



President **NATHAN BRANT** called the meeting to order and led everyone in Pledge of Allegiance; **SUE HARDING** led us in "My Country Tis of Thee", and offered the invocation. **FRANK SMITH** announced that there were no guests.

#### BIRTHDAYS

NONE

#### WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

**JOHN & Michelle SCHERMESSER OCT. 31**

#### CLUB ANNIVERSARIES

**SAM REYNOLDS 13 YEARS**



#### NEWS IN OUR KIWANIS FAMILY

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

#### HAPPY DOLLARS

**LARRY HUNTER** had two Happy Dollars, #1 for the fishing trip to Grand River and the 10lb Steel Head and 2-3/4lb Small Mouth Bass he caught. #2 dollar was for the fact that he is now the President of the Friends of the Park for Portage Lakes State Park.

**VICKI KEPNES** had a dollar to remind everyone that within the month, telemarketers will be able to call your cell phone and YOU will be charged for the call! If you want to be on the **DO NOT CALL** list, call **1-888-382-1222 ON YOUR CELL PHONE** to register your phone.

**TOM BURGE** announced that he is now the treasurer of the Friends of the Park and they will be filing to become a non profit organization and a 501C3!!

**SUE HARDING** was happy that Maggie had such a great time out and came home and went right to bed!!! She is having a great time with her grandchildren and they are helping her keep busy and running around which is helping with her Weight Watchers!!! She then shared a **JOE KLOPE** joke about a little boy with a very "itchy" problem and what his mother told him to do about it!!! This was one you REALLY needed to be there to enjoy!!

#### SANTA DELIVERY

It is hard to believe, but Santa Delivery is coming up very quickly. **BECKI COLE** reported that at this time she has only heard from three Route Captains who will be coming back this year. We need to hear from everyone who is going to be helping this year. If you have a Santa Suit, please let her know if you have everything you will need. **CONNIE NAGY** has volunteered to be in charge of the food. Thanks **CONNIE**, you always do such a great job. Route Captains should contact **BECKI** at the following phone 330-644-1239 or her e-mail [beckicole@att.net](mailto:beckicole@att.net) relative to their intentions for this year.

[PORTAGE LAKES CALENDARS \\$5.00 SEE TOM BURGE](#)

#### COMMITTEE INFORMATION

There are a few Committees needing a chairperson, Inter clubs and Spiritual Aims are just two of them. If you feel you would like to help with this. Stop in at a meeting and let us know what you are willing to do.

#### BOARD MEETING

We now have two new members to welcome into our Portage Lakes Kiwanis Family, Jeff Goodwin, and Kathy Caddell. Please make a point to welcome them. We are sad to hear that **PRESIDENT NATHAN BRANT** will be leaving us to take a position at a YMCA in Pennsylvania and will have to leave around November 20. If any member would be a candidate to assume the Presidents position for the remainder of the term, please contact **AL GRZESCHIK** at [al5198@hotmail.com](mailto:al5198@hotmail.com) or **330-896-9261**.

#### DINNER COMMITTEE

We will be meeting on November 4<sup>th</sup> for dinner at Rose Villa. Please contact **GLEN SHEETS** if you will be attending. His phone number is 330-644-6124. You can also contact **NATHAN BRANT** at [nathanb@akronymca.org](mailto:nathanb@akronymca.org) to reserve your place.

The next dinner out will be at the Firehouse Grille & Pub on Manchester Rd. This will be on the 18<sup>th</sup> and **BETTY SCHADL** will be firming up the menu and arrangements. Please call her if you will be attending as we need a count. Her phone # is 330-256-0777. Any questions, please contact either **VICKI KEPNES** at 330-618-8795, **BETTY SCHADL** 330256-0777, or **GLEN SHEETS**, 330-644-6124 Future plans are for a dinner meeting at Dietz's on December 2, and on the 16<sup>th</sup> a Christmas Dinner meeting at Prime at Anthes.

#### ACME COMMUNITY CASH BACK

Keep saving those Acme receipts and turn in to the Civic Center or drop off to **VICKI KEPNES** at Akron Coin & Jewelry!!!

#### CALENDAR of EVENTS

Nov. 4 <sup>th</sup>	<b>DINNER MEETING AT ROSE VILLA</b>
Nov. 7 <sup>th</sup>	Kent Kiwanis Night at the Races
Nov. 18 <sup>th</sup>	<b>DINNER MEETING AT FIREHOUSE PUB</b>
Nov. 25 <sup>th</sup>	NO MEETING/day before Thanksgiving.
Dec. 2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>DINNER MEETING AT DIETZ'S</b>
Dec. 9 <sup>th</sup>	Pizza/Pasta & salad
Dec. 16 <sup>th</sup>	<b>CHRISTMAS DINNER MEETING PRIME AT ANTHERS</b>
Dec. 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Surprise!