# Kíwanís Club of Jackson

### "Serving the Children of the World"

Meetings on Friday, 12 noon, Cascades Manor House, Board Meetings 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays, Hunt Club, 12 noon, Club Address: 1203 First St., Jackson, MI 49203, phone (888) 551-9699,

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#### **FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER 2019**



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GOVERNOR LARRY MEMMER Welcome to the cold start of February! January's Chili Golf Event was just that and very true to its name. Dick Hitch and I were in the first group off at 9 am. The sun was shining, and the wind wasn't blowing so it wasn't that bad. It only took 45 minutes for the five of us to play nine. The coffee, donuts, chili and hot dogs were great. Thanks to Bob Johnson and all the volunteers, everything went like clockwork. We had about 120 golfers who braved the cold to make this a successful fundraising event.

Now we are off to the races, "Racing for Dollars" that is, and February 17<sup>th</sup> is fast approaching. Things are going well but the committee could always use more help and more items for the baskets to be auctioned off. Even donating a nice basket or a bottle of wine or booze would help. This supports Saint Luke's Clinic, a very good cause, so let's help in any way we can.

"MEMBERSHIP" We need new members to keep this club strong and continuing our good work. Please ask a friend, co-worker or your company to participate in one of our events to show them what we do, the fun we have doing it and the good it does for our community. The Chamber of Commerce is holding one of their "Off the Clock" networking events on February 27<sup>th</sup> and I have signed us up to be a part of it as another way to get our club presence out there and maybe find a couple of members.

This should be a good month for us. Please take a part to make this a very successful month. The more you do, the more fun you have!

#### LATEST NEWS

#### \*WINE & BOOZE DONATIONS\*

"Racing for Dollars" needs donations of Wine and Booze for our February 17th event. We have always had about 20 bottles of wine (we currently have 10) and 20 bottles of booze (we currently have 8). If you would like to make a monetary donation, the committee will be happy to go shopping. Right now, we have \$100 donated but that doesn't go too far at the liquor store, so whatever help you can offer will be appreciated!! The raffle makes about \$3,500 each year.

Please bring to a Friday Kiwanis meeting or drop off at Joe Wolfe's office.

**Kiwanis Movies –** During Christmas break,1182 attended the Kiwanis Movies at the Michigan Theatre! #KidsNeedKiwanis

**Kiwanis Photos** – Members can now send their current Kiwanis photos to our new, central location at <a href="mailto:info@kiwanisjackson.com">info@kiwanisjackson.com</a>. Photos can be accessed to promote Kiwanis on Facebook, Instagram, email, newsletters, the Kiwanis Newspaper and more. For more information, contact Chandra Howard

**Membership** — February is our membership drive and volunteers are needed to assist Dick Hitch, Membership Chairman, for this important event. Please contact Dick for more information.

**Greeters** – we need volunteers to meet and greet Kiwanis members at Friday meetings. Please contact Mary Anne Seamans to volunteer!

#### The Jackson's Premier Professional Networking Event on February 27, 2019.

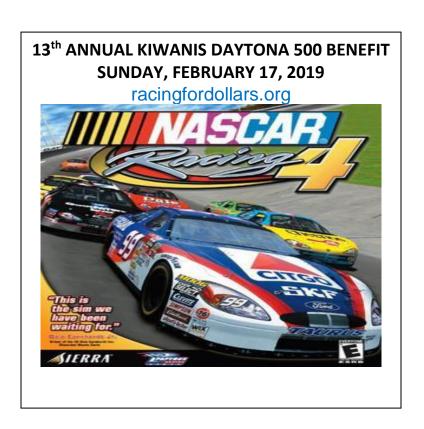
Off the Clock is Jackson's Premier Professional Event in partnership with Chamber members; to promote their businesses and build connections with other business leaders. They are taking the networking experience to another level, with more partner businesses, more music, more food at a unique venue. As a business sponsor, Kiwanis will be included in the event promotion that includes K105.3 and a space for a booth. For more information: contact Mike Zuchowski

**Racing for Dollars** - Racing for Dollars is coming up on February 17<sup>th</sup> and the committee is working hard to make the event a success!! The money raised benefits local charities including St. Luke's Clinic, providing health care for the medically underserved, A.D.A.M. – Another Day Another Memory, Rotary Club of Jackson, Youth Advisory Committee through the Jackson Community Foundation, and the Kiwanis Club of Jackson.

Let's make it a priority to support the Racing for Dollars event as a volunteer, donate, join the weekly meetings on Thursdays at Steve's Ranch House at 8:00 am and/or attend the event with friends to enjoy dinner, the Daytona 500, cash prizes, auction items, and much more!

A few tickets remain for you to attend the "Racing for Dollars" event on FEBRUARY 17<sup>TH</sup>. Dinner, cash prizes, a live and silent auction, the Daytona 500 on the "Big Screen" and much more will be included at this fun event! Some of the Live Auction items include a two-night stay at the Grand Hotel on Mackinaw Island, a one week stay at a Condo anywhere, and a Walleye Fishing Trip.

Get Polly's tickets for only \$20 for a chance to \$1,000 worth of groceries. Three \$1,000 winners will be drawn! See Pat Keissling to purchase your ticket!



## **JACKSON KIWANIS CALENDAR FEB 2019**

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
27 HAPPY BIRTHDAY JIM TOUSE!	28	HAPPY BIRTHDAY TERRY LANGSTON	30	31  HAPPY BIRTHDAY  JOE WOLFE!	Lois Dunning Energizing Education	02
03	CLUB 2:30 EVERY MONDAY JTV 2:30 Scholarships Mary Lou McFadden& Shelly Jusick	05	BOARD MEETING HUNT CLUB NOON	07	HFAH Volunteer Services Becky Mayer	09
10	11	AKTION CLUB VALENTINE PARTY 3:00	13	HAPPY BIRTHDAY CHAD NOBLE!	HFAH Hospital Renovation Stephanie Belden	16
"RACING I \$\$ DOLLA GALA" HAPPY BIRTHDAY, SEKERK	JEFF	19	BOARD MEETING HUNT CLUB NOON	21	Lucas Malcuit Blood Platelets	23
24	25	26	27 "Off the Clock" Chamber Event	HAPPY BIRTHDAY CAROL BOOBYER		