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CLUB ANNIVERSARY

January 14, 1952

CLUB WEBSITE

www.IndependenceKiwaniis.com

DIVISION WEBSITE

www.ohiokiwaniisdivision24.org

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www.ohiokiwaniis.org

INTERNATIONAL WEBSITE

www.kiwanisone.org

NEXT MEETING

June 14, 2010
Concordia Lutheran Church

NEXT MEETING: Our next meeting will be on *Monday, June 14, 2010* at Concordia Lutheran Church.

GUESTS: We had several guests this evening. We welcomed Lt. Governor Brian Shaffer, Tommy Kurtz, Jerry and Renee Knittle and Jim Hudak.

SUNSHINE: Get well to **Benes** who is recovering from knee surgery.

THANK YOU: We received a note of thanks from the Lindak family.

HAPPY DOLLARS:

Kapusta was happy for our guests; **Spilker**

was happy because she was 26,292 days old, for her NY trip, and that her son was coming into town this week; **Chrzanowski** had a buck for our guest Jim Hudak; **D. Nicastro** was happy for the Knittles; **Freilino** was happy for his daughter; **Hudak** had a buck for being able to put up with Freilino; **Chodzin** had a buck for the great meal; **Cicero, B. Togliatti** and **Wright** had a buck for Ausprunk; **Ausprunk** was happy to be back; **Penitz** for his son's marriage on Saturday; **Shallcross** had a buck for his son's marriage; **T. Kurtz** had a buck for his father.

COMMUNITY CONCERT: This event will be held on *Thursday, June 10, 2010*. If you are planning on helping with the sale of refreshments, please arrive at the bandstand at approximately 6 pm for setup.

SPRING BBQ: **D. Nicastro** reported that as of June 1st our profit was \$5,684, with some money still outstanding.

GOLF OUTING: **J. Smigelski** reported that thanks to Mel and Tommy Kurtz for coming through for the hole-in-one sponsor, Jay Pontiac.

HOME DAYS: **D. Weseloh** reported that an organizational meeting will be held on *Monday, June 21, 2010*.

Scholarship Winners

Kiwanis Mel Kurtz Memorial Scholarship – Megan Kavaras

Kiwanis Scholarships - Sarah Baran, Christopher Bierman,
Mallory Krolikowski, Geoffrey Zion

Kiwanis Dorothy Ornas Memorial Scholarship -
Meredith Martin & Joshua Suvak

Art – Gina Santora

Business Education – Hallie Scharton

English – Sarah Baran

Family and Consumer Science – Jillian Gubbini

Foreign Language – Jennifer Krasnicki

Industrial Technology – Marc Ineman

Mathematics – Adam Funke

Music – Nicholas Martin, Geoffrey Zion

Science – Adam Funke

Social Studies – Joshua Suvak

COMMITTEE REPORTS

COMMUNITY SERVICE: *Klepacz* announced that *Scouloukas, Shadrach, Agan, Duhan* and *Chodzin* were flag contest winners. **Reminder:** The West Side Catholic Center is in need of the following items: *Food items:* coffee, sugar, cereal; *Toiletries:* soap, shampoo, deodorant, lotion, toothpaste and brushes; *Clothing:* Men’s pants, shoes, socks, underwear; *Household Goods:* pots and pans, can openers, toasters, radios, small TV’s, tableware; *Baby Items:* diapers, wipes, cribs, bedding; *Misc. Items:* used eyeglasses, backpacks, sleeping bags, garbage bags, umbrellas. *Klepacz* says, “BRING YOUR STUFF!”

MEMBERSHIP: Did you know the number one reason people don’t join Kiwanis--they were not asked! Have you recently **ASKED** anyone to join the Independence Kiwanis? If not, what’s holding you back?

YOUTH SERVICES: *Chrzanowski* reported that a group of Kiwanians are in process of making recommendations to the primary school with regards to the construction of a shelter.

YCPO: We are invited to attend the preschool graduation ceremony at University Settlement on *Friday, June 11, 2010* at 6 pm.

POP TAB COLLECTION PROGRAM: In an effort to raise money for Ronald McDonald House, we collect the tabs from aluminum cans. Don’t forget to bring them in!

OHIO DISTRICT NEWS: The April Newsletter is now available on line at www.ohiokiwanis.org.

Board Notes:

The Board approved the membership applications from Agnes Bisler, Chris Iula and Kurtz Bros.
The Board approved Ron Skuza as an honorary member.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS

June Meetings

Thursday, June 10, 2010 – Flag Contest winner’s presentation at the Bandstand
(We will be selling refreshments) 7:00 pm - 8:30 pm
Thursday, June 17, 2010 – Division 24 Council Meeting @ Busch Funeral Home 7:45 pm

July Meetings

Monday, July 5, 2010 – Board Meeting
Thursday, July 15, 2010 – Division 24 Council Meeting @ Busch Funeral Home 7:45 pm

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| <p>HAPPY ANNIVERSARY</p> <p>Jeff & Mary Smigelski – June 3 John & Kathleen Kapusta – June 5</p> | <p><i>"You have to believe in yourself when no one else does. That's what makes you a winner."</i></p> <p>~ <i>Venus Williams</i></p> | <p>HAPPY BIRTHDAY</p> <p>George Klepacz – June 1 Necia Spilker – June 7</p> |
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