



Past Presidents Day

'04-'05 BOARD

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COMMITTEE CHAIRS

Bingo

Dr. Kevin O'Leary

Bloodmobile

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Breakfast with Santa

Dave Calverly

Christmas Tour of Lights

Bob Elliot

Fest-of-Ale

Linda Mellenburger

Interclubs

Floyd Kowal

Sponsored Youth

Jim Leeser

Key Club - Craig

Dave Wimann

Key Club - Parker

Kevin Apfel

Mother's Day Breakfast

Bob Elliot &
Zach Goswick

Meals on Wheels

Dave Calverly

Membership

Angela Bernhardt &
Kevin Apfel

Pancake Day

Jim Stoa

Programs

Dr. Kevin O'Leary

Scholarships

Bob Elliot

Social Events

Irene Stewart

Spiritual Aims

Dale Halverson

Terrific Kids

Nancy Verhoven

House

Floyd Kowal &
Don Chapin

Program: Past Presidents Day

President Elect – Dr. Kevin O'Leary took control (?) of the meeting. Using wit and humor, he introduced each of the 16 Past Presidents in attendance and asked each to respond with a memory of their presidency:

- 2004 – Jim Leeser – The 1st Fest of Ale
- 2003 – Kevin Apfel – remembered he missed the last ¼ of his presidency as too many people were dying. (Kevin is a funeral director).
- 2001 – Jim Damrow – Numerous members died.
- 1999 – David O'Leary – Shortened meetings from 1 ½ to 1 hour in length.
- 1997 – Irene Stewart – First Year Parenting was begun.
- 1996 – Jim Stoa – Remembers being president was 'like herding frogs'.
- 1992 – Jim Holmstrom – Kiwanis Park finally was up and going.

- 1989 – George Brunner – Got lots of support as he left for the FBI Academy during his presidency.
- 1988 – Phil Selgran – Year of the Women
- 1987 – Tom Hornig – The Convention in DC and the Reagans.
- 1984 – Bob Seaton – Moved meeting place from Monterey Hotel to ELKS
- 1983 – Rollie Stommen – Parker Key Club & Golden K's began.
- 1981 – Bob Elliott – \$14,000 donated to Rockport Park and Kiwanis Trail opened.
- 1977 – Floyd Kowal – remembered that as a child, Kiwanis paid for some of his medical needs.
- Kevin – Frank Stratton – sent a message saying he is enjoying the weather in AZ.
- 1973 – George Mark – Funded a portable Xray for the hospital for newborn babies.
- 1960 – Jack Damrow – claimed to be 'old enough not to have memory of his presidency', but then remembered the 'Travelogue' program.

Cake was served in honor of the past presidents.

Guests:

1. George Mark introduced his son, Randy.
2. Zach introduced his son, Alex.
3. Floyd introduced 'lifetime member' George McRoberts, who said he is 88 years old and still has all of his marbles.
4. Tom Harnack introduced Jeff Seaton, son of Bob.
5. Linda introduced Heather Walls, prospective member.

Key Clubs – From Parker: Tom Mills, Megan, Nicole and ??

Students of the Month – Greg & Holly visiting on their last day of the month.



Ace of Hearts Drawing:

Jim Lesser drew the Ace of Clubs.. The pot rolls over to next week.

Announcements:

1. *Bowling Tourney* – April 9 & 10, see George Mark.
2. *Pancake Day* – Need to get placemat ads done, see Andy. Prez Tom still has his Case of Beer challenge out there.
- 3.

New Member Induction:

Ceremony welcomed Mark Hufel and Ben Coppmen into our club. Sponsors were Secretary Ed and Linda.



Happy Dollars:

1. Jack Damrow – happy to see all the Past Presidents back.

Thank you to Terry Huseth for taking meeting notes. Members having information for future newsletters can email editor@janessvillekiwanis.org.

2. Jim Stoa – Happy for members who were Past Presidents of other clubs, David Calverly, Stu Charland and Randy Borman.
3. Stu Charland – has accepted a position at US Bank in Rockford and will be transferring his membership there. He will miss our Kiwanis club. He feels it is the most energized club he has belonged to.
4. Terry Huseth – \$10 for his friend Stu and how much he will be missed, as a coworker and club member.
5. Linda – November 5, 2005 is Fest of Ale and she already has numerous return vendors signed up. Also for Stu and his last day. And for prospective member Heather.
6. Tom Hornig – Happy to be here and to see 'old friend' Bob Elliott.
7. Bob Seaton – Happy to be back.



Quotes:

Let every man be swift to hear, slow to speak, slow to wrath.

James 1:19

Did You Know?

The first president of Kiwanis International was George F. Hixson of the Rochester, New York club. Hew was elected at the first convention in Cleveland in 1916 and re-elected the next year. He is the only International President to serve for two terms. The Hixson Fellowship of the Kiwanis International Foundation is named in his honor; Hixson medals are presented to donors who have contributed at least \$1,000 to the Hixson Endowment Fund or the Worldwide Service Project.