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NEXT MEETING
February 9, 2022
Outstanding Students
12:30 pm

FEBRUARY

- Feb 2** - "Fun Meeting" - (Fun in the Snow)!
- Feb 9** - Outstanding Students from Bernard & Washington Middle Schools.
- Feb 16** - Brainstorming ideas for fundraising.
- Feb 23** - Board/Business Meeting.

With virtually all schools, churches, and many businesses canceled and closed for the day, our "Fun Meeting" scheduled for Wednesday, February 2, was canceled due to inclement weather. The day started with rain turning to freezing rain, sleet, and then an inch or so of snow on top of that with temperatures only in the mid-twenties. Then Thursday followed up with 2-3 inches of snow on the ground from overnight with a total of 6-10 inches forecast before ending late afternoon and into the evening with temperatures again only in the 20's.

We will be scheduling another "Fun Meeting" in a couple of months. In the meantime, I am sure we will be having some "nice" weather!

Meeting Cancellation Policy

This winter we will again follow the Mehlville School District Snow Day policy if inclement weather should occur on one of our meeting days. If the Mehlville School District declares a snow day or a virtual instruction day, our meeting will also be cancelled. In other words, if the students do not go to school, neither will we go to our meeting. On questionable days, tune in to the TV or radio for school district cancellation announcements.

Member News

Roy Wunsch is still scheduled for total knee replacement surgery on February 7 in the early AM. The doctors have told him that he will be going home the same day as they are trying to keep overnight hospital stays to a minimum during the COVID surge. **Judy Burnette** is finally home. This is after hip surgery and

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rehab. She is still receiving some rehab at her home. **Sherry Stevenson** continues to have problems with her knee. Please keep our members and their families in your thoughts and prayers for full and speedy recoveries.

Builders Club Meeting

Builders Club meets every other Wednesday at Bernard Middle School at 6:30pm

Builders Club met on 12/1 at Bernard. 4 students in attendance. Students decorated holiday cards that will be sent to active duty US military through the USO. Students from the Chamois Youth Fellowship also made cards that will be delivered along with those from Builders Club. We are delivering nearly 50 cards.

Plans are in place for a small holiday party at the next meeting on 12/15. In January, we will start distributing pencils through the libraries at both Washington and Bernard Middle Schools. They will have a note attached with mission and meeting dates/times. Hoping we recruit some new students this way.

Oakville HS Key Club News

OHS Key Club meets twice a month on the 2nd & 4th Mondays, 2:15pm, library.

Our January 24 meeting today was our second meeting of the month. We once again promoted our instagram account @oakville_keyclub. Our next meeting is on 2/14, Valentine's Day, and we will have a service project where we write Valentine's Day cards for residents at the Bethesda nursing home. We are still collecting tab tops! And members are still continuing to collect hours. We have a service project in the works for raising money at the Oakville Band Sponsored Craft fair, but nothing is finalized yet.

Anna Brand, Secretary

Mehlville HS Key Club News

**MHS Key Club meets once a month,
usually on the 1st Thursday,
but sometimes on the 2nd Thursday, 2:15pm, library**

Mehlville High School's monthly Key Club meeting for January was held on January 6 after school.

At this meeting, we discussed our plans for the second semester of school. After discussing as a group, we came up with a lot of interactive ideas that we believe will positively impact the community. Our first idea is to start delivering soda tab bags on the week of the 24th during TAP classes. Additionally, we are planning on holding a book drive during the spring. Finally, we are going to reach out to Mehlville's Robotics Club to use their mini golf set for an event (the details are yet to be decided).

In addition, we celebrated the success of our most recent service project, (local animal shelter) as we ended up raising \$214! The success of this event has motivated all of us to work as hard as possible to make a positive impact within our community. This is an exciting time for all of us and we are so grateful for the opportunity to leverage our amazing partnership with Kiwanis to help make the world a better place.

Thank you Kiwanis!

Alex Norrenberns, Vice-President

FEBRUARY

Birthdays:

Carla Rowell - 2/3
Shirley Zoellner - 2/12
Connie Kuchar - 2/14
Pauline Roth - 2/18

Anniversaries:

Vern & Carolyn Langenfeld – 2/8/97
Ed & Carol Kurmann 2/12/66

Kiwanis Anniversaries:

Linda Hoppe – 2/14/2020
Lee Bodendicek – 2/15/2010
Mary Howard – 2/20/2002