

Aug. 26, 2009 PLK NEWSLETTER
Sue Harding, Editor



Pres. TIM PETERSON called the Aug. 26 meeting to order and led everyone in Pledge of Allegiance; **SUE HARDING** led everyone in singing "God Bless America" and gave the invocation. **FRANK SMITH** introduced our guest and prospective member Joanne Rogers from Portage Lakes Marine.



BIRTHDAYS

PAMELA HINTON Aug. 26
SUE FASSOLES Aug. 30

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

No one this week

CLUB ANNIVERSARIES

GENE COLE 33 years! (so we sang!)



NEWS IN OUR KIWANIS FAMILY

Our sincere sympathy is extended to the family of Lenora DeLong, former member and friend of Portage Lakes Kiwanis, who passed away on Tuesday, Aug. 18.

ALL-CITY & MAGIC CITY Kiwanis Clubs have Entertainment Books for \$30 for Akron, Canton, & Cleveland again this year.

HAPPY DOLLARS



PHIL PINNOW had 2 happy dollars: #1 for the 1300 fish fillets **LARRY HUNTER** has filleted and put in his freezer and LARRY really knows the best fishing spots; #2 for what an amazing sight it is to see the Purple Martin pre-migration roosting on Nimisila Reservoir and well worth the \$25 donation to Portage Lakes Purple Martin Association fundraiser.

GLEN SHEETS was very happy that Joanne was able to make it to her first Kiwanis meeting.

GENE COLE was very thankful to **TOM BURGE** and his wife Polly for taking Judy and him with them to the Children's Hospital Harness Race. They had a great time!

SUE HARDING had a couple happy dollars: #1 A GREAT BIG THANKYOU to **VICKI KEPNES** for doing the newsletter after the Aug. 12 meeting at the winery; #2 her kids, grandkids, and dogs are all moved in, her cat Charlie is in heaven with Jim, but the house remodeling is still a work in progress!



CORRESPONDENCE

JERRY JENSEN, Div. 20 Lt. Gov., sent info about National Day of Service Sept. 11th: "Serve to Remember, Remember to Serve."

IF YOU HAVEN'T BEEN TO A MEETING IN A WHILE, WE'VE MISSED YOU & YOUR SMILE!



COMMITTEE REPORTS

Rose Chair ANDREA NORRIS reported that letters are being mailed to members with 20 tickets to order or sell roses. This year's goal is 5,000 doz. **ROSES sold & delivered on Oct. 3!** Liaisons to answer questions and provide supplies were appointed for each club. 5 portable signs will go up next week. Radio, TV, & newspaper ads will start the week of Sept. 14.

The **Annual Fish Fry** will be **Sept. 9** at 6:30 PM. Bruce Carpenter, ODNR District Manager, will be guest speaker. There are only a few \$12 donation tickets left.

NATHAN BRANT reported that Charter Party Invitations for Sunday Sept. 13 have been sent out and reservations are due by Sept. 9. Also the Youth Services MRDD Boat Ride on the Portage Princess is scheduled for Sept. 12 at Noon but they need a replacement for **GLEN SHEETS'** ukelele entertainment.

Treas. DR. TIM HUSSER reminded all Committee Chairs to turn in Committee Budget Proposal Request forms by the end of September.



CALENDAR of EVENTS

- Sept. 2 Regular Meeting followed by **special meeting to address financial concerns**
- Sept. 7 Labor Day Barberton Noon Club Pancake Breakfast @ St. Augustine
- SEPT. 9 Annual FISH FRY 6:30 p.m. \$12 donation + covered dish/dessert**
- Sept. 12 Kenmore Kiwanis Trash 'n' Treasure Sale, 9 AM – 3 PM, Prentice park lot; MRDD Boat Ride on Portage Princess at noon
- SEPT. 13 CHARTER PARTY @ Harbor Inn 6:15 pre-dinner reception, dinner at 7:15 PM**
- SEPT.16 ROSE OFFICE OPENS; Special Board Meeting to vote on raising dues & any members with unpaid dues**
- Sept. 16 Div. 20 meeting @ KSU
- Sept. 18 Magic City Kiwanis "Year End" Golf Outing
- Sept. 23 Committee Meeting Night
- Sept. 30 Board Meeting Night; Last Day for Clubs to turn in Rose Orders
- OCT. 3 ROSE REMEMBRANCE DAY**
- Oct. 10 Making Strides Against Cancer Walk