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OF ANN ARBOR**

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

Past President **Peter Schork** conducted today's Hall of Honor induction program. The new honorees are:

**Ray E. Cross**, presented by **Dick Benedek**  
**Willard J. Frey**, presented by **Lynne Lande**  
**Charles F. North**, presented by **Bob Carr**  
**Forney W. Clement**, presented by **Sheridan Springer**

Sadly, all of these Kiwanians have passed away but we were happy to welcome many of their family members and friends who were able to join today's ceremony. The presenters outlined the accomplishments of the honorees, describing a legacy that has been crucial to the growth and success of the Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor and that continues to benefit the club today. Among the many achievements and warm memories were these highlights: Establishment of scholarship and campership programs (Cross); Organization of the receiving dock process and Racket Squad (Frey); Leadership in upgrading the KAC to support weekly sales (North); The Forney W. Clement Memorial Project supporting Mott and other hospitals, and Michigan District leadership (Clement).

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

Dick Honig, Retired Football Official. Introducer: **Rip Kinney**

President:  
Mark Wishka

Vice-President:  
John Dahl

Treasurer:  
Cliff Sheldon

Secretary:  
Fred King  
Bob Gray

Immed. Past Pres.  
Fred Sanchez

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Gordon Beeman  
Jim Blomquist  
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Elena Ermak  
John Goff  
John Kidle  
Sheridan Springer



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is the driving  
force of our  
Success”*



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

## ASSIGNMENTS for the COMING WEEK:

Announcer:	<b>Jim Kane</b>
Officer of the Day:	<b>Dale Leslie</b>
Dockers:	<b>Nate Foerg, Kathy Griswold</b>
Warehouse:	Not Open
Volunteer Pick-Ups:	Not Available
Sorters:	<b>Alan Burg, Ken Shaw</b>
Hardware:	<b>Bob Greene, Dan Dever, Andrea Koch Duda</b>
Furniture:	<b>Mel Williams, Paul Klinger, Elena Ermak, Jim Blomquist</b>
Shoes & Outdoor:	<b>Dave Drake, Ron Williams</b>
Mens Clothing:	<b>Don Clewell, Jim Couch</b>
Electronics:	<b>Bill Robb &amp; Associates</b>
Lamps:	<b>Chris Winkler, Dick Smitt</b>
Antiques:	Not Available
Beds and Toys:	<b>Lee Bachman, Ty Knoy, Steve Hiller</b>
Office and Medical:	<b>Jim Mattson and Team</b>
Invocation:	<b>Dale Leslie</b>
Greeters:	<b>Kathy Barden-Perlberg, Jim Blomquist, Dale Leslie, Bill Lynn</b>
Hospitality:	<b>Kathy Stroud</b>
Cashier:	<b>Martha Petroski</b>
Vouchers:	<b>Rose Marie Barhydt, Sharon Keyes, Bill Lynn, Gretchen Preston, Don Clewell, Jim Wheaton, Garry Evans</b>

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

Prospective member and U of M student Hannah Huntmoeller; Joe Mukkbon, Jr. guest of **Tom Fegan**; Mary Goetz, Vishaal Kalwani, Karen Hawley, and Alex Novo all of Circle K. Welcome all!

## **Announcements.....**

**Dave Drake** announced the October Super Interclub will be hosted by AA Western Kiwanis on Tuesday, October 23 at noon at the Quarter Bistro. The speaker will be Bob Spaly, a local realtor and graduate of Pioneer High School, with an inspiring story of learning to walk again. Dave also announced that our club would be hosting a Super Interclub on November 19<sup>th</sup>.

It's time for "Warm the Children". Once again, **Doug Ziesemer** will coordinate the program and will be announcing details and asking for volunteers. Contact him now at 996-4957 or [dfziesemer@aol.com](mailto:dfziesemer@aol.com).

Circle K is looking for volunteers for their Leaf Rake-athon on November 3<sup>rd</sup>. See a Circle K member to sign up or go to their website: <http://www.mcirclek.org>.

The club has posted an opening for a Facilities Manager position. Interested candidates should contact **Sherry Springer**.

President **Mark Wishka** recognized the Eliminate Task Force (**Ron Gardner, Fred Sanchez, Melissa Tyler, and Elena Ermak**) for the important work they are doing in spearheading the club's efforts to raise \$100,000 for Eliminate. **Ron Gardner** provided an update on progress to date. Kiwanis International's goal is to raise \$110 million by 2015 to eliminate maternal/neonatal tetanus and it has raised \$18.2 million so far. Our club has collected \$37,185.24 toward its \$100,000 goal. This amount does not include amounts yet to be paid on member pledges. An anonymous member has agreed to contribute up to \$5,250 in funds to match new contributions. Now would be a great time to make a contribution or pledge, and all members are encouraged to do so.

## Fines and Happy Dollars.....

**Jim Kane** proposed a fine on **Jim Blomquist** and **Bob Barden, Jr.** for not showing up to work in Furniture last Saturday – Passed.

**Al Gallup** proposed a fine on all those who resisted **Peter Schork's** heartfelt "appeal" from Spain for emergency funds – Passed.

Betty Jean Harper was happy for Saturday's football results. **Fred Sanchez** was happy for a blue cake indicating a grandson is on the way; but had sad news about a dog and MSU—you had to be there last week. **Sally Lamkin** was delighted about the Camp Placement Association's 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary celebration on October 28<sup>th</sup>; call 734-971-4537 to attend.

**Clar Dukes** was savoring life three months out from successful valve surgery. **Max Ziegler** was happy to invite folks to the Spaghetti Dinner for the Eliminate Project; and happy to have had coffee with **Tom Lovell** who is doing well. **Claire Dahl** enjoyed her New England vacation with John, topping it off with a hole-in-one! **Queayna Battle** was happy for her new position at U of M Children's Center. **Al Engerer** happily presented a rather large Thermos to **Bob Barden, Sr.** in hopes that he would fill it with cash for Kiwanis. **Joe Medrano** was happy to report he did not suffer a heart attack during the UM/MSU game; and happy to live in the USA. **Jim Kane** was pleased to thank **Max Ziegler** and **Jerry McMahon** for their help in Furniture on Saturday. **Mike Anglin** was happy to recognize **Gene Glysson** and **Ron Williams** for 35 years of Meals on Wheels service and encouraged others to volunteer. **Martha Petroski** was happy for a timely delivery of Snicker-doodle coffee. **Garry Donner** happily possesses a direct line to the Queen's Residence. **Dick Benedek** was also happy for the UM/MSU football outcome. **John Dahl** enjoyed the New England vacation with Claire and the opportunity to deliver Martha P's favorite coffee. **Ann Frey** was pleased to have many of her family present for Will's Hall of Honor induction.

## Hospitality Information.....

None reported. Contact **Kathy Stroud** if you have hospitality news.

## Stuff you should know.....

The following committees will meet after next week's club meeting: Building and Equipment; K-Family Leadership; Communications.

New member **Queayna Battle** having completed the necessary steps received her permanent membership badge. Congratulations Queayna!

Spaghetti Family Dinner, Friday, November 9, 5-7:30 pm at the KAC. Hosted by AAKC and

U-M Circle K in support of the Eliminate Project. \$10 adult - \$7 student. See **Max Ziegler** for more information.

### Last Week Sale Revenue:

Downtown Sale: \$6,899

Warehouse Sale: \$1,205

Today's Happy Dollars: \$38

Today's Fines: \$25



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

# October 2012

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24	25	26	27 SALE
28	29 Meeting Bldg & Equip, K-Family and Communications	30	31			



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# November 2012

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3 SALE + Warehouse
4	5 Meeting	6 Board Meeting	7	8	9 Spaghetti Dinner	10 SALE
11	12 Meeting SMOC	13	14	15	16	17 SALE + Warehouse
18	19 Meeting and Xmas set up	20	21	22 Thanks-giving	23	24 NOSALE
25	26 Meeting off site	27	28	29	30 Christ-mas Sale	

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The Sale Management Oversight Committee congratulates the membership and volunteers for the level of commitment to change that is continuing to result in improved inventory, neater and better organized display areas, increasing sales, and as expected in Kiwanis, stepping up to take additional responsibility when needed.

An ongoing task to establish a “Department Head” for every component of the Sale Day efforts still has us looking for a member Kiwanian to be the Department head for the Dock Area. A Department Head is one who arranges a schedule for volunteers to be at their posts on all sale days, and coordinates any equipment and supply needs to the Sale Manager. Contact Mario Gasbarro or Al Dailey if you have an interest in helping with this important task.

We have had terrific ongoing support from our Circle K group. One of the ways we can make it easier on them is to provide transportation from the Kiwanis Activity Center on Saturdays to the Warehouse. They have agreed to assist as much as possible at that location, and only need a way out and back on Sale Saturdays (currently the first and third Saturdays of each month).

As we continue to look for ways to increase our ability to fund the needs of our community, we ask that all of us be vigilant for possible contacts in the business community that could provide new or slightly used or outdated merchandise for resale at Kiwanis.

### Our Sponsored Programs.....Service to Youth



WISD Aktion Club



We need to start one of these!!  
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or grandchild?



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