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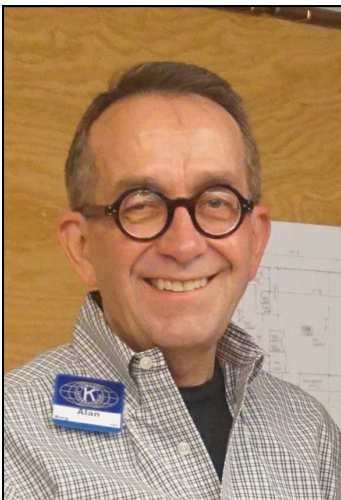
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Today's Program...

Board Notes



President Alan Burg*

**Disclosure—Keen-eyed observers will note that Alan's attire in the photo is not the same as at the meeting. It seems the Club Photographer was distracted from his photographic duties while performing a headcount of attendees. Thus, the need for this file photo which we're pretty sure is Alan. ~Pub.*

President Alan reviewed and shared information affecting the business operations of the Club and Foundation, including:

- ⇒ President's Board Report for July 18th
- ⇒ Secretary's June 2017 Report
- ⇒ Annual Goals Status Report
- ⇒ Announced votes to be held August 7, 2017, described voting procedures, and reviewed the proposals which are:
 - ◇ A proposal authorizing an official process for the sale of our outlot at N. Staebler and W. Jackson Roads.
 - ◇ A proposal to approve updated Foundation by-laws.

Copies of these materials were available for review at the meeting and will be distributed electronically to members. *President Alan's Board Notes* will also be posted on the website.

Be sure to read *Board Notes* as it is full of useful information. One important item reported was Board approval of three new members: **Demond Johnson, Amanda Colwell, and Christopher Cooper**. Welcome to our newest members!

Several meeting attendees asked questions concerning what control, if any, our club would have over the use of the outlot after sale. The answer was, very little. Any use that you see along the Jackson Road corridor would likely be permitted by governmental authorities.

Next Week's Program...

July 31—Hixson Awards. Master of Ceremonies: **Dick Benedek**.

Upcoming Programs...

- **August 7**—Kiwaniis Flippin' Project. Speaker: **Dr. Marianne D'Angelo**. Introduction by: **Bob Gray**.
- **August 14**—Meals On Wheels. Speaker: Beth Adams, Director. Introduction by: **Dale Leslie**.
- **August 21**—Yankee Air Museum. Speaker: Bob Hynes. Introduction by: **Joe Medrano**.
- **August 28**—Travel for Seniors. Speaker: Virginia Davis. Introduction by: **Deb Jones**.
- **September 5**—Safehouse Center. Speakers: Barbara May and Deborah Kerr. Introduction by: TBD.

Meetings...

SMOC and Member Recognition met at 1:15pm today at KCW.



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ASSIGNMENTS for the COMING WEEK:

Officer of Day KCD	Dale Leslie
Antiques	No Info
Bikes/Grdn/Luggage	Ken Shaw
Dockers	We need dockers
Sorters	Max Ziegler?
Hardware	Doug Hanton and Sue Dailey
Men's Clothing	Dick Smit and Dave Lamoreaux
Books/Records	Bill Heller
Office & Med.	Jim Mattson and the Hanging Chad Roustabouts
Lamps	Dennis Powers and the X Marking Mechanics
Electronics	Bill Robb and his Breathless Ballot Boilermakers
KCW Cashiers & Sales	Friday—Gordon Beeman (OD), Nick Dever, Larry French, Bob Gray, Fred Miller, Bud Roberts, Fred Sanchez, John Schenk Saturday—Bryce Babcock, Bob Barden, Mike Dabbs, N. Dever, Larry Dittmar, Larry French, Bob Gray, Evan LeRoy, Bud Roberts, John Schenk (OD)
KCW Sorting & Pricing	Tuesday—Bob Gray Wednesday—J. Clear, G. Gilligan, B. Gray, P. H-Duynslager, M. Harback, C. Marshall, F. & R. Schuman, M. Stewart Thursday—P. Caufield, J. Ford, K. Gravlin, B. Gray, F. & R. Schuman, M. Stewart Friday—M. D'Angelo, P. Dittmar, P. H-Duynslager, C. & J. Hammerschmidt, G. Kavanagh, S. Keyes, M. MacDonald, G. & R. Maten, L. Menghini, R. Nuhn, S. Rabidoux, S. Smith, M. Stewart Saturday—P. Bertoni, P. Brown, P. Dittmar, B. Finch, A. Price, K. Rickelmann, M. Robb, M. Stewart, S. Tuckowski
Vouchers	E. Webb, R. Marie Barhydt, J. Robinson, P. Caufield, S. Smith, S. Dailey, B. Roberts
Invocation	Bryce Babcock
Greeters	Dick Benedek, Pat Buhrer, Garry Evans, Steve Hiller and Fred Sanchez (A)
Hospitality	Fred Sanchez
Newsletter	Lynne Lande
Cashier	Andrea Kotch Duda

Guests at Our Club... Our man for all seasons, **Bob Gray**, filled in to introduce today's guests—Emily Allshouse, guest of **Lynne Lande**; and Mary Jo Rosen, guest of **Mary Stewart**. Emily and Mary Jo are both prospective members of our club☺. Welcome all!

Announcements...

- **Last Chance for Camperships**—There's only one week left to create a \$500 summer campership through a \$250 contribution under the Cross Foundation 50/50 challenge. See page 5 for a copy of the form. Deliver your form and money to **Harry Cross**.
- **KCW Work Night**—This Wednesday, July 26, 6-8pm. Attend if you can.
- **Committee Chairs**—Develop your budget needs for the next Kiwanis year. This information is due to **Cliff Sheldon, Larry French, and Eloise Lavin** by early August.
- **Meetings at KCW**—Three more Monday noon meetings will be held to KCW this summer. Dates are August 21, August 28, and September 18. Tours of the building will be provided. **Next week (July 31) we meet at Kiwanis Center Downtown.**
- **Interclubs**—B I N G O! "New Members Hit the Road Running." **Sandy Rabidoux** and **Peggy Hankins-Dunynslager**, a pair of our newest club members, attended their first interclub at the Belleville Kiwanis Club Picnic, on Tuesday, July 25. "We are really pleased to be new members and are excited about becoming active participants," said the pair. Interclubbing is an excellent method to get acquainted with other club members who interclub and to see how clubs operate in helping others. Next interclub: Tuesday, August 8, @ Ann Arbor Western, at 12 noon, Quarter Bistro. Hope to see you there!
- **Archived Objects Volunteers Needed**—The Committee for Movement of the Club and Business Office needs volunteers to help in displaying archived objects at KCW. Contact **Greg Meisner** to volunteer.

Hospitality...

Fred Sanchez reported the good news this week that **Max Ziegler** was back at today's meeting after recent surgery. Welcome back Max!

President Alan relayed a message from **Dave Drake**—he misses us, but not quite enough to leave beautiful Lake Charlevoix. He'll see us in the fall.



Jim Kane

Sad news received after the meeting... **James Wesley Kane**, 78, Kiwanian and longtime Ann Arborite, passed away on Monday, July 24, 2017, succumbing to complications of Alzheimer's disease. To view a full obituary, please visit www.niefuneralhomes.com

Cremation has taken place. Visitation with family will be held on Thursday, July 27, from 3-7 pm at Nie Funeral Home, 3767 W. Liberty Rd, Ann Arbor. A funeral mass will be celebrated on Friday, July 28, at 10:00 am at St. Thomas the Apostle Catholic Church, also in Ann Arbor, with Father Tony Smela, officiant. The family requests in lieu of flowers, donations be made to the Alzheimer's Association or Huron Woods Memory Care Facility, his home for the last 5 months.

Fines...

Dan Dever proposed fining **Dale Leslie** and **Ken Hillenburg** for a spelling error on Ken's winning Kiwanis Bingo card. Passed. **Bob Carr** asked for a fine of all members who failed to stand at the introduction of today's speaker... Bob assumed **Dale Leslie** must have been the speaker given the length of his Bingo presentation. Passed.

Happy Dollars...

- ☺ **Bob Carr** had a happy ten dollars for the voucher program and the Kiwanians who make it happen every Thursday.
- ☺ **Fred Sanchez** was happy to relay a bit of wisdom on winning and losing from Jim Harbaugh and General Mattis.
- ☺ **Kathy Barden-Perlberg** relayed the good news that Ann Arbor Kiwanians still have good appetites as indicated by the caterer running out of food today. She also asked us to save the date 9/28/2017 for a dinner at KCD memorializing our time in that building—plenty of food guaranteed!
- ☺ **Garry Donner** happily attended his 50th high school reunion last weekend and learned he's not the only one still working, but all of those still working are self-employed.
- ☺ **Alan Burg** was happy for the hard work of our board members who have dealt with difficult issues and many special meetings over the past year.

Upcoming Dates of Interest...

- The Detroit Tigers game this Saturday is SOLD OUT! **The bus will depart from Pioneer by 3:30pm. Please arrive by 3:00pm. Note the change in time.**
- The annual **Kiwanis summer picnic** is Sunday, August 13, noon to 3pm at KCW. BBQ ribs, chicken, and drinks will be provided. **Bring a dish to pass.** Contact **Mary Stewart** to sign up so enough food can be prepared. Phone: (734) 945-4955; email: mkcstew-art61@gmail.com.
- The **Kiwanis of Michigan Foundation's Hospital Project golf fundraiser** is August 14 at Lakeland's Golf and Country Club in Brighton. The cost is \$110 per golfer, which includes continental breakfast, golf, cart, lunch at the turn, and dinner. The cost for dinner only is \$30. Register online [here](#).
- **Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor golf outing** is scheduled at Pierce Lake Course in Chelsea on Thursday, September 14. Event fee is \$80. Contact **George Gilligan** to join.
- Hillsdale Kiwanis will be holding a golf outing on August 2 with proceeds going to support the Kiwanis of Michigan Foundation.

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July 2017



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Attendance:

66

Fines:

\$21.76

Happy \$:

\$34

Mott Pot:

\$0

Vouchers:

\$832

4 Families

\$57,677 YTD

307 Families YTD

Thrift Sale:

KCD:

\$4,649

KCW:

\$7,544

Other:

\$207

TOTAL:

\$12,400

\$479,491 YTD



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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						1 KCD Closed, Dock Open KCW Closed
2	3 July 4th KCD Donations 9am-Noon	4 Independence Day	5	6 KCD Donations 9am-Noon KYP Meeting 6pm	7 Sale & Dona- tions: KCW 9-1	8 Sale & Dona- tions: KCD 9-12 KCW 9-1
9	10 UM - CEW KCD Donations 9am-Noon	11	12	13 KCD Dona- tions 9am-Noon	14 Sale & Dona- tions: KCW 9-1	15 Sale & Dona- tions: KCD 9-12 KCW 9-1
16	17 Wash. Camp KCD Donations 9am-Noon	18 Board Meeting 6:30pm at KCW	19	20 KCD Dona- tions 9am-Noon	21 Sale & Dona- tions: KCW 9-1	22 Sale & Dona- tions: KCD 9-12 KCW 9-1
23	24 Board Notes KCD Donations 9am-Noon	25	26	27 KCD Dona- tions 9am-Noon	28 Sale & Dona- tions: KCW 9-1	29 Sale & Dona- tions: KCD 9-12 KCW 9-1
30	31 Hixson Awds. KCD Donations 9am-Noon					

August 2017

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3 KCD Donations 9am-Noon KYP Meeting	4 Sale & Dona- tions: KCW 9-1	5 Sale & Dona- tions: KCD 9-12 KCW 9-1
6	7 Flippin' KCD Donations 9am-Noon	8	9	10 KCD Dona- tions 9am-Noon	11 Sale & Dona- tions: KCW 9-1	12 Sale & Dona- tions: KCD 9-12 KCW 9-1
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27	28 Senior Travel KCD Donations 9am-Noon	29	30	31 KCD Dona- tions 9am-Noon		

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Gift is in honor of _____ Gift is in memory of _____

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(address) _____

The deadline for the Campership Challenge is Monday, July 31, 2017

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Harry Cross 3207 N. Wagner Road Ann Arbor, MI 48103

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- [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
- [Kiwaniis Ann Arbor Morning Edition](#), Meets 8:30am 2nd & 4th Weds. at Guy Hollerin's

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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
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