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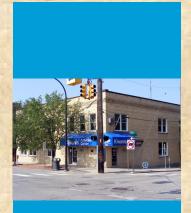
Today's Program.....

Installation of new officers: Jerry Brown initiated the program by reminded us that this was an opportunity to recognize and honor our fellow club members who are completing their service and those who are starting their service in club leadership positions. Jerry then introduced Mark Wishka for his final remarks as President. Mark said it had been a quick but very eventful year. He thanked everyone for their support, especially his fellow officers, mem-



bers of the Board, and Committee Chairs. He also gave special thanks to Janet Okuley for stepping up to be the Club Secretary. Mark received a beautiful plaque for his service as President and a standing ovation from the membership. District Governor, Dave Babbage was next to address the club. He was thankful to visit the Ann Arbor Downtown Kiwanis club and happy to be back in Ann Arbor where two of his sons got their degrees from the UM. He thanked us for being a \$100K Club for the Eliminate Project and reminded us to be sure to thank each other for being such a distinguished club. He also thanked Al Dailey for all of his service to our club and the state-wide Kiwanis Organization. Lt. Governor, lan Andrews then took the podium for the Officer Installation. First he introduced and thanked the retiring Directors and Officers: Jim Blomquist, Alan Caldwell, Tom Dew, Elena Ermak, and John Kidle. He then moved on to introduce the new Club Officers and Directors: Immediate Past President, Mark Wishka; Incoming Board Members: Dan Burrows, Alan Caldwell, Andrea Kotch Duda, Bob Johnson, Gretchen Preston and Martha Petroski; Secretary, Janette Okuley,; Treasurer, Cliff Sheldon, and President Elect, John Goff. He then introduced our new President, John Dahl. John said this was a humbling moment and he thanked everyone for their support. John said he was proud to follow a long line of distinguished members who have served before him as Club President. He reviewed the many accomplishments the club has made during the last fiscal year including the funding of \$174,000 in scholarships, camperships and grants; in conjunction with the Cross Foundation, the awarding of \$30,000 in educational scholarships to local high school seniors; distributing \$35,000 worth of Kiwanis merchandise to low-income and needy families through our voucher program; and reaching the \$70,000 mark toward our pledge of \$100K for the Eliminate Project. John also presented his goals for the coming year: 1) vigorously pursue the new vision of leadership for our sale that has been created by the SMOC committee, 2) continue the culture of individual commitment through his encouragement of club members to say "yes" when asked to accept volunteer and leadership opportunities within the club, 3) being willing to re-evaluate and participate in innovative discussions regarding the club's way of doing things, and 4) doing his best to be a strong and caring leader of club activities. John received a standing ovation for his willingness to serve and his plans for the upcoming year.

Next Weeks Program...... Dave Hartmann of the TECH Transfer program at the University of Michigan.



This is what we call HOME.....now in our 92nd year.

"The Thrift Sale is the driving force of our Success"



We have evolved....these are our heroes.

ASSIGNMENTS for the COMING WEEK:

Announcer Clar Dukes
Officer of Day Sally Lamkin
Dockers Need Help

Warehouse Doug Ziesemer, Nick Dever, Alan Burg and

Ken Hillenburg (need help!)

Sorters Ken Schmerberg

Hardware Bill Lynn, Dave Hughes and Burt Lamkin Furniture Jon Bulkley, George Gilligan and Mike Dabbs

Shoes & Sports Don Kossick and Jim Wight Men's Clothing John Bassett and Jim Couch

Electronics Bill Rob and Posse

Lamps Someone with bright ideas

Antiques Rose Marie Barhydt and Pat Buhrer Beds & Toys Lee Bachman and Gretchen Preston

Office & Medical Jim Mattson and Brigade

Vouchers Sharon Keyes, Carl Williams, Ellen Webb,

Gretchen Preston & Rose Marie Barhydt

Invocation Sally Lamkin

Greeters Dale Leslie, Kathy Barden-Perlberg, Jim Blomquist,

Ann Mattson

Hospitality Kathy Stroud Cashier Martha Petroski

Guests at our Club......

Introduction of Guests by **John Goff**: District Governor, David N. Babbage and his wife Frances; Lt. Governor for Division 10, Ian Andrews; Ellen Webb, prospective member; Narda Wishka, wife of President Mark; and from Circle-K, Ashley Austin, Zachery Gizicki and Chiara.

Announcements.....

Dale Leslie put light bulbs in clock on north wall; Thanks Dale.

Social Activities:

Dave Drake reported that he and **Harry Cross** and two other club members will be attending the Detroit #1 Club meeting tomorrow and that the next Super Interclub will be hosted by the Western Club on October 29.

Prospective Members:

Ellen Webb, Owner of Ellen's Enterprises in Canton, MI; Sponsored by Sally and Burt Lamkin.

Cynthia Barton Spencer, Vice President at Barton Insurance in Ann Arbor; Sponsored by **Julanne Williams** and **Joseph Medrano**.

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Fines and Happy Dollars.....

Fines

Dale Leslie proposed a fine on all UM fans for the skywriting incident over East Lansing last week (motion failed). In retaliation, **Bob Carr** proposed a fine on all MSU fans because the signboard near the UM stadium is not working properly (motion passed). Because a few wives were present at the meeting, **Don McEwen** proposed a fine on all members who did not bring their wife to the meeting (motion passed).

Happy Dollars:

Fred Sanchez gave a happy dollar to tell a joke about a nun at a construction site; Kathy Stroud was happy for the Pure Michigan weather during her trip to Mackinac Island; Martha Petroski was happy to have received an excellent power-wash of her windows and screens for a very low price; Dale Leslie was happy for an invitation to Homecoming Events at the UM School of Music; Circle-K member Ashley Austin was very happy to do some real sales in the Linens Department last Saturday; Jerry McMahon was very happy for a good time at the Lion's game; Ron Williams was happy for the good Wisconsin vs. OSU game that was won by the Bucks; Dan Burrows was happy for John Dahl because the Packers could not lose a game during their bye week; Jim Kane was happy for great music at Kerrytown and his chance to be a guest juror in the county courthouse; Claire Dahl was happy for Mark Wishka's leadership during this last year and looking forward to John Dahl's Presidential year; Dave Babbage gave a happy dollar because he knew that Al Dailey would be happy that Dave is no longer the District Governor.



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Hospitality Information.....

Marie Glysson, wife of **Gene Glysson**, passed away last Thursday. She worked for many years on sorting for the sale. Services will be held at First Congregational Church of Ann Arbor on Tuesday, October I at I:00 pm; **Dale Leslie** passed along a picture of **John Strand** and Ray Steiner at the Chelsea Big Boy. John is 96 and is under Hospice care in his home. Cards and notes of encouragement can be sent to 4273 Eastgate, Ann Arbor, MI 48103; Karen, wife of **AI Gallup**, is still experiencing some pain from her fall but is using a walker and getting better; **Ron Williams'** brother is having circulatory problems with his feet and is under a doctor's care; **Dave Drake's** wife is making good progress following her hip surgery; **Mike Barrett** and **Evan Koukios** are both doing better and hope to be back soon; We are happy to have **Doug Ziesemer** and **Sandy Elden** back with us.

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Stuff you should know.....

Fines Collected: \$17.12

Happy \$ Collected: \$51.00

Attendance Today: 76

Last Week's Sale Revenue

KAC: \$7593 Warehouse: \$1752



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

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September 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
I	2 HOLIDAY	3 Regular Meeting Board Meet-	4	5	6	7 Sale + Warehouse
8	9 Meeting	10	11	12	13	14 Sale + Warehouse
15	16 Meeting	17	18	19	20	21 Sale + Warehouse
22	23 Meeting	24	25	26	27	28 Sale + Warehouse
29	30 Meeting					



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President John makes his first Speech.



Vice Pres. John Goff is installed.



Gov. Dave retires Pres. Mark

The new Board members are installed.





Lt. Gov. Ian installs Secretary Jeanette

Treasurer for life Cliff is installed.



Our Sponsored Programs.....Service to Youth



WISD Aktion Club



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



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Huron High School Pioneer High School



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