

JUNE 30, 2010 PLK NEWSLETTER

Vicki Kepnes, Editor

PRESIDENT FRANK SMITH called the meeting to order and led us all in the “Pledge of Allegiance”. **SUE HARDING** led us in singing “God Bless America” and **TOM VARLEY** offered the invocation. Guests were: Lynn Stamp, Bonnie Smith, Debbie Rubino, Polly Price, Kelly Nagy, and Peggy Burgholtz, a prospective member.

BIRTHDAYS

NONE

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

NONE

CLUB ANNIVERSARIES

JONI MURGATROYD 15 YEARS

MIKE WHALEY 19 YEARS

HAPPY DOLLARS 😊

Lynn Stamp was happy that after meeting **LARRY HUNTER** at the Portage Lakes Advisory Council, she was introduced to the Metro Parks and now is on their board of directors. She shared copies of the Metro Parks magazine and that the June 20th Purple Martin Fest was listed!!! Note the July 8th event, if you have a book!!

TOM VARLEY was tan and just back from a cruise with his wife Carol Ann’s family to the Eastern Caribbean on the new Carnival “the Dream” ship!!

GLEN SHEETS was happy that his job, painting the porch at his house was done, as he was exhausted!!

SUE HARDING was happy to see so many familiar faces that had not been around for awhile!! Welcome back. Then she shared a couple of funny **JOE KLOPE** stories.

COMMITTEE ANNOUNCEMENTS

TOM BURGE updated us on the Rose Day Committee. He has facts and figures in hand and is working to maximize our profits this year. Roses are ordered, and he is getting donated computers for order entry. If you have anyone who would like to sell or deliver roses, please call **TOM** at 330-644-7342.

LARRY HUNTER reported that we only need a couple of hundred additional fish filets. He has over 600 in the freezer already for the annual fish fry which will be held on the Wednesday after Labor Day, September 8, 2010.

NEWS IN OUR KIWANIS FAMILY

Please keep Mom-to be **TRICIA HUSSER** in your hearts and prayers as she is having a difficult time right now and getting very close to delivering this very precious Baby Husser!! Hang in there **TRICIA!!!** We are thinking about you!!!

DR. PHIL PINNOW announced that **GLEN SHEETS** is to provide the music on the Suburban South Adults with Disabilities Boat Ride on the Portage Princess the second Saturday in September. If you would like to help serve the food on the ride, please contact **PHIL PINNOW** 330-644-0529

ANYONE UP FOR A PROGRESSIVE DINNER OR BOAT RIDE? LET US KNOW ASAP!!!



OFFICER OPENINGS

We need a President-Elect, Vice-President, and next year Treasurer. We also have a couple of new openings; we need a Civic Center President, and Civic Center Treasurer and a Board of Directors position just opened up. If you would be willing to serve, please contact **AL GRZESCHIK** at 330-524-2979.

WILL PORTAGE LAKES KIWANIS CONTINUE TO SERVE OUR COMMUNITY?? NOT WITHOUT YOU, YOUR TIME AND PARTICIPATION!!

We also need help in working on the grounds surrounding our building. Please stop when you have free time, and trim, edge or sweep up the parking lots.

DIVISION ANNOUNCEMENT

Akron East, West Akron, and Green Kiwanis clubs are inviting all members to the First Annual Divisions 16 and 20 Kiwanis Family Picnic on Saturday, July 31st from 1 P.M. till 4 P.M. at the Copley Community Park, 3232 Copley Rd., Copley, OH 44321 in Pavilions B and C. Cost is \$5 per person and \$10 per family. Burgers, hotdogs, drinks, cups, plates, napkins and utensils are being provided. If you will be attending, we need to know how many will be attending and what you will bring. Please let us know if you will be attending. E-mail **TRICIA HUSSER** at Tricia_L_Husser@keybank.com

DUES

THANK YOU TO FIVE MEMBERS WHO HAVE PAID THEIR DUES. Anyone else who may have let it slip by should contact TRICIA HUSSER or SUE HARDING.

CHALLENGE GOLF VOLUNTEERS NEEDED at Firestone Aug. 3-8. Call **VICKI KEPNES** at 330-644-2646 for additional information. See attached flyer for way to donate money to Akron YMCA/Camp Y-NOAH if you are planning to attend Golf Tournament any day.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- JULY 7** Regular meeting with dinner (Pulled Pork Barbecue from the deep south) provided by Polly Price. **Speaker:** A consumer Advocate from the Attorney Generals office to speak on Consumer Protection!!
- JULY 14** **SKI SHOW AT EMERALD LAKE AND BRING YOUR OWN DINNER**
MEET AT CIVIC CENTER AT 6:30
OR AT EMERALD LAKE OFF CLARK MILL RD.
- JULY 16-18** **HOBO DAYS at DEEP LOCK QUARRY in Peninsula, OH 44264**
- JULY 21** **COMMITTEE MEETINGS**

JULY 28 BOARD MEETING

JULY 31 DIVISION 16 & 20 PICNIC

AUGUST 18 ROSE DAY KICK OFF DINNER

DINNERS WILL BE PROVIDED BY LUCKITY'S MOST MEETINGS.