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NEXT WEEK'S PROGRAM...

May 13—*Dexter Area Historical Society, Gordon Hall*. Speaker: Beverly Hall. Introduction by **Max Supica, Dan Burroughs**.

UPCOMING PROGRAMS...

May 20—*Financial Literacy, UM Credit Union*. Speaker: Mark Munzenberger. Introduction by **Deb Jones**.

May 28 (TUESDAY)—*Music Scholarships & Hixon Award*. **Dan Burroughs** and **Bob Carr** officiating.



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TODAY'S PROGRAM...

Peter Schork introduced today's speaker, Jim Cain. Jim's background includes his Dad, Steven, who was legendary news man around here. He earned many awards for his reporting as he worked at the Detroit Free Press and at the Ann Arbor News. He is well known for having written an expose Northville Psychiatric Hospital. Jim was born in Saline, Michigan and he went to Michigan State University. He worked at Lehman Brothers in New York, then went to Ford Motor Company. He is now a key guy at General Motors where he a Communications Specialist, something that he has done for the past 29 years. He is the Vice-Chair of the Clean Air Energy Coalition here in Ann Arbor. Jim's passion for the past 10 or 11 years has been the *Breakfast for Saint Andrews*. Saint Andrews is a church in Ann Arbor on Division Street. Over this time period, Jim has helped raise over \$100,000 for the breakfast program through benefit concerts at The Ark.

Saint Andrews started the Breakfast Club in 1982. At that time the nation was in a deep recession and in Michigan there was a nearly 17% unemployment rate. Things were looking pretty dim. Ann Arbor established a poverty commission and people all across town were looking for ways to help. In August of that year St. Andrews began serving a free breakfast to anyone in need three days a week. That quickly expanded to a daily meal service because so many people were hungry and the need was overwhelming.

The Food Gatherers organization, which Jim says does an amazing job here in the county, estimates that even in these relatively good economic times, that 1 in 7 people in Washtenaw County needs help with food assistance at one time or another during the year. Jim said that since late in 1982 not a single day has passed without breakfast being served at St Andrews. Up to 150 people are fed on any given day, sometimes more. Some of these guests are homeless or struggle with addiction; most are working men and women trying to make ends meet. The breakfast includes coffee, tea, fruit, hot and cold cereal, hard boiled eggs, and baked goods. Bagged lunches are also available. Jim said that there are an amazing bunch of volunteers, over 100 each week, that arrive at St Andrews very early in the morning to begin to prepare this breakfast. The breakfast starts at 7:00 AM and is over about 90 minutes later.

The breakfast is paid for by gifts from individual donors and local charities, including Kiwanis, for which he thanked us. When they lost Ann Arbor City funding—about 10% of their budget—they came up with a fundraising plan based on inviting music legends and hometown artists, including The Saline Fiddlers, to perform at The Ark and at the Michigan Theater. The challenge was to convince everyone involved to donate or discount their services to keep expenses low. They also recruited from local businesses. Jim said that this approach has worked very well in that they have had many elite artists, including Grammy winners and nominees contribute their time and talent.

ANNUAL MEETING AND ELECTION...

The Annual Meeting is May 20, 2019 with voting starting at 11:30am and ending at 12:30pm. See page 5 for a list of candidates for election and persons leaving the Boards as of May 6, 2019. See page 6 for a sample ballot as of May 6, 2019.



Jim Cain



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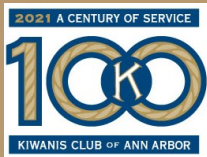
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ASSIGNMENTS FOR THE COMING WEEK...

All Sale	See the schedule emailed by the Volunteer Coordinator.
Vouchers	Vouchers on 5/9: Ellen Webb, Dale Leslie, Claire Dahl, Bud Roberts, Dee Smit, Bob Johnson, Gretchen Preston, Greg Meisner, Sally Lamkin, and Mark Lavin. Two more needed for 5/16.
Invocation	Luke Panning
Meeting Greeters	Francine Bomar, Andrea Kotch-Duda, Fred Sanchez (A)
Hospitality	William Hampton
Newsletter	Dave LaMoreaux
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GUESTS AT OUR CLUB...

Andrea Kotch-Duda announced our guests: Elissa Benedek, guest of **Dick Benedek**; Esther Hampton, guest of **William Hampton**; Mamadou, guest of **Harry Hawkins**; Kathy Hellner; guest of **Harry Hawkins** and Natasha Olivio, guest of **Greg Meisner**. Welcome everyone!

HOSPITALITY...

President William notified us that:

Past, long time Kiwanian, **Paul Klinger** passed away last week. **Lynne Lande** added that Paul had, for years and years, started our club meetings by playing the first verse of 'America'.

Dave Drake's wife, Marilyn, fell and hurt her shoulder. She had surgery last week and Dave will miss today's meeting so that he can take care of her.

Carol Presley reported that **Joe Medrano** is back at Saline Evangelical for 'PT' (Pain & Torture). He is sore and tired and he sends his love.

Max Supica's brother is suffering from terminal cancer. Max and Sue have returned to their winter home in Sarasota, FL to be near him.

ANNOUNCEMENTS...

- ❖ **Alan Burg**, as co-chair of the nominating committee, announced the candidates for next year's officers. The Election will be on May 20th during our regular meeting. Alan gave a brief description of the voting procedures. See page 5 for a list of candidates for election and persons leaving the Boards as of 5/6/2019. See page 6 for a sample ballot as of May 6, 2019.
- ❖ **Sonia Peterson** asked for volunteers to sign up to run the cash registers at next week's sales on Friday and Saturday. She said that we also need help in primary sorting.
- ❖ **Nick Dever** had an update on the clubs parking situation. He said that on Tuesday and Wednesday of next week they will be backfilling and resurfacing the parking lot. Alternative parking during this time will be on the grass in the front and on the side of the building. If you park in the back, the door on that part of the building will be open.
- ❖ **Martha Petroski** reported that there were not any Interclub meetings to report on.

MEETINGS...

- Scholarship Committee was to meet right after today's regular meeting
- Risk Management Committee will meet on Wednesday, May 8
- Budget and Finance Committee will meet on Wednesday, May 8
- Children and Youth Services Committee will meet at 10:30 on Monday, May 13
- Membership, Growth & Education Committee will meet after the regular meeting next week on Monday May 13
- Operations Coordination Committee meets Friday, May 24 at 1:30pm.
- **President William** advised that the June 10 meeting agenda will vary from our usual routine—our keynote speaker will speak first due to a later engagement. The program that day is **Scouts BSA**.

FINES...

Dale Leslie proposed a fine because when he shook hands with **Rip Kinney**, Rip had a buzzer in his hand that hurt Dale's hand. The fine was on anyone that didn't shake hands with Rip. That motion passed. Then **Nick Dever** requested permission from **President William** to address **Past President Alan Berg**. President William Asked Alan if that was alright and Alan consented. Nick stated that anyone who was not smart enough to get out of Michigan for at least a week during this past winter has got more money then sense. To correct that imbalance Nick proposed a fine on anybody that hadn't gotten out of Michigan for at least a week. President William then proposed an amendment to Dale's & Nick's motions that everyone should have the privilege of paying a quarter. That motion was voted on and passed. President William stated that it had passed unanimously, however, some members thought that they may have heard possible indications of dissent.

HAPPY DOLLARS...

- ☺ **Lynne Lande** started us out by saying that, as a public announcement from Elizabeth Kitchens, wife of deceased member **Lloyd Kitchens**, about Tulip Time. Their daughter Gwen Auwerda is the executive director of Tulip Time. On Wednesday she will be on 'Good Morning America', broadcasting live from Holland Michigan at 7:00AM. Lynne also said that our very own **Luke Panning** will be performing there, with his band, that evening.
- ☺ **Chris Winkler** said that the Cardamom Restaurant, owned and operated by his daughter and son-in-law, was rated, in April, the best Indian Restaurant in a 50 mile radius by the student newspaper. This is the third year in a row that they have won this award. And, more importantly, according to his daughter, Becky, the *Detroit Metro Times* designated the Cardamom Restaurant as being the best Indian Restaurant in Southeast Michigan for the third time in a row.
- ☺ **Jane Talcott** said that on Facebook someone has a problem with another career—Project Management. They posted that a Project Manager is a person that believes that nine women working together could give birth in only one month's time.
- ☺ **Dick Benedek** was happy for the pleasure that he has had in knowing **Paul Klinger** for several decades. He said that Paul was the founder of the 'Easy Street Jazz Band' that played on Tuesdays evenings at the Zal Gaz Grotto Club. He said that the 'Easy Street Jazz band' will be back there this Tuesday to play a tribute to Paul.
- ☺ **Martha Petroski** was happy to been able to donate 16 inches of her hair to 'Locks Of Love'. She noted that as we can see she still has lots of hair.
- ☺ **Ray Argyle** was happy for attending a ceremony at Cobblestone Farms that honored girls in scouting. They honored those who have contributed so much including his daughter and a good friend of hers. Our very own **Kathy Barden-Perlberg** introduced the keynote speaker, Debbie Dingle. She also got a plug in for us here at Kiwanis.
- ☺ **Harry Cross** got a sort of a shout out from Tori Reed yesterday morning on the 'AM Joy Show on MSNBC. She said that Trump was not a 'Kiwanis Club Republican'. He is also happy and proud that his daughter-in-law, Fernanda, graduated over the weekend with a PhD in Psychology. She has a position in the school of Social Work, so will be staying in Ann Arbor. She started her college career at Washtenaw Community College, then successfully transferred to U of M and earned a double Major Bachelors Degree in Social Work and in Psychology. She went on to obtain a Masters degree in Social Work, and now this PhD.
- ☺ **Claire Dahl** was happy for having learned how to use 'E-Park' on her phone. She says that she is now done with baggies of quarters and done with getting parking tickets.
- ☺ **Dale Leslie** made a major contribution to the club of all of his Appalachian State clothing and memorabilia. He was happy to get a receipt as he conservatively put \$1,000.00 on it. One of the unique items that he had was tooth picks. He said that it is quite an accomplishment to get Appalachian State onto a toothpick.
- ☺ **Kathy Barden-Perlberg** said that Ray didn't mention that at the ceremony at Cobblestone Farm one of the cutest things was that Debbie Dingle called out a little girl that had been waiting outside for the guests to come in. This girl was wearing her scout uniform and she was way on the far side of the room. Kathy hollered out, "Well that would be Lucy". Lucy being **Evan LeRoy's** daughter. Lucy jumped up and waved at Debbie and was very cute.
- ☺ **Bob Snider** had a happy dollar for a sad occasion. He went up to Holt on Saturday for a memorial service for Doug Alexander. Bob and Doug are both ex Governors of the Michigan Kiwanis District. He was able to reminisce with many long-time Kiwanians.
- ☺ **Peter Schork** was happy for **Martha Petroski's** donation to 'Locks Of Love' and he said that his son had also given hair to 'Locks Of Love'. He described his son as, at that time, having a crazy amount of hair and that on two occasions he had donated 12 inches of his hair.

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President William, because this is the first meeting in May, announced this month's birthdays, including his Grandson Shilo's. In announcing **Larry French's** birthday on May 17th President William noted that one of the most important decisions by the Supreme Court came down on May 17th, stemming from a case in Topeka Kansas. It was Brown versus the Board of Education. That Decision, on May 17th 1954, which William pointed out is also Larry French's birthday, "desegregated all of the public schools with all deliberate speed". Since all schools are still not desegregated, apparently, "all deliberate speed" did not happen. Larry corrected William in that 1954 was the year that he graduated from high school, not the year he was born.

PROSPECTIVE NEW MEMBERS...



The Ann Arbor Women's Group has applied for a business/corporate membership. Cathy Freeman is President of the Ann Arbor Women's Group. The membership application is sponsored by **Kathy Barden-Perlberg** and **Kathie Wilder**. The group's website is <https://a2womensgroup.org/>. Second publication.

Brittany Rupp has applied for membership as part of Kiwanis Young Professionals. Brittany is a Graduate Student Research Assistant and Graduate Student Instructor at UofM. She is sponsored by **Caroline Grachek** and co-sponsored by **Caroline Soyars**. First publication.

MICHIGAN DISTRICT CONVENTION...

Larry French updated us on the Kiwanis Convention which our club is hosting this year. The convention will run from Thursday, August 22, through Sunday, August 25, at the Ann Arbor Sheraton Hotel. He anticipates that there will be about 300 attendees from around the state. As the Host Club there will be various activities that we will need to staff. He said that we are also reaching out to other Kiwanis Clubs in the area to ask for volunteers to help staff this event. We will need 60 or more people to sign up for 2 to 3 hour slots. This will include a cookout, here at our club, that we will put on for the Board Officers. There were sign up sheets placed on each table prior to today's meeting.

TULIP TIME...

Need a respite from tumult? Tulip Time festival in Holland, MI comes highly recommended. It begins this Saturday, May 4, with nine days of parades, Dutch food, art and entertainment before the festivities close on Sunday, May 12. All the Tulip Time activities are available at www.tuliptime.com. Highlight: FiddleFire, the talented family performance is toe-tapping and charming. Ann Arbor fiddle fancier, **Luke Panning**, is highly regarded by his peers and his audiences. Oh, the parades are so refreshing with local bands performing while wearing wooden shoes! See you there! ~Dale Leslie

CLEAN-UP OPPORTUNITY FOR WEST-SIDERS...

Spring Cleaning
Saturday, May 18, 2019, the Washtenaw County Board of Public Works is conducting a Clean-up Day. It will be held at Chelsea High School, 740 N. Freer Rd. 9am to 1pm. You may bring glass bottles, ridged plastic (not bags), up to four tires, appliances, scrap metal, electronics and household hazardous materials (paint, pesticides, cleaning supplies, motor oil). You cannot bring bulky household items (mattresses, furniture, etc.), or household garbage.

A minimum donation of \$15.00 is suggested to cover the cost. If you wish to bring more than four tires, a charge of \$5.00 for each additional tire is requested. Also, each extra TV, computer or appliance beyond the first one is \$10.00. For more information, please go to www.washtenaw.org/cleanup or call 734-222-3950.

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Report from the 2019 Nominating Committee to the Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor and the Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor Foundation, Inc.
INFORMATION about the Vetted Slate of Candidates for Board Officers and Directors - Report as of 4-22-2019

The ANNUAL MEETING and ELECTIONS will be held on Monday, May 20, 2019. (see bolded names below)**

The names of the Immediate Past President, President and candidates for Board Officers and Board Directors and the Annual Elections date of May 20, 2019 will be announced on two Mondays, May 6 and May 13 at the regularly scheduled general membership Club and Foundation noon meetings.

**ANNUAL ELECTIONS for 2019-2020 for our KIWANIS CLUB OF ANN ARBOR BOARD and
 our KIWANIS CLUB OF ANN ARBOR FOUNDATION BOARD.** (Term of office starts on October 1, 2019)

BOARD OFFICERS: (Need to elect 5.) The Immediate Past President, President and President-Elect Officers serve on both the Board of the Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor and the Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor Foundation. However, the Treasurers and Secretaries serve only on either the Club Board or the Foundation Board to which they are elected/appointed. There will be separate ballots listing the Club and the Foundation Officer candidates.

**** Immediate Past President**

William V. Hampton Election is needed.

**** President**

Dana A. (Dan) Dever Election is needed.

**** President Elect Candidate**

Margaret J. Krasnoff Election is needed.

**** FOUNDATION Treasurer Candidate**

Greg P. Meisner

Election is needed. This is a voting officer who is only on the Foundation Board.

**** CLUB Treasurer Candidate**

Evan C. LeRoy

Election is needed. This is a voting officer who is only on the Club Board.

BOARD DIRECTORS: (Need to elect 3.) All six (6) Board Directors serve on both the Board of the Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor and the Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor Foundation. There will be separate ballots for the Club and the Foundation listing Director candidates.

Candidate for Election for one Board Director's position of a one-year term through September 30, 2020. (Vacancy, Margaret Krasnoff)

**** Board Candidate**

Emily Allshouse

Election is needed.

Candidates for Election for two Board Directors' positions of three-year terms each through September 30, 2022.

**** Board Candidate**

Kenneth L. Hillenburg

Election is needed.

**** Board Candidate**

Larry E. Dittmar

Election is needed.

No election by the general membership is needed for Foundation Secretary or Club Secretary. Placement is via a Board only process.

FOUNDATION Secretary

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This is a voting officer who is only on the Foundation Board, not on Club Board.

CLUB Secretary

(Kathie Wilder)

This is voting officer who is only on the Club Board, not on Foundation Board.

Current Board Director:

Marianne E. D'Angelo

No election is needed. Continues one more year through September 30, 2020.

Current Board Director:

Mary Stewart

No election is needed. Continues two more years through September 30, 2021.

Current Board Director:

Gordon Beeman

No election is needed. Continues two more years through September 30, 2021.

Leaving the Boards as Directors on September 30, 2019, due to completion of term of service. Ellen Webb and Peter Schork. (Thank You!)

Leaving the Boards as Immediate Past President on September 30, 2019, due to completion of term of service. Alan Burg (Thank You!)

The identification and selection process the of Assistant Secretary and Assistant Treasurer(s) is led by the President-Elect who becomes the President Designate for the upcoming Kiwanis year of 2019-2020.

Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor

CLUB Board Election

Each eligible voting member has TWO (2) BALLOTS to complete.
One ballot for the Club Board and one ballot for the Foundation Board.

SAMPLE**Club BALLOT**

(Vote for 7 CLUB BOARD positions)

ANNUAL CLUB ELECTION*Terms start Oct 1, 2019***2019-2020 CLUB BOARD OFFICERS:**

- ☐ Immediate Past President: William V. Hampton
- ☐ President: Dana A. (Dan) Dever
- ☐ President Elect: Margaret J. Krasnoff
- ☐ CLUB Treasurer only: Evan C. LeRoy

2019-2020 CLUB BOARD DIRECTOR:

One Board Director position of one-year term to fill vacancy.

- ☐ Board Director: Emily Allshouse – 1 year

2019-2022 CLUB BOARD DIRECTORS:

Two Board Directors positions for three-year terms each.

- ☐ Board Director: Kenneth L. Hillenburg – 3 years
- ☐ Board Director: Larry E. Dittmar – 3 years

Notes: The general membership does not elect the CLUB Secretary who serves only on the CLUB Board. The CLUB Treasurer is elected by the general membership, however, serves only on the CLUB Board. All other Officers and Directors are elected by the general membership and serve on both Boards, the Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor Board and the Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor Foundation Board.

Election Day, Monday, May 20, 2019

Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor

FOUNDATION Board Election

Each eligible voting member has TWO (2) BALLOTS to complete.
One ballot for the Club Board and one ballot for the Foundation Board.

SAMPLE**Foundation BALLOT**

(Vote for 7 FOUNDATION BOARD positions)

ANNUAL FOUNDATION ELECTION*Terms start Oct 1, 2019***2019-2020 FOUNDATION BOARD OFFICERS:**

- ☐ Immediate Past President: William V. Hampton
- ☐ President: Dana A. (Dan) Dever
- ☐ President Elect: Margaret J. Krasnoff
- ☐ FOUNDATION Treasurer only: Greg P. Meisner

2019-2020 FOUNDATION BOARD DIRECTOR:

One Board Director position of one-year term to fill vacancy.

- ☐ Board Director: Emily Allshouse – 1 year

2019-2022 FOUNDATION BOARD DIRECTORS:

Two Board Directors positions for three-year terms each.

- ☐ Board Director: Kenneth L. Hillenburg – 3 years
- ☐ Board Director: Larry E. Dittmar – 3 years

Notes: The general membership does not elect the FOUNDATION Secretary who serves only on the FOUNDATION Board. The FOUNDATION Treasurer is elected by the general membership, however, serves only on the FOUNDATION Board. All other Officers and Directors are elected by the general membership and serve on both Boards, the Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor Board and the Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor Foundation Board.

Election Day, Monday, May 20, 2019

May 2019

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

			1 Kiwanis Young Professionals 7pm	2	3 Sale & Donations: TKC 9-1	4 Sale & Donations: TKC 9-1
5	6 <u>Breakfast Program at St Andrews</u>	7	8	9	10 Sale & Donations: TKC 9-1	11 Sale & Donations: TKC 9-1
12	13 <u>Dexter Area Historical Society</u>	14	15	16	17 Sale & Donations: TKC 9-1	18 Sale & Donations: TKC 9-1
19	20 <u>Financial Literacy</u>	21	22	23	24 Sale & Donations: TKC 9-1	25 Sale & Donations: TKC 9-1
26	27 No Meeting Today Memorial Day	28 <u>Music Scholarships and Hixon Award</u>	29	30	31 Sale & Donations: TKC 9-1	



This Week's Numbers

Attendance

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Fines

\$20.42

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Mott Pot

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\$1,432 YTD

Vouchers

\$1,851
8 Families
\$47,428 YTD
237 Families YTD

Thrift Sale

Friday
\$10,864
Saturday
\$9,221
Ebay
\$0
TOTAL
\$20,085
\$562,475 YTD
(Unofficial)



June 2019

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

						1 Sale & Donations: TKC 9-1
2	3 <u>miRcore, Pancreatic Cancer</u>	4	5 Kiwanis Young Professionals 7pm	6	7 Sale & Donations: TKC 9-1	8 Sale & Donations: TKC 9-1
9	10 <u>Scouts BSA</u>	11	12	13	14 Sale & Donations: TKC 9-1 Flag Day	15 Sale & Donations: TKC 9-1
16 Father's Day	17 <u>Street Art: Chalk Edition</u>	18 Board Meeting 6:30pm	19	20	21 Sale & Donations: TKC 9-1	22 Sale & Donations: TKC 9-1
23	24 <u>Lost Voices</u>	25	26	27	28 Sale & Donations: TKC 9-1	29 Sale & Donations: TKC 9-1
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- [Kiwanis Young Professionals of Washtenaw County](#) Meets 7pm first Wednesday 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
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The Kiwanis Center



Memory Gem

The 1990 Digest contained a recitation of various fundraising activities over the years. One was the Card Party...

CARD PARTY

First Held: 1929	Location: Michigan Student Union
Last Held: 1944	Largest Revenue: \$808 in 1943
No. of Years Held: 14	Smallest Revenue: \$158 in 1929

What was it? Usually held in the fall, the playing card parties were open to men and women who would play progressive hands of bridge, euchre and cribbage. Prizes were awarded to the best card players.

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