

Feb. 25, 2009 PLK NEWSLETTER
Sue Harding, Editor



Pres. **TIM PETERSON** called the Feb. 25 meeting to order, led us in the Pledge of Allegiance and gave the invocation.



BIRTHDAYS

MIKE WHALEY Feb. 25
BABETTE BIBY-SIAS Feb. 25
BOB GOFF Feb. 28
LARRY HUNTER Mar. 1
GLEN SHEETS Mar. 3

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES *no one this week*

CLUB ANNIVERSARIES

TOM BURGE 15 yrs
NATHAN BRANT 3 yrs
JACOB GRIMM, VICKI KEPNES,
& **SUE HARDING** 9 yrs each

NEWS IN OUR KIWANIS FAMILY



There are three openings for officers next year. We need a Secretary, a Treasurer and a Vice-president. These are rewarding positions, very important and training is available at mid-year conference in April, International Convention at Nashville in June, and Ohio District Convention at Columbus in August.

NORTH AKRON KIWANIS is looking for volunteers to help pack over 500 lunches and deliver them to 15 locations where volunteers from Rebuilding Together Summit County will be making rehab and repairs for low-income, elderly and disabled homeowners all on one day, SAT. APR. 25.

HAPPY DOLLARS



TRICIA HUSSER had several happy dollars: #1 for **SUE HARDING**'s delicious dinner & remembering it was Ash Wednesday; #2 for **AL & JULIE GRZESCHIK** driving with them to Pittsburg for a vodka tasting; #3 for all **AL**'s help on their new house.

GLEN SHEETS was happy that his wife Georgia's wrist is healing after a fall on the ice.

BETTY SCHADL was happy (?) for all the extra work on her plate at work.

SUE HARDING had a happy dollar for the excellent article in *THE SUBURBANITE* written by **GENE NEELY** about voluntarism and the generous activities of our own Portage Lakes Kiwanis Club. Then she shared 2 **JOE KLOPE** stories for our enjoyment.



COMMITTEE REPORTS

Youth Services Chair NATHAN BRANT reported that they are trying to schedule additional activities available for children and community at the Easter Egg Hunt on April 11.

VICKI KEPNES reported that **last day to turn in ACME RECEIPTS is next Wed. Mar. 4!** Bring all your receipts dated from Sept. 2008 through Feb. 21, 2009 to next meeting.

Pres. **TIM PETERSON** announced that he has raffle tickets for 2009 Memorials for Angels Fund raiser at Turkeyfoot Lanes on April 26.

Treas. **TIM HUSSER** announced that Financial Committee will discuss Fund raising Ideas at meeting next week, March 4.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS



- Feb. 28** **North Akron Kiwanis NITE AT THE RACES, Polish-American Club on Dan Street, 7 PM Post Time, \$15 a person, \$25 a couple**
- March 4** Financial Comm. Meeting & regular meeting with dinner hosted by **TIM PETERSON**
- March 11** Regular Meeting with dinner hosted by **NATHAN BRANT**
- March 18** Committee Meeting Night
- March 25** Regular Meeting followed by Board Meeting
- April 11** **Easter Egg Hunt @ Tudor House**
- April 25** **Mid-Year Education Day in Columbus**
- April 26** Memorials for Angels Fundraiser

MAY 5 **2009 DIAMOND CLASSIC @ Canal Park to benefit Akron Children's Hospital**

