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NEXT MEETING
October 5, 2022
Installation of Officers and Board Members
12:30 pm

OCTOBER

- Oct 5** - K Mtg. Installation of Officers and Board Members, Lt. Gov. Teri Jacob.
- Oct 12** - K Mtg. Committee assignments and brainstorming new member initiatives. - Connie.
- Flying Squadron visiting from Meramec Valley Kiwanis.
- Oct 15** - Candy Solicitation, Dierberg's on Telegraph Rd., 9a-4p.
- Oct 19** - K Mtg. Trivia Night Planning Session- Louann.
- Oct 24** - Reading is Fun, LCC, 3pm.
- Oct 26** - K Mtg. Board/Business Meeting.

10 members and no guests present. Louann opened the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance and Pauline followed with the Invocation. Rick read the minutes from last month's Board Meeting. Louann commented on the Treasurer's report. Both the minutes and Treasurer's report were accepted and approved.

Louann told the members that Carla O'Brian asked for a donation for the Beatrice Johnson Youth Camp. The club members voted to give \$100.00. Louann will ask Sue to send a check to Carla, so she receives credit under her Administration for the donation. Louann reported that the Key Clubs received \$84.00 between the two of them for the candy sales. We received a total of \$362.00. Today was the last day to donate items to the Fisher House. Louann was delivering the goods after today's meeting. Thank you, Louann, and everyone who donated.

Louann reported that they had "Reading is Fun" this past Monday. Oakville had 4 Key Club members attending and Mehlville had 1. It was noted that Oakville has a much larger Key Club then Mehlville and will therefore most always have more volunteers for any given service project. There was a total of 27 children at the pre-school. Louann explained that this number is much lower than pre-COVID years and the reason unfortunately is because of a shortage of teachers at the pre-school.

Pauline reported that Feed My People is again collecting clothing and gift cards for needy families for Christmas. Members today decided to donate to three people, as we had last year. Ed will send out the updated gift card list to our members. All purchases for the gift cards need to be in by Nov. 16. This will allow time to purchase, receive and redistribute before the middle of December.

Meetings: Wednesdays – 12:30pm - Frailey's Southtown - 4329 Butler Hi ll Rd. 63128 (at I-55) - 314-892-1866

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Connie went over the current committee assignments. Most assignments will remain the same for this upcoming year however we still have a few open items. These will be addressed again at the next Board Meeting.

Happy Dollars: All members were happy for Louann's successful completion of her presidency. Thank you, Louann, for all the hard work!!!!

50/50: Drawing - Louann.

Lottery ticket - Louann.

Thanks to Jeanne McKenna for taking the notes of today's meeting.

Member News

Carla Rowell and her husband, **Doug Rowell**, are both still under the weather with ailments. **Bill Leonard** had back surgery recently and will still be in the hospital probably for at least a few more days and then on to rehab at Nazareth Center. Several other members have had some ailments lately as well. Please keep all of our members and their families in your thoughts and prayers as they recover.

Oakville HS Key Club News

The Oakville HS Key Club meets on the 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month after school, 2:15pm, in the library, starting September 12.

Oct 10 - Key Club Meeting, 2:15p.

Oct 15 - Candy solicitation at Dierberg's on Telegraph Rd..9a-1p.

Oct 24 - Key club Meeting., 2:15p.

Mehlville HS Key Club News

The Mehlville HS Key Club meets on the first Thursday of each month after school. My error in last week's K-NEWS. The MHS Key Club meets on the **FIRST** Thursday of each month.

Oct 6 - Key Club Meeting, 2:15p.

Oct 15 - Candy solicitation at Dierberg's on Telegraph Rd., 1p-4p.

We have invited both Key Clubs to help with our Candy Days at the Dierberg store on Telegraph Rd, October 15.

Reading is Fun

Now that the COVID restrictions have been lifted, the Reading is Fun program will once again begin on the 4th Monday of each month, September thru May except for December since that is such a

busy month, starting on September 26 at the Lemay Child and Family Center, 9828 S. Broadway, 63125 at 3:00pm. This past Monday, several Key Clubbers from both Mehlville and Oakville HS read to the kids. The young children love having the teenagers read to them and then they get to keep the books to take home.

South County Kiwanis Web Page and Face Book Page

We now have a Web Page and a Face Book Page up and running. You can now follow us on either page by going to them with their addresses, or you can click a link on either of them to get to the other. We encourage you to follow us through either of them to keep abreast of our activities.

Web Page: <http://k11339.site.kiwanis.org/>

Face Book Page: [South County Kiwanis](#)

Thanks to Mary Howard for taking care of the Facebook page and to Katie Keeven for taking care of the Web Page.

SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER

Birthdays: Jeanne McKenna - 9/30
Mary Howard - 10/15
Katie Keeven - 10/19
Ed Kurmann - 10/24

Anniversaries: John & Mary Howard - 9/8/2007
Katie & Patrick Keeven - 10/29/2016

Kiwanis Anniversaries: Carla Rowell - 9/27/2006
Katie Keeven —10/6/2



A few of the items members collected to take to Fisher House since we couldn't go there yet to prepare a meal.