

Sept. 16, 2009 PLK NEWSLETTER  
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Pres. –Elect **NATHAN BRANT** called the Sept. 16 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 Kathy Caddell, manager of WalMart on Arlington.

**BIRTHDAYS**

**JIM FRANCE** Sept. 18

**WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES**

**BARAK & Susan KRAUS** Sept. 20

**CLUB ANNIVERSARIES**

*No one this week*



**NEWS IN OUR KIWANIS FAMILY**



**NATHAN BRANT** was 1 of 30 Young Professionals for the Future selected by Akron Chamber of Commerce to be honored with a dinner at Civic Theater.

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

**HAPPY DOLLARS**



**LARRY HUNTER** had an ecstatic happy dollar for the sensational fish fry last week and a very grateful thank you to all who helped; after all expenses he turned in \$1,135 profit + another \$135 from 50/50 drawing totaling \$1,270 into our administrative fund.

**VICKI KEPNES** had 2 happy dollars: #1 nice to have such pleasant weather to drive convertible with top down; #2 golf outing & dinner Saturday was a resounding success.

**TOM BURGE** had a super happy dollar for **LARRY HUNTER** who cleaned and filleted all 1200 fish they caught for the fish fry.

**NATHAN BRANT** thanked all who attended Charter Party and delicious food and service we enjoyed at Olde Harbor Inn Sunday night. (See attached report.)

**SUE HARDING** loves her babysitting job with granddaughters Josie and Maggie and happily shared a Joe Klope story for our enjoyment.

**CORRESPONDENCE**

**NATHAN** read a special Thank You from Terri Evans and Suburban South Adults with Special Needs to Portage Lakes Kiwanis and especially **CONNIE NAGY, TIM PETERSON, DR. PHIL PINNOW, VICKI KEPNES, AND NATHAN BRANT** for the wonderful **Boat Ride & lunch on Portage Princess** last Saturday.

**COMMITTEE REPORTS**



**Rose Chair ANDREA NORRIS** reported that we can now order roses on-line. **Rose Office is open. Call TOM BURGE at 330-644-7342 if you can work in Rose Office any time M-F 8 AM – 6 PM or SAT 10 AM – 3 PM. After AL GRZESCHIK sent out email reminders to all who ordered roses on-line last year, we already have over 130 new orders come in from Internet. Remember, our goal is 5,000 dozen! Have you placed your order yet? [www.PLKiwanis.org](http://www.PLKiwanis.org)**

**Committee Chairs**, remember to turn in Budget Proposal Request Forms to Treas. **TIM HUSSER** by Sept. 23.

**Remember IMPORTANT MEETING** next week to discuss and vote on raising dues to meet our obligations to International and Ohio District Kiwanis. Let **NATHAN** or **TIM** know how you feel if you cannot attend meeting Sept. 23.

Future Dinner Host Volunteers are still needed. Call **AL GRZESCHIK** at 330-896-9261 to sign up.



**CALENDAR of EVENTS**

- Sept. 18 Magic City Kiwanis “Year End” Golf Outing; we have a four-some going.
- SEPT. 23 Special General Membership Meeting to vote on raising dues Committee Budget Proposal Request forms DUE**
- Sept. 25 Portage County Kiwanis Club Jewelry Bingo Game, 6-9 PM, Ravenna First Christian Church
- 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 Contact **VICKI KEPNES** AT 330-618-8795 to join her walking team or make a donation.
- Oct. 21 Rose Day Appreciation Dinner**

