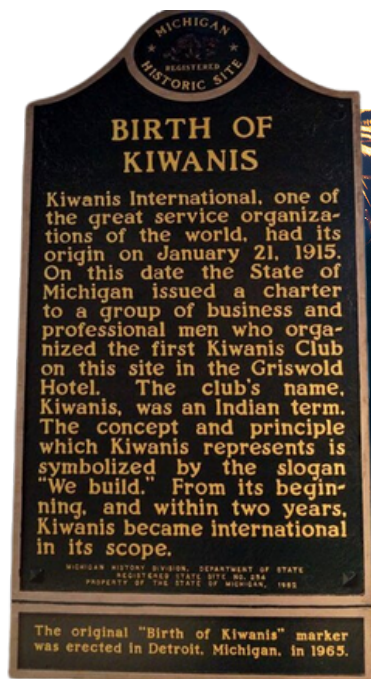




## MICHIGAN DISTRICT OF KIWANIS

Serving the Children of the World



Greetings Kiwanians,

You are cordially invited to celebrate the founding of Kiwanis, as we commemorate the 110th Anniversary of our service organization. The celebration will take place on January 25, 2025 at the Historic Ford Piquette Museum. The discounted cost of the ticket is \$90.00 if purchased by December 31 and \$110.00 after January 1st, a percentage of the ticket price is a donation (\$40.00) to the Ford Piquette Museum 501(c)3 and can be tax deductible (please contact your tax advisor). For example: if your club decides to purchase a table for \$720.00, \$320.00 will be tax deductible or can be paid from your club's charity account.

**9:00 am - 10:00 am registration**  
**10:00 am - 12:30 pm service projects, tour of the museum**  
**12:30 pm - Hot Buffet lunch**  
**1:30 pm - Afternoon program**

Please visit [Kiwanis No1 110th Anniversary Celebration](#) for more information and to register online.

Any questions, contact Marcia Ford Mford1238@gmail.com or Linda-Ann Heldt lindaannkus@gmail.com

Yours in Service,  
Kiwanis 110th Anniversary Committee

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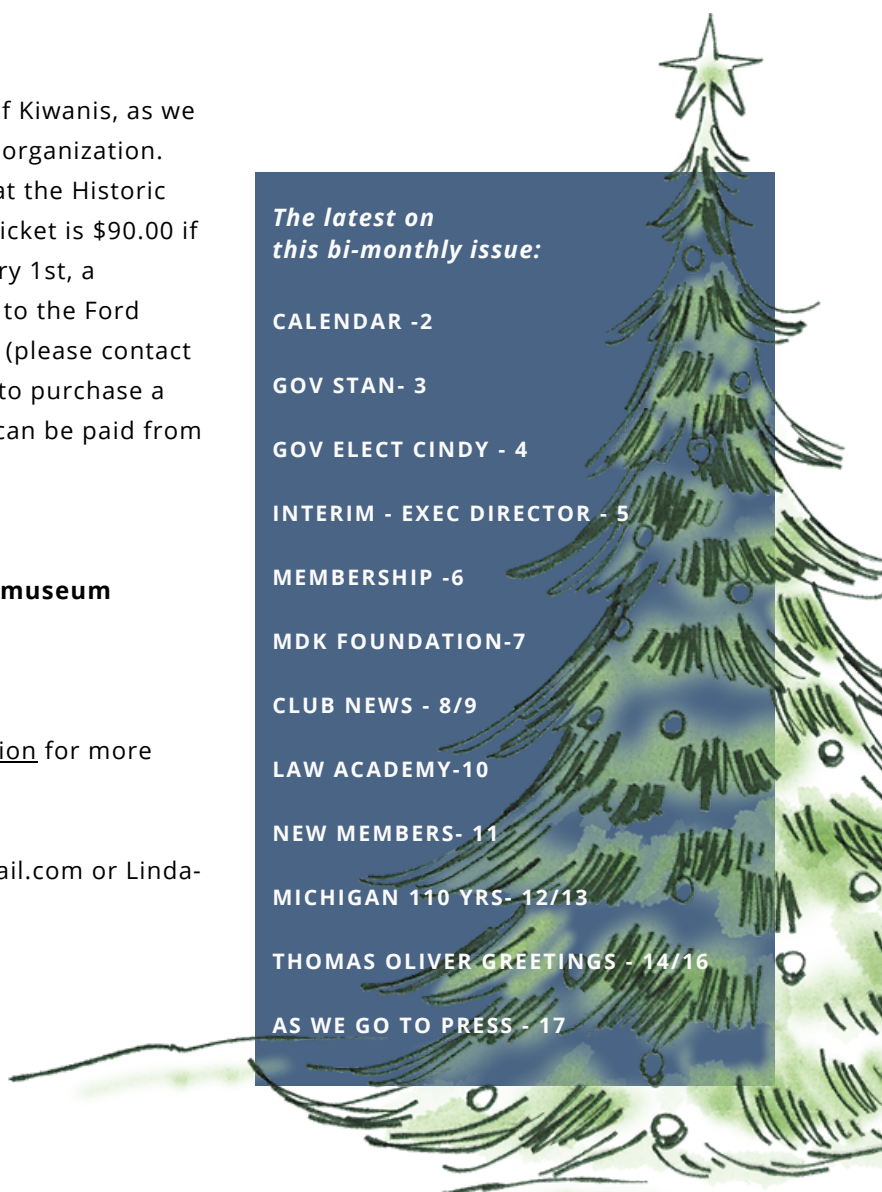
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## December

- 1 CKI Dues deadline
- 4 Great Lakes Conference  
1st planning Meeting - Kalamazoo
- 24-27 **CHRISTMAS - District Office Closed**
- 31 Tax Deductible Year-End Gifts to  
KCF/KMF/MDK District Office

## January

- 1 **NEW YEARS - District Office Closed**
- 10-11 Governor Training
- 25 KMF Board Meeting - Zoom
- 25 Kiwanis 110th Anniversary Celebration

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## *Reflections by the Governor*

BY STAN NELSON, GOVERNOR 2024-25

### SEASON'S GREETINGS

This is the time of the year that many of us reflect on the personal contributions that we have made this past year. Such topics as faith, family, friends, and our community come to mind as we reflect.

Now, a new year is upon us. It's time to 'enhance' those subjects that I just mentioned. Just one extra minute of volunteering; just an extra gesture of appreciation; just getting more involved – these are all examples of what most Kiwanians strive to do! For that – I say **Thank You!**

As we look forward, we need to remain strong, active, and increase our service to our respective communities. To accomplish this, we must retain and grow our club membership.

Membership is more than a number. Think of what you love most about your club. Members make that happen. Serving children. Enjoying fellowship. Connecting with your community. Only a strong and healthy membership can allow a Kiwanis club to fulfill your reasons for being an active member.

Every Kiwanis club within the Michigan District belongs to a small group that are labeled as Divisions. Every Division should have a Lieutenant Governor that has been elected to represent you, give guidance, and assist where practical.

The following 'talking points' could be a way of getting your Lieutenant Governor and club membership engaged to retain and grow your club.

- Nothing attracts new members like a happy member.
- Communities need Kiwanis and Kiwanis needs communities.
- Use public awareness (ie newspaper, radio) to make sure that your community knows that you do a lot for them.
- With more marketing and branding, more people will know about your club and may want to get involved and join.
- Kiwanis International has developed membership materials that are available to you. Ask your Lieutenant Governor about getting a Power Point program, or other aids that you can use within your club meetings.
- The members' love for their club and community is what keeps a club strong. Your District and Division is only as strong as our members.



Our District always could use new senior leadership as we go forward. In a couple of months, we will be asking for qualified Kiwanians to submit their intention to be a Governor-Elect candidate next fiscal year. The District office will be waiting for your submission. The more we receive, the 'healthier' our campaign process will be.



## **WE STILL HAVE WORK TO DO!**



## *Conquering Mountains*

BY CYNTHIA GREENING, GOVERNOR-ELECT 2024-25

In October, we were introduced to our 2024-25 Kiwanis Goals by International President, Lee Kuan Yong: to build 425 new clubs and recruit 30,000 new members. At first glance these are some daunting, mountain-sized goals. But with 7,000 clubs and 170,000 members around the world, these goals can be achieved.

Author Alysian Kieda recently shared, “You may have seen or heard some variation of the saying, ‘If you want to go fast, go alone. But if you want to go far, go together.’ But is there any solid research that these words are not just lovely, but true? Yes! In fact, one such study by British and American researchers demonstrated that people estimated the size of mountains as significantly smaller if they were standing with someone else as opposed to when standing alone.”

We’ve been talking about connecting and collaborating – with members and other Kiwanis clubs and service organizations – as we focus this year on Build–Nurture–Retain. Have you made any good connections lately? Are you out and about in your community, networking and introducing your Kiwanis club to others? Are your club members inviting people to your events? Do you have a membership director and team? Is recruiting a focus on your agendas for discussion and to remind members that we are all on the membership team?

If your club is doing a great job with bringing in new members, tell me your success story so that whatever you’re doing right can be shared. Do you have a focused membership director/team? Are all or most of your members engaged in some kind of recruiting effort? Are you using the Kiwanis ACE tools? Are you utilizing invitations to your service projects? Whatever it is, inquiring minds want to know!

The District Membership Team is in full swing and available to help, advise, coach – whatever you need. It bears repeating that each Kiwanis club is part of a larger community and there’s a lot of support offered by both the Michigan District and Kiwanis International. Take a little time to poke around the KI website: <https://www.kiwanis.org/>. There you will find everything from our history, mission, and current facts; to our global causes (Health and nutrition, Education and literacy, and Youth leadership development); and more.

Also, there’s a wealth of information on our District website: <https://k12.site.kiwanis.org/> on Service Leadership Programs, Foundations, upcoming events, and a ton of resources.

**The Kiwanis Vision:** Kiwanis will be a positive influence in communities worldwide — so that one day, all children will wake up in communities that believe in them, nurture them and provide the support they need to thrive.

Let’s make sure Kiwanis is here for “that one day.” There’s no mountain or goal that is unattainable if we stand side-by-side and face it together.







## Seasoned Greetings!

BY BEN PROBERT, INTERIM EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

You might notice (hopefully not) that the Michigan Builder has a different look. This edition is being published in house by our own Stacey Nill. We would be remiss, if we didn't take a few minutes to **"Thank"** Julianne Williams and Fountain Communications for the decades of creative support that they have provided our district. Moving the **Michigan Builder** in house was done for no other reason but to save money. Please send any articles (pictures included) or suggestions to the District Office (districtoffice@mikiwanis.org) that you would like to share. We would like to highlight Club or Division service projects, success stories, special events, etc. Our next edition will be out February 1st, 2025.

Shortly, (if not already), your club Leadership will receive the District Directory. We apologize for the delay but unfortunately, many Clubs failed to send in their Election reports to the district office on time.

In addition, with the Leadership change at the Great Lakes Conference, Governor Stan had to reconfirm District Chairpersons. Rather than publish an incomplete or inaccurate directory, we chose to delay.

December 2024, marks the end of the 2024-2025 first quarter and the end of the calendar year. It's a great time to invite others to share in the gifts of Service, Leadership, Fellowship and Fun provided by our Kiwanis Clubs. Also, please take time to remember our Foundations (Children's Fund, The Kiwanis of Michigan Foundation and the MDK Foundation) with your contributions.

Just a reminder, the District Office will be closed December 23rd – 27th. **Happy Holidays to All!**



## the POSSIBILITY PROJECT

### KIDS NEED KIWANIS!

Through the Kiwanis Children's Fund, US\$2.25 addresses the needs of one child. Imagine the possibilities if we raised US\$25 million — enough for Kiwanis clubs and members to serve 10 million children around the world. That's the goal of The Possibility Project. Join the first fundraising campaign that solely supports Kiwanis and the children we serve.

### YOUR CONTRIBUTION COULD MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

- US\$60 can offer a healthy future to 15 children in Honduras by providing critical antiparasitic medicine and vitamins.
- US\$150 can establish a home library for up to 20 children.
- US\$400 can secure non-perishable food, school clothes and school supplies for five children.
- US\$600 can provide tetanus vaccinations and prenatal care to 200 mothers.
- US\$1,000 can provide 6 months of academic tutoring to children with learning challenges.
- US\$1,500 can feed a hungry child breakfast and lunch for a year.
- US\$2,500 can supply Chrome laptops to 10 students for schoolwork throughout the year.

Join us today in supporting the Children's Fund. Go to [Kiwanis.org](http://Kiwanis.org) for more information.

# *Why should you be part of the Michigan Membership Team?*

BY LARRY MEMMER, DISTRICT MEMBERSHIP COORDINATOR

Joining the Kiwanis membership team allows you to contribute to the organization's growth and impact, while also developing key skills, building relationships, and fostering a sense of purpose through service.

## **# 1. Grow the Organization's Impact**

As part of the membership team, you play a vital role in recruiting new members who share a passion for community service. This directly strengthens Kiwanis' ability to serve children and communities by expanding its volunteer base and resources.

## **# 2. Shape the Future of Kiwanis**

Membership teams are responsible for the growth and sustainability of the organization. By helping to bring in new members, you contribute to shaping the future direction of Kiwanis and ensuring it continues to thrive for generations to come.

## **# 3. Develop Leadership and Communication Skills**

Being on the membership team provides valuable opportunities to refine your leadership, communication, and organizational skills. You'll engage in outreach, speak with potential members, and develop strategies for engaging and retaining volunteers—all useful skills that transfer to both personal and professional contexts.

## **# 4. Build Lasting Connections**

You'll have the chance to meet many new people and forming strong relationships with current members and prospective members. This can broaden your network within Kiwanis and beyond, connecting you with individuals who share your passion for service.

## **# 5. Inspire Others to Make a Difference**

As a membership team member, you can inspire others to join and take action in their communities. You'll help people find a sense of purpose in giving back, making a positive impact on their lives and the communities Kiwanis serves.

## **# 6. Contribute to the Growth of Local Communities**

Growing the membership base allows more people to be involved in community projects, ultimately leading to more resources, initiatives, and programs to benefit children and families in need.

## **# 7. Receive Personal Fulfillment**

Helping others find their place in Kiwanis is deeply fulfilling. You'll see the positive ripple effect of your efforts as new members bring fresh energy, ideas, and enthusiasm to projects that make a lasting difference.

**“Joining the Kiwanis membership team allows you to contribute to the organization's growth and impact, while also developing key skills, building relationships, and fostering a sense of purpose through service.”**







# The MDK Foundation:

## *A Different Kind of Foundation*

BY JENNIFER GREEN, MDK FOUNDATION PRESIDENT

Did you know about the MDK Foundation? This innovative 501(c)3 is making waves in the Michigan District of Kiwanis. Unlike traditional foundations, we're not relying on member donations. Instead, we're focused on maximizing the impact of every dollar.

### The mission of the the MDK Foundation is:

The MDK Foundation supports the Michigan District of Kiwanis by positively impacting and supporting the lives of youth in the community.

### The vision of the foundation is:

The MDK Foundation was created to help support an environment where all youth have positive self-esteem, can contribute to society and have the skills to help others do the same. The MDK Foundation supports the Michigan District of Kiwanis by positively impacting and supporting the lives of youth in our community.

In 2021, Greg Smith had a bold vision: to create a foundation that would empower Michigan's youth. The result? The MDK Foundation, a 501(c)3 dedicated to supporting the Kiwanis family of clubs.

Now, we need your help to spread the word. By sharing the MDK Foundation with your groups, family, and friends, you can help us reach more young people and make a lasting impact.

The MDK Foundation is dedicated to supporting the next generation of leaders. We empower youth through initiatives like:

- **Youth Development:** Supporting K Kids, Builders, Key Club, Circle K, and Aktion Clubs.
- **Mental Health Awareness:** Promoting mental health initiatives such as Bryce Buckets and suicide prevention.
- **Leadership and Education:** Funding programs like Key Leader and the Law Enforcement Academy, and supporting SLP conferences.

By investing in these programs, we're creating a brighter future for Michigan's youth.

MDK has already made a significant impact:

- **Law Enforcement Academy:** Sponsoring high school students and recognizing their achievements with challenge coins upon graduation.
- **Suicide Summits:** Empowering middle and high school students with suicide prevention knowledge alongside Embracing Imperfections.

If you think what the MDK Foundation is doing is great things and you would like to donate please visit our website: [www.mimdkfoundation.org](http://www.mimdkfoundation.org) or you can find us on Facebook under the MDK Foundation.



# *KIWANIS CLUB OF WOODHAVEN* *Non-Perishable Food Drive*

BY PAUL ELSEY, KIWANIS CLUB OF WOODHAVEN

Saturday, October 12th, Woodhaven Kiwanians and friends delivered 4.5 tons of food in memory of Ryan Sergent who passed away 27 years ago at High School Cross Country practice. Ryan embraced life and was always helping others. His mission continues on through the Kiwanis Club of Woodhaven meeting the needs of Downriver families facing food insecurity.

Ryan's mother, Evelyn Sergent-Kosowski, spent her whole career, teaching fifth grade at Bates Elementary School. Woodhaven-Brownstown students stepped up and collected food as they always do. This year, students in all eight schools gathered 246 boxes of food. Woodhaven Kiwanians and An Apple for Ryan purchased another \$7,000 worth of food. It amounted to 2 school buses jammed with food to distribute. The Woodhaven High School Hockey team along with other students showed up to haul food.

Our Lady of the Woods in Woodhaven, Faith Lutheran Church in Brownstown, Community Lutheran Church in Flat Rock, St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Trenton, the Downriver Food Pantry in Wyandotte, and the Wyandotte Downriver Salvation Army each received also 1,500 pounds of food. Smaller amounts were delivered to the Woodhaven Senior Citizens pantry, St. Stevens Episcopal Church in Wyandotte and St. James Episcopal Church on Grosse Ile.





# Immediate Past Governor Renea Callery Receives Foundation Award

BY PAUL ELSEY, KIWANIS CLUB OF WOODHAVEN

Not just anyone is asked to handle the installation of Officers for the Kiwanis Club of Woodhaven. Until his death, past Governor Skip Clack, always handled Woodhaven's installation duties. This year, Woodhaven Kiwanians were excited to have Immediate Past Governor Renea fill Skip's shoes.

To thank Renea, Woodhaven Kiwanians presented Immediate Past Governor Renea with Skip Clack Kiwanis Warrior Award.

The award read:

## **A Skip Clack Kiwanis Warrior**

*Stepping up and taking on the difficult and  
sometimes unpopular decision to keep Kiwanis on the road  
to success is a big challenge.*

*Woodhaven Kiwanians appreciate you stepping up!*

*In recognition of your outstanding service to  
our Kiwanis Family, \$500<sup>00</sup> has been donated in your name to  
the perpetual Endowment of the Kiwanis of Michigan Foundation*

*so that hospitalized youngsters of the Michigan District  
of Kiwanis will receive the important, but  
non-reimbursable, services of  
the Child and Family Life Departments.*



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*The Michigan District Hotel is less than a 5-minute walk from the David L. Lawrence Convention Center.*

US\$189 plus tax per night

**Registration is open on KI website – Make plans to attend!**

<https://schedule.kiwanisone.org/KI2025>

# *Michigan State Police - Kiwanis Law Career Academy Celebrates 50 Years!*

WRITTEN BY MARIAN O'HIGGINS, LAW ACADEMY CHAIR

2025 celebrates 50 years that Kiwanis has been partnering with the Michigan State Police to sponsor the Law Academy. The academy was first started in Ann Arbor in 1975 and spread over different locations. For the 50 Year celebration, we would like to send 50 students this year to the Academy. Please consider sending a student or two to the Law Enforcement Police Academy this year. The course is a week long and will be held in Lansing at the State Police Academy in Lansing the week of June 8th.

**DATES: JUNE 8-13, 2025**

**COST: \$595.00**

**APPLICATION REQUIRED.**

**PLEASE CONTACT MARIAN O'HIGGINS  
AT (586) 801-6706 FOR MORE INFORMATION.**

"My experience at the academy was truly life changing. I had no idea what I was getting myself into though. It was an actual boot camp. But it was an Incredible time. They show you that the limits you thought existed can be pushed way beyond what you could imagine. They make a reality out of the statement "If you think you can you will, if you think you can't you're right". And being able to talk to all different departments of the MSP was so interesting. By far though the coolest thing was all the hands on learning you get while there, from driving, shooting, etc. It was such an honor to have been able to go and experience that. Thank you."

**Cassie, Recent Kiwanis Law Enforcement Academy Graduate**



## THE STUDENTS WILL HAVE AN ACTIVE WEEK LEARNING:

- INTRODUCTION TO LAW ENFORCEMENT
- DEFENSIVE TACTICS
- FIRST AID • LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT
- WATER SAFETY • MILITARY DRILL
- CRIME AND FORENSIC SCIENCE
- PATROL TRAINING
- SUBSTANCE ABUSE AWARENESS
- NARCOTIC AND DANGEROUS DRUGS
- SPECIALITY UNITS • K-9
- EMERGENCY SUPPORT
- UNDERWATER RECOVERY



1975 **50 YEARS** 2025



# **WELCOME** *New Members!*

THE MICHIGAN DISTRICT OF KIWANIS  
WELCOMES TO THE KIWANIS FAMILY:

**Allen Park**

Stephen Donahue

**Alpena**

Virginia "Ginny" Roland

**Ann Arbor**

Arthur Levine

Marjorie Levine

**Belleville Area**

Katie Shezko

**Blue Water Area/Port Huron**

Andrew "Andy" St. Coeur

Debbie Koontz

Susan Duda

**Boyne City**

Tammy Raveau

**Brighton**

Ken Schmenk

**Burton**

Joy Peterson

**Charlevoix**

Smantha Johnstone

**Clare**

Charles LoPresti

Lou Rigato

**Clinton Township**

James "Jim" Steiner

**Coldwater**

Heather Condon

Cynthia Gardner

**Cosmopolitan Detroit**

Allan John Armendi

**Delta Township**

Sydney Shafer

**Flint**

Kendall Smith

**Garden City**

Robert "Bob" Fulton

**Gaylord**

Russell "Russ" Kotila

Victoria Dort

Scott Hines

**Haslett-Okemos**

Scott McGaw

**Holly**

Sharon Reisenauer

**Jackson**

Erin Mazur

**Lakeview-Urbandale, Battle Creek**

Susan Rose

**Morenci**

Premier Bank

Thomas "Tom" Clark



**Onsted**

Terry Lerch

**Rogers City**

Courtney Mertz

**Shiawassee-Owosso**

Audrey Salander

**Shorewood**

John Harris

**Sturgis**

Scott Reed

**Tri Cities, Grand Haven-Spring Lake**

Mary Allman

Mary Jane Evink

Penny Mungai

**Utica-Shelby Twp**

Marie Divozzo

**West Branch**

Kathleen Adams

DETROIT KIWANIS NO. 1 CLUB PRESENTS

# KIWANIS

## 110th ANNIVERSARY

January 25, 2025 10am-4pm

**Celebration of serving our communities &  
improving the world one child at a time**

- Speaker: HH Leonard, Author, Rosa Parks Beyond the Bus
- Tour of the Museum
- Service projects
- Catered Hot Buffet Lunch
- **Keynote Speaker:**  
**Kiwanis International President-elect Michael Mulhail**
- Paul Palazzolo Kiwanis International Executive Director
- Other Dignitaries



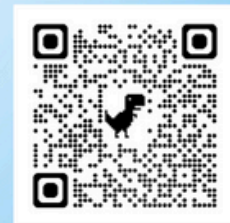
**Ford Piquette Museum**  
**Home of the First Model-T**  
**461 Piquette Ave**  
**Detroit, Mi 48202**

**Registration:**

**November 22-December 31 \$90**

**January 1-January 11 \$110**

**Make Checks out to:**  
**Kiwanis Detroit No. 1 Club**  
**PO Box 354**  
**Washington, MI 48094**



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# *Happy Holidays* from Michigan Kiwanians



## THOMAS OLIVER HOLIDAY GREETINGS

Kiwanians and Clubs listed below have made a contribution to the Oliver Holiday Greeting Program to wish you, your family, and all Michigan Kiwanis Clubs Happy Holidays and to ensure a better Holiday season for hospitalized children around our Michigan District.



### CLUB GREETINGS

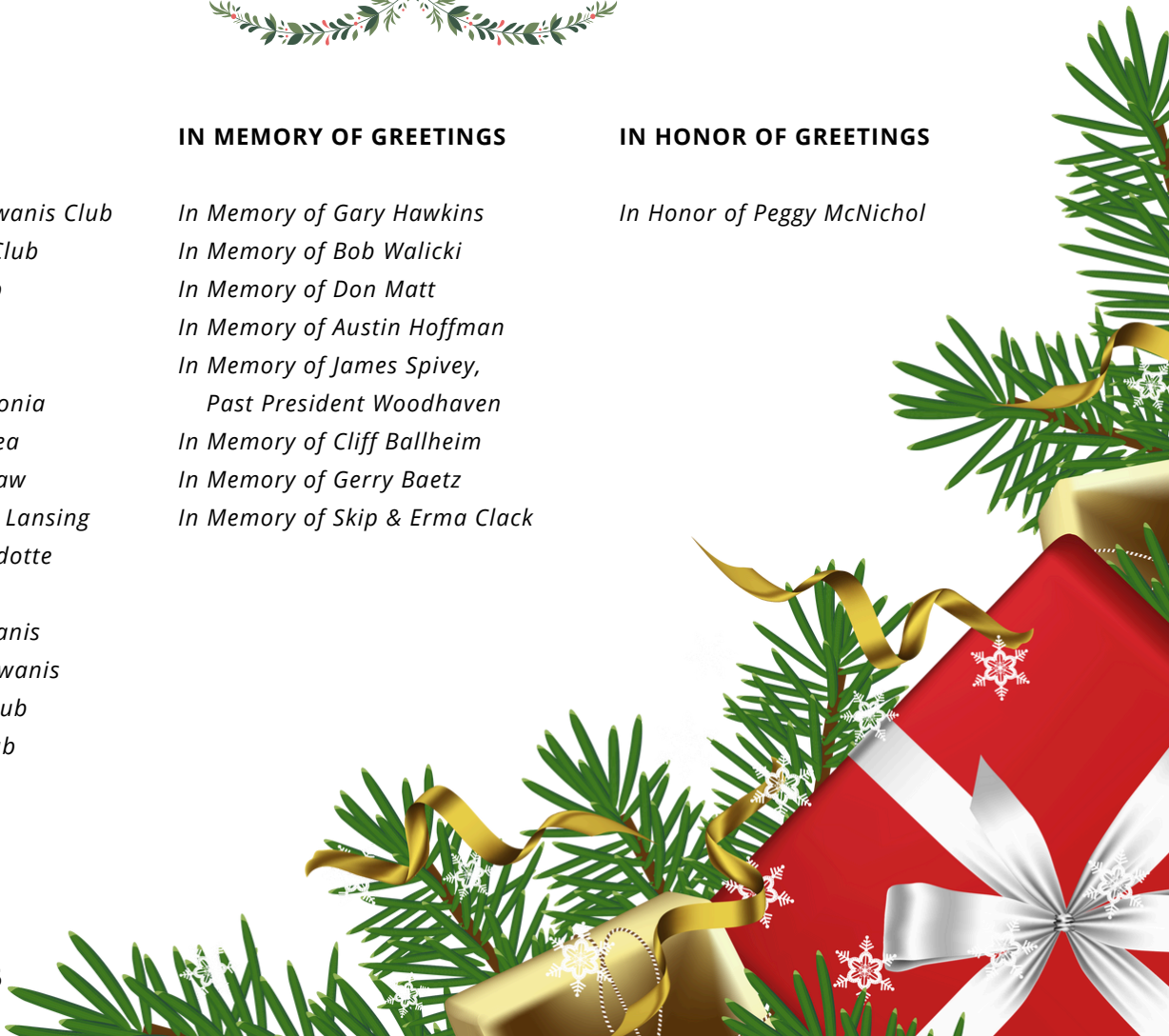
Ann Arbor Western Kiwanis Club  
Battle Creek Kiwanis Club  
Brooklyn Kiwanis Club  
Hillsdale Kiwanis Club  
Jackson Kiwanis Club  
Kiwanis Club of Caledonia  
Kiwanis Club of Chelsea  
Kiwanis Club of Saginaw  
Kiwanis Club of South Lansing  
Kiwanis Club of Wyandotte  
Mendon Kiwanis Club  
Metro North-Troy Kiwanis  
Saginaw Northwest Kiwanis  
Shorewood Kiwanis Club  
Southgate Kiwanis Club

### IN MEMORY OF GREETINGS

In Memory of Gary Hawkins  
In Memory of Bob Walicki  
In Memory of Don Matt  
In Memory of Austin Hoffman  
In Memory of James Spivey,  
Past President Woodhaven  
In Memory of Cliff Ballheim  
In Memory of Gerry Baetz  
In Memory of Skip & Erma Clack

### IN HONOR OF GREETINGS

In Honor of Peggy McNichol





*Happy Holidays  
from Michigan Kiwanians*

**INDIVIDUAL GREETINGS**

**Addison**

Gary & Bev Surratt

**Aktion Club of West Branch**

Violet Wilson, Aktion Gov. Elect

Jake Trout

Jordan Symons

Rose Schmidt

Ronald Moorhouse

Malori McKeeves

Catherine Marsh

Jenna Johnson

Morgan Gehl

John Florian

Bob Buzzie

**Allen Park**

David Babbage, Past Governor '12-'13

Fran Babbage, Past Governor '20-'21

Frank Liberati

David Goodwin, CPCU, DRM

**Alpena**

Judy Greer

Stacie Anderson

Elaine Orr

Dave Weber, Past President

Rocky Roland

Beth Pelkey

Governor Stan & Gerri Nelson

Jan Fusina

**Ann Arbor**

Richard Smit

Dr. Edward J. Manuszak II

Robert H. Gray and Susan M. Smith

**Ann Arbor Western**

Charles Phibbs, Past LTG Div 6

**Belleville/Ypsilanti**

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The Lee Team EXP Realty

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**Boyne City**

Syrina Dawson

**Brooklyn**

Bonnie Bartlett, Lt. Gov Div 11

**Caledonia**

Dee Hudson, Past Governor

**Chelsea**

Ben and Jeri Probert,

Distinguished Governor 2000-01

Mary G. Blashill

Gordon & Margie Schleicher

**Clinton Valley**

Barry Burnham

**Coldwater**

Mark & Janet Ott

**Cosmopolitan Detroit**

Raul Valmeo, President

**Dearborn**

Renea Callery

Peggie Pedenelli, LTG Div 2

**Detroit #1**

Sejla Kulaglic

Marian O'Higgins, Past Governor

Jeanette Harris

**Downriver West**

Cathy & Clif Stone

Al & Angie Cotto

Peter Caldwell

Bill & Debbie Consiglio

Clare McMillan

Pete & Jan Michel

Barb & Bill Duran



## Happy Holidays from Michigan Kiwanians

### INDIVIDUAL GREETINGS, cont.

#### **East Lansing**

Scott Greenlee  
Sue Petrisin

#### **Garden City**

JoAnn Rodriguez  
Past Lt. Gov. Tom Jankowski

#### **Gladwin**

Duane E. Miller, Trustee  
Diana S. Miller, Club Treasurer  
Janice Stewart

#### **Grand Rapids Golden K**

Nels & Jan Haan, Past Governor

#### **Hillsdale**

Wesley & Jackie Wickham, Trustee Div 11

#### **Holt**

Karla Janning, President

#### **Jackson**

Joe and Judy Wolfe

#### **Kalamazoo**

Past Governor Vicki & Paul Okuniewski

#### **Macomb**

Patrick & Sarah Hayden

#### **Metro North-Troy**

Roger & Lydia Palaganas,  
Distinguished Lt. Governors

#### **Monroe**

Ignazio Cuccia

#### **Mt. Pleasant**

David and Mercia Foster

#### **Owosso**

Jim Demis, Lt. Governor Div 18

#### **Riverview**

Darlene & Andrew Swift  
Debbie Apkarian

#### **Rochester**

Chuck Bissell,  
Rochester Kiwanis Club President, Div 7

#### **Saginaw Northwest**

Nancy & Gary Patterson

#### **Saginaw Thomas Twp**

Russ Taylor, Lt. Governor Div 10  
Michael Wenglikowski  
Cynthia Andrews  
Fred Gray, President  
Steven & Debbie Witt  
Terry L. Rock, Secretary

#### **Saline**

Phil Haigh, Divisions 6 & 17  
Mike Raham

#### **Shorewood**

Dr. Carl And Laurie Papa

#### **South Lansing**

Matt Carey, President  
Hugh and Peggy McNichol  
Stacey Nill, District Administrative Secretary  
D. Dennis Dudley  
Past Governor Liz and the Dude

#### **Southgate**

Judy Cock  
Pete Heggie  
Jan Ferencz  
Don Garvin

#### **Swartz Creek**

Past Governor Rosemary Robinson

#### **Utica-Shelby Township**

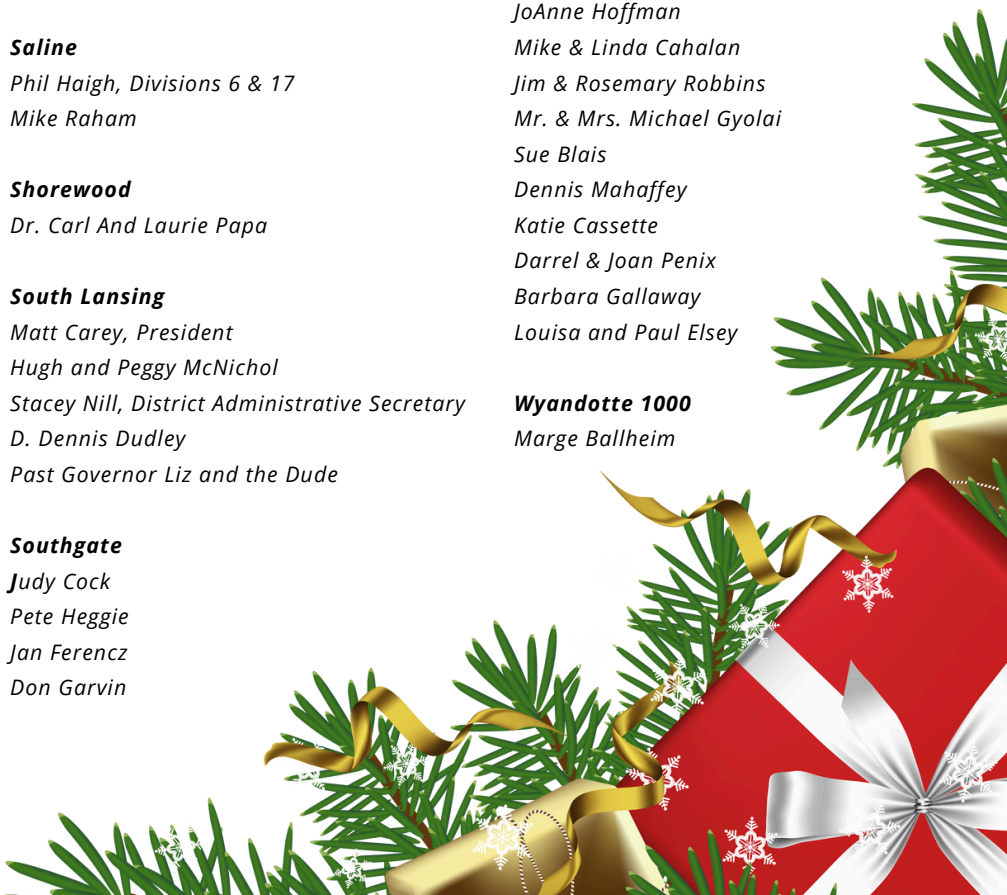
Mark Rabaut  
Greg Smith, Lt. Governor Division 7

#### **West Branch**

Kelly Schleicher  
Denny Shumway, Div 19 Lt. Gov

#### **Woodhaven**

Stella Trunzo  
Barb & Bob McCoy  
Carol Horn  
Jim & Kay Jorgensen  
Bonnie Markiewicz  
Mary Evans  
The Spivey Family  
Mike and Kris Raudio  
Terry Pieper  
JoAnne Hoffman  
Mike & Linda Cahalan  
Jim & Rosemary Robbins  
Mr. & Mrs. Michael Gyalai  
Sue Blais  
Dennis Mahaffey  
Katie Cassette  
Darrel & Joan Penix  
Barbara Galloway  
Louisa and Paul Elsey  
  
**Wyandotte 1000**  
Marge Ballheim





# AS WE GO TO PRESS

Active Clubs: 131  
 Beginning Membership: 3128  
 Reporting Members: 3144  
**Net Gain: +16**

# SLP members

	Clubs	Paid Members
K Kids	7	--
Builders Club	27	--
Key Club	90	1679
Circle K	6	75
Aktion Club	19	54



Michael A. Marxer Dearborn	Mark R. Christiansen Colonial Plymouth
Norman K. Record Dearborn	Gerald A. Humitz Chelsea
Roger W. Postmus Charlevoix	Bruce G. Dryer Holly
M. Catherine McCallum Rogers City	Alan Crocker Mendon
Robert G. McCallum Rogers City	



# 2023-2024 Governor's Membership Trophy

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR OVERALL '23-'24  
**Winners: Ann Arbor.....+28**

Cosmopolitan Detroit.....+14  
 Charlevoix.....+12  
 Delta Township.....+8  
 Coldwater.....+7  
 St. Johns 707.....+6  
 Metro North- Troy.....+5  
 Midland.....+5  
 Brighton.....+5

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Net gain is from 10-1-23 to 9-30-24 and includes clubs only with a least a net gain of +5 based on official membership numbers supplied by Kiwanis International.