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## Today's Program.....

Dori Edwards spoke on the subject of medical marijuana (MM). She was introduced by Joan Masters. Dori has long been a believer in natural foods and medicines. She abhors pesticides and fears pharmaceuticals. Dori has been deeply involved in MM advocacy since about 2009, shortly after Michigan voters overwhelmingly passed the Michigan MM Act (MMMA) approving its use. She gave a brief history of hemp and related plants, all of which are illegal to grow in the US, per federal law. Dori says the law was passed to please large industrial competitors. The US is now the #I importer of hemp products. If the restriction were removed, Michigan agriculture could benefit greatly.

The use of cannabis is referred to in the Hebrew biblé. The plant in all its varieties has several hundred uses. Henry Ford is said to have used hemp products exclusively, to fashion a car interior. George Washington was a grower and probable user. Cannabis was the 2<sup>nd</sup> or 3<sup>rd</sup>

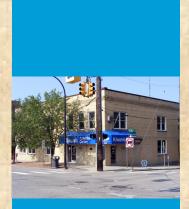


most widely used medicine in the US in the 1800's. There are many active compounds. Tetrahydocannabinol (THC) is the main one for psychoactive effects but other cannabinboids (CBD's) are important for medicinal effects. Dori says that one can get most/all the medicinal effects from products with CBD's but little THC, so they are true medicines. Plants can also be grown with high THC concentrations, as is often the case, to maximize psychic effects for social use.

Dori met with many attorneys seeking interpretation of the MMMA of 2008. In 2008 she opened Treecity Health Collective on State Street (now located at 2730 Jackson Avenue, ph. 734-369-3212). She is very interested in advocating high standards for the industry. A Dr.'s recommendation is required to obtain the medicine. Treecity has a Dr. on site one day/week. She hopes Treecity will be recognized as Best in State and be chosen as a model. She has visited many other dispensaries and organized the best ones into the Ann Arbor MM Cannabis Guild of which she is vice-president. The goal is maximize their impact of the future course on this issue.

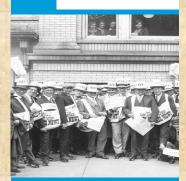
# **Next Weeks Program.....**

Dave Steiner will talk about the Yankee Air Museum. Intro by Sherry Springer



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#### **ASSIGNMENTS for the COMING WEEK:**

Announcer | Jim Kane Officer of Day | Ann Mattson Dockers | No Clue

Sheridan Springer; Al Engerer; Nick Dever; Warehouse |

Martha Petroski; Bryce Babcock

Kathy Stroud Sorters |

Hardware | Jerry Brown; Dan Burroughs; John Sampselle Mel Williams; Jim Bloomquist; Todd Jones Furniture |

Shoes & Sports | Al Gallup and John Kidle John Bassett and Bob Johnson Men's Clothing | **Electronics** | **Bill Robb and Associates** 

Lamps | Chris Winkler,; Robb Schultz and Friends

Pat Buhrer and Jane Talcott Antiques |

Beds & Toys | Lee Bachman; Ty Knoy and Steve Hiller

Office & Medical | Jim Mattson and Team

Invocation | Jane Talcott

Greeters | Bill Hallock; John Sampselle; Jane Talcott; Max Ziegler

Hospitality | **Dale Leslie** Cashier | Martha Petroski

### Guests at our Club......

Candace Elmquist and Josh Kurtz represented Circle K.

Vickie Lai, Xavier McClair, and Marvin Merola received scholarships from Peter Schork. Other guests were Aly C-B (photographer with our speaker) and Anibal Lagunes (another student).

### Announcements....

There are only 34 tickets left for the Top-of the-Park Eliminate benefit. Stop at the lunch check-in counter or contact Ron Gardner for tickets.

Bob Johnson and wife Linda are participating in the Ann Arbor Marathon walk/run on June 9. This benefits Meals on Wheels and 4 other senior-oriented UM programs. Bob & Linda will match all contributions up to a total of \$200. Send Bob a check payable to BIG HEARTS for

SENIORS by June 17 and he will see that you get a receipt.
The Judy Fike golf outing is on Monday July 15. They are looking for sponsors (\$120 to \$1200) and teams (\$400/team of 4). Also, if you eat at Metzgers on Wednesday June 26 (11 am-9:30 pm) a portion of your bill will go to MOW (automatic; all customers).

#### **Meetings**:

Membership Education and Growth meets after June 10 meeting in Ned's place.

Dave Drake asked members to consider the Saline Superinterclub on June 17. The speaker will be former UM athletic director Bill Martin.

#### Presentations:

Bob Carr introduced Vicky Lye from the Community Action Network, She explained that the \$2000 grant will be used to help fund their Food for Thought program which provides young students from low income areas with food and I on I tutoring after school.

#### Awards:

Peter Schork presented scholarships to 3 of the 4 students who were not present last week.

# **Social Activities:**

The annual club picnic is Sunday July 14,2013.

Martha Petroski sold the last two tickets for the Purple Rose play on Friday June 21.

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# Fines and Happy Dollars.....

**Fines**:

**Dan Dever, Jerry Brown and Chris Winkler** kept up the tradition of eccentric fines. Everyone was caught, as usual.

#### **Happy Dollars:**

Lynne Lande gave \$5 HD for being back and another \$5 because her public discussions may have spurred others to get tested. Larry French touted his KSU alma mater sports successes. Dick Smit loves the Yankee Air Museum and the Thunder Over Michigan flyovers (August 10-11) at Willow Run airport. Tickets are available on-line. Doug Hanton has 7 grandchildren. Kyle Hanton recently graduated from Annapolis and will shortly be an officer on a missile-carrying destroyer. Jim Kane gave \$1 for the 2 baby robins in his yard and \$1 for his recent participation in a moving patriotic ceremony. Kathy Barden gave \$1 to mention that there will be music on July 3 at the Top-of-the-Park, provided by Dan Hoenig. Dale Leslie noted that his son now 32 y-o. Martha Petroski related a strange story involving 3 dogs which turned out to be 2 dogs and 1 deer. Jim Reynolds spent the last 2 weeks in mountainous Ecuador with his family. Sally Lampkin thanked all the volunteers for making the Aktion Club's sale experience rewarding. Bill Hallock was happy for the Aktion Club members and thanked Sally and a few others who led the way. John Schenk noted that his grandson who graduated from Saline H.S. is going to the Citadel, a military academy in South Carolina. Bob Barden Sr. gave \$20 because he was so happy to see Armand Hewitt here. Dan Burroughs thanked all the people who made the scholarship program so effective.



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# **Hospitality Information.....**

**Dale Leslie** welcomed **Lynne Lande** back. He also welcomed **Armand Hewitt**, our oldest member, to the meeting. Armand joined in 1949, following in his father's footsteps. **Bill Robb** mentioned that his chief associate Bill Levak is having his gall bladder removed this week. Dale also mentioned that one of our honorary members, Tom Bayer recently died.

# Stuff you should know.....

Fines Collected: \$22.35 Happy \$ Collected: \$57

Mott Pot \$227

**Last Week Sale Revenue:** 

\$ 10141.76 Total \$8179 Downtown \$1970 Warehouse

\$1327 Women's

**Next Weeks Menu:** 

Hot Dogs Macaroni and cheese Bread pudding Soup and salad



Forerunner of the Thrift Sale....the vision continues.

Photos from last weeks Scholarship presentations, and a link to all pictures from May 28.









https://picasaweb.google.com/115334343698761467990/2013KCScholarshipDay?authkey=Gv1sRgClD6-YjniqjOGA

#### Special Guest:

Over an hour of happiness was created in the life of senior club member **Armand P.W. Hewett** at our Monday Kiwanis meeting (06/03/2013) and captured by photographer Bob Gray. Armand, who is one of over a dozen offspring of previous club members, joined the club in 1949 and owned a real estate-land development firm in Ann Arbor. Confined primarily to a wheel chair and living in Brighton, MI, we ushered him up the freight elevator to the meeting floor where compatriots of his era, **Bob Barden, Sr.**, **Clarence Dukes** and **Sheridan Springer** were saving a seat at their table. Welcome, Armand!



# Michigan Optimist Walk for Childhood Cancer

June 29th

> \$25 to Register \$100 Get a T-Shirt

> > Sign in starts at 8:30am

At Skyline High School 2552 North Maple Rd. Ann Arbor. MI

(M-14 & Maple Rd)

Walk starts at 10 am /

Sponsorships available online!

The walk is handicap accessible





**Register online at** 

www.mioptimist.org www.specialdays.org



Proceeds to benefit Michigan Optimists Childhood Cancer Campaign and Special Days Children's Cancer Camps

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# June 2013

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



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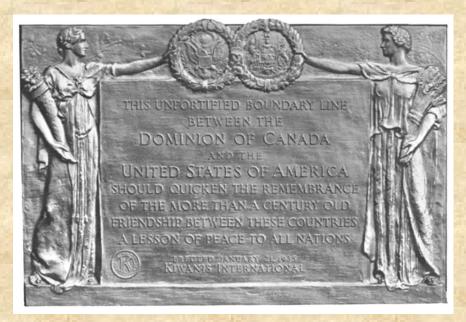
# July 2013

| Sun               | Mon        | Tue                | Wed                     | Thu            | Fri | Sat                    |
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|                   | I          | 2 Board<br>Meeting | 3                       | 4 HOLI-<br>DAY | 5   | 6 Sale +<br>Warehouse  |
| 7                 | 8 Meeting  | 9                  | 10 Past<br>Pres. Picnic | 11             | 12  | 13 Sale +<br>Warehouse |
| 14 Club<br>Picnic | 15 Meeting | 16                 | 17                      | 18             | 19  | 20 Sale +<br>Warehouse |
| 21                | 22 Meeting | 23                 | 24                      | 25             | 26  | 27 Sale +<br>Warehouse |
| 28                | 29 Meeting | 30                 | 31                      |                |     |                        |

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Last Week's Question.....

This marker was placed in a prominent location and has been there since the 20th Anniversary of Kiwanis in 1935. Do you know where it is located? Answer (The Ambassador Bridge)

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WISD Aktion Club



We need to start one of these!! Who has a Middle School child or grandchild?



Angell Elementary



Huron High School Pioneer High School



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