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## **Next Week's Program...**

**December 5**—UM Knight Fellow, **Sonia Green**. Introduction: **Dale Leslie**. Meeting at KCW and is our SuperInterclub.

## **Upcoming Programs...**

- **December 12**—Arbor Hospice. Speaker Judith Vindici. Introduction: TBD. Meeting at KCW.
- **December 19**—Life Learning Community. Speaker: John Zylka. Introduction by: TBD.



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## **Today's Program...**

### **Youth Bullying Goes Viral**

Cyber Bullying are new Web words to many Baby Boomers and older but a rash of Bullying instances primarily among teens has become a major problem. In short, it's using the social media (Facebook, Google, email) to defame a cause, someone, or stalking with threatening words or action. Fortunately, into the ring steps dynamic Nicole Hall, Cyber Safety (CS) Facilitator, and her colleagues at the Washtenaw Area Council for Children (WACC). Nicole joined the WACC Cyber Safety Initiative in January this year and holds an MSW from the University of Michigan and a JD from Duquesne University School of Law. During Nicole's MSW program she completed her field placement at UMHS' Mott Children's Hospital with the Child Protection Team where she worked with children suspected of being abused or neglected.

The CS team goal is to visit every school district in the State and to work with students of all grades and adults to explain the definitive parameters of Cyber Bullying (CB) and instructional methods to addressing it. The State Legislature has passed, with the Governor's signature, three laws concerning CB which include penalties of five to 20 years in prison for threatening, stalking or purposely embarrassing a person.

The diverse WACC programs cover other areas affecting child development such as Baby and Body Safety, Shaken Baby Syndrome, and Safe Sleep. Under the expert direction of Jyoti Gupta, WACC Executive Director, the agency serves as a broad resource for Youth, Parents and Professionals in reference to multiple child issues. Learn more at: [www.washtenawchildren.org/](http://www.washtenawchildren.org/).



**Nicole Hall**

## **OUR ANNUAL HOLIDAY SALE**

All hands on deck on Friday and Saturday, December 2nd and 3rd, for this special Thrift Sale extravaganza. All the regular departments will be open for business both days and the toy heaven, Kiwanis Center-Downtown's third floor, will be busier than a one-arm paper hanger. This year's variety and size of Christmas toys and gift-related items appears to be a record. In short, a toddler's fantasy becomes reality. Ho-Ho-Ho! Push the artificial Christmas Trees—a wide selection assembled for sale at the downtown dock. **See Page 5 for the KCD 3rd floor Holiday Sale Cashiers and Baggers assignments.**

### Officers and Directors

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### ASSIGNMENTS for the COMING WEEK:

<b>Officer of Day KCD</b>	Sally Lamkin
<b>Antiques</b>	Rose Marie Barhydt, Pat Materka
<b>Beds &amp; Garden</b>	Ken Shaw
<b>Dockers</b>	Kathy Barden-Perlberg
<b>Sorters</b>	We need a sorter
<b>Hardware</b>	Tom Brokaw, Bill Hallock, Dan Burroughs
<b>Men's Clothing</b>	John Bassett, Kathie Wilder
<b>Books/Records</b>	Bill Heller
<b>Office &amp; Medical</b>	Jim Mattson and the Sooie Sellers
<b>Lamps</b>	Dennis Powers and the Razorback Rangers
<b>Electronics</b>	Bill Robb and his Peccary Pack, Ray Argyle
<b>KCW Cashiers &amp; Sales</b>	<b>Friday</b> —Nick Dever, Dave Drake, George Gilligan (OD), Bob Gray, Margaret Krasnoff, Bud Roberts, Fred Sanchez, John Schenk, Sheridan Springer, Max Supica <b>Saturday</b> —Gordon Beeman (OD), Jim Blomquist, Alan Burg, Claire Dahl, Nick Dever, Al Engerer, Garry Evans, Bob Gray, Ken Hillenburg, Dave LaMoreaux, Evan LeRoy, Bud Roberts, Cliff Sheldon, Ellen Webb
<b>KCW Sorting &amp; Pricing</b>	<b>Tuesday</b> —Bob Gray, Troy Rickelmann <b>Wednesday</b> —George Gilligan, Bob Gray, Mike Harback <b>Thursday</b> —Page Caufield, Jack Ford, Bob Gray, Kyle Rickelmann <b>Friday</b> —Marianne D'Angelo, Peggy Haskins-Duynslager, Linda Nichollas, Sandra Rabidoux, Mary Roy <b>Saturday</b> —Pamela Brown, Marianne D'Angelo, Kyle Rickelmann
<b>Vouchers</b>	Ellen Webb, Rose Marie Barhydt, Dot Cattell, Jean Robinson, Susan Smith, Claire Dahl, and Matt Chaiken
<b>Invocation</b>	Claire Dahl
<b>Greeters/Attend.</b>	Andrea Kotch Duda, Dave Drake, Al Engerer, Sharon Keyes (A)
<b>Hospitality</b>	Lynne Lande
<b>Newsletter Editor</b>	John Kidle
<b>Cashier</b>	Martha Petroski

### Hospitality News...

(William Hampton, reporting for **John Dahl**) Past President **David Bell** was back in the Kiwanis meeting saddle again! Hooray! Also, **Eloise Lavin's** husband is expected to be discharged from U-M this week and he will continue his pulmonary rehabilitation at home. The club extends its regret to the family of Margaret Devall upon her passing. See the obituary [here](#). Marge worked in the Sale Antiques Department and is the widow of another Kiwanis pillar, John Devall. December 1, 2016, will mark the one year anniversary since former active member **Judge S.J. Elden** passed to the courtroom in the heavens. The Hospitality Chair for December is **Lynne Lande** - 734.649.0583 - [lynnelande@me.com](mailto:lynnelande@me.com). Thanks for **John Dahl's** reporting of a busy Hospitality month.

### Club Business: President Allen trumpets the call...

1. A meeting of our club and our Division Ten compatriots will be held at West on Thursday, December 8th, 6 p.m., with pizza!
2. Purple Rose Theater performance is Friday, December 2nd. **Eloise Lavin** has two tickets she will give away, first-come, first serve.
3. Something to ponder; should the club assume the responsibility of the Warm the Children ([link](#)) annual campaign that was formerly sponsored by the AA News?
4. The club by-law committee will meet after our next meeting (December 5th).
5. SMOC meeting on December 12th at West. See **Nick Dever**.
6. New Kiwanis shirts, bags, and coats bearing our club's name will appear on our web site soon. The clothing will be on display at Kiwanis Center West next week. Go Kiwanis!
7. A2Y Chamber Year Ender Gala—December 1, 5-8pm; Washtenaw Community College, Morris Lawrence Building. Open to all Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor members. ([Link](#))





**Fines...** Continuing our club tradition of not fining guests (Are you paying attention AA Western Kiwanis?), the table where **Lt. Governor Charley Phibbs** sat was fined because of the guest's failure to manufacture a quality bell for the Salvation Army kettle ringing on Friday (the bell disassembled into bits and pieces in the handlers mitten). . . **George Gilligan** fined **Pres. Alan** for his "Good Morning" greeting despite the clock showing it was PM. . . **Bob Johnson**, wearing his badge that he smuggled from Kiwanis Center-Downtown, suggested all non-badge wearers pay 25 cents (it passed). . . **Nick Dever** then moved that anyone wearing their badge, apparently stolen from downtown, be fined. You guessed it. Passed.

**Happy Dollars...** Happy Dollars: **George Gilligan's** "Cancer Free" announcement about his daughter was met with applause. Papa Gilligan popped for \$10. . . the good news about **Eloise Lavin's** husband made all of us "happy". . . Kansas State beat Kansas in football much to the delight of their famous alumnus, **Larry French**. . . Q: Who threw in the \$5.00 for **Claire Dahl's** Rosie performance in the Detroit Thanksgiving Parade? Ole Editor missed the credit! **Fred Sanchez** passed around a photo of four short-sighted football officials which he claims was taken at the Ohio Stadium on Saturday. . . **Pres. Alan** was pleased that he and partner **Ken** just happened to run into **Margaret Krasnoff** and her family at a Chicago restaurant over the weekend. Coincidence! And last but not least, **Gordon Beeman** saluted (along with the rest of us) **Nicole Zollinger** and her husband upon the birth of their daughter, Josie. Where's the baby trophy? We used to have one! Oh, "thank you" U-M Circle K for your nice letters commemorating Kiwanis Family Month. Yes, we're one BIG family helping those in need!

### Santa's made his list and he's checking it twice...

- **Mondays, Dec. 5th and 12th**, Meetings at Kiwanis Center West (December 5th we host the SuperInterclub).
- **Saturday, Dec. 17th**, Harold L. Crowell Salvation Army Bell Ringing Project (17 sites around AA covered by our club). We need more commitments. See **Garry Evans** 734.223.6760 [mar99gar@hotmail.com](mailto:mar99gar@hotmail.com) The 2016 theme: "Give Hope"
- **Wednesday, Dec. 21st**, Kiwanis Christmas Party, 5 p.m., Kiwanis Center Downtown (**Martha Petroski**). Entertainment: Our own talented musician **Luke Panning** and his Carol County Chorus Troopers.
- **Sunday, Dec. 25th**, **MERRY CHRISTMAS** (no club meeting until January 3, 2017, Kiwanis Center Downtown)
- **Tuesday, January 3, 2017**, features a special Kiwanis family member program with the talented guitarist and vocalist Mandy Madagame, a professional entertainer and a talented song leader for children of all ages. The menu: hot dogs! Yummy. Great family entertainment! Save the date!

### Club and Thrift Sale Logo Merchandise:

Kiwanis Merchandise is now available online at <http://defininggeeks.com/collections/kiwanis-club-of-ann-arbor>. Just in time for Christmas shopping or for gifts any time of the year. Your choice of apparel comes with Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor and/or Kiwanis Thrift Sale logos. There are jackets, short and long-sleeve Polos, Tee-shirts, Hats, Golf Towels, and three different styles of Tote Bags in styles and sizes for everyone in the family. We will be creating an in-store display at Kiwanis Center West very soon so that members, volunteers, and customers can experience the high quality material first hand. All merchandise must be ordered online. Purchases will be sent directly to wherever the customer wishes.



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parking spot and extra  
time to enjoy the good  
food before the  
meeting starts at  
12:10pm*

# November 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1	2	3 KCD Donations 9am-Noon	4 Sale & Donations: KCW 9-1	5 Sale & Donations: KCD 9-12 KCW 9-1
6 DST Ends	7 <u>WWII Experience</u> KCD Donations 9am-Noon	8	9	10 KCD Donations 9am-Noon	11 Sale & Donations: KCW 9-1 Veterans Day	12 Sale & Donations: KCD 9-12 KCW 9-1
13	14 <u>Honored Volunteers</u> KCD Donations 9am-Noon	15 Board Meeting 6:30pm at KCW	16	17 KCD Donations 9am-Noon	18 Sale & Donations: KCW 9-1	19 Sale & Donations: KCD 9-12 KCW 9-1
20	21 <u>Board News</u> KCD Donations 9am-Noon	22	23	24 Thanksgiving	25 Sale & Donations: KCW Open 9-1	26 <b>KCD SALE CLOSED</b> , Donations Open 9-12 KCW Open 9-1
27	28 <u>Wash. Council for Children</u> KCD Donations 9am-Noon	29	30			

# December 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				1 KCD Donations 9am-Noon	2 Sale & Donations: <b>Holiday Sale</b> KCW 9-1, KCD 9am-Noon Purple Rose	3 Sale & Donations: <b>Holiday Sale</b> KCW 9-1, KCD 9am-Noon
4	5 <u>Sonia Green</u> At KCW KCD Donations 9am-Noon	6	7	8 KCD Donations 9am-Noon	9 Sale & Donations: <b>Holiday Sale</b> KCW 9-1	10 Sale & Donations: <b>Holiday Sale</b> KCW 9-1, KCD 9am-Noon
11	12 <u>Arbor Hospice</u> At KCW KCD Donations 9am-Noon	13	14	15 KCD Donations 9am-Noon	16 Sale & Donations: KCW 9-1	17 Sale & Donations: KCD 9-12 KCW 9-1 Bell Ringing
18	19 <u>Life Learning</u> KCD Donations 9am-Noon	20 Board Meeting 6:30pm at KCW	21 Club Christmas Party 5pm	22 KCD Donations 9am-Noon	23 <b>Sale &amp; Donations Closed for Holidays</b>	24 <b>Sale &amp; Donations Closed for Holidays</b>
25 <b>Sale &amp; Donations Closed for Holidays</b> Christmas	26 <b>NO Meeting</b> KCD Donations 9am-Noon	27	28	29 KCD Donations 9am-Noon	30 Sale & Donations: KCW 9-1	31 Sale & Donations: KCD 9-12 KCW 9-1 New Year's Eve



## This Week's Numbers

### Attendance:

58

### Fines:

\$16.17

### Happy \$:

\$46

### Mott Pot:

\$182

### Vouchers:

\$0

\$10,783 YTD

(0 Families)

### Thrift Sale:

KCD:

\$0

KCW:

\$4,539

Other:

\$2,294

TOTAL:

\$6,833

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## We've Got Programs...



**KIWANIS PROGRAMS**  
DECEMBER, 2016 – JANUARY, 2017  
No Meeting, December 26th

HO! HO! HO!


**SUPER INTERCLUB DECEMBER 5<sup>th</sup>**  
**Sonya Green**, news and public affairs director, 91.3 KBCS (Seattle, Washington). **"The Impact of White Privilege on How News is Covered."** Sonya is a fellow in the UM Knight-Wallace Fellowship for Journalists. Introduced by Dale Leslie **Note: Meeting held at Kiwanis Center West**

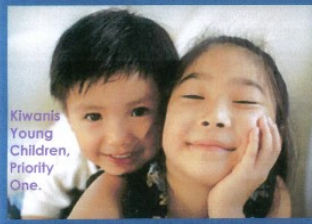
**DECEMBER 12<sup>th</sup>**  
**Judith Vindici**, Ann Arbor Hospice, **"Embracing Patients and Families: The Hospice Concept of Care."** Arbor Hospice enters its third decade of providing on-going grief support for adults, teens and children. Introduced by: Lynne Lande *K-West*

**DECEMBER 19<sup>th</sup>**  
**John Zylka**, Founder, Life Learning Community (LLC) **"We're a Unique, Christian-blended Learning Community."** Serving kindergarten through twelfth grade, the community features traditional learning with the best of online instruction and a wide variety of experiential learning opportunities.

**WED. DEC. 21<sup>st</sup> KIWANIS CHRISTMAS PARTY, 5 pm**  
Kiwanis Downtown Q: Martha Petroski, marthap3@gmail.com




**Happy New Year 2017** 




Kiwanis Young Children, Priority One.

**JANUARY 16<sup>th</sup>**  
**HEATHER NEFF**  
Professor, Eastern Michigan University, Women's Studies & Poetry  
Introduced by Arlene Barnes



**TUESDAY, JANUARY 3<sup>rd</sup>**



**Maggie**  
Phone: 989.350.8126  
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Popular guitarist, singer **Maggie Madagame** will lead a special family sing-along. Hot Dogs are the featured menu item. Fun for all ages! Introduced by Max Ziegler

**JANUARY 9<sup>th</sup>**  
**ALEX BRACE** Kiwanis Youth Protection Guidelines Kiwanis International has developed guidelines for Kiwanians and volunteers in working with children. **Intro: Gordon Beeman**

**JANUARY 16TH (Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day, see above)**

**JANUARY 23<sup>rd</sup>**  
PRESIDENT ALAN'S Quarterly Board and Financial Report. A committee will be chosen to make a presentation

**JANUARY 30<sup>th</sup>**  
**JEFF PIKE**, TRAFFIC CONSULTANT, **"Driving Issues for Older Drivers"** A driver's advancing age affects their concentration and response time on the road. Introduced by Al Engerer

Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor meets each Monday (except holidays) at 12 noon, at the Kiwanis Center Downtown. Members and guests are welcome to attend. A \$10 buffet served is optional. RSVP to Martha Petroski at 734.761.3740 www.a2kiwanis.org

## Cashiers and Baggers Assignments at Holiday Sale on 3rd Floor

<b>Friday</b> <b>December 2 →</b> <b>8:45am-Noon</b> <b>Chief: Bob Johnson</b>	<b>Cashiers</b> <b>Sally Lamkin, Ellen Webb, Lynne Lande, Dale Leslie, Bob Greene, Bob Carr, Kathie Wilder</b>	<b>Baggers</b> <b>Rose Marie Barhydt, Don Kossick, Glenda Maten, Jerry Brown, Bill Tasch, Jim Meretta</b>
<b>Saturday</b> <b>December 3 →</b> <b>8:45am-Noon</b> <b>Chief: TBD</b>	<b>Cashiers</b> <b>John Schenk, John Sampselle, George Gilligan</b>  <b>Announcer: Dale Leslie</b>	<b>Baggers</b> <b>Greg Meisner, Gretchen Preston, Tami Castillo/daughter</b>
<b>Saturday</b> <b>December 10 →</b> <b>8:45am-Noon</b> <b>Chief: John Goff</b>	<b>Cashiers</b> <b>Gretchen Preston, Kathie Wilder, Dan Burroughs</b>	<b>Baggers</b> <b>TBD</b>

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- [Kiwanis 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)
- [Kiwanis Club of Ypsilanti](#)  
Meets Noon Wednesdays at EMU Student Center
- Ann Arbor Western, Meets Noon Tues. at Quarter Bistro
- [Kiwanis 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.
- 3) 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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