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Video of K-Kids' Service Project is Program

Announcements:

Our Parker Key Club brought 4 members to our meeting today. They thanked us for providing funding to attend their District Convention (DCON) and brought a fun photo presentation of their experiences. They also developed a new tradition: the incoming Key Club President has to dress up in a cow costume for DCON registration! Oh to be in high school again! This is what we are missing folks! They also wanted to announce the upcoming relay for life which will take place the night before pancake day, Friday April 24th. Team sponsorship is \$150. Our very own Dr. Kevin O'Leary sponsored a team on the spot and challenged everyone else to sponsor a team of their own or join his. Ed Pulliam talked some smack and a rivalry was born! Remember why we joined Kiwanis? It wasn't for the lunches! (If it was I would have seen more of you there!) It was to serve and make a difference. Here is an opportunity. Participate in relay for life and head over to flip pancakes when you are done! Don't delay, sign up today! They are also selling remembrance candles for \$5. Names will be read at the event.

Pancake Day is scheduled for April 25th. We will have tickets next Thursday. Try to be there to pick them up.

Mother's Day Breakfast planning is in the works.

The School District of Janesville is looking for people to volunteer 10 to 30 minutes of their time to read to elementary students. If you can give a few minutes of your time on April 17th at 10:00 AM, please let Jim McMullen know.

Our Aktion club was profiled in the last issue of KiwaNews. Keep up the good work!

Happy \$\$\$\$\$:

Ben Coopman was happy today because he has 80,000 sandbags in his back pocket. (you really could tell)

Ace of Hearts drawing:

Jim McMullen was kind enough to draw the 5 of hearts today thus leaving us all hope of winning a bigger pot next week. The pot rolls over at 1.3 million dollars. You really should come to a meeting and buy a ticket.

(Ed notes that if that is the amount, Tom will make the payment from his stock market "Growth" fund).

Program:



Several weeks ago, our very own Lincoln and Roosevelt K-Kids clubs and the Edison Builders club spearheaded an initiative to get flashing stop signs into the hands of ALL of the crossing guards in our school district. Together with our club, the Golden K, and Wal-Mart/Sam's Club, enough money was raised to accomplish that. The K-Kids clubs collected the "Box Tops for Education" found on certain food products. Each of these "Box Tops" is worth 10 cents. If you have ever seen these "Box Tops for Education" please consider saving them and giving them to a school.

They presented these at a ceremony which was recently televised on the local access channel. A community liaison from Wal-mart, our chief of police, and several members of our community were there to support this fine project. The kids from the clubs were well spoken and very poised. One child froze and another club member came up and gave support so the first child could complete the prepared remarks. Let me tell you, these kids are outstanding! Watching what these kids accomplish is amazing. This is how we MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

Thanks to Tom Waller for taking the notes. Members having information for future newsletters can email editor@janesvillekiwanis.org.

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