

President.....	Dianna Wedincamp
President-Elect.....	Dwight Watt
Immediate Past President.....	Paul Cerpovicz
Secretary.....	Tim Goodman
Treasurer.....	David Gribbin

DIRECTORS

Wanda Ellis Dess Smith Jeffrey Palmer

COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Bylaws / Regulations / Club Education.....	Tim Goodman
Cake / Door Prize Sales.....	David Gribbin
Christmas Project for Pre-K.....	Dianna Wedincamp
Community Youth, Sr. Citizens, and Veterans.....	Wanda Ellis
Fall Festival.....	Paul Cerpovicz
Fall Fundraiser.....	Dess Smith
Finance / Budget.....	Dess Smith, David Gribbin
Herrington Homestead.....	Cheryl Goodman
House.....	Cheryl Goodman
Human / Spiritual Values.....	Bobbie Daughtry
Interclubs.....	Cheryl Goodman
Judge.....	Bobbie Daughtry
Library Cookouts / Events.....	Deana Patrick
Membership Growth.....	All Club Members
Parades.....	Karolina Cerpovicz
Pine Tree Festival Tabloid.....	Tim Goodman, Dess Smith
Pre-K Fun Day.....	Dianna Wedincamp, Deana Patrick
Property/Equipment.....	Dess Smith, Tim Goodman
Public Relations/Facebook/Bulletin/Website.....	Dwight Watt, Dess Smith, DCW
Runs/Resolution Run/Knotty Pine Run.....	Tim Goodman
Service Leadership Programs Circle K.....	Paul Cerpovicz
Spring Fundraiser.....	Jeffrey Palmer
Young Children: Priority One.....	Dianna Wedincamp/All Club Members



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Swainsboro, Georgia

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Kiwanis is Doing Something (KIDS)

“Serving the Children of the World”

THE SWAINSBORO KIWANIAN

July 28, 2026

President Dianna Wedincamp opened the meeting. Dess Smith led the Pledge of Allegiance, and Wanda Ellis gave the opening prayer. We had 9 members present.

The Franklin Memorial Library is winding down for the summer with school beginning next week. They are working on a grant to assist in the Fire Hydrant project.

Dianna noted some upcoming Kiwanis events. On August 1, from 10:00 am until 1:00 pm, the club will be supporting the Emanuel Arts Council with a Back-to-School Art Bash at the Pavilion at the Boneyard as part of Swainboro's Touch-a-Truck Back-to-School Bash. We will be cooking popcorn, doing face painting, presenting the next Little Free Library at Crossing Green, and the 1st Fire Hydrant (Rapunzel) from the hydrant painting project. Art supplies will be available for kids to exercise their artistic talents painting a Little Free Library. To help with the events, please be at the Pavilion at 9:30 am.

During the Art Bash, the winner of the poetry contest will read his/her winning poem. The Kiwanis Club is providing funding for the contest. The Emanuel Arts Council has lined up some musicians who will be playing for the crowd using the sound system the Kiwanis Club donated to them.

Judge Bobbie Daughtry fined Dess Smith for a multitude of pictures in the newspaper and fined herself for being in the picture of the Emanuel County Retired Educators.

Dianna gave a Good News \$1 for her impending trip in October to North Georgia to see the leaves turn red, yellow, and orange. Bobbie Daughtry and Paul and Joelle Cerpovicz gave Good News \$1's for their trips to Branson, Missouri and Iceland.

Tim Goodman reminded everyone we have officer/board installation scheduled for September 15, and the Georgia

District Convention will be on August 14-16 in Peachtree City.

Tim will give us an update on September 1 of any significant changes that were presented at the Convention.

Tim also noted that preliminary plans are being made for a 5K race as part of the Martin Luther King Day events on January 18, 2027. The Kiwanis Club has been asked to time the race. More details will follow.

Dianna Wedincamp announced plans for a new fundraiser in the fall. We dropped the gun raffle and instead added a triple-prize raffle. We will be raffling a box-type deer stand, a gift certificate to Bass Pro Shops, and a gift certificate to Leannas.

Cheryl Goodman won the chocolate cake, and Joelle Cerpovicz won a pizza from Domino's Pizza.

KIWANIS NEWS

August 4	Regular Meeting	Host: Edwin Canady Raffle Item: Dess Smith
August 11	Board Meeting	
August 18	Regular Meeting	Host: Dwight Watt Raffle Item: Wanda Ellis
August 25	Regular Day Meeting	
September 1	Regular Meeting	Host: Tim Goodman Raffle Item: Cheryl Goodman
September 8	Board Meeting	
September 15	Installation Meeting	
September 22	Regular Day Meeting	

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