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From the desk of the
DISTRICT GOVERNOR



SUMMER is here, and it sure feels like a heat wave out there. Our district convention will be held in Springfield, Ohio on August 11-13, 2023. New officer elections will be held at the district convention along with many opportunities to learn. First Lady Laurie and I are looking forward to seeing everyone who will be attending and hope everyone comes out to enjoy the jazz festival on Friday night. If you have not registered and would like to attend, contact the district office. The membership team has been working diligently on opening new clubs. There are five new clubs in the pipeline and should be opened by the end of our Kiwanis year. The First Family Project has continued to flourish. To date we have distributed more than 750 bags and with the recent requests coming in, we should end with over 900 bags by the end of Kiwanis year.

Let's have a great convention and help start Governor-Elect Jason's year off with a bang!

*In Service,
Dave Kuhn*



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From the desk of the
DISTRICT SECRETARY



ELECTION season is upon us, and for Ohioans it may come as a bit of a surprise to have a special statewide Constitutional Amendment vote in August. In fact, the General Assembly approved House Bill 458 earlier this year that places specific restrictions on August special elections. Yet, the same assembly approved putting Issue 1 on the ballot for August 8th. Personal views of the issue aside, it is imperative for our democratic institutions to abide by the laws that they themselves establish. Likewise, within our own organization it is imperative to abide by our governing documents. Coming before the delegates in Springfield will be an update to our standard form of district bylaws as required by Kiwanis International. Additionally, the District Board will be reviewing some policy matters. This is all part of good governance, but it's also important to note that good governance happens when we have active participation.

Currently, we have just enough clubs represented to conduct the business of the district in Springfield. That means that about 2/3 of our clubs won't have a voice at the convention. Likewise, at the recent International Convention we saw less than 1% of Kiwanians globally deciding the business of the organization. In 2022 the voter turnout for a special August measure was just over 8%. My point on both of these matters is simply VOTE. Encourage your neighbors, family, and friends to vote. Volunteer as an election worker. Register for a convention. Run for that board seat. Make your voice heard and help others do the same!

Need to meet with me? Book an appointment at calendly.com/jimjanosik

*In Service,
Jim Janosik*

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INSPIRATION

If we don't vote we are ignoring history
and giving away the future.

Pat Mitchell



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MEMBERSHIP MATTERS

Yes, It's **MEMBERSHIP CONTEST TIME!**

- 1 SPONSOR A NEW MEMBER BETWEEN MAY 1 – AUG 31, 2023
- 2 YOU & THE NEW MEMBER WILL EACH AUTOMATICALLY BE ENTERED TO WIN YOUR 2023-2024 KIWANIS DUES (MAX \$150 EACH, PAID DIRECTLY TO THE CLUB)
- 3 EACH NEW MEMBER SPONSORED IS AN ENTRY, NO MAXIMUM (BE SURE YOUR SECRETARY LISTS YOU WHEN ADDING THE NEW MEMBER)
- 4 ALL ENTRIES WILL BE RANDOMIZED IN A SPREADSHEET AND THE WINNING ENTRY CHOSEN BY GOVERNOR DAVE KUHN



DIVISIONS SHOWING POSITIVE GROWTH THROUGH 6.30.2023

1-SOUTH +27	11-SOUTH +10
2 +17	12 +9
5 +20	13 +4
8 +11	15 +5
9 +5	16 +34
10-EAST +11	17 +13
10-SOUTH +3	22 +18
10-WEST +9	24 +23
11-NORTH +14	



CLUB LEADERSHIP EDUCATION SESSIONS

The Ohio District is offering several in-person sessions for incoming officers. To register for one of the sessions please use the form below.

Saturday, August 5, 2023 – Northeast Regional Site –
Our Savior Lutheran Church, 14343 W. Sprague Rd,
Strongsville, OH 44136. 9:00 AM-1:00 PM
Instructors: Jim Bennett & Terry Mazzone

Friday, August 11, 2023 – District Convention –
Hollenbeck Center, 275 S. Limestone Street,
Springfield, OH 45505. 2:00 PM – 5:30 PM
Instructors: Bob Raub & Amy Zimmerman



Register at:
<https://k20.site.kiwanis.org/club-leadership-education/>

Kiwanis **K-Kids** Young Leaders Helping Others

All New K-Kids Clubs Chartered in Ohio between October 1, 2022 and August 11, 2023 have a chance to win \$100. The sponsoring Kiwanis Club will receive the award.



KIWANIS FAMILY WELCOME

Our newest members June 21, 2023 through Junly 20, 2023

New Member

Ashley Baumgartner
Richard Csernik
Rebecca Distel
Russ Grant
Rebeka Hamilton
Ted Haselman
Andrew Henry
Paul Kester
Jacob Lowe
Cynthia Lytle
Guy Macdonald
Leslee Meiser
Marie Myers
Samuel Naumann
Rachelle Schwall
Christine Spaetzel
Taylor Steeves
Joe Wallace
Tamie Wilson

Club

Ottawa
Boardman-Youngstown
Ottawa
Wooster
Coshocton
Bowling Green
Steubenville
Mason
Mansfield
Steubenville
Delaware County
Celina
Avon Lake
Avon Lake
Mansfield
Avon Lake
Steubenville
Steubenville
Dublin

Sponsor

Thomas Gustwiller
Thomas Mumaw
Kari Ann Johnson
Katherine Ritchie
Melissa Snider
Eic Myers
Thomas Timmons
Barry Polley
Jared Strickler
Laura Rauch

Karen Cisco
Mark Spaetzel
Dorothy Henderson
Michael Lybarger
Mark Spaetzel
Laura Rauch
Thomas Timmons
Faith Levine

August

Board Member Birthdays

2023



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DID I MAKE A DIFFERENCE?

Steve Vrooman, ODK Community Service Chair

DURING this year's Kiwanis International Convention in Minneapolis, the Oak Ridge Boys performed during the Saturday evening dinner and entertainment. They performed a song that caught the attention of many service-minded Kiwanians, Did I Make a Difference? The following is a snippet of the song's lyrics:

*Did I make a difference in somebody's life?
What hurts did I heal? What wrongs did I right?
Did I raise my voice in defense of the truth?
Did I lend my hand to the destitute?*

Kiwanis clubs and members do make a difference in the lives of kids and communities in Ohio, and around the world. Kiwanians identify a need and work to address it. Kiwanis family clubs host nearly 241,000 service projects each year with the average Kiwanis member impacting the lives of 106 children. Kiwanians do an outstanding job of making a difference in the lives of kids and families.



Can we do more? Of course. Hunger, homelessness, and mental health issues are ever-present and will, very likely, be around for many years to come. Our Kiwanis clubs may not be able to solve these issues, globally, but the issues can be addressed on the level we choose to affect.

Certainly, it would be desirable to make a difference in the lives of more kids and families but, realistically, financial and human resources are limited. However, we must understand that the effect we have on individuals varies. We may not know the depth of the effect we have on a child or struggling family for many years. We can be confident that there has been a positive change in lives.

We've all heard the story of the elderly man who regularly walks along the beach. Early one morning, he was walking along the shore after a big storm had passed and found the beach littered with starfish as far as the eye could see, stretching in both directions. Off in the distance, the old man noticed a small boy approaching. As the boy walked, he occasionally bent down to pick up an object and throw it into the sea. As the boy came closer, the man called out, "Good morning! May I ask what it is that you are doing?" The young boy replied, "Throwing starfish into the ocean. The tide has washed them up onto the beach and they can't return to the sea by themselves. When the sun gets high, they will die, unless I throw them back into the water." The old man replied, "But there must be tens of thousands of starfish on this beach. I'm afraid you won't really be able to make much of a difference." The boy bent down, picked up another starfish and threw it as far as he could into the ocean. Then he turned, smiled and said, "It made a difference to that one!"

We all have opportunities to help create positive change, but, sometimes, we may find ourselves thinking that we're already very busy. How can we do more? We must remember that our local Kiwanis clubs can't change a worldwide problem but we can change lives at our level when we work together.

With a quick perusal of Buckeye Bulletins, we can see examples of how Ohio Kiwanis clubs and individual members are making a difference in the lives of children, families, and communities across the state.

If you are reading this, one must assume you are actively involved in Kiwanis service projects and can answer the question, "Did I Make a Difference," with an emphatic "Yes!"

Kiwanians always step up to support activities that are good for kids, families, and communities. We do make a difference.



GREETINGS FROM CIRCLE K

Aleisa Tobin, Oho District Governor



HI my name is Aleisa Tobin and I am thankful to serve as your Ohio District of Circle K International Governor. I am a rising senior at Bowling Green State University and am majoring in science education. Lastly, I am from Delaware, Ohio and was in the Rutherford B. Hayes Key Club!

Please save the date for our Fall Rally! Fall Rally is an exciting day where all of the clubs from the Ohio District are invited to join us to complete service projects, make friends, and develop leadership skills! Fall Rally is taking place on October 22nd, 2023, at Baldwin Wallace University and will be themed Beachin' in Berea. Registration and sponsorships are open on our District Website.

We need you and your fellow Kiwanians to attend our Fall Rally event in hopes of strengthening the Kiwanis Family bonds within Kiwanis and Circle K International. We look up to Kiwanians and depend on them to mentor us before we filter into our future communities. "To mentor is to touch a life forever" so please consider going and becoming a mentor to a Circle K member. If you cannot attend but you want to help support Circle K members, consider sponsoring Fall Rally. Your sponsorship supports leadership development, allows us to keep registration costs low for college students, and overall nourishes our district as a whole by uniting clubs. We appreciate you and all of the support we can get.



The district board and I would love to attend your club's events whether it is service, fellowship, or leadership focused. Please invite us to them by emailing me at odckigovernor@gmail.com!

Thank you, Kiwanis members, for everything that you do to support student leadership organizations.

*In Service,
Aleisa Tobin*



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DR. MUNROE NAMED OUTSTANDING ALUMNUS

Robin Gagnow, Berea Circle K Co-Advisor

AT the recent 2023 International Circle K International (CKI) Convention in Minneapolis, Minnesota, Dr. Karen Munroe, co-advisor of Baldwin Wallace University's (BW) CKI, received the 2022-23 International Outstanding CKI Alumnus Award. This award is intended to recognize one outstanding Circle K Alumnus who has remained committed to the realization of mankind's potential after his/her years as a Circle K member.

Dr. Munroe's nominators wrote of her work with BW's chapter of CKI. Dr. Munroe has been a co-advisor for BW's Circle K International for ten years. During that time, the organization was recognized at the annual convention as the Outstanding Circle K Club in Ohio nine times. To date, the only year that the organization did not come in first place, it was named for second place. At the recent CKI Convention in June 2022, BW's CKI was recognized as the Outstanding Chapter for its size in the country. This award is based on service projects and hours, leadership at the local and district level and fellowship with other Kiwanis Service Leadership Programs. In addition, BW CKI has been awarded the prestigious "Student Organization of the Year" at Baldwin Wallace University for the past nine out of ten years. This level of recognition (both campus and beyond) does not come without strong leadership and support, which Dr. Munroe has clearly provided by her engagement, dedication, and commitment to BW students.

Dr. Munroe has made an impact in the greater community as well. Dr. Munroe has been an active member of Berea Kiwanis since June 2011. She has served on the Board of Directors since 2012; in this role, she helps make financial decisions for the Club and follows administrative policies and procedures. The Kiwanis organization places a high value on meeting the needs of the community through service, with a special focus on projects that benefit children or youth. Dr. Munroe clearly embodies this, as evidenced by her involvement on campus and beyond. She is known for her ability to easily build rapport with the diverse members of Kiwanis and the community.

Dr. Munroe is respectful of differences, seeks to understand and support others, and demonstrates an uncanny ability to work and connect with diverse groups of people. She consistently volunteers to assist with several longstanding community traditions such as the annual Empty Bowl and the annual Pancake & Sausage Breakfast and has served as the emcee for Berea Kiwanis Citizenship Day, to just name a few. For the past two years, Dr. Munroe has coordinated four Red Cross Blood Drives per year. This past year, enough blood was collected to potentially impact over 850 lives in our community. Dr. Munroe stands out among others due to her genuine, compassionate, and humble nature. She demonstrates true interest in others and shares her warm personality freely with everyone. Congratulations to Dr. Munroe and thank you for all you do!



CIRCLE K DISTRICT & CLUBS AWARDED



Left: Congratulations to Aleisa Tobin, BGSU, one of the seven accomplished Key Club International and Circle K International members being honored with this year's Kiwanis Children's Fund scholarships! These students stood out among 459 applicants not only for what they have already accomplished, but for their commitment to creating a more just and inclusive future.

Right: Recently re-elected International Trustee, Hannah Riley, Capital University, will counsel four districts this year.



<div> <div>2022-2023 CKI AWARDS</div> </div>			<div> <div>Outstanding International Committee Member</div> <div>Hannah Riley</div> <div>CONVENTION TASKFORCE COMMITTEE</div> <div>Ohio District</div> </div>			<div> <div>Signature Service Project – 2nd Place</div> <div>OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY - COLUMBUS</div> <div>Ohio District</div> </div>		
<div> <div>Outstanding Single Service Project</div> <div>THIRD PLACE:</div> <div>The Ohio State University - Columbus</div> <div>Ohio District</div> </div>			<div> <div>Outstanding International Committee Member</div> <div>Allison Knowlton-Dykes</div> <div>MEMBERSHIP EXPERIENCE COMMITTEE</div> <div>Ohio District</div> </div>			<div> <div>Outstanding Service Initiative Involvement</div> <div>The Ohio State University - Columbus</div> <div>Ohio District</div> <div>for Involvement with Childhood Development</div> </div>		
<div> <div>GEM Awards – Ruby Division – 1st Place</div> <div>Miami University</div> <div>Ohio District</div> </div>			<div> <div>Distinguished International Committee Chair</div> <div>Allison Knowlton-Dykes</div> <div>Ohio District</div> </div>			<div> <div>Distinguished District Committee Chairperson</div> <div>Hannah Riley</div> <div>Ohio District</div> </div>		
<div> <div>Distinguished Administrator</div> <div>Chad Gardner</div> <div>Ohio District</div> </div>			<div> <div>Hall of Fame</div> <div>Annamarie McGuire</div> <div>Ohio District</div> </div>			<div> <div>Outstanding CKI Alumnus</div> <div>Karen Munroe</div> <div>Ohio District</div> </div>		



From the desk of the
DISTRICT GOVERNOR-ELECT



Hello Ohio Kiwanis!

As we near the end of the 2022-2023 administrative year and transition into the 2023-2024, Kiwanis needs YOU more than ever. By now, your club should have had their club elections, reported those elections via the secretary dashboard, and scheduled your new officers for a Club Leadership Education (CLE) session either through the Ohio District or Kiwanis International. You can find more information on CLE [HERE](#). Ohio Kiwanis has both virtual and in person options available. This vital training will help set your club up for success in the coming year. Even if you are an officer that is repeating in your role, it is important for you to attend one of these trainings.

The next year (which begins on October 1st) not only marks a transition, but also the start of something new. This is a great time for your club to set strong goals for the coming year, develop a new service project or re-establish your commitment to your sponsored Service Leadership Programs (SLPs). SLPs continue to need our support now more than ever. We will need to find ways to have strong Kiwanis advisors who will support and mentor our future leaders. SLPs truly are the future of our organization and we must make our connections to them a priority.

The District is also looking for members to serve on District Committees for the 2023-2024 administrative year. This is an opportunity for you to help shape the future of not only the committee, but the District as a whole. If you are interested in serving on any of our District committees, please find more information [HERE](#).

I am looking forward to serving as your District Governor in the coming year. Please know that I am here to assist you and your club in any way that I can. Feel free to reach out to myself or any member of the District Board for help. You can reach me at jmiller@ohiokiwanis.org.

Thank you for choosing to be a Kiwanian. There are many other "things" that could occupy your time and we are thankful that you are choosing to make Ohio Kiwanis a priority.

*In Service,
Jason Miller*



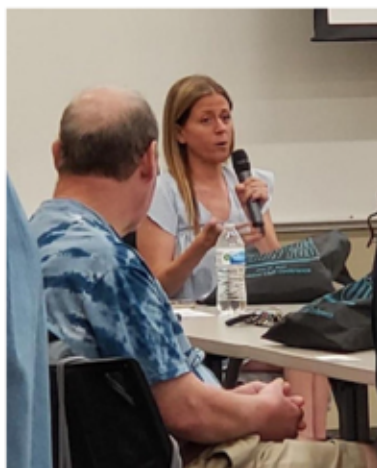
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AKTION CLUBS GATHER IN BEREA

THE FORCE was strong with all that attended the 2023 Aktion Club Leadership & Education Day on July 22nd at Bladwin Wallace University in Berea, Ohio. Thank you to all of the volunteers and sponsors for helping make the event successful!



ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL GOLF OUTING FOR ODKF

KIWANIANS and guests gathered at Raintree Golf Course in Uniontown, Ohio to mark the 66th Annual Don Williams Memorial Classic to benefit the Ohio District Kiwanis Foundation. Special guests Past International President Nettles Brown, and current KI Trustee Gary Graham joined in on the fun. This year's Chadwick honoree is Gerre Martin 46 from Delaware County Kiwanis marking 46 years of playing in the tournament.



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Articles are either taken directly from club Facebook pages or submitted.

THE Hilltop Kiwanis Club was very active at the Summer Jam West. A lot of gifts were given to the children who came.



ELYRIA Kiwanis Safety Town. 65 years of continued support.



THE Kiwanis Club of Coldwater completed its \$25,000 pledge for the Mercer Health Pediatric Treatment Room. Club treasurer Kim Brunns is shown presenting the final payment to Deb Hemmelgarn, Director of the MED Foundation and Volunteer Services at Mercer Health. Others representing Kiwanis on this special occasion were: President Dennis Riethman, President-elect Jacque Meyer, Past President Vicki Hoyng, Secretary Barb Kremer, K-Burger Chair Linda Eyink and Key Club President Julia Sieftring. Mercer Health was also represented by Lisa Klenke, Chief Executive Officer; Susan Miller, Vice President of Patient Care Services and Chief Nursing Officer; and Jenni Miller, Coordinator of the MED Foundation and Volunteer Services.



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NOT even dark clouds, wind and raindrops could dampen the mood and enthusiasm today at Makino Park in Mason, Ohio for the groundbreaking of the Adaptive Ballfields Project! The multi-million dollar project for both the Playground and Adaptive Ballfields was truly a collaborative effort of public, private, non-profit, and corporate funds along with thousands of individual donors to make this magnificent project a reality.

The Adaptive Ballfields will complement the Common Ground Playground and will provide an all inclusive set of fields for children of all abilities to play the game of baseball. The fields, dugouts and amenities will be state of the art and allow all to be included.

The Mason Kiwanis Club and the Ohio District Kiwanis Foundation provided grants and are pleased to be a part of this innovative and inclusive park to better serve the children of the Mason community and the Southwest Ohio region. The hope is that this park will be a model for other communities around the Country.

We look forward to cheering on the athletes of the MYO - Mason Challenger League next spring when the Adaptive Ballfields officially open! Hope to see you at a game!

#KidsNeedKiwanis #ImagineMason City of Mason, Ohio - Government #MakinoPark



TRACK YOUR CLUB'S PROGRESS TOWARD
ACHIEVING 2022-23 DISTINGUISHED OR
PINNACLE CLUB STATUS AT
<https://k20.site.kiwanis.org/club-recognitions/>

Reach out to the District Office if you'd like to
sponsor another Kiwanis Club to open and help
earn credit toward Pinnacle Club distinction.



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KIRTLAND Kiwanis recently held its 63rd Annual Strawberry Festival June 15-17 on the grounds of Kirtland High School. Festival goes from throughout the Lake County area and beyond gathered to take part in the annual Kirtland Tradition of Strawberry Shortcakes, Sundaes and Chocolate Covered Berries. There was plenty to do for all ages, including indoor and outdoor displays, rides, many contests such as sidewalk chalk art and Legos, Robotics displays and not to mention an endless supply of food choices for whatever your taste. We enjoyed record attendance this year and thank all who made our success possible!



WILMINGTON - The second annual "A Day in the Ring" event was held July 13, 2023, at the Clinton County Fair. A Day in the Ring is presented by the Clinton County 4-H program and friends of the 4-H program to provide differently abled community members ages 10 and up the opportunity to show at the Clinton County Fair. Participants were mentored by 4-H teen leaders who have received training, have experience showing livestock and have a willingness to share their love of 4-H livestock projects. This year the Kiwanis Club of Wilmington provided pizza, dessert and drink to all participants, mentors and family.



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KIWANIS Children's Fund President-Elect Amy Zimmerman presented the Carthage Pullman awards at the recent CKI Convention.

Did you know that by donating US\$250 to the Tomorrow Fund, you can honor a CKI member with a membership in the Carthage-Pullman Society? Immediate Past President Tyler Kearns, Immediate Past Vice President Liz Sevigny and Allison Knowlton-Dykes of the Ohio District are recent recipients and were recognized at the International Convention in Minneapolis. Earlier this year, 10 awards were handed out for their dedication, compassion, leadership, and service to their universities and communities. Learn more: circlek.org/donate



CIRCLEVILLE Kiwanis was pleased to present over \$14,700 in recreational reading materials to the Westfall School District for students.

Sarah Roush, Vice President of the Circleville Kiwanis Club learned of a tenant in an adjoining office building across from the Ohio District Kiwanis Office, who had left behind a room full of children's books. Thousands and thousands of dollars worth of books. She promptly offered to take the books so building management would be able to rent the office space. Nearly a year went by before the building owner decided to stop trying to sell the books and just donate them. Sarah was aware, her Kiwanis Club did not have a foundation so she contacted the Westfall Education Foundation to "accept" the books and write a receipt for over \$14,700 in brand new reading materials.

Westfall Schools are located in a rural area with no book stores, no stores which sell books and no public library branches. A large number of students are on the free lunch program and having a book of their own to read is a luxury many families don't have.

The Kiwanis Club placed a sticker in each book stating : "Compliments of the Circleville Kiwanis Club and the Westfall Education Foundation, READERS ARE LEADERS"

Books will be distributed at back to school events hosted by Westfall Schools where students will be permitted to select their own reading material.





ODKF PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

A Year of Service with ODKF Grant Funding



I wanted to take a moment to thank ODKF members for their contributions this year and to recognize Kiwanis clubs who have utilized ODKF resources for their service projects. We've had another successful year as an organization with over \$33K awarded to clubs for service projects and special recognition. We've been blessed to be able to support several service projects throughout Ohio.

Here is a list of clubs and service projects supported with ODKF grant funding for 2022-2023.

Southeast Cleveland Kiwanis Club – Haven Home – activities for children and families in shelters
Kiwanis Club of Westerville – Westerville Food Pantry & Schools – cereal box domino project
Kirkland Kiwanis – Youth Football & Cheerleading - helmets and equipment
Kiwanis Club of Dublin – Dublin Food Pantry
Kiwanis Club of Springfield – Kiwanis Children's Garden
Kiwanis Club of Mason - Adaptive Ball Field Project
East Geauga Kiwanis – Summer Lunch Program
Mt. Vernon Kiwanis Club – Imagination Library
Kiwanis Club of Gahanna – One Paper Clip at a Time
East Toledo/Oregon Kiwanis Club – Book Vending Machine
Kiwanis Club of Champaign County – Summer Theatre Camp
OSU Circle K – Blanket Service Project
Wellington Kiwanis – Safety Town Helmets
Kiwanis Club of Lima – Heir Force Community School – Train the Trainer peer pressure, gun violence
Oxford Kiwanis Club – Back To School Bash
Kiwanis Club of Middletown – Barricade Buckets for Classrooms

ODKF also recognized Ohio Kiwanis Club for their 50th - 75th and 100th milestone anniversaries and awarded \$100 to each of these clubs to be applied to a SLP service project.

Niles Kiwanis Club - 100th
Bucyrus Kiwanis Club - 75th
Downtown Athens - 50th
Marysville Kiwanis - 100th
Barnesville Kiwanis - 75th
Southern Hills Region - 75th
Wooster Kiwanis - 100th
Woodsfield Kiwanis - 100th
Silverton/Kenwood/Madeira Kiwanis - 75th
West Akron Kiwanis - 75th
Belden Village Kiwanis - 50th

In Kiwanis Service,

James Minter

ODKF President 2022-2023

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Congratulations to those who utilized the resources available through the Ohio District Kiwanis Foundation to address the needs of the children and the communities in which you serve. For more information about ODKF grants and cycles for application submissions, please visit www.ODKF.org





BUILDERS CLUB ANNOUNCES AWARD WINNERS

Robert Day, Jr., Builders Club Administrator

CONGRATULATIONS to the following Builders Clubs for meeting the requirements to be either distinguished or honor by Kiwanis International. Also to the advisors, and officer for being nominated as distinguished.

Distinguished/Honor Clubs

Big Walnut Middle School- Distinguished Club
Harding Middle School- Honor Club
Heir Force Community School - Distinguished Club
Hudson Middle School - Honor Club
Liberty Arts Magnet K-8 -Distinguished Club
Lima North Middle School - Distinguished Club
Mount Gilead Middle School - Honor Club
North Middle School - Distinguished Club
South Science Technology Magnet K-8 -Distinguished Club
West Middle School - Distinguished Club



Distinguished Advisors

Susan Linehan- Lima North Middle School
Janel Enberg - Liberty Arts Magnet K-8 School
Erin Ridenhour -Liberty Arts Magnet K-8 School
Heather Allison -South Science Technology Magnet K-8
Teresa Hollar -Heir Force Community School
Willie Heggins - Heir Force Community School
Kevin Spooner - Harding Builders Club
Angela Joliff - Lima West Middle School



Distinguished Club Officer

Samantha Rippe - Big Walnut Middle School



Info on the 2023 Ohio District Standard Form of District Bylaws update to be reviewed at the District Convention is available at:
<https://bit.ly/odkSFDM2023>



UPCOMING EVENTS



The Kiwanis Club of Morrow County 9th Annual Golf Outing
Friday, August 4, 2023 at 9am
Kings Mill Golf Club
2500 Berringer Rd.
Waldo, OH 43356

The Kiwanis Club of Morrow County is proudly holding the 9th annual golf outing on Friday, August 4, 2023 at Kings Mill Golf Club in Waldo, Ohio. This is our biggest event and it benefits local scholarships for high school seniors, The Dolly Parton Imagination Library, and many more charitable causes. Please join us on August 4!

Cost per team of 4 is \$360. Includes: 18 holes, cart, range balls, and lunch. Prizes, and 50/50. Come join us and support the kids in our communities. Registration will begin at 8:30am.

Team Name: _____
 Player 1: _____
 Player 2: _____
 Player 3: _____
 Player 4: _____
 Contact: (please list one player as contact) _____
 Phone: _____ Email: _____
 Registration form and fees must be returned by August 13th.

DON'T GOLF BUT WANT TO HELP OUT? PLEASE SPONSOR A HOLE!
It can be your business, your family, or you personally.

The cost is \$100 to sponsor a hole. Hole sponsors will have a professional sign on a hole during the outing.

Business name: _____
 Contact phone and email: _____

For any questions, please contact erinkelly70@gmail.com
 419-560-4448

KIWANIS CLUB OF DUBLIN

6th Annual Past Governor GOLF OUTING

FRIDAY, AUGUST 4, 2023, 1:00 PM
SAFARI GOLF CLUB, 4850 POWELL ROAD

\$90 per golfer or \$360 for a team of four
 Includes Green Fees, Cart, and Buffet

\$50 for Hole Sponsors

Format: 4 Person Scramble
 12:00 pm Registration and Warm-up 1:00 pm Start

Team and Individual Prizes (Men and Women):
 Longest Drives, Longest Putts, Closest to the Pins, Skins Pot, and Mulligans

Registration sheets and sponsor information available
 online at dublin-oh.kiwanisone.org.

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WWW.DUBLIN-OH.KIWANISONE.ORG - OR - 614-203-5706

Springfield Kiwanis presents the Second Annual Springfield Jazz and Blues Festival

A two stage, two evening festival featuring 16 national, regional and local artists. The festival is set to begin at 5:00 on Friday, August 11th, and run through Saturday, August 12th at 11:00 in downtown Springfield. In its first year, the festival attracted 6,000 - 8,000 people and featured artists such as John Pizzarelli and Samara Joy, who went on to win two Grammy Awards. See springfieldjazzbluesfest.com for more info.



SHOP TIL YOU DROP

★ *Bring the family out for the annual* ★

50/50 raffle to benefit local causes

Bounce Houses & Kids' activities from 10a-3p

Presented by **Kiwanis**
 Artisan • Arts • Crafts • Food • Fun • Treasures

LABOR DAY FLEA MARKET

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FROM THE ARCHIVES

CERAMICS are one of the oldest materials that humans have used to showcase creativity along with functionality. In the case of Kiwanis, it was one of the earliest advertising pieces used to promote the organization. Today, most Kiwanis branded ceramics are in the form of mugs and coasters, but there have been some splendid pieces made including tea kettles, ashtrays, salt and pepper shakers, bookends, tiles, paperweights, and spoon rests.

