The Tweed Kiwanian Quarterly Newsletter

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It's Been a Lot of Firsts for Our Club

This last quarter has seen our Kiwanis Club do so many awesome things including a number of firsts. Our September Community Activity Fair brought organizations and residents across the municipality together at the Kiwanis Pavilion. An opportunity to share information and recruit potential volunteers. More on the event's success is captured on page 6.

Another first for our Club and the Municipality was the installation of a Disc Golf Course at the community's recreational area. Fellow Kiwanians and volunteers turned out to dig holes, install posts and nets and layout a 9-hole course. Another great free activity for families, children and even those with a bit of a competitive streak. More on this initiative can be found on page 7.

On August 18th we hosted a **Sold Out** Chicken BBQ. This event has become so popular that we sell out well in advance. Although product prices have increased, we elected to not change the price of our dinners in a show of support for those who may be struggling. Again we are grateful to all the members who come out and give of their time to making this event so successful and that includes the many Friends of Kiwanis who always lend a helping hand. Page 2 captures all the action

Chickens are Flocking to Tweed! Kiwanis Chicken Barbecue 2022 Another Sold Out Success!!



Dean Walsh and PP Bruce Bateman joined by many others tending to the racks of simmering half chicken BBQ. Thank you to the Friends of Kiwanis for lending a helping hand!



Far right we find PP Larry King with hose at the ready.



K Michael York, VP Janice McConnell & PP Chris Foran sitting on their laurels while everyone around them is busting their butt. Okay they are taking tickets and calling the orders in as the cars arrive...crucial to a smooth running operation!



Fellow Kiwanians on the packaging line...what an awesome Team! Okay ...so this is the group I work with! Perhaps I am a little biased.

Note from the Editor:

Fellow Kiwanians, if you have a story you would like covered then give me a buzz or submit your article as a guest reporter. Our next deadline for all submissions is December 21. PF Don DeGenova

Remember to use your phone/camera to take pics for our Newsletter and Facebook posts. Both are important vehicles for promoting Tweed Kiwanis and for developing an historical archive. Thanks to all those capturing all the action and reactions!

PP Dave Cronhielm On Why I am a Kiwanian

PP Dave Cronhielm and his best friend/wife Carol love to travel having visited 59 countries in their 56 years together. Their favourite destination is South America.

Dave was born in November 1942 in Brantford Ontario. His father was a United Church Minister and his mother was a nurse. He has one sister. The family moved around a lot living primarily in rural communities. Dave fondly reflects on those days working in farmer's fields and loving the wide open spaces of rural country living. His father passed away in 1982 and his mother in 1998.

PP Dave attended Queens University in 1961 studying mathematics and philosophy. He also spent a brief stint in the military. In 1965/66 he attended Toronto Teacher's College and after graduating dived right into what was a most rewarding career. He spent his first nine years with the Toronto School Board. It was at this time that he met Carol, also a teacher. In 1967 they got hitched and have now been married for 55 years. They have two children, a daughter Karin now living in Burlington and a son Mathew living in Belleville. They also have two wonderful grandchildren.

After his nine years with the Toronto Board, PP Dave took on a two year secondment with Sir James Witney School for the Deaf (formerly the Ontario School for the Deaf). Upon completing that assignment, Dave moved to the Scarborough Board where he taught for 22 years. He found this part of his career the most rewarding working with special education students. Dave notes that these were often children who had a run in with the courts and had a hard life. He loved working with them in an effort to turn their loves around. Dave reflects: "They were good kids. They just got in with the wrong crowd."

Dave loved teaching math so much so that he moonlighted writing math text books. Dave retired after 33 years of teaching.

Dave and Carol bought their current Tweed home in 1990 while they were both still working. Their plan was to retire here and they did so in 2000. Dave wanted to get back to his country roots and the Municipality of Tweed brought back wonderful memories.

In 1999 Dave started reaching out in the community for opportunities to meet people. They both joined St. Andrew's Church and Carol joined Beta Sigma Phi Sorority. K Chris Forbes recruited Dave to join the Tweed Kiwanis Club. Chris was actually a former principal at one of Dave's schools. In didn't take PP Dave long to become actively engaged as a club member serving as president in 2003 and 2010. Dave was also on the original Pavilion Committee, editor of the club newsletter for 10 years and was a member of the Meals on Wheels Kiwanis/ Community Care Program for 20 years. Wow...it was a luck day for Tweed when Dave and Carol decided to make our community their new home.

PP Dave loves the social side of the club. "It gets me out" he notes. And then Covid hit and the outings stopped. Dave is now a happy camper since we are back to meeting in person. Dave loves Kiwanis because "we are needed and we perform a very necessary function which is providing opportunities for all children. Our club has done some amazing things."



PP Dave and Carol Cronhielm on one of their trips to South America.



PP Bob Sills, PP Dave Cronhielm, PLG Marj Buck & PP/T Jim Roulston presenting \$1200 to Tweed Food Bank!



Just the kids having some fun: PP Fred Albert, PP Jim Hanna, VP Janice McConnell & PP Peter McConnell at the Kiwanis Accessible Playground.



Our New Accessible Playground Signage Looks Amazing!

Supporting our Community!

Our fundraising activities provide us with the opportunity to make a difference in the lives of many in our community, children in particular. So far in 2022 **\$37786!**

Organization	Amount
Kiwanis Foundation	\$1,000
BC Disaster Relief	\$500
Land O'Lakes Curling Club	\$500
Three Oaks Foundation	\$500
Accessible Playground (Pronk Signage)	\$2,250
Total Q1	\$4,750
Disc Golf Installation	\$3,051
Don Brown Curling Award	\$600
Tweed Elementary School Bursary	\$150
Tweed Elementary School Literacy Partnership	\$2,000
Tweed Elementary School Leadership Camp	\$800
St. Carthagh School Literacy Partnership	\$2,000
St. Carthagh School Bursary	\$150
Kiwanis Foundation Scholarship	\$2,000
Ukranian Family Sponsorship	\$500
Queensborough Hall Restoration Project	\$1,000
Queensborough Youth Summer Program	\$500
Pronk Canada (Accessible Playground Signage)	\$5,085
Tweed Heritage Centre	\$500
Tweed Food Bank	\$1,200
Erin Palmateer Pool	\$500
Gateway Community Health Center - Jazz Band	\$1,000
Gateway Community Health Center - Swim Program	\$1,000
Central Hastings School Scholarship	\$1,500
Kiwanis/Staples Scholarship	\$5,000
St Theresa Catholic Seondary School Scholarship	\$1,500
Prince Edward Hastings Alzheimer Society	\$500
Total Q2	\$30,536
Belleville General Hospital Foundation	\$500
Tweed & Company Theatre	\$1,000
Team Rubicon	\$500
Land O'Lakes Curling Club	\$500
Q3 Total	\$2,500
Q1-Q3 Total	\$37,786

Other programs we support include: B.U.G. and Terrific Kids

PP Peter McConnell presenting \$500 to Belleville General Hospital Foundation Executive Director Steve Cooke.



Fellow Kiwanians fighting over a steak at one of our summer club barbecues!! Thank you PP Jack Robinson for puling the BBQ's together.



\$1000 donation to Tweed & Company Theatre's Youth Program. L-R: K Vicki McCulloch, PP Peter McConnell, Emily Mewett (General Manager), Tim Porter (Artistic Director) & PE Don DeGenova.



Our First Ever Community Activity

Thank you to our Membership Committee PP Peter McConnell, PLG Marj Buck, K Michael York, PP Leo Fobert, PP Gerry Feeney & K Larry Cook for organizing this amazing event at the Kiwanis Pavilion on September 10, 2022.

The idea came from K Michael York who was involved with a similar event in a former community. It was a wonderful way to bring all organizations seeking volunteers together under one roof. An invitation was extended to all residents to come and meet with the various groups and to find out about their community events, what they do and the volunteer needs they have. No decisions to join were required that day. Just take the information home and think about which might be the best fit for you.

25 organizations participated!:

• Army Cadets; Foundations Youth Centre; Heart of Hastings Hospice; Kiwanis Club of Tweed; Land o' Lakes Curling Club; Little Learners of Tweed; Municipality of Tweed; Quinte Field Naturalists; Quinte Society for Chamber Music; St. Andrews Presbyterian Church; Tweed & Area Arts Council; Tweed & Area Chamber of Commerce; Tweed & Area Historical Society; Tweed & Company Theatre; Tweed Hungerford Agricultural Society; Tweed Horticultural Society; Tweed Lions Club; Tweed Music Festivals Inc./Tweed Elvis Festival; Tweed Public Library; Basket Weaving; Exercise classes; Pickleball; Shuffleboard; Square Dancing.

All agreed that this will become an annual event! Another great initiative brought to you by Kiwanis.







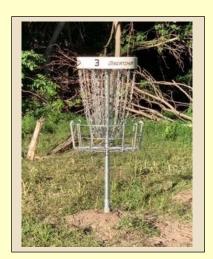
Top: K Michael York & PP Peter McConnell staffing the Kiwanis table. A hub of activity captured in the other two pictures.



Thank you PLG Al McNeil for bringing the concept to our Club, for rallying support from the Municipality and pulling together a group of Kiwanians, residents and even a Municipal Councillor to get it up and running. Let the discs fly!!

The Latest in Family Fun - Frisbee Disc Golf Another exciting activity brought to you by Tweed Kiwanis!







The Net



Boys and their toys! PP Jim Hanna on his tractor digging holes along with PP Terry Dellar.

R: PP Michael Cassidy keeping an eye on the volunteers, no doubt providing sage advice on how to dig a hole!





- Our Canada Day Team Captain K Larry Cook getting ready to lead the troops.
- 2. PP Bill Summers explaining the logistics of how to walk in a Canada Day Parade.
- 3. Our future enjoying the Canada Day Parade!! No wonder we like supporting our youth!!

On the Horizon!

October 31 Halloween – Trunk of Treat at Tweed Memorial Park

November 2 – Curling Club Spaghetti Dinner

November 11 – Remembrance Day

November 20 – Sean McCann at the MAC

November 24 – Tweed Community Dinner

November 25 – Tweed Agricultural Christmas

Decorating

November 26 – Tweed Kiwanis Christmas Party

December 2-4 – Festival of Trees

December 3 – Santa Claus Parade

December 6-10 - Tweed & Company presents the

Cinder-Ellie Panto

December 22 – The Fitzgeralds at the MAC

December 25 – Christmas Day

Safe Seniors Wellness Exchange at Tweed Hungerford Agricultural Building – October 26; November 2 & 23; December 7, 14 & 21

Tweed Oil Kings: October 1, 15, 22, 29; November 12, 19, 26; December 18.

Kiwanis Lottery Tickets now on sale!!



Tweed Kiwanis Board 2022		
President	Paul Kite	
President Elect	Don DeGenova	
Vice President	Janice McConnell	
Treasurer	Jim Roulston	
Secretary	Al McNeil	
Directors	PP Terry Dellar, PP Bill Summers, PP	
	Chris Foran, PP Larry King, PP Bruce	
	Bateman, Michael York	
Past President	Michael Cassidy	

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.



Club Information Page

Did you know that as a Club we had 1168 volunteer hours in Q1-Q3 widly surpassing the 753 volunteer hours we had in 2021!!

Kiwanis Program Committees	Chairperson
Audit/Financial Review	Adam Woolfrey
B.U.G., Builders Club, Terrific Kids, Key Leader, Literacy Partnership	Al McNeil
Electronic Communications (Facebook, Website etc.)	Vicki McCulloch
Executive Nominations	Past President
Interclubs	Bob Sills
Lottery	Al McNeil
Meals on Wheels	David Cronhielm
Membership	Peter McConnell
Membership List	Don DeGenova
Nevada	Janice McConnell
Newsletter	Don DeGenova
Pavilion	Peter McConnell
Playground	Jim Hanna Fred Albert
Speakers	David Cronhielm
Kiwanis Event Committees	Chairperson
Bonspiel	Larry King
Chicken BBQ	Chris Foran
	Bruce Bateman
Christmas Kettles	Randy Kline
Christmas Party	Peter & Janice
	McConnell
Festival of Trees	Jim Roulston
Member's BBQ	Jack Robinson
Pancake Breakfast	Jim Pedersen
Parades	Larry Cook
Trash Bash	Jim Pedersen

PP Randy & Jane Kline taking in the Kiwanis Canada Day Float.







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- 1. PP/T Jim Roulston grateful for the experience of assembling Ikea furniture as he helps out with the Disc Golf installation.
- 2. Another tasty sold out Chicken BBQ.
- 3. Grateful to Team Rubicon and all the work they did to help our neighbours impacted by the July tornado. We donated \$500 in support of their efforts.
- 4. Our new Accessible Playground sign. Thank you Jos Pronk..signage is amazing!
- The Woolfrey lads eagerly showing their Tim Horton's Smile Cookies. Looks like someone has already had a bite. Thank you Tim Hortons for your continued support of the youth in our community.

Listen to speakers share safety tips while you enjoy refreshments in a social setting.

Tweed Hungerford Agricultural Society 297 St Joseph Street, Tweed 9:30am - 11:30am

> **Functional Fitness** with Jane Fraser RN

Oct 12

Emergency Preparedness with Canadian Red Cross

Oct 19

Smoke and CO Alarms with Stirling-Rawdon Fire Dept. Oct 26

Diabetes & Exercise

Nadine Campeau RD

Nov 2

eniors Against Financial Exploitation Danielle Holbrough LLB (CALC)

Falls Prevention

Nov 9

Skye Schwieg, Kinesiologist

Nov 16

Safe Driving / Winter Driving Barbra Hunter, OPP

Nov 23

Protect Yourself from Fraud Nathan Conover-Arthurs

Dec 7

Elder Abuse Prevention

Holiday Tips & Fellowship

Dec 14

Dec 21

Registration Required

Call Gateway Community Health Centre 613-478-1906 ext. 230 or



P Paul Kite, PLG/S Al McNeil and PLG Marj Buck working with the United Way on their School Backpack Program. We donated many supplies.

COMMUNITY ACTIVITY FAIR

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

SATURDAY SEPTEMBER 9, 2023 11 A.M. TO 3 P.M.

KIWANIS PAVILION, MEMORIAL PARK



The 2022 event was a great success so we are doing it again in 2023!

Is your organization interested in recruiting members /volunteers, or letting the community know more about what you do?

Do you offer arts & crafts, exercise, or sports and recreation programs / activities?

Are you a community member who would like to learn more about local organizations and activities, and how you might get involved?

> This event is for you! Free admission!

For information contact:

Peter McConnell 613.478.3973 / petermcconnell42@hotmail.com

Michael York at 613.806.5160 / mikewyork@hotmail.com

Brought to you by the







Tickets \$50 iwanis members, Dellar's IDA Drug Store, the Tweed News, Quinn's of Tweed Fine Art Gallery

110 Cash Prizes Drawn Over 5 Months: February 2, March 2, April 6, May 4, June 1





Ticket Drawn	Amount
1st	\$1000
2nd	\$500
3rd to 12th	\$75
13th to 22nd	\$25

Maximum 500 tickets sold Winning tickets re-entered in next draw \$13,600 in prizes, \$2,500/month

Two 'Early Bird' prizes drawn January 5: must be purchased by Dec. 31 to

•1st Prize: \$600 gift certificate Bush Furniture

·2nd Prize: \$500 cash

Proceeds support local youth initiatives and other community projects *Tickets can not be purchased by / for /on behalf of persons under 18 years of age

