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Today's Program.....

Today's speaker, introduced by **Andrea Kotch Duda**, was Ilene Tyler, Director of Preservation, Quinn Evans Architects. Ms. Tyler provided a history of her home, the Judge Robert S. Wilson home at 126 North Division Street. Considered "Ann Arbor's most famous house", the home is an excellent example of the Greek Revival style that was popular at the time the front temple portion was built in 1843. A needed porch renovation and the fall of one of the classic Ionic columns led Ilene and husband Norm to research the reasons behind the design of their home and the popularity of the Greek Revival style in general. That effort led to pattern books used by 19th century carpenters in the construction of similar homes, and from there to mid-18th century Greek archeological expeditions financed by the Society of Dilettanti of London, and finally to the Tyler's trip to Greece for on-site research. Originally thought to have been modeled after the Temple of Athena Nike on the Acropolis, the Tyler's learned that their home and others like it were probably based on a now-destroyed temple that had been located in Athens on the Ilissus River, as documented during the Dilettanti expedition. The full story of the Judge Robert S. Wilson home can be found in a PowerPoint presentation at <http://tylertopics.com/wilsonhouse/EMUPresentation22Sept.pdf>.



Next Weeks Program.....

Brenda Bentley, Author: Huron River Walks

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

ASSIGNMENTS for the COMING WEEK:

Announcer 	Dale Leslie
Officer of Day 	Jerry McMahon
Dockers 	Kathy Stroud and Don Kossick
Warehouse 	Not Open
Sorters 	Ken Hillenburg and Alan Burg
Hardware 	Bill Hallock, Bill Lynn, and Burt Lamkin
Furniture 	Mel Williams, Paul Klinger, Larry Hill, and Nick Dever
Shoes & Sports 	Gordon Beeman and Rip Kinney
Men’s Clothing 	Players to be Named
Electronics 	Bill Robb & Associates
Lamps 	Chris Winkler, Rob Schultz, and Friends
Antiques 	Pat Materka
Beds & Toys 	Lee Bachman and Ken Shaw
Office & Medical 	Jim Mattson & Team
Vouchers 	Pat Buhrer, Dave Hughes, Bob Carr, and Dick Benedek
Invocation 	Burt Lamkin
Greeters 	Don Clewell, Gary Elling, Sally Lamkin, Burt Lamkin
Hospitality 	Lloyd Kitchens
Cashier 	Martha Petroski

Guests at our Club.....

Guests today as reported by **Sally Lamkin** were: Ypsi Club members Jeff Lawther, Bill Fennel, Jerry Jennings, and Chris Roberts; Peg Windsor, guest of Mark Wiska and; Christina Pechette, Berit Henrikson, and Colin McWatters, all of Circle K. Welcome everyone!

Announcements.....

There will be no sale on March 30th due to Easter.

Dave Drake said five of us made it to the Ypsilanti club’s Super Interclub last Wednesday. An interclub at Chelsea is coming up in April; date to be determined.

Speakers for the next four weeks are:

March 25th – Brenda Bentley, Author, Huron River Walks

April 1st – Matt Lee, Michigan Firehouse Museum

April 8th – Jim Dolgas, Costco Marketing

April 15th - Charlotte Luttrell, MS Molly Foundation

Go to the club website home page and click “[New Calendar Link](#)” for additional program listings.

Meetings:

Community Services will meet after next week’s club meeting.

Presentations:

New member **Jim Huck** gave his 3-minute speech. Born in Tawas Michigan, Jim now lives in Fenton. He holds a Mechanical Engineering degree from U of M, but eventually made the switch from the auto to the financial industry and now works for Morgan Stanley in Ann Arbor. He looks forward to being active in the club, particularly in working with youth.

Fines and Happy Dollars.....

Fines:

A fine related to Bill Fennel of the Ypsilanti club was proposed but the newsletter editor was distracted by other business and missed it; apparently it failed to pass. Later, **Betty Jean Harper** proposed that everyone under 50 be fined. That was amended on motion of **Dan Dever** to include those over 50 and passed so all paid.

Happy Dollars:

Sheridan Springer was happy to bring news of Ann Arbor Western's NCAA Bracket/Eliminate Project fundraiser; contact Western for info, it's \$20 to pick a bracket. **Bob Carr** was happy for a week on the Mayan Riviera and for a serendipitous meeting with the Springers at the airport. **Jim Kane** was happy to have participated in a boffo run of *Harvey*. **Sally Lamkin** will miss Carole Jenkins but was happy to recently attend the symphony. **Garry Evans** was happy for a new Pope who rides the bus like he does. **Dale Leslie** related a happy story about going to the wrong house and meeting Bud Abbott. **Max Ziegler** happily reported that his granddaughter was named Minnesota's #1 10-and-under hockey player. **Lynne Lande** is happy to have **Jim Huck** as part of our club, and is taking sale-apron orders. **Garry Donner** happily told a joke about a pharmacist, a man, a spouse, and cyanide pills; you'll have to ask him. **Fred Sanchez** enjoyed telling a yarn about a man's Papal audience while barbecuing at the Vatican. **Al Engerer** asked members to donate pots and pans as the Hardware Department's supply is running low. **Kathy Stroud** was happy for the good work of the Huron Valley Humane Society. **R. J. Taylor** was happy for five weeks in southern California. **Joe Medrano** was also happy to have been part of the *Harvey* production and was happy for the beautiful day. Christina Pechette (U of M Circle K President) was happy to invite club members to Circle K's new officer installation on April 4th at the Union. Jerry Jennings (Ypsi) happily invited Ann Arbor Kiwanians to the Ypsi club's Annual Pancake Breakfast, 7:30am-1pm April 20th, only \$7. **Clar Dukes** was an optimist yesterday when he winterized (summerized?) his snow blower but a Kiwanian in today's snow—and he's still happy. **Peter Schork** was happy to remind people about donating for scholarships and camperships, and thanked Van Winkle Mattresses for donating mattresses to the sale. **Fred King** was happy five times: for Friday the 13th on Wednesday this month, a week in Florida, son's retirement from military, and having The Greatest Generation available for loan—I'm sure there was a fifth one but we all lost count. **Dale Leslie** made a repeat appearance to advise our speaker that Dixboro is also a historic part of the Ann Arbor community.

Hospitality Information.....

Lloyd Kitchens reported Carole Jenkins, formerly with our food service, passed away Monday, March 11th; **Don Kenney** is back in the hospital following a fall; and **Jerry Brown's** son's health problems continue.



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March 2013

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					1	2 Sale + Warehouse
3	4 Meeting	5 Board Meeting	6	7	8	9 Sale
10	11 Meeting	12	13	14	15	16 Sale + Warehouse
17	18 Meeting	19	20	21	22	23 Sale
24	25 Meeting	26	27	28	29	30 NO Sale
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April 2013

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

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LET'S SHARE OUR KIWANIS CLUB WITH MORE COMMUNITY MINDED VOLUNTEERS

The Board has endorsed a recommendation to expand the reach of our club to community members who may not be able to meet on Monday at Noon, or devote their efforts to our Thrift Sale, or a variety of other reasons.

The concept is to create "club satellites" to allow groups of 5 or more who by virtue of their employment location, residence location, and other common factors, to meet on their own schedule, develop new community service projects, and share in the benefits of the Kiwanis organization as members of the Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor. Club Satellites would operate much like a committee, without the need to form a new corporate entity, new board of directors and officers, and could then devote all their efforts to service while expanding the presence of the Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor.

Al Dailey has accepted the challenge of initiating this effort and is looking for one or two members to assist. It is expected that the first targeted location will be Mott Hospital, but the opportunities are significantly more in our community.

This effort could be a model for Kiwanis growth in its' second century of progress. It can be an opportunity to expand diversity of membership in the areas of age, ethnicity, and gender. It is recognized that a strong, respected, and experienced club is necessary to be the Host club.....there is no better prospect than the Kiwanis Club of Ann Arbor.

Contact Al to offer your help.

Miscellaneous:

Next Week's Lunch Menu: Baked Ham, Cheesy Potatoes, Green Beans, Soup, Tossed Salad, and Dessert

Fines Collected: \$24.70

Happy \$ Collected: \$46.85

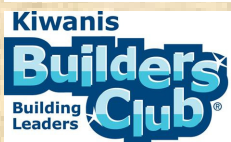
Attendance today: 78

Last Week Sale Revenue: \$4,638 at KAC, \$1,191 at Warehouse, \$2,050 from the sale of two cars, and \$167 from Ebay for total of \$8,046.

Vouchers: 8 families served for a total of \$1,018.75



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