

SEPT. 15, 2010 PLK NEWSLETTER

Vicki Kepnes, Editor

PRESIDENT FRANK SMITH called the meeting to order and led us in the Pledge of Allegiance. **SUE HARDING** led us in singing "God Bless America" and offered the invocation. Guests were: Chuck Seely, a prospective member.

BIRTHDAYS

JIM FRANCE **SEPT 18**

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

NONE

CLUB ANNIVERSARIES

NONE

HAPPY DOLLARS ☺

VICKI KEPNES was very happy that their store did not blow up after a gas leak caused by roofing workers at ACME accidentally disconnected the gas line to their roof heating/air-conditioning unit. They really dodged a bullet! **LARRY HUNTER** was thrilled with the turnout and success for the Fish Fry last week.

SUE HARDING was happy that Josie, her granddaughter had a substitute baby sitter today, so Grandma **SUE** could help in the Rose Office. Josie is teething and was a little antsy yesterday and daughter Lee came and picked her up early!! **SUE** then read a really funny **JOE KLOPE** story!!

COMMITTEE ANNOUNCEMENTS

VICKI KEPNES announced that plans are to have a clean out the freezer dinner on the 22nd, **which will be the Board Meeting Night**, and will be prepared from leftovers (we promise a great meal) and then on the 29th, which is the last night for clubs to turn in Rose Tickets, will be pizza!! Then in November Lukity's will be bringing in dinner for every meeting.

FLU SHOTS

Flu shots will be available at the Civic Center on Monday, October 25th from 10:00 to 12:00 noon. Call Debbie Fetzer at 330-926-5679 or Leslie Pickard at 330-926-5767 if you have any questions.

NEWS IN OUR KIWANIS FAMILY

Mike Hicks, Captain of Santa Route 7, father, Rich Hicks is in the hospital in critical condition after having knee replacement surgery. Please add him to your prayers as he really needs them at this time!!!

CORRESPONDENCE

A Thank you note was received from the Akron Pregnancy Services, thanking us for the wonderful gifts and the warm hospitality and especially the help of "POPPA" **HUSSER** who had already learned the art of getting everything in the back of the car!!!

We also got a note from Terri Evans, thanking us for the Annual Adults with Disabilities Boat Ride and how they had a wonderful ride and especially **GLEN SHEETS** for playing his ukulele and singing songs for them! They are looking forward to next Sept. 10, 2011!!!

We also heard a couple of e-mails from **DON REILLY** in Arizona who is working in the yard at the new house and visiting a couple of Kiwanis Clubs in the area and even found time to work on a project for one of them!! You go **DON!!!**

ENTERTAINMENT BOOKS

We now have Entertainment books available for Akron and Canton. Magic City Kiwanis and All-City are providing them to us and we will get a commission from Magic City for our sales. A great gift for friends and family!! \$30.00 each. Also at Akron Coin & Jewelry and CONNIE NAGY has them at Chase Bank on the corner of Manchester and Center Roads.

OFFICER OPENINGS

RUSSEL FRIESS and **CHARLIE KEPNES** have stepped up to be candidates for Civic Center positions. Please consider stepping up to help the club by taking a position to help us continue being the strong club we are!! We need a President-Elect, Vice-President, and next year Treasurer. We also have a couple of new openings; a couple of Board of Directors positions have opened up. If you would be willing to serve, please contact **AL GRZESCHIK** at 330-524-2979. This is a critical need right now. If you as a member have someone you think would be a good candidate for office, please speak to them and offer your help! **Officer Training Workshop for officers or anyone thinking about serving is provided by Kiwanis Ohio District next Sat. Sept. 18 at 9 AM in Copley.**

ROSE OFFICE HOURS

TOM BURGE announced that the Rose Office was opened officially open on Monday, Sept. 13th. If you can work in the Rose Office please call **TOM BURGE** 330-644-7342 or cell 760-641-9853, or call the Civic Center at 330-644-8967.

IT HAS BEEN NOTED THAT SOME MEMBERS HAVE NOT SOLD ANY ROSES..WE NEED EVERYONE'S HELP!!

CIVIC CENTER NEWS NOTICE:

WE HAVE REPLACED THE LOCKS ON THE BUILDING. WE WILL BE CONTACTING ALL GROUPS WHO USE THE BUILDING AND IF YOU ARE A MEMBER WHO NEEDS ACCESS TO THE BUILDING. CONTACT EITHER AL GRZESCHIK OR VICKI KEPNES AL...330-524-2979 OR VICKI...330-618-8795

SOUTH SUMMET ADULTS WITH DISABILITIES BOAT RIDE

What a success this one was. **DR. PHIL PINNOW** Announced that there were over 88 attending and they had to go get more sandwiches. **BONNIE SMITH, DEBBIE RUBINO AND GLEN SHEETS ALONG WITH DR. PHIL** rode on the boat. **JUANITA GEHM, VICKI & CHARLIE KEPNES** picked up and put together the lunches at the Civic Center. Thanks to everyone and especially **CONNIE NAGY** who helps plan this every year!!!

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

SEPT. 22 **BOARD MEETING/DINNER**

THIS IS A **SPECIAL** MEETING AND DATE IS CHANGED-ALL BOARD MEMBERS NEEDED!!!
THERE WILL BE MONEY MATTERS TO VOTE ON!

SEPT. 29 **REG. MEETING – ALL ROSE DUE!!!**

OCT. 6 **REGULAR MEETING/DINNER**
OCT. 13 **REGULAR MEETING/DINNER**
OCT. 20 **COMMITTEE NIGHT/DINNER**
OCT. 27 **BOARD NIGHT/DINNER**