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Love Thy Neighbor



This week our program is – Successful Re-Entry with Goodwill, presented by Arthur McDonald, Case Manager. Goodwill is dedicated to helping people with disabilities and disadvantages overcome barriers to employment. Their workforce development programs empower people to achieve and sustain independence. McDonald served a prison sentence prior to participating in the re-entry program. He was then hired as a donated goods processor and was quickly promoted to case manager for the program.

Up-Coming Programs

- ✓ **Mar 27** – General Assembly Report – Ken Briggs
- ✓ **April 3** – Feeding America SWVA – Pamela Irvine & Rick Morrison
- ✓ **April 10** – Quarterly First Responders Recognition

Next Meeting – March 20

Opening Bell – President Jenny Lee

Welcome Table – Mike O’Brochta

Invocation – Don Chichester

Song Leader – Gary Duerk

Pledge of Allegiance – John Pendleton

Introduction of Guests – Mike O’Brochta



Haley Toyota KPAD Kick Off Cake

Important Kiwanis Dates . . .

March 28, 2019 – *Mama Mia* social event @ Mill Mountain Theatre, reception @6pm, show @730pm

April 6, 2019 – Lick Run Greenway Clean Up for Clean Valley Day @9am

April 18, 2019 – Bowling FUNdraiser @Lee Hi Lanes @6pm

April 27, 2019 - Orvis Kid’s Fishing Day

May 2, 2019 – Prayer Breakfast @715am @ Kazim Temple, tickets \$7

May 11, 2019 – Haley Toyota KPAD @ Berglund Center

January 28, 2020 – Kiwanis Club of Roanoke’s 100th Anniversary

Who would like to make a \$2 brag (or more) today? We have received \$1,480 so far - \$3,253 is the number to beat for 2018-2019

March Birthdays

Mike McAllister (March 1)
Jack Thompkins (March 2)
Bruce Swanson (March 3)
Bill Stack (March 4)
Joyce Montgomery (March 5)
Wendy Mellenthin (March 10)
Don Wilson (March 11)
Reggie Wood (March 11)
David Lemon (March 15)
Ezra Amiss (March 18)

Harold Wiseman (March 18)
Preston Collins (March 19)
Donna Lynch (March 20)
Chris Banta (March 22)
Walter Vance (March 23)
Cheri Hartman (March 24)
Monica Seiler (March 24)
Dick Clemmer (March 27)
Dave Perry (March 30)
Bill Bestpitch (March 31)

Welcome Guests! **Richard Bennett**, Blue Ridge PBS (Jackie Bledsoe); **Billy Vincent**; **Joel Stover**, State Farm Insurance and **Steve Echols** (Bob Thomas); the **Phoenix Star AKtion Club**; and the **Roanoke Catholic Key Club**.

Welcome New Member! **Richard Thomas**, Hughes Associates Architects & Engineers (Don Witt)



Congratulations! **Luke Perry**, American National Bank (Sherry Dillon) received his permanent member badge.

SLP Corner: Several Key Club students from Division 15-B attended the 2019 Capital District convention in Baltimore on March 15-17. They saw and learned much about the Key Club world outside of Roanoke as well as enjoying some time on the Inner Harbor. At the convention our local Candice Mulinda, 15-B Lt. Gov. and frequent visitor this year to our Wednesday meetings, was presented the Governor's Award as the one Lt. G. (out of 19) who the outgoing Governor selected as the most helpful in service to him during the past year. Twelve Key Club officers from our sponsored clubs were recognized as distinguished officers and Laureen Starkey of Northside was recognized as the outstanding club member in the Division. The Key Club ICON (International Convention) will be held in Baltimore this summer. Hopefully some of our local student leaders will be in attendance.

Kiwanis FUN Committee Events & Fundraisers: We have a lot of fun activities coming up for Kiwanians and their friends – on March 28 we'll be at Mill Mountain Theatre for **Mamma Mia** – pre-show reception at the Harrison Museum, contact **Larry Kufel** for tickets; on April 18 we are **bowling at Lee Hi Lanes!** Tickets are \$15 and half the proceeds will go toward the Kiwanis Centennial Playground, contact **Tim Mulherin**



KPAD Update: Our Hayley Toyota Kiwanis Pancake and Auction Day ticket sales have officially been Kicked Off. Our goal is to raise more money than last year, raise community awareness about our Club, increase our Club membership, and raise the esprit de corps within our Club. This is fun with a purpose. This year's theme is "**Climb to the Top.**" Our teams are: **Dynamic Denali Climbers** (Lois James Captain, Paige Darby Co-Captain), **Dragoon's Toothies** (David Lemon Captain), **Echo Peaks** (J.C. Taylor Captain, Gary Powers Co-Captain), **Himalayan Hangdogs** (Don Wilson Captain), **Kilimanjaro Crazyies** (Luke Young Captain, Sherry Dillon Co-Captain), and **Vinson van Goghs** (Henry Jernigan Captain, Jeanne Bollendorf Co-Captain).

All Club members have been assigned to a team and should be selling tickets, distributing lunch meeting invitation cards, putting up KPAD posters, and following the ticket selling tips sheet; resupply available from **Team Captains**. Club members should also be donating auction items (**Diane Smith**), volunteering (**Jeff Leatherwood**), donating charity bound tickets (**John Pendleton and Betsy Bohannon**), and handing in ticket sales money weekly prior to the start of our Club meetings (**Nancy Hack and Sherry Dillon**). Ticket sales reporting will begin soon. We are expecting to serve over 2,000 pancake breakfasts at the May 11 KPAD event at The Berglund Center.

Sweat Equity Opportunities: Clean Valley Day - April 6, from 9am-12pm the environment committee is looking for volunteers to participate in a clean-up of the Lick Run Greenway from Washington Park to Target at Valley View. **this clean-up activity may be adjusted to involve clean-up in and around Washington Park, stay tuned for more info** **The Blue Ridge Marathon is on Saturday April 13** and our Club will be assisting with the race by providing volunteers on race day. It is a perfect sweat equity opportunity for us to show support a community-wide event while earning funds for our Centennial Year efforts! Please use the link below to register as a volunteer. When signing up, please select "Kiwanis" in the drop down menu. Also, please consider being a course marshal as each volunteer group is required to sign up for a few of these shifts.

<https://www.blueridgemarathon.com/spectators/volunteer/> if you have any questions, please contact **Mike McEvoy** at 283-2904 or mike.mcevoy@westernvawater.org.

Rubber Chicken! Pam Adams was the big winner!



The National Day of Prayer (which ours coincides with) brings together thousands of people across the country in prayer. There is power in conscious company, and if there was ever a time in our history that the power of prayer was needed it is now!

Tim Mulhern will be in the foyer at Wednesday meetings with tickets. Those of you who have sold tickets please bring the money and ticket stubs to Tim. Please remember to fill out the stubs with attendee's name and faith preference.



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Join Kiwanis as we celebrate our annual

Interfaith Prayer Breakfast

Thursday, May 2, 2019 7:15am-8:30am \$7.00

Kazim Temple

628 Campbell Avenue Roanoke VA
(free parking in back)

Join us in learning about the many faiths in the Roanoke Valley.
Ministers of different faiths will facilitate discussions at each table.

*Our Keynote Speaker for 2019 is Rabbi Jama Pursur from Beth Israel Synagogue.
Music provided by Bernadette (BJ) Brown from Green Temple Holiness Church.*



For tickets contact any Kiwanian or call _____ and leave a message.