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***As we start a new Kiwanis year,
let's carve out new ways
to grow our clubs
and serve our communities!***



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Together, we will work to grow Mighty Ohio District

By Judy Raub, Ohio Governor

Welcome to the 2026-2027 Kiwanis year. I want to thank our 2025-26 Ohio Kiwanis District Leadership team members for their accomplishments.



We still have many things to tackle, and our continued SERVICE through MEMBERSHIP growth is at the top of the list. I am looking forward to working alongside you all as we travel through our new Kiwanis year, sharing our stories and growing our Kiwanis clubs both old and new.

As with all Kiwanis Governors, we are given the goal of opening new clubs in our Districts. This year is no different. Our Ohio District is tasked with an opening goal of six new Kiwanis clubs (with a stretch goal of eight new clubs), and at least two new Kiwanis Voices clubs. This is where I need your help.

Our District Membership Chairman, Rick Fox, along with our District Club Strengthening Chairman, Sam Slater, will be reaching out to our Lt. Governors for suggestions, ideas and, most importantly, for their support. We all have to be “in the boat, rowing in the same direction” for our District to be successful in our Growth initiatives.

With growth comes more hands for service. But not just any service. We need to be certain that the service projects our clubs are doing are relevant and needed. You can do this by using some of the Achieving Club Excellence tools available through Kiwanis International.

There are conversation starters and community surveys to help you to better understand the needs of your communities and how your Kiwanis clubs are able to help out. The Kiwanis International website offers a plethora of ideas, suggestions, and support to all clubs, big or small. There are even ideas to help grow your clubs.

The biggest thing I'd like you to remember is that you are not in Kiwanis alone; we are in one of the greatest service organizations, and as a District, we are all in this together.

I look forward to meeting you at my Governor visits this fall.

Remember, MEMBERS MATTER.

Yours in Kiwanis Service,

Judy Raub, Governor

Ohio Kiwanis District

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Why does membership growth matter so much?

By Bob Raub, Governor Project Support

Members Matter for a variety of reasons.

To some club members, they are the community of Kiwanis. They are the friends and acquaintances who join together for the social piece of a Kiwanis meeting. They could be your golf partner, brother-in-law, co-worker, or friend that shares the common bond of Kiwanis.

To a child, members matter because they could be the food you get to take home on weekends, the people who helped clean up the playground that you enjoy on sunny summer days, or the nice grandpas or grandmas that read you stories on Saturday morning at the library. Members matter because they make a difference, and that's why they joined Kiwanis.



Governor Judy feels strongly about membership because it is through the hands of a member that service is provided to our communities, serving the children who live there, and improving their lives. By recognizing that Members Matter in order to directly serve our children, the funds raised through Governor Judy's project can directly help clubs provide more and greater service to their children constituents.

In partnership with the Ohio District of Kiwanis Foundation, gifts to Governor Judy and her Members Matter project will be repurposed to help new Kiwanis Clubs serve children.

Existing clubs that grow by the members needed to return to charter strength will benefit, increasing their service to children.

This help will happen with the award of automatic grants to new clubs for new service and to stronger existing clubs for additional service. These funds will stay in Ohio Kiwanis as fuel for the future of our organization and its service to our communities.

Being tied to the growth of Kiwanis, we will help sustain our Kiwanis future; our service and the fun of seeing smiles on children's faces. Our members do matter, and Governor Judy is proud to be able to recognize that more members will mean more service to more children right now and in the future as well.

Hear more about the Members Matter project and how it works during Governor Judy's visit to your division in the coming weeks. Ask your Lieutenant Governor for a good seat at your next division meeting.



Welcomes Kiwanis International President Hope Markes

You are invited to join us in the celebration welcoming our newly elected 2026–2027 Kiwanis International President, Hope Markes, with a special dinner and celebration.

Saturday, October 31, 2026, at 6:00 PM

Holiday Inn - Eastgate

4501 Eastgate Blvd.,
Cincinnati, OH 45245

Dinner \$60.00 per person
Cash bar available



Register Today



Growing clubs requires commitment and creativity

There are many ways to help our clubs grow and increase the impact Kiwanis can have on our communities!

Here are just a few ideas that we found while scouring social media channels this past month. Please share your ideas to be included in a future *Buckeye Bulletin*.

Kiwanis International-Lancaster, Ohio Club
September 15 at 6:44 PM · 🌐

🎉 You're Invited! 🎉

Have you been looking for a meaningful way to connect, serve, and make a difference?

Join us for our Kiwanis Membership Mingle and discover what Kiwanis is all about! Meet passionate volunteers, learn about upcoming projects, and find out how you can help improve the lives of children in our community.

No pressure. No commitments. Just great people, great conversation, and an opportunity to see if Kiwanis is right for you.

Thursday, September 24th 5:30p-7:30p at [Double Edge Brewing Co.](#) See less



MEMBERSHIP MINGLE

SEPTEMBER 24, 2026 5:30-730

DOUBLE
EDGE

<https://www.facebook.com/KiwanisInternationalLancasterOhioClub>

Kiwanis Club of the Jackson Area is at Jackson County Apple Festival.
6 days ago · Jackson · 🌐

The combined Kiwanis, Lions & Rotary booth is open for "recruitment". While you're at the Apple Festival stop by, grab an apple & water, and say hi to the folks that ma... See more

[View insights](#) 174 post reach

Kiwanis Club of Fairport Harbor
5 days ago · 🌐

Meet our members! 🌟 Shannon Renee - board member (charter member)

Kiwanis Club of Fairport Harbor is dedicated to serving the community As part of 🌐 Kiwanis International, our mission is to serve the children of the world—starting right here in our own village. Whether it's organizing service projects, funding scholarships, or hosting family-friendly events, our club is committed to creating a positive impact through action, leadership, and compassion.

If you or anyone you know is interested in more information on how they can join a growing organization to give back to the community please reach out and consider becoming a member!

We hold monthly meetings at the 🌐 Fairport Harbor VFW 7754 2nd Monday at 6:00pm every month! Follow our page for upcoming projects! See less

Kiwanis CLUB OF FAIRPORT HARBOR

MEET OUR MEMBER

Shannon Reglus - Board Member

Length Of Time As Kiwanis Member:
1 year - I am proud to be a Charter member of our club

Current Role In The Club: Board Member

What inspired you to join Kiwanis?
I have always had a passion for helping others and giving back to the community. I love being part of an organization that brings people together to make a positive difference.

What keeps you involved?
The people and the sense of community keep me involved. I enjoy working alongside others who genuinely care about our community and are willing to give their time and energy to make it an even better place.

What's a cause/issue in our community you care most about?
I am especially passionate about supporting seniors, families, and those who may need extra help navigating life's challenges.

Outside of Kiwanis, I enjoy spending time with my family, being involved in the community, and connecting with people. I also love my work in healthcare and finding new ways to build partnerships that improve the lives of seniors and families.

A surprising fact about you is?
People may be surprised to learn that I have been a nurse for over 20 years!

What do you hope Kiwanis continues to accomplish in Fairport?
I hope Kiwanis continues to bring people together, support local families and children, and create meaningful opportunities for community involvement. Fairport Harbor has such a special sense of community, and I hope Kiwanis continues to play an important role in preserving and strengthening that spirit for generations to come. I hope to see our club grow to include members from our entire community.

Foundation grateful for members' compassion

By Marla Marsh, ODKF President

As we begin a new Kiwanis year, the Ohio District Kiwanis Foundation extends our heartfelt appreciation to Kiwanis members throughout Ohio for the time, talent, leadership, and compassion you bring to your communities.

A new year brings new opportunities - to serve, strengthen our clubs, support one another, and, most importantly, make a lasting difference in the lives of children and families.

As we look toward 2026-27, the Foundation is building upon a strong history of service while also looking ahead. This will be a year of thoughtful growth, purposeful action, and new opportunities to strengthen the connection between the Foundation, the Kiwanis family, and the communities we serve.

Here's to another year of service, fellowship, and building stronger communities together. Happy Kiwanis New Year!

The 2025-2026 administrative year was a year of reflection, conversation, and visioning for the Ohio District Kiwanis Foundation's Safe and Healthy Kids Committee.

During the course of two years, what began as an examination of language and policy evolved into a much broader conversation about how the Foundation can continue serving children and young people while preparing for the changing needs of future generations.

From those conversations emerged the proposed Safe and Healthy Kids-NextGen Initiative (SHK-NGI) Program. During 2026-27, we will begin moving that vision forward thoughtfully, intentionally, and with purpose.

Our focus will not be change simply for the sake of change. We will build upon the strong foundation already established by ODKF while introducing NextGen in a way that members can understand, embrace, and see reflected in the work of the Foundation. We will also begin identifying practical ways to bring the initiative's four strategic pillars to life.

The first step will be establishing the organizational foundation necessary to support the Safe and Healthy Kids-NextGen Initiative. At the same time, we will introduce NextGen throughout the Ohio District, helping Kiwanians understand both what the initiative is and what it is not. Building that shared understanding will be essential as we move from vision to action.

Throughout the year, we will develop a 12-month NextGen awareness campaign designed to keep the initiative visible, understandable, and connected to the work already taking place across Ohio.

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Rather than presenting NextGen as a single program or moment in time, we will tell its story throughout the year and demonstrate how its principles can become part of the Foundation's ongoing work.

We will also strengthen connections throughout the Kiwanis family. Our clubs, Service Leadership Programs, emerging leaders, longtime members, community partners, and supporters all bring different experiences and perspectives to our shared mission. NextGen will give us another avenue for connecting those generations, strengthening relationships, and creating opportunities to learn from one another.

Just as important, we will move beyond talking about NextGen and begin showing what it looks like in practice. During 2026-2027, we will identify demonstration projects that bring the initiative's strategic pillars to life in tangible ways. These projects will help us learn what works, identify opportunities for collaboration, and provide examples that can be shared throughout the District.

Philanthropy will also be an important part of this work. We will explore ways to connect NextGen with giving, helping tell the story of philanthropy not simply in terms of dollars raised, but in terms of lives changed, opportunities created, communities strengthened, and future generations inspired to serve.

Behind every grant, program, partnership, and initiative is a story. During the coming year, we will place greater emphasis on telling those stories and showing the human impact behind the Foundation's work. Those stories will help members better understand not only what ODKF does, but why it matters.

Finally, 2026-2027 will be a year to measure, learn, and refine. We will listen to our members, evaluate our progress, learn from our demonstration projects, and use those lessons to strengthen the initiative as it develops.

The Safe and Healthy Kids-NextGen Initiative represents an evolution of our work - not a departure from it. The heart of the mission remains the same: serving children, strengthening communities, and helping create a better future. What will evolve is how we build upon that mission to meet the needs and opportunities of the generations ahead.



ODKF launches search for Executive Director

By Marla Marsh, ODKF President

The Ohio District Kiwanis Foundation has begun the process of selecting its next Executive Director.

After the sudden passing of longtime director Alan Penn this summer, former Ohio Governor Jason Miller was appointed to serve as interim executive director of the foundation.

An Executive Director Search Committee has been established, bringing together individuals whose experience and perspectives will help guide a thoughtful and thorough selection process.

Now, a Recruitment Subcommittee has begun its preliminary work, gathering information and developing materials to support the search.

As this important process moves forward, so does the work of the Foundation. ODKF has a long-standing reputation for strength, stability, and service to the Kiwanis family and the communities we serve.

Throughout this transition, we will continue building upon that strong foundation, maintaining the programs and partnerships that make a difference across Ohio, and serving our clubs and members with purpose and consistency.

Selecting our next Executive Director is about more than filling a position. It is about identifying a leader who can help honor the Foundation's history while working alongside our Board, members, clubs, and partners to prepare ODKF for its next chapter.

We look forward to welcoming an Executive Director who will help carry that tradition forward while supporting the Foundation's continued growth and impact.

As we begin 2026-2027, there is much work ahead - and much to be excited about.

Whether we are bringing the Safe and Healthy Kids-NextGen vision to life, selecting our next Executive Director, or supporting clubs and communities throughout Ohio, our direction remains grounded in the same principle that has guided the Foundation for generations:

***“Building on our foundation today
while investing in a stronger tomorrow.”***



Keep sharing your good news to help Kiwanis grow in your community!

We love seeing Kiwanis service and volunteer activity get the attention it deserves! People need to hear and see what we are doing before they can decide to join us in our fun and work! Here are a few “public relations wins” we spotted during the past month or so:

[Napoleon Charity Director Speaks to Bryan Kiwanis](#) --- Village Reporter



[Top Club Official, Mayor Recognize Kiwanis
Good Deeds](#) --- Fremont News Messenger

[Morning Journal](#) --- Wellington to host candidates
night

[Lima News](#) --- Wapakoneta Kiwanis Club
seeks donations for crisis center

[20,000 coats and counting:
Kiwanis launches 2026 Coats for Kids Drive](#)
--- Knox Pages

Interested in serving on district leadership?

2027–28 Ohio District Kiwanis Board Opening

If you are interested in serving on the Ohio District Kiwanis Board for 2027–28, complete and sign the nomination forms and submit them to the Ohio District Secretary by July 15, 2027.

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The election will be held during the 2027 District Convention, August 6–8, 2027, in Cincinnati, Ohio.

To request the nomination packet, which includes the nomination forms, contact Robin Gagnow at secretary@ohiokiwanis.org.

Sincerely,

Robin Gagnow,

District Secretary



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Do you know a Kiwanian who has gone above and beyond?

Perhaps it is someone who embodies the spirit of Kiwanis service and fellowship? In August of 2009, the Ohio District Kiwanis Board approved the formation the Ohio District Kiwanis Hall of Fame.

The Ohio District Kiwanis Hall of Fame will feature Ohio Kiwanians who were nominated and selected and through their Time, Talent, Dedication, and Leadership roles in Kiwanis resulted in Building Better Lives and Communities.



Take time to nominate a friend to the Ohio District Kiwanis Hall of Fame. This recognition is available to any Kiwanian who is a member of the Ohio District.

The application process is simple, but deadlines are approaching fast. Monday, November 2, 2026. Additional information is available on the Ohio District Kiwanis website at <https://k20.site.kiwanis.org/ohio-kiwanis-hall-of-fame/>

Ohio District Kiwanis Hall of Fame Nomination Form

Nominee Name: _____

Phone #: _____

Member of Kiwanis Club: _____

Month/Year joined: _____

Offices Held (include years): _____

Years of Perfect Attendance: _____ Not measured by the club _____

Division Offices held (Year served) _____

District Offices held (Year Served) _____

Attach a one-page typed letter explaining why the nominee should be recognized.

Your signature indicates that you understand the responsibilities of nominating a candidate which includes presentation of the award at the Mid-Year Education Day (February 2027).

Nominator's Name: _____

Kiwanis Club: _____ Phone #: _____

Email: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

This form, with attachment, should be forwarded to the Ohio District Kiwanis Secretary by November 2 to be forwarded to the Committee.

Email to: secretary@ohiokiwanis.org or mail to: Ohio District Kiwanis, PO Box 588, Berea, Ohio 44017.

District membership team works hard

Our Ohio District Membership team worked hard right up to the end of the 2025-2026 Kiwanis year.

This past month, we held two charter celebrations: Clyde-Green Springs and Springfield Pike. Both were well attended and gave us a glimpse of the excitement of new members and new ideas.

We chartered our first voices club, “The Kiwanis Voices Club of Lima.” Dr. Willie Heggins, along with his team of members of the Lima Club, made this group a reality, and we are certainly grateful for their efforts.

The team is at work currently in Wickliffe (Lake Effect Division), where we have gathered the first 18 members and have now completed the necessary paperwork to submit to Kiwanis International. I am excited to have another Kiwanis club in our Ohio District.

Governor Judy, along with her Lt. Governor team, has identified additional club sites to be added to our District membership plan already in progress.

We continue to look for individuals to assist us in various parts of our club building and strengthening efforts. We will need individuals to help with all aspects of new club opening, to include phone calls to set up appointments, individuals to go out on any appointments, just to name a few of the tasks. We will also need sponsoring clubs and coaches identified before working in a new area. All these roles have training opportunities available through Kiwanis International, and when needed, through our Ohio District.

As we embark on the 2026-2027 Kiwanis year, we must remember that MEMBERS MATTER. The need for greater service fueled by our Kiwanis growth has never been more necessary. Remember, it takes ALL of us to make this growth a reality. I am excited about the plans and processes that are now in place and the direction we are going. My contact information is below; reach out and get involved to make our plan a reality.

Rick Fox

District Membership Chair 2026-27
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kirtlandpc@aol.com



New committee focuses on strengthening clubs

*By Sam Slater,
Club Strengthening Committee Chairman*

Is your club looking for ideas to boost membership? Do you know where to turn for help to grow your club?

Exciting news from our Ohio District -- we are kicking off a new Club Strengthening Initiative! The new Kiwanis Year will bring a renewed and dedicated effort to assist our clubs in the Ohio District with building membership.

New Ohio District Governor Judy Raub has restructured the Membership Committee to include a dedicated Club Strengthening Team which will now complement the existing Club Building Team. This initiative will provide District resources to assist Clubs in developing solid membership development plans and provide guidance and coaching to carry out those plans.

To better understand the current situation with each club, a Club Membership Survey has been created. Click [here](#) to access the survey, find it on the Ohio District [website](#) or contact your Lt. Governor for a copy.

We are asking that all clubs in the District complete this form so we can understand the needs that our clubs have and how we can best serve you!

We look forward to working with you this coming year and want you to know the Ohio District is committed to assisting our clubs in their membership efforts! More information will be forthcoming as the new Kiwanis year develops.

My name is Sam Slater from the Kiwanis Club of Mason, and I will be chairing the Club Strengthening Team! If you are interested in being a TEAM MEMBER/Club Coach or other support person, or if your club is seeking assistance in building membership, please reach out.

My contact information is samslaterkiwanis@gmail.com, and my phone is 513-235-1595.



**Gov. Judy shares a
“Happy Kiwanis New
Year” video to inspire
us for the next 12
months of growth!**

Past Governor Copeland Hudson ends term with special day of service

By Marcia Copeland Hudson

Immediate Past Governor, Ohio District Kiwanis

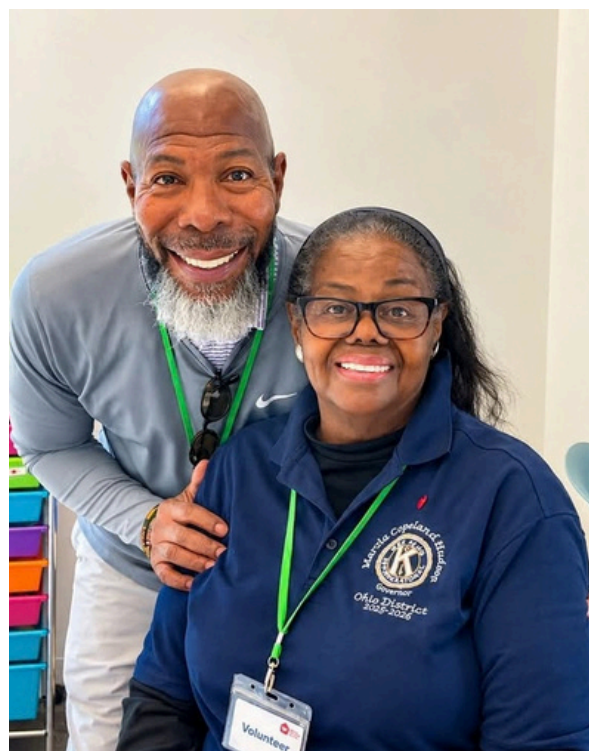
On September 26, I had the pleasure of joining the Kiwanis Club of Lima for an incredibly special Volunteer Day at the Ronald McDonald House in Dayton. What a wonderful example of the Kiwanis Family serving together.

The day brought together members from across our Service Leadership Programs -- including K-Kids, Builders Club, Key Club, Circle K, and the new Voices Club. Seeing young people of different ages working, connecting, and serving side by side was a beautiful reminder that the future of Kiwanis service is already taking shape.

Their efforts also supported our Governor's First Family Make-A-Wish Project, making the day especially meaningful. Service is about more than the work we accomplish -- it is about the relationships we build, the example we set, and the hope we create for children and families.

A heartfelt thank-you to Dr. Willie Heggins and the other dedicated members of the Kiwanis Club of Lima for organizing this wonderful day and creating an opportunity for so many members of our Kiwanis Family to serve together.

One Kiwanis Family. Many generations. One shared commitment to serving children.



Keep up with our Governor on her travels

Governor Marcia and her First Gentleman Larry closed out their Kiwanis year with a few more visits before passing the torch to Gov. Judy and First Gentleman Bob, who hit the ground running!

Click [here](#) to follow Marcia directly and follow Judy by clicking [here](#) and keep tabs on where she visits!

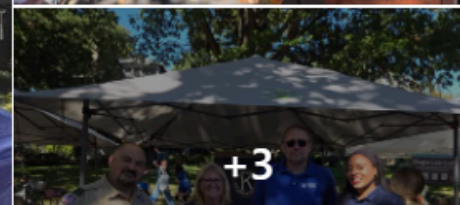


Judy Raub is with Brian Yacucci and Kiwanis Club of Springfield Pike, Ohio. 2 hours ago · 🌐

It was a great day to help one of the newest clubs, [Kiwanis Club of Springfield Pike, Ohio](#). Share their story.



I had the pleasure of attending Division Twelve Passing of the Banner and Division installation of their officers. What a treasure trove of leadership that attended. It was a wonderful evening. I'm looking forward to seeing where this division goes from here. Good luck to all. #membersmatterohio ... See more



Following our Family on Facebook

We have scoured the posts of **Facebook** to see what Ohio Kiwanis clubs have been up to this past month.

Follow the **Ohio District Kiwanis Page**, and join the **Ohio District Kiwanis Group**, to see more posts and add your club's activities! We can learn from each other and better serve the youth in our communities.



The Kiwanis Club of Mason Ohio
a day ago · 🌐



The Kiwanis Club of Mason Ohio
a day ago · 🌐

👤 Kiwanis Club of Mason members & friends, Bicycle Recycle & Mason City Schools students — Community in Action!

The Kiwanis Club of Mason was proud to host with [Mason City Schools](#) Journey Days students for a special day of service and giving back to our community!

👤 Students got hands-on experience helping with bicycle repairs, learning practical skills while helping make sure local bikes are safe and ready to ride.

👤 The over 100 bicycles repaired during this event will be given as gifts during this year's COMMUNITY Holiday Help providing holiday cheer to families in our Mason community.

We are grateful for the opportunity to work alongside these amazing students and show that when we come together, small acts of service can make a big difference!

Thank you to all our volunteers for their time and expertise to make this service event a great success! Thank you to the Manor House for hosting this service event.

💙💛 Serving Mason. Supporting students. Strengthening our community.

💙💛 THREE CLUBS. THREE CENTENNIALS. ONE HISTORIC CELEBRATION! 💙💛

One hundred years of service is extraordinary. Three Kiwanis clubs celebrating 100 years together is truly something special.

On Friday, October 30, the Kiwanis Clubs of Harrison, Middletown & Oxford will come together for our Centennial Trifecta, celebrating a combined 300 years of Kiwanis service to children, families, and communities.

We are thrilled to have Dr. Anedra Million — Mrs. Ohio America 2024 and 1st Runner-Up Mrs. America — serving as Mistress of Ceremonies for this milestone evening. An educator with Middletown City School District and a wonderful supporter of Kiwanis, Dr. Million will help us celebrate the people, stories, and service that have shaped these three clubs across a century.

And there's more! We are honored to welcome Hope Markes, 2026–2027 Kiwanis International President, as our featured guest speaker.

📅 Friday, October 30

🕒 5:30 PM

📍 The Event Center of Middletown
3907 Central Ave., Middletown, Ohio

🎫 Dinner tickets: \$50

For 100 years, members of Harrison, Middletown, and Oxford have answered the call to serve. This evening will honor the generations who built those legacies while celebrating the Kiwanis members who will carry them forward.

Harrison. Middletown. Oxford.

Three 100-year legacies. 300 years of service. One unforgettable evening. 💙💛

Together, we make a brighter tomorrow.



District offers social media guidelines

Hello Ohio District Kiwanians,

Happy Kiwanis new year! I am very excited to be working with everyone as we work on rebranding and building the district.

My goal this year is to increase our social media presence not only on the district level, but to work with clubs to educate and enhance your social media presence.

To help get things started, I have made an Ohio District branding guide that includes approved KI fonts, colors, logos and much more. In this document you will find also some templates on items that can be used for social media posts for your club.

Please use this [link](#) to access the branding guide. It also will be on the Ohio district [website](#) under resources.

If you have any questions, please let me know!

Thank you,

Hannah Elbon

Here is the link:

<https://canva.link/gy1clqg1y0wim03>

JOIN THE PUBLIC RELATIONS COMMITTEE

*LOOKING FOR INTERESTED MEMBERS TO
HELP WITH SOCIAL MEDIA POST!*

IF INTERESTED PLEASE FILL OUT THIS FORM!

[HTTPS://FORMS.GLE/TPEPXD5CJYMNMHM6](https://forms.gle/TPEPXD5CJYMNMHM6)



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Music, Community, and Service Take Center Stage at Kiwanis Jazz and Blues Festival.

The Kiwanis Club of Springfield brought music, food, art, and community spirit together during its fifth annual Kiwanis Jazz and Blues Festival, held Friday and Saturday, August 7 and 8. The free two-day event welcomed an estimated crowd of more than 12,000 people and featured 17 national, regional, and local acts performing across two outdoor stages within walking distance of one another.

Festivalgoers enjoyed award-winning jazz and blues artists, crowd-favorite food trucks, the backdrop of Springfield's historic neighborhoods and architecture, and late-night jam sessions at a local event venue. The weekend also highlighted local creativity, including a portrait created by artist Nathan Conner to represent the performers. The artwork was raffled at the close of the festival.

In keeping with Kiwanis' commitment to service, donations were collected throughout the festival for the local soup kitchen and presented to the nonprofit after the event. The successful weekend once again showcased the power of music to bring the Springfield community together while supporting a meaningful local cause.



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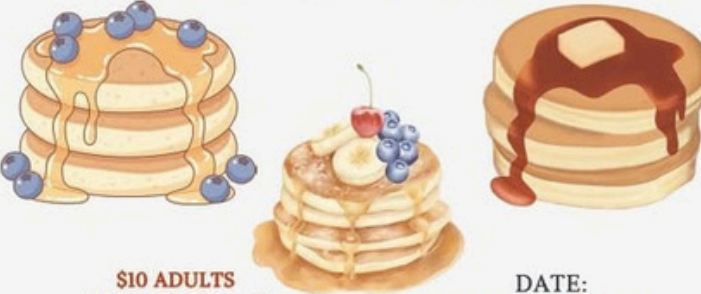


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OCTOBER 31ST, 2026
TIME:
8:30 AM - 11:30 AM




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MIDDLETOWN KIWANIS CLUB
61st Annual

PANCAKE DAY

Fraternal Order of Eagles 528
1300 First Avenue • Middletown

Saturday, October 24, 2026
8:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon
\$10.00



Pancakes Bring People Together ♥



No charge for first responders and military personnel in uniform and children three and under.

Serving Our Community Together!
Tickets Courtesy of Dobrozsi Insurance

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Fall 2026



HOLIDAY PIE SALE

OCTOBER 6 - NOVEMBER 9
PICK UP: NOVEMBER 23 & 24

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FALL PANCAKE DAY

NOVEMBER 7
FAIRFIELD HIGH SCHOOL
8 AM - NOON

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