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## The Tweed Kiwanian Quarterly Newsletter

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### Next Issue Highlights:

With all that has been going on I am flying by the seat of my pants. Nonetheless, during these troubling times Tweed Kiwanians always find something to do that will benefit our community.

## The Coronavirus aka Covid-19 Hits Canada Hard

Covid-19 has ravaged the world as the latest pandemic to take hold. P Chris Foran announced on March 14<sup>th</sup> the suspension of Tweed Kiwanis Club meetings until April 5<sup>th</sup>. That suspension has now been extended until the end of April.

P Chris Foran reported on the following for the newsletter:

“In person meetings are cancelled for at least April. We are considering doing a Zoom teleconference or video conference for members interested in participating. So far, from the members I have spoken to, I’m getting mixed responses. *(A Zoom Teleconference meeting is now scheduled for April 16<sup>th</sup>)*”

I am going to send a weekly email to members letting them know what we are doing or planning, events being postponed, other organizations initiatives etc. and looking for ideas on what we can do to help out youth and community during this period.

I would also like directors to have input into this weekly email and to provide me with any information they may have on their respective committees/projects.

I would like to see if members have ideas on how we could help the youth and community during this period. Pretty tough when we are trying to get everyone to stay home but someone may have a great idea about contributing to a cause e.g. food bank, or an online service that could help out seniors and others that can’t leave their home.”

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## Did you know that...

1. Drains Poultry & Egg Farmers of Ontario provides the eggs for free in support of our Community Pancake Breakfast. Drain Poultry ...you rock!
2. Our Pancake Breakfast sausage comes from Palmateer Meats.
3. Three members of the Tweed Elementary School Kiwanis Builder's Club and one Belleville Air Cadet volunteered at our Pancake Breakfast.
4. PLG Marj Buck donated gloves from the Belleville Kiwanis Chicken Barbecue to our Gateway Community Health Centre.
5. S Al McNeil has accepted the position of Lieutenant Governor Elect for Division 11.

I ASKED MY GRANDPA, "AFTER 65 YEARS, YOU STILL CALL GRANDMA DARLING, BEAUTIFUL, AND HONEY. WHAT'S THE SECRET?" HE SAID, "I FORGOT HER NAME 5 YEARS AGO AND I'M SCARED TO ASK HER."



In an effort to prevent the spread of COVID-19 within communities and across the country, all Canadians are advised to:

- stay at home unless you have to go to work; talk to your employer about working at home if possible
- avoid all non-essential trips in your community
- do not gather in groups
- limit contact with people at higher risk, such as older adults and those in poor health
- go outside to exercise but stay close to home
- if you leave your home, always keep a distance of at least 2 arms lengths (approximately 2 metres) from others; household contacts (people you live with) do not need to distance from each other unless they are sick or have travelled in the last 14 days
- avoiding crowded places and non-essential gatherings
- avoiding common greetings, such as handshakes
- wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds
- when coughing or sneezing, cough or sneeze into a tissue or the bend of your arm, not your hand
- avoid touching your eyes, nose, or mouth with unwashed hands

## Covid-19 (continued from pg. 1)

We have certainly had to rethink about how we conduct business and in particular our annual Lottery. S Al Mc Neil and son Nathan came up with a rather novel solution. They proposed that we run a live YouTube feed and use an internet based random number generator to determine the lottery winners for the various prizes. As the numbers were generated and posted on screen, S. Al read the name associated with that number. Worked like a charm!!! Nice job fellas.

We have also had to pull back on our "Meals on Wheels" deliveries. Many of us fall into that category who are most susceptible to getting Covid-19. We are happy to hear that others have taken up the charge and meals continue to be delivered.

And Kiwanians don't lose their humour in a crisis. Some comments in relation to conducting our meeting via teleconference:

"Here it is Thursday late afternoon and I'm here at home helping cook supper. I should be at a Kiwanis meeting listening to jokes, fibs, farts, and guys and gals saying "what did he say?"

Re no Teri Ward meal: "Geez Dean I thought you North of 7 guys were pretty resourceful when it comes to meals. Just go down to the highway and pick something off the road and throw it on the fire!"

## Note from the Editor:

Fellow Kiwanians, if you have a story you would like covered in our newsletter then give me a buzz or submit your article as a guest reporter. Our next deadline for all submissions is June 30th.

K Don DeGenova

## Kiwanis Pancake Breakfast and Bake Sale has them Lickin their Chops!



Over 372 guests enjoyed the Kiwanis Annual Pancake Breakfast during the Tweed Winter Carnival.



Our very own garden gnome PP Gerry Feeney keeping those tables cleaned!



PP John Thompson giving cooking lessons to PPs Bill Summers & Bruce Bateman, P Chris Foran and K Jim Pedersen.

A great big thank you to PP Larry King for pulling together a stellar Team of Tweed Kiwanians to cook-up and serve a delicious breakfast of pancakes, scrambled eggs, sausages, coffee, tea, juice and maple syrup. We set another record with over 372 served. There was also a bake sale table pulled together by Judy Bishop-King along with some loyal friends. The bake sale brought in \$678. and gross revenues were \$3,566. After expenses the breakfast netted \$2,816.



PP Fred Albert flippin flap jacks under the watchful eye of Kiwanians Jim Pedersen and Gary Gorr



Judy Bishop-King and Dayle Summers putting on lip stick with that red marker at the Kiwanis Bake Sale!



K Larry Cook having breakfast by himself...he tends to get food everywhere!!! Nice job setting-up Team.

**Kiwanis Bonspiel Huge Success - Trophy Renamed to the “Kiwanis Klienspiel Trophy”!**

On Sat. Jan 25, after a 2-week weather delay, 64 curlers braved the freezing rain and snow to come out for a day of curling, fun and fellowship. PP Randy Kline presented the updated “Kiwanis Klinspiel” trophy to the winning team of Cole Morrow, Curtis Morrow, Annette Thrussell and Kendall Young. Other photos show Kiwanians gathered around after PP Randy was surprised with the bonspiel and trophy name change. After a great supper, P Chris Foran and PP Jim Hanna did a short presentation on the Accessible Playground Project for the curlers and their supper guests. Almost \$350 was collected for the Project through a Chinese auction. The Bonspiel also netted \$1250.00. Thanks PP Larry King for organizing another great event!



*Fellow Kiwanians and guests sharing in a fun filled day. PP Al McNeil appears to have the floor!*



*Curlers getting their rocks off at the Annual Kiwanis Bonspiel!*



*PP Randy Kline hams it up on his way to presenting the newly named Kiwanis Klinspiel Trophy to this year’s winners!*



*PP Randy Kline went on so long fellow Kiwanians were afraid they would still be there for the pancake breakfast which was taking place two weeks later.*



*Our P Chris Foran along with a whack of PPs - Jim Hannah, Larry King and Peter McConnell announcing the new trophy name change with PP Randy Kline at their side. There were many laughs that day which is standard with this club.*

## Fun on the Horizon

All community events have been either terminated or postponed due to Covid-19. Our Kiwanis Trash Bash, originally scheduled for April 25, is one of the victims. It is beginning to look like we may have to forgo Trash Bash this year. As the grass grows it makes it too difficult to get into the ditches and identify the trash.

We remain hopeful that our annual Kiwanis Chicken Barbecue will take place on July 16<sup>th</sup>. Belleville Kiwanis has cancelled the June date for their chicken barbecue. They are looking at rescheduling.

Many productions, festivals and performances such as those provided by Tweed & Company Theatre and other like-minded organizations have been postponed until later in the year.

Everything is subject to change. These are indeed strange times.



*Tweed Elementary School Kiwanis Builder's Club handing out free chocolate as part of Random Acts of Kindness Day. Surprised there was any chocolate to hand out with S Al McNeil and K Larry Cook as part of the Team!!*

**When I was a kid, my parents would always say, "Excuse my French" just after a swear word... I'll never forget my first day at school when my teacher asked if any of us knew any French**

## The Objects of Kiwanis

The six permanent Objects of Kiwanis International were approved by Kiwanis club delegates at the 1924 Kiwanis International Convention in Denver, Colorado. Through the decades, they have remained unchanged.

- 1: To give primacy to the human and spiritual rather than to the material values of life.
- 2: To encourage the daily living of the Golden Rule in all human relationships.
- 3: To promote the adoption and the application of higher social, business and professional standards.
- 4: To develop, by precept and example, a more intelligent, aggressive and serviceable citizenship.
- 5: To provide, through Kiwanis clubs, a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service and to build better communities
- 6: To cooperate in creating and maintaining that sound public opinion and high idealism which make possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism and good will.

## Supporting our Community in a Big Way!

Our fundraising activities provide us with the opportunity to make a difference in the lives of many in our community, children in particular. Although we have not been as active due to Covid-19, we still supported a number of wonderful causes. In addition to the funds captured below we also donated 400 food containers and styrofoam coffee cups from our chicken BBQ supply to the Salvation Army in Belleville in response to a Facebook on-line appeal; and six litres of hand sanitizer to a local front-line care-giving organization. Other programs we support on a continuous basis: B.U.G., Terrific Kids and Night Before Kindergarten. Bravo Gang we ROCK!!!

Month 2020	Organization	Amount
January		
February	Tweed Winter Carnival	\$150
	Children's Ice Fishing Derby	\$190
	Tweed Accessible Playground	\$347
	Tweed Minor Softball	\$800
	Tweed District Figure Skating	\$800
	Tweed Minor Hockey	\$800
	St. Carthagh Quebec School Trip	\$500
	Quinte Science Fair	\$500
March	Tweed Food Bank	\$1,200
	Sleeping Children Around the World	\$105
<b>Total Q1</b>		<b>\$5,392</b>

The Salvation Army Food Bank is open on Mondays 1 -3, Wednesdays 10 -12 and 1 - 3. Contact info:

Jay Crewson 613.478.5544

Jay\_Crewson@can.salvationarmy.org

P.O. Box 339, Tweed, ON K0K 3J0.

Food donations can be made at the bin in ValuMart, or pre-arrange drop off at the Salvation Army. You can mail a cheque or donate online at [www.salvationarmy.ca](http://www.salvationarmy.ca) (specify the Tweed location).

The Royal Canadian Legion Tweed Branch 428 has also been doing food drives to support the Food Bank.



Reid Whalen and Martha Kerby accept a cheque on behalf of the grade 8 students at St. Carthagh who will be traveling to Quebec. PP Bob Sills, PP Jim Roulston and S Al McNeil did the honours.



Proudly donating \$2400 to three youth sports groups. \$800 each to Tweed Minor Softball, Tweed Minor Hockey and Tweed District Figure Skating. Right: Brent Seaton presents Early Bird Draw - \$600 Bush Furniture Gift Certificate to Wanda Franks.



The Kiwanis Club of Tweed  
\$13,600.00

2020 - COMMUNITY LOTTERY

No MORE than 500 Tickets will be sold.

There are 110 Cash Prizes

to be drawn over five(5) months in 2020:

February 6<sup>th</sup>, March 5<sup>th</sup>, April 2<sup>nd</sup>, May 7<sup>th</sup>, and June 4<sup>th</sup>.

22 tickets drawn per Month as follows

Ticket Drawn	Amount
1st	\$1,000
2nd	\$500
3 <sup>rd</sup> to 12 <sup>th</sup>	\$75
13 <sup>th</sup> to 22 <sup>nd</sup>	\$25

The total monthly cash value is \$2,500.

Winning tickets will be re-entered in the following month's draw

PLUS

Two "Early Bird" prizes will be drawn on January 2<sup>nd</sup> 2020.

The 1<sup>st</sup> Prize is a \$600.00 Gift Certificate from Bush Furniture.

The 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize is for \$500.00 Cash.

(Tickets for the "Early Bird" Draw must be purchased by December 31, 2019)

All draws will be held at the Land O' Lakes Curling Club, 301 St. Joseph Street,

Tweed ON K0K 3J0 at 7:30 PM

(Tickets cannot be purchased by, for or on behalf of persons under the age of 18 years.)

Tickets are \$50.00 Each

Tickets available from any Kiwanian, Dollar's Drug Store, Bush Furniture,

LOTTERY LICENSE NO: M739076

## PLG Marj Buck Has Been Cookin the Books!!



Looking for some tasty recipes well then you need look no further. PLG Marj Buck as the Tweed Kiwanis club advisor for the St. Carthagh Kiwanis Builders Club, has been working with the 25 youth on creating and selling a recipe book for \$15.00

The school decided to focus on the importance of food for their school wide Lenten project. They wanted to show the impact of daily nutritious meals to students on a community, local and global scale. As a school community they are fundraising on behalf of three very deserving organizations: *Food for Learning* - a school-wide food program that offers nutritious breakfasts each morning to all students, as well as snack bins each day in every classroom. On a local level they will be supporting the *Morningstar Mission* in Napanee - an organization offering routine healthy meals such as hot lunches, hot suppers, food basket programs to those who cannot always reach their full potential. Lastly, globally they will be fundraising for *Zoos Victoria* an organization based in Australia. 100% of the donations to Zoos Victoria goes toward getting food to the animal wildlife population devastated by the recent catastrophic bushfires.

In keeping with the theme of “food” and its importance, they created a “St. Carthagh Cardinals Cookbook.” Funds raised by sales of the cookbook will go towards these three very carefully chosen programs. Cook book sales are likely on hold pending school closures.

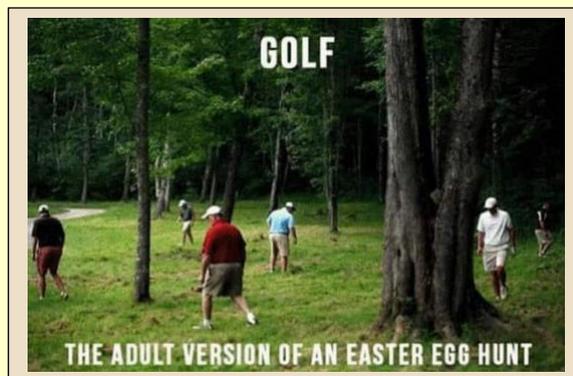
The St. Carthagh Builders Club was chartered by Kiwanis International on November 12, 2019. This is the second project the club has undertaken since being chartered. The first was the

Christmas Sharing program where students collected food and gifts for 10 families in our community.

The Tweed Elementary School also has a Builders club which was chartered three years ago.

## On the Horizon - Schedule of Events: April - July 2020

April 2020	Activity
April 2	3 <sup>rd</sup> Community Lottery Draw - YouTube
April 9	Meals on Wheels – Cancelled for Club
April 9	Board of Directors Meeting
April 12	Easter Sunday
April 25	Kiwanis Trash Bash - Postponed
May 2020	
May 1	Chicken BBQ tickets available for sale – on Hold
May 7	4 <sup>th</sup> Community Lottery Draw
May 14	Meals on Wheels - TBD
May 14	Board of Directors Meeting - TBD
May 18	Victoria Day
June 2020	
June 4	5 <sup>th</sup> & Final Community Lottery Draw
June 11	Meals on Wheels
June 11	Board of Directors Meeting
July 2020	
July 1	Canada Day
July 9	Meals on Wheels
July 9	Board of Directors Meeting
July 16	Chicken BBQ



Hey...We're Famous – Did you Catch our Coverage in the  
“Kiwani Eastern Canada & The Caribbean Newsletter pg.7”



The Kiwanis Club of Tweed and the Municipality of Tweed are excited about their partnership on a significant project to upgrade and add new equipment to the playground in Memorial Park. The plan includes a variety of equipment that specializes in engaging sensory, motor, cognitive and social skills, including spinners, swings, panels, slides, ladders and a zipline. Improvements will be made to general playground equipment, and rubber surfaces will be used in various locations within the playground.

Kiwanian Jim Hanna, who chairs the Playground Committee, says “Every child should be able to access a playground and not have to watch from the sidelines as others play. This playground is designed to do just that – children and others of all ages will be able to come to the park to relax and enjoy the playground on the water in the heart of Tweed.” Mayor Jo-Anne Albert added “The Municipality welcomes the opportunity to work together with Kiwanis on the playground project, which will be a great asset for our residents and visitors. I am confident we will be able to make this project a reality – we have a very generous community”. Kiwanis Club of Tweed President Chris Foran concluded “We are excited as a Club, and for the community, but especially for kids using wheelchairs or other mobility devices”.

The upgraded playground is targeted for completion in 2020/21. A campaign to raise funds for this project, estimated at a cost of approximately \$400,000, was kicked off at the annual Christmas party fundraiser at the home of Kiwanian Don DeGenova and Dr. Charles Mustard. Over \$20,000 was donated that November evening, including \$5,000

contributions from both the Kiwanis Club of Tweed and from DeGenova/Mustard. Since that time, a total of over \$86,000 has been donated or committed by community members, businesses, service clubs and the Municipality to this important project. Most recently, the “Family Feud”, a community group that runs annual hockey and slo-pitch tournaments, made a generous donation of \$5,000. Government and public grant opportunities are being sought, and community groups, businesses, and individuals are invited to support this worthwhile cause. While this special project is underway, the Kiwanis Club of Tweed will continue to fund other community initiatives.

Cheques payable to the ‘Municipality of Tweed’, noting ‘Kiwanis Playground’ in the memo, can be dropped off to the Municipal office at 255 Metcalf St., or mailed to Postal Bag 729, Tweed ON, K0K 3J0. ‘Donation certificates’ are now available for purchase at the Municipal office to make a contribution in any amount in that special someone’s name. All businesses, organizations and individuals who make donations will be acknowledged on signage at the playground, and receive a tax receipt for contributions over \$10. In the case of donation certificates, the recipients name will be included on the signage; the purchaser will receive a tax receipt.



Club members at the November 27 Fundraiser at the annual Christmas party held at the home of Kiwanian Don DeGenova and Dr. Charles Mustard.

Remember to use your phone to take pics for our Newsletter and Facebook posts. Both are important vehicles for promoting Tweed Kiwanis and for developing an historical archive.

## Local Covid-19 Service Operations



UPDATE 1-6  
APRIL 7, 2020

### Essential Services Listing

All information subject to change.  
Please call the number listed for up to date information.

#### BANKING

- **CIBC (613) 478-2145**  
10 am – 4 pm Monday to Friday, 9:30 am – 10 am for seniors: Friday March 27th and Monday March 30th
- **BMO (613) 478-2120**  
10 am – 3 pm Monday to Friday. Appointments still available either in branch during these hours or phone appointments.

#### MAIL

- **Canada Post (613) 478-3327**  
Open 10 am – 4 pm Monday to Friday, 9 am – 12 pm Saturday.

#### HEALTH SERVICES

- **Gateway Community Health Centre (613) 478-1211**  
"The majority of appointments will be rescheduled or conducted via phone, with the exception of urgent, essential appointments (as determined by our providers). If you are unsure about whether your appointment is going ahead as planned, please call our office to confirm. Important information for patients: For more information about the COVID-19 please visit Ontario's Ministry of Health site and Hastings Prince Edward Public Health site."
- **Community Care for Central Hastings (613) 478-2224**  
"We will continue to provide modified services as long as it is safe to do so. Medical Transportation trips are a priority such as dialysis and other serious medical issues. Other trips will be looked at to allow our clients to stay in their homes. Hot & Frozen Meals On Wheels are still being delivered but with a few modifications to make our clients and volunteers safe. Reassurance calls are being made to all our vulnerable clients to make sure they are safe and their needs are met."

- **Tweed Dental Care (613) 478-5000**  
"not open for regular visits but we are available for emergencies"
- **Hastings Prince Edward Public Health (613) 966-5500**  
Questions about COVID-19? Contact Public Health.

#### LAUNDROMAT

- **Magic Suds Laundry**  
8 am – 8 pm Monday - Sunday

#### PHARMACY

- **Dellar's IDA (613) 478-2115**  
9 am - 5:30 pm Monday to Friday, 9 am - 12:00 pm Saturday  
"All services are available from pharmacy and the front shop. The pharmacy has changed its access of care to protect both patients and staff. While we are not allowing anyone from the public into the pharmacy, the pharmacy will remain open to fill prescriptions and provide any front shop items and medications. Our front door will be a pickup point to allow everyone to get what they need. We do suggest that you call ahead in order to give us time to fill your prescriptions and to collect your items, arrange payment and then a time for pick up. We are also implementing a free-of-charge, contactless delivery service for those unable to pick up their medications at the pharmacy."

#### GROCERIES

- **Tweed Valu-mart (613) 478-2014**  
8 am – 7 pm Monday – Friday, 8 am – 6 pm Saturday, 9 am – 6 pm Sunday  
Open from 7 am – 8 am Monday to Friday for seniors and those with disabilities.
- **Palmateer's (613) 478-3801**  
9 am – 5:30 pm Monday – Saturday
- **Enright Cattle Company (613) 478-3404**  
"We have partnered up with 3 other local farmers to offer home delivery of local quality food to keep you and your family well nourished. Currently the package will include our beef, Patchwork Gardens vegetables, Kendal Hills Farm and Drain Poultry Farm eggs. To keep everyone as safe as possible we request that all payments be made online ahead of time and that you leave a cooler on your front step for our delivery driver. Deliveries to Kingston, Bay of Quinte and Tweed area will be on Fridays. Deliveries to Ottawa and surrounding area will be on Tuesdays! Visit our website to place your order! Stay Healthy! [Farmer's Box](#)"

- **Tweed Convenience (613) 478-1584**  
7 am – 11 pm Daily
- **Salvation Army Food Bank (613) 478-3375**  
1 pm – 3 pm Monday, 10:00 am – 12:00 pm & 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm Wednesday  
"We are serving out the front door as the Thrift Store is closed. If you require assistance outside of these hours please call."

#### RESTAURANTS

- **Subway (613) 478-9929**  
9 am – 9 pm.  
"Remote ordering (website or mobile app) is appreciated, take out is still available"
- **Vito's Pizza (613) 478-2616**  
12 pm – 7 pm Sunday – Thursday 12 pm – 8 pm Friday - Saturday  
Open for takeout, contactless home and curbside delivery.
- **Latina's Pizza (613) 478-2222**  
Open for takeout only. Call for hours and to place your order.
- **By the Way Café (613) 478-6336**  
9 am – 1 pm Monday – Friday, 9 am – 12 pm Saturday  
Open for takeout only.
- **Tim Hortons (613) 478-2823**  
Take-out and drive through only.

#### DELIVERY SERVICES

- **9's taxi (613) 921-9999**  
"Running groceries for anyone that unable to get out at this time. Also available for seniors that need to go to the doctors or drug store."

#### TRANSPORTATION

- **Community Care for Central Hastings (613) 478-2224**  
"Medical Transportation trips are a priority such as dialysis and other serious medical issues. Grocery deliver services also available"
- **Central Hastings Support Network in Madoc (613) 473-5255**  
Available for volunteer drives - essential medical trips only, clients need to be registered with us for drives which are approved by their worker.
- **Central Hastings Transit (613) 473-5255**  
On Demand only, call ahead to book your ride.

**Wearing masks or face coverings** <https://www.canada.ca/en/public-health/services/diseases/2019-novel-coronavirus-infection/prevention-risks.html>

Medical masks, including surgical, medical procedure face masks and respirators (like N95 masks), must be kept for health care workers and others providing direct care to COVID-19 patients.

Wearing a non-medical mask or face covering in the community has not been proven to protect the person wearing it. Strict hygiene and public health measures, including frequent hand washing and physical (social) distancing, will reduce your chance of being exposed to the virus.

Wearing a non-medical mask or face covering is an additional measure you can take to protect others around you, even if you have no symptoms. It can be useful for short periods of time, when physical distancing is not possible in public settings such as when grocery shopping or using public transit.

Wearing a non-medical mask or face covering covers your mouth and nose to help prevent your respiratory droplets from contaminating others or landing on surfaces. Just like our recommendation not to cough into your hands (instead, cover your cough with tissues or your sleeve), a mask can reduce the chance that others are coming into contact with your respiratory droplets.

If wearing a non-medical mask or face covering makes you feel safer and stops you from touching your nose and mouth, that is also good. But remember not to touch or rub your eyes.

#### **Homemade cloth face coverings**

Use caution if you intend to wear a [homemade cloth face covering](#). [Instructions for sew and non-sew methods](#) are available.

#### **Safety when wearing non-medical masks**

It is important to understand that **non-medical masks have limitations and need to be used safely.**

Non-medical masks or face coverings should **not** be placed on:

- children under age 2
- anyone who has trouble breathing
- anyone who is unconscious, incapacitated or otherwise unable to remove the mask without assistance

If you choose to use a non-medical mask or face covering:

- you must wash your hands immediately before putting it on and immediately after taking it off (in addition to practising good hand hygiene while wearing it)
- it should fit well (non-gaping)
- you should not share it with others

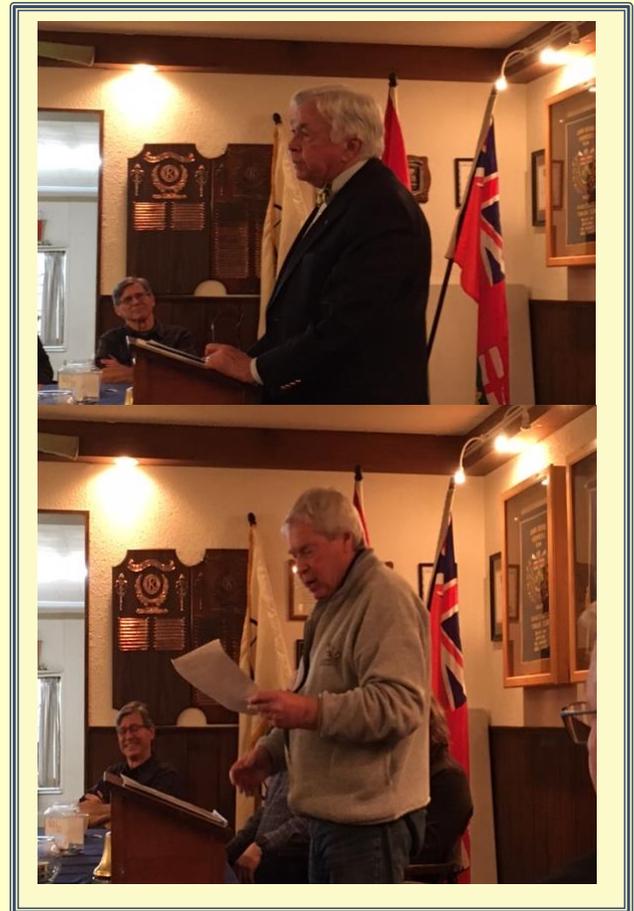
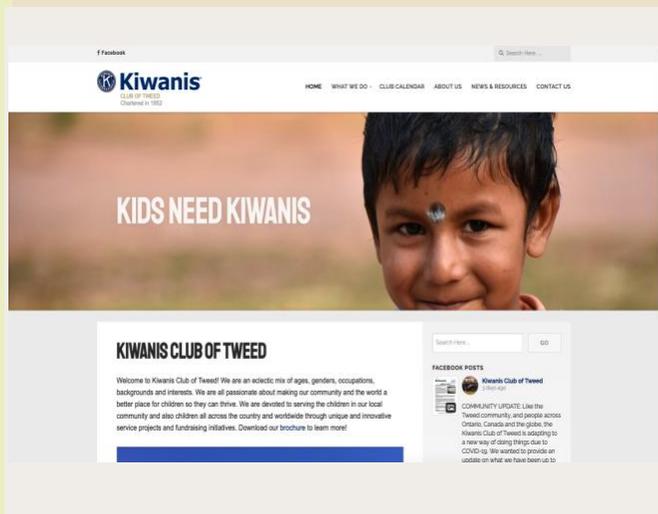
Face masks can become contaminated on the outside, or when touched by your hands. When wearing a mask or face covering, take the following precautions to protect yourself:

- avoid touching it while using it
- change a cloth mask as soon as it gets damp or soiled; put it directly into the washing machine or a bag that can be emptied into the washing machine and then disposed of; cloth masks and face coverings can be laundered with other items using a hot cycle, and then dried thoroughly
- non-medical masks or face coverings that cannot be washed should be discarded and replaced as soon as they get damp, soiled or crumpled; dispose of them properly in a lined garbage bin; do not discard them in shopping carts, on the ground, etc.

## We Now Have a New Website

K Vicki McCulloch has been revamping our website which she officially launched on February 12 2020. She noted she was grateful for the assistance received from Eastern HQ. Nice job Vicki!! Our web address is:

[www.tweedkiwanis.ca](http://www.tweedkiwanis.ca)



*A great big thank you to PP Bill Summers who after many years chairing the Pavilion Committee turned control over to PP Peter McConnell and K Dean Walsh....or so they think!!!*

*Also shown PPs Bob Sills & Fred Albert, and Ks Gary Gorr, Adam Woolfrey and Don Martin*

On January 23<sup>rd</sup> we hosted a special guest speaker with roots in the Tweed area. Ray LeSage introduced his cousin, Patrick Lesage, with an entertaining bio of his career from gas delivery truck driver at the family business - Lesage Fuels - through to Chief Justice of the Ontario Superior Court of Justice. Justice Lesage spoke of his university days, going to law school, becoming an assistant crown attorney, to being in charge of all Ontario Crown attorneys, before becoming a judge and then Chief Justice.

He was very gracious in congratulating Tweed Kiwanis for all we do for our community. Learn more about his storied career:

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Patrick\\_LeSage](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Patrick_LeSage)

## Kiwanis Accessible Playground Update

The Accessible Playground Committee Chaired by PP Jim Hannah with P Chris Foran, PLG Marj Buck, PP Fred Albert, PP Jim Roulston, S Al McNeil, K Vicki McCulloch, K Don DeGenova and Rachelle Hardesty from the Municipality of Tweed as members. We have completed funding applications with the Federal/Provincial ICIP program; Parrott Foundation, Walmart, Canada Post and AON. The project has an estimated cost of \$400K and to date we have raised \$36.9K plus a commitment of \$50K from the Municipality. We also created donor thank you cards.

Festival of Trees \$5K donation: Barb Gunning, P Chris Foran, PP Fred Albert and S Al McNeil.



On March 12, 2020 Ed Hunt and Mo Gunning made a presentation to the Club about the history and community giving activities of the 'Family Feud' sports tournaments. The first 'Feud' was held 36 years ago involving six local hockey families. Recently, the Family Feud generously donated \$5,000 to the Club's Accessible Playground Project. We thank the Feud organizers and all the families for making our community a better place to live! We presented Ed and Mo with certificates of appreciation for the Feud's hard work.

Committee	Chairperson
Alzheimer's Walk	Chris Foran, Jim Hannah
Audit/Financial Review	Adam Woolfrey
B.U.G., Builders Club, Terrific Kids, Key Leader, Literacy Partnership	Marj Buck, Al McNeil
Bonspiel	Larry King
Chicken BBQ	Bill Summers
Christmas Kettles	Randy Kline
Christmas Party	Peter & Janice McConnell
Communications & Advertising	Don DeGenova, Vicki McCulloch
Executive Nominations	Past President
Festival of Trees	Jim Roulston
Interclubs	Bob Sills
Keep Kids Warm	Chris Foran
Lottery	Janice McConnell
Meals on Wheels	David Cronhielm
Member's BBQ	Bill Summers, Jack Robinson
Membership	Peter McConnell, Marj Buck
Membership List	Don DeGenova
Nevada	Janice McConnell
Newsletter	Don DeGenova
Pancake Breakfast	Larry King
Parades	Larry Cook
Pavilion	Peter McConnell, Dean Walsh
Playground	Jim Hanna, Fred Albert
Speakers	David Cronhielm
Trash Bash	Dean Walsh



At our February 20<sup>th</sup> meeting, Centennial students Maggie Bateman and Jaequin Christian shared their speeches in advance of moving to the next levels of regional public speaking competitions. Maggie spoke about the hazards of vaping, while Jaequin shared her story of dealing with anxiety.



### KIWANIS CLUB OF TWEED ACCESSIBLE PLAYGROUND DONATION CERTIFICATES

Donation certificates are now available at the Municipality of Tweed office. You may purchase a donation for someone and in return you will receive a tax receipt and they will receive recognition on a plaque that will be located at the accessible playground. You may also call 613-478-2535 for more information.



### KIWANIS CLUB OF TWEED COMMUNITY BREAKFAST & BAKE SALE

LAND O' LAKES CURLING CLUB  
SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 2020  
9 AM to NOON



COME JOIN US FOR A GREAT BREAKFAST!  
EGGS, SAUSAGE, BROWN BEANS, PANCAKES WITH REAL  
MAPLE SYRUP, JUICE, TEA AND COFFEE

Adults - \$10

Children under 12 - \$5

TAKE HOME SOME YUMMY BAKED GOODS!

 Keep an eye on our Facebook page @kiwaniscluboftweed for more details!



**Stoco Lake Kids Pan Fish ICE FISHING Tournament**  
February 8, 2020  
50 Kids - \$10 each

**Prizes**  
1st Place - \$100  
Sponsored By Kiwanis Club of Tweed  
2nd Place - \$90  
Sponsored By Kiwanis Club of Tweed  
3rd Place - \$80  
4th Place - \$70  
5th Place - \$60  
6th Place - \$50  
7th Place - \$40  
8th Place - \$30  
9th Place - \$20  
10th Place - \$10

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Therapist: Your wife says you never buy her flowers is that true?

Him: To be honest, I never knew she sold flowers.



Did you know that as a Club we had 775 volunteer hours in Q1 2020?