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Stand By Your Plan



This week's program: Anniversary of the Vietnam War, presented by **Colonel John R. Miller**, President of the Stone Wall Jackson Chapter of the Association of the United States Army. We're in the midst of the Commemoration of the 50th Anniversary of the Vietnam War. Ken Burns recently premiered his documentary on PBS and communities across the country have hosted commemorative events. Col. Miller has been leading many local initiative and this week at Kiwanis we're pleased to have him as our presenter. In honor of Veteran's Day, Col. Miller will recognize Vietnam Veterans with a special ceremony.

In addition to Col. Miller, we will host another presenter, Kathryn Mustard, LCSW. She is the Suicide Prevention Coordinator at the Veteran's Administration in Roanoke. She will talk briefly about some significant points of suicide prevention among our Veterans.

****PLEASE NOTE THIS WEEK'S MEETING WILL BEGIN AT 12:20PM TO ACCOMMODATE OUR AGENDA ****

Next Meeting – November 8

Opening Bell – President Don Witt

Welcome Table – Scott Jenkins

Invocation – Bill Logan

Song Leader – Judy Clark

Pledge of Allegiance – Eddie Barnes

Introduction of Guests – Scott Jenkins



Last Week's Speaker, Dr. Liz Ackley

Important Kiwanis Dates . . .

November 9, 2017 – Social Night @ Rodeo Grande @ 530pm

November 17, 2017 - Adult Care Center Thanksgiving Luncheon @ 11am

November 18, 2017 – Jefferson Street Clean-Up @ 9am @ Sweet Donkey Coffee

November 22, 2017 – Thanksgiving No Meeting

December 7, 2017 – Kiwanis Social Night – *A Christmas Story* @ Mill Mountain Theatre w/pre-show reception

December 20, 2017 – West End Center Holiday Party

December 27, 2017 – Christmas No Meeting

May 5, 2018 – KPAD

May 30, 2018 – Memorial Day No Meeting

July 4, 2018 – Independence Day No Meeting

So far this year we have raised \$439 for the Foundation; our goal is to beat last year's total of \$2,936. Who would like to make a \$2 brag (or more) today?

Up-Coming Programs

- ✓ **November 15** – Play & Create at the Taubman Museum – Cindy Peterson
- ✓ **November 22** – No Meeting –Happy Thanksgiving!
- ✓ **November 29** – Star City Reads – Sheila Umberger

Welcome! Geal Slough (Jackie Bledsoe); **Dewey Rotenberry**, Haley Toyota (Chuck Baker); and **Emily Hutchinson, Marissa Freeman, and Haley Sitz**, Roanoke College.



We Received a Special Commendation from Kiwanis for being the Club in the Capital District with the 2nd highest growth in membership last year. Way to go **Andy Stone** and **Pegram Johnson!**

Kiwanis 100th Anniversary Planning Committee – we are looking for a few good Kiwanians to serve on this committee to prepare for this important milestone for our Club. If interested please contact **Jenny Lee**.

Sweat Equity Opportunities! We have a volunteer opportunity – on **Friday, November 17 at 11am** we are serving a Thanksgiving lunch at the Adult Care Center in Salem. Contact **Don Chichester** to volunteer. On **Saturday, November 18** Robert Carpenter and Mike Shaver are organizing the **Jefferson Street Clean-Up, meet at 9am at Sweet**

Donkey Coffee to participate. **Wendy Mellenthin** is collecting **2018 calendars** to donate to veterans at the VA Hospital in Salem. Instead of throwing out calendars you receive in the mail from non-profit groups, please consider bringing them to the next Kiwanis meeting and giving to Wendy.

Social Events! The KFC Kiwanis Fun Crew – has scheduled another after work social evening. **Thursday, November 9th** we will be at Rodeo Grande (Valley View) at 530pm. **On December 7** we're having a special Club social for **A Christmas Story** at **Mill Mountain Theatre**. Our pre-show reception begins at 6pm. Tickets are \$50 per person, checks can be given to **John Montgomery or Larry Kufel**.

We're Really Excited to Announce that Haley Toyota will Sponsor KPAD for 2018!



MAKE JEFFERSON STREET CLEAN AGAIN

Saturday, November 18

Starting at 9:00 AM

Meet at the

Sweet Donkey Coffee Shop

(If you don't know where the Sweet Donkey Coffee Shop is then you are not "cool" enough to pick up trash)



KIWANIS CLUB OF ROANOKE VALENTINE'S CRUISE

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**PRICES ARE FROZEN FOR THE NEXT 2 WEEKS BUT THE GROUP WILL
BE OPEN UNTIL THE DAY OF SAILING**

**PLEASE CALL; AMY CARTER 540-484-3934 IF YOU HAVE ANY
QUESTIONS.**