Newsletter of



July 26, 2018.

We meet for breakfast Thursday mornings at 8AM at

<u>Johnny's BBQ</u>

7411 State Road 21
(North of the intersection of Hwys. 100 and 21)
Keystone Heights, Florida

Lake Region Kiwanis' facebook and web Pages:

https://www.facebook.com/lakeregionkiwanisofFlorida/

www.lakeregionkiwanis.org

On Deck

We will work the football games concession stand at KHHS: 8/17(7:00) 9/28 (7:30) 10/12 (7:30) (Homecoming). We need to arrive an hour and a half before the games start!

September 27 is our installation dinner at Carlton and Nell's home; Our new Lt. Governor, "Bear" Bryan from Starke, will install our new officers and directors. 5:30; Smitty will burn the meat...... everyone bring a side dish.

Officers to be installed: Tina Bullock, President, Patricia Hatch, President-Elect, Rebeca Gamble, Secretary, Mary Ann Kyle, Treasurer;

Directors: 3 years Debbie Beals, Steve Hart, 2 Years, Nell Page, Jude Sorano, 1 year Scott Kornegay, Sam Midgett; Immediate Past President: Darby Ann Roberts.

December 8....Kiwanis Christmas parade.

Member News

Thanks to Miss Tina for getting our newsletter out while we played hooky in 78 degree Wisconsin weather.

Hank and Mary Ann celebrated their 53rd anniversary on



Tuesday

And...

Jude and Christina celebrated their 25th anniversary on



Wednesday

(note: Jude assured me that the photo was taken at the reception, in public).

Congratulations Dana!

From USA Softball Florida.....

"Santa fe Inferno Humphrey wins their first game at the USA Softball 16A National Championship in Kent, WA 12-0. PLUS Alissa Humphrey and <u>Daelyn Eatmon</u> combined for a perfect game on the mound. Great job ladies."



Carlton is another year older

July 26 Meeting

Guests this morning were Ben Tran from the Key Club... and the premier square dance caller of North Florida, the right honorable Bill Chesnut from the Gainesville Club (and unofficial member of ours).



Miss Tina dispensed attaboy/girls for the Lawson Shaw Road show participants (a.k.a. an interclub) to the Azalea City Club in Pull-at-Key.



(note: we do Terrific Kids programs in two of Azalea Club's schools ... Melrose and Ochwilla. Our delegation requested some \$\$ from their club...which was met with their usual shoe-gazing. But we do it anyway as the Kids deserve it).

Nell reported on the Community Church's annual Back To School program, and related that a 12 year old girl was there, brought by her grandmother, wearing broken shower shoes, and mismatched worn out socks. A good reason to keep our charitable dollars in Keystone for Keystone's kids! Several Kiwanians helped out this year. The Church accepts clothing donations throughout the year, to be given to kids before thay head back to school.

We are collecting school supplies for the next two weeks....these will be given to teachers at McRae School (Community School next time) to give to children who need them. Bring them to the first two meetings in August.

Tina reported that the Clay County Sheriff brought a Hummer for the kids to see at a recent Seeds of Grace community event. The shelter, that we contributed grant monies to help build (on land donated by Club member Jude), has become a community gathering place, with programs every Wednesday.

Smitty says that the Hampton Veterans Memorial Fund will be having a chili cookoff contest with live music on October 13. This is to erect a memorial at KHHS for fallen warriors who attended the school. We voted to donate \$100. Steve's band, "Bubba Can't Dance" is one of the bands. More details later.

Scott threw a \$2 bill into the Happy Dollar bucket....he had received an emergy text from John Ward, Clay County's Emergency Management head, about a skeeter that tested positive for West Nile on Pecan Street in Keystone. The City's Mayor, Karen Lake, did a FaceBook PSA and the County delivered door hangers to homes in the vicinity with suggestions to wear deet and long clothes. Spraying was done and the threat has passed.

Steve won the "Bear" drawing but pulled a non-joker from the deck. The Bear is sitting on \$556....27 cards left in the deck.

Board of Directors News:

The Board voted to contribute \$250, each, to our two delegates to the District Convention. This was already in the budget and is to partially cover registration, gas and room costs. DarbyAnn and Debbie will attend and represent the Club.

The Christmas parade was discussed. The concern was poor lighting at the end of the parade and that the State may not allow the closure of Hwy. 21 in the future. Discussion to continue.

As we have already earned our interclub "Round Robin" award for 2017-18, thanks to Lawson's guidance, we will take August and September off and resume in October. Contact will be made with Lt. Governor Joe to see how we go about getting the banner patch.

Interclubs and Division Council Meetings:

The next Division Council Meeting (DCM) will be in High Springs, hosted by the Santa Fe Club, on

September 13. High Springs Civic Center.... 6:00 PM....hosted by the Santa Fe Club. A sign-up sheet is being circulated.



Terrific Kids is on Summer Vacation.

Service Leadership Programs (SLPs)

We sponsor K-Kids at McRae and Keystone Elementary, and Builders
Club (Junior High) and Key Club at Keystone High School!

We thank our 2017-18 Kiwanis Club and faculty advisors:

K-Kids Club Advisor, McRae: Rebeca

K-Kids Faculty Advisor, McRae: Leigh Ann

K-Kids Club Advisor, KHES: Rebeca

K-Kids faculty advisors, KHES: Dana and Jennifer

Builders Club faculty advisor: Leslie Drake

Builders Club, Club Advisors: Hank and Mary Ann

Key Club, Club Advisors: Alice and Darby Ann

Key Club, High School faculty Advisor: Michelle

Officers and Directors 2017-18

International President: James M. Rochford
Florida Governor: Todd Smith

Florida Kiwanis Foundation President-Elect: Winnie Holland (Lake Region, Starke and Clay County Clubs)

Florida Kiwanis Foundation Trustee:Tom Weller, Esq. (Santa Fe and University City Clubs)

Lt. Governor, Division 4: Joe Flanagan (Live Oak Club)

Lake Region Club:

Officers:

President: DarbyAnn

President-elect: Tina

Secretary: Rebeca

Treasurer: Mary Ann

Immediate Past President: Terry

Directors:

3 Year: Nell and Jude 2Year: Scott and Sam 1 Year: Lawson and Alice

Publicity and Web Site:
Nell and Dana

Membership: Jude

Newsletter:

Steve

Incoming Officers and Directors, on October 1, 2018:

Past President (and automatic Board member). DarbyAnn President. Tina President-elect. Patricia

Treasurer. Mary Ann
Secretary. Rebeca
New Board members. Steve and Tony

Kiwanis' Defining Statement:

"Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to improving the world, one child....



and one community at a time"

(Clay County Tourism Director Kimberly Morgan's son, at our July 4 parade)