2020 - 2021

OFFICERS

Luke Miller – President

Brian Schmolke – President-Elect

Cindy Carter – Vice-President

Daniel Lonsberry – Immediate Past President

Darren Green – Secretary

Neil Klock – Treasurer



BOARD DIRECTORS

Randy Miller Stephen Adams Preston Mansour Bart Schmolke Bill Halliburton Jeremy Hebron

PROJECTS/EVENTS FOR THE YEAR

Sponsored Key Clubs at ASH, Bolton, Menard, Oak Hill (inactive due to COVID) Initiated Memorial Scholarship Medallions Bell ringing for Salvation Army - December 2020 Firefighter of the Year and Lawman of the Year were recognized. Teacher of the Year – Mr. Jeff Kenimer Lacey Moran of the Menard Key Club received a \$1,000 scholarship. 27th Annual Raffle and virtual Crawfish Boil (raised \$14,108) Placemat Sponsorship Ads Fundraiser raised \$2565 for Scholarship Fund. Kiwanian of the Year – Suzy Halliburton

SUMMARY

The 2020-2021 Kiwanis meeting year provided unique opportunities to adapt our way of doing business and address the challenges that COVID presented. Our club was able to continue to meet and that is a testament to the enduring legacy of overcoming adversity that our membership has displayed and continues to display. We were able to adapt our annual pancake breakfast and crawfish boil to pickup only activities and still maintain those fundraisers. We were able to continue to meet both virtually and in-person with a remote option for those who couldn't attend in person. Our club also initiated the Memorial Scholarship Medallion project with the goal of (1) honoring club members who have passed away that invoked Kiwanian spirit in their daily lives and (2) to raise money for our scholarship fund in order to encourage and raise up the next generation of Kiwanians. The initial donors and medallion recipients included Dave Curry, Bill Halliburton, Neil Klock, and Randy Miller. Our club received a generous donation from GEO Secure Services to help children in our area. And, lastly, with the help of Richard Broadwell and Bart Schmolke, our club was able to add fish to the lake in the hopes of BIG fish stories to come. Thank you for trusting me and allowing me the opportunity to lead our club this year. Brian will do a great job continuing to lead next year.