure of your status, please check with Kathie Wilder prior to voting.

#### Guidelines and Procedures:

1. As members arrive at the meeting, they should come up to the Ballot Table to check in Kathie Wilder (and one other assigned person who is at the Ballot Table) to officially sign-in and receive their official ballot. As members pick up their ballot, they will be reminded that voting starts at 11:45am and ends at 12:30pm. Ballots should be marked and turned in during the official voting time.
2. A ballot should be marked using either black or blue ink to indicate the member is voting once, clearly choosing either YES or NO, regarding the ballot question **"Do you Support the Proposed Updated Club By-Laws dated February 24, 2017."** Using a pencil to mark a vote on a member's official paper ballot will be considered as creating a Spoiled Ballot. A spoiled ballot vote will not be included in the Yes, No, or Grand valid vote totals.
3. Members should mark only their own ballot. If assistance is needed marking a member's ballot, that member should request assistance from Secretary Kathie, and this assistance will be provided by the other assigned person working with the Secretary.
4. After a member has voted, fold his/her ballot in half to cover the vote. Place his/her ballot in ballot box. Members should not handle other members' marked and completed ballots. If assistance is needed placing a completed ballot into the ballot box, please alert the Secretary.
5. The same person(s) who handed out the ballots will place a check mark by the person's name on the voter sign-in list to indicate that they have returned their ballot.

At 12:30pm - President Alan (or his designee) will announce that the time for voting time has ended. Three (3) members who were previously selected by the President to form the Official Ballot Count Team will be asked to take the Ballot Box into Ned's Place and count and tally ballots. During the counting of official paper ballots this team will also determine if there are any "Spoiled" paper ballots (judged to be neither a valid yes nor a valid no vote). President Alan will

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***Guidelines for Voting on Proposed Updated Club By-Laws Continued***

name a Chair for this select team of members to officially count the ballots. That Chair will organize the ballot counting process and, if any issues arise during the vote count, resolve those issues during the counting of ballots. The Chair will report the official results in written form to President Alan.

By 12:45pm - The results of the vote will be written down and handed to President Alan by the Chair of the Official Ballot Count Team who completed the official count of the all official paper ballots. President Alan will then announce the official voting results from the podium to the General Membership.

The official vote results will be announced as follows.

***The total number of members present and who voted on the resolution today was XX.***  
***The number of SPOILED ballots was XX. (Subtracted from total vote count.)***  
***The number required for a 2/3 valid majority is XX.***  
***The valid YES vote was XX.***  
***The valid NO vote was XX.***  
***The resolution has (PASSED or FAILED) based on the valid 2/3 majority result.***

After the vote, the marked and counted ballots and any tally paperwork will be securely locked up by the Club Secretary for 60 days in case there is a later official request for a recount. A record of the official vote result will be reported to our Kiwanis Board of Directors at their next regularly scheduled meeting.

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# SPRING DIVISIONAL

DIVISIONS 9,10,17,18,19

## April 8, 2017

**MT BRIGHTON SKI RESORT VAIL PROPERTIES  
ORE CREEK MOUNTAIN GRILL  
BUFFET LUNCH  
10:30 AM – 2:30 PM  
\$20/PERSON**

**REGISTRATION  
10:30 AM  
LANDSCAPE STRUCTURE  
PRESENTATION 11:00AM  
LUNCH 12:00 NOON  
AWARD PRESENTATIONS  
12:45 PM**

*photo of Golf Club at Mt. Brighton*

**/// Tickets MUST be purchased in advance, by March 22, 2017. No sales at door. ///**

**PLEASE PRINT OUT AND MAIL WITH PAYMENT TO ADDRESS BELOW**

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Division: \_\_\_\_\_

Names of Attendees (List all that payment is included for):  
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Ann Arbor Downtown Kiwanis Club & Guests

# *Detroit Tigers*



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Saturday, July 29, 2017

**\$70.00**

### Package Includes:

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- Bus will be at AA Pioneer High School Parking Lot at 4:30 P.M. Post-game fire works, arrival back between 11:00-11:30 P.M., depending on the length of the game
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Building Phone:  
734-665-2211



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#### Thrift Sale Downtown

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Saturdays 9am-Noon



#### Thrift Sale West

100 N. Staebler at Jackson  
Fridays and Saturdays  
9am-1pm



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days, and Saturdays  
9-11:30am

West: Fridays and Saturdays  
10am-12:30pm



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- [Michigan District Kiwanis](#)  
Click [here](#) to read the latest *Michigan Builder*.
- [Kiwaniis International](#)
- [Kiwaniis Young Professionals of Washtenaw County](#) Meets 6pm first Thurs. of Month
- [U of M Circle K](#)  
Meets 7pm Thursdays at UM Union or League (Check Calendar on Website)
- [Kiwaniis Club of Ypsilanti](#)  
Meets Noon Wednesdays at EMU Student Center
- Ann Arbor Western, Meets Noon Tues. at Quarter Bistro
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### Kiwanis Club/Foundation of Ann Arbor President Alan Burg's 2016-2017 ANNUAL GOALS

I plan to support the following goals:

- 1) Support everyone through a respectful sharing of ideas and offering of solutions throughout the year.**
  - a) Live and be guided by the Six Objects of Kiwanis.
  - b) Honor the Past and Plan for the Future.
  - c) Foster Development and Growth of Members and Increase Total Membership.
- 2) Continue Strategic Planning.**
  - a) **Our Identity:** Help the Strategic Planning Committee identify resources and persons to lead the membership and volunteers through a formal process to discuss, review, identify, and renew how our Club can best support the KIWANIS (KI) MOTTO, DEFINING STATEMENT, and VISION - by February, 2017.
  - b) **Increase Our Financial Stability:** (both Short and Long Term)
    - i) Help the Board identify and develop a process for the Sale of KCD and seek input for the design and implementation of expanded sale floor space at KCW.
    - ii) Help the Board continue and expand our efforts to lease KCW spaces and the sale of the out lot.
    - iii) Help the Board to support a return to increased Gifting ASAP when financially able.
      - (a) Ask our granting committees to review our Gifting Model and the Impact of our Gifts/Grants in alignment with the KI Purpose/Defining Statement and Vision by April, 2017.
        - (i) Review and determine the impact of providing many small gifts, grants, and scholarships vs. the possible impact of providing larger dollar amounts for perhaps fewer gifts, grants, and scholarships. Determine the best balance to gain the greatest impact by April, 2017.
        - (b) Make recommendations for the Board's consideration by June, 2017 for implementation in 2017-18 Kiwanis year.
  - c) **Foster Improved Governance** of Club and Foundation and plan for continued growth and change.
    - a) The Club membership will be asked to consider and vote on what specific steps to take regarding the approved Recommendations from our Board and the Re-Organization Committee, regarding size of Board, terms of service, adding a Vice President position, the use of a Chief Financial Officer (CFO), and when in our future to consider the hiring of an Executive Director. This vote will be scheduled no later than January, 2017.
    - b) Ask By-Laws Committee to update By-Laws in time to gain KI approval by March, 2017
    - c) The President-Elect will update all Committees' purpose statements by June, 2017.
    - d) Ask the By-Laws Committee to Update our Club Manual of Administrative Policies & Procedures by August, 2017.
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