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Club #4798 District 7120

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President's Announcements

Last Thursday was National Ding-a-ling Day - a day to RING your BELL. On this day you are encouraged to call the people you haven't heard from in a while. The chocolate bells on our tables reminded us to be a ding-a-ling and make a call. Prize winners were Jean Williams who knew that Gingerbread houses originated in Germany and Kimberly Meeks who knew the tradition of poinsettias came from Mexico.

President - Holly Kreuser
 President-Elect - Donna Johnson
 President Nominee - Melissa Correia
 Secretary - Marc Kreuser
 Treasurer - Bruce Chambers
 Sgt At Arms - Karen Quartaro
 Foundation Chair - Fred Hicks
 Immediate P President - Linda Werts
 Asst District Governor - Kevin Mooney
 District Governor - David Hannan



Upcoming Programs and Events

Dec 19 - NHS Chorus
 Dec 26 - NO MEETING
 Jan 2 - Open Meeting
 Jan 7 - Service Committee Meeting
 Jan 9 - President Holly
 Jan 14 - Membership Committee

Paul Harris Fellow



DG
Dave

Hannan and Foundation Chairman Fred Hicks presented another Paul Harris to Mary Jo Fenyn. Our club is proud to have presented 119 Paul Harris awards.

Upcoming Club Meeting Responsibilities

Date	Greeter	Cashier	Invocation
Dec 19	Gail Vanderbrook	Karen Vanderbrook	Karen Vanderbrook
Dec 26	No Meeting!	Boxing Day	
Jan 2	TBA	TBA	TBA
Jan 9	Alicia Vazquez	Coke Veith	TBA
Jan 16	Jim Weiler	Marty Wemett	TBA
Jan 23	Kurt Werts	Linda Werts	TBA
Jan 30	Art Williams	Jean Williams	TBA

Annual Meeting

NEW CLUB BY-LAWS

Bob Bendix explained - there are a few things still to fix on the revised by-laws that were distributed to all members. If you have any questions please e-mail Marc Kreuser. We will be voting on them at next week's board meeting and then we will vote on them at our lunch meeting on December 19th.

ELECTION OF CLUB OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

Club Officers 2020-2021

President Donna Johnson

President-Elect Melissa Correia

President Nominee Mitch Ruffalo

Secretary Jeff Patchen

Treasurer Kevin Mooney

Board of Directors 2020-2023

Mary Jo Fenyn

Frank Russell

Adam Casper

COMMITTEE REPORTS

CLUB SERVICE - MELISSA CORRIEA

\$2,000 was put toward International grants, \$500 for Night to Shine, \$500 for Laurel House, \$100 for the Girl Scouts, \$500 for the Free Lunch program, \$100 for the deaf school in Zambia. Dave Hannan contributed monies for the literacy program. Thanks to Gary Reilly for his calendar of events.

FUNDRAISING - JAN HENCE

Jan is beginning the long journey of Pancake breakfast plans.

FOUNDATION - FRED HICKS

Annual foundation fundraising has begun. A new graph was made to replace the thermometer(he lost!). Please give Fred a check when the spirit moves you.

MEMBERSHIP - DONNA JOHNSON

This year's goal is to induct 15 new members. Three are in so far with 2 more to be inducted next Tuesday. 2 more applicants are being considered.

YOUTH SERVICES - MICHELE MCMANUS

Ramone will be moving in with his next host family - the Bendix's. Carson Jordan is doing better in Slovakia. Russ Harris mentioned that there were only 9 outbounds in all the clubs this year. Alicia Vazquez has been working with Interact who will be bell-ringing on Saturday from 3-5. At our next meeting Ramone will tell us about Christmas in Switzerland.

SERGEANT AT ARMS - KAREN QUARTARO

\$660 has been spent so far this year. Please be sure to get a sub if you are unable to fulfill your weekly duties.

TREASURER'S REPORT

With a budget of \$37,000 we have so far spent \$29,000. Over all, Bruce feels we are doing well. Hill Cumorah's event brought in around \$10,000 this year. Next year will be the last year for this event. This fundraiser will be sorely missed. Bruce has done a great job as treasurer and is happy to be passing the baton to Kevin Mooney.

Club Announcements

RAMON described his trip to NYC as a dream come true! He saw the Rockettes, Liberty Island and the 9-11 Museum.

DAVE DOEBLER announced the final tally for the Bell Ringing was \$1,400.

ANN ROGERS as co-ordinator, thanked all bell ringing participants. Still need volunteers for December 21,23, and 24th.

MARK KLYCZEK from Newark Wayne Hospital, announced that he was leaving Newark and taking a job in Virginia. Pat Albrecht described Mark as the flame behind the fire in his work at Laurel House. He will be missed.

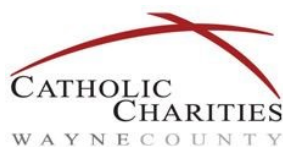
Wellness Report

Helmuth's latest test was a myelogram of his spinal cord. Mike DeJohn fractured his hip. Bob Havrilla's brother died. Keep these three in your thoughts.

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**Fred & Trudy
Hicks**



Linda Werts

