

KIWANIS CLUB OF AMES, IOWA

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BULLETIN

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OCTOBER 16TH PROGRAM

Paul Domoto. Bhutan: Land of the Thunder Dragon.

Club member Paul Domoto will tell us about Bhutan, also known as the “Living Edens.”

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Trunk or Treat.** Join Mike Miller and Cynthia Gaunt for this fun and safe Halloween activity. Decorate your vehicle, load the trunk with non-candy treats, and distribute the treats on Thursday, October 29th, 5:00pm to 7:00pm, Eastwood Apartments on East 7th.
- **Cards for the Troops.** In November, we will take some time during our regular meeting to prepare Christmas cards to send to military personnel serving overseas.
- **KI Dues Increase.** Kiwanis International has raised dues per member by \$10/per year. Our Board of Directors voted to retain our current dues structure.
- **Volunteer Opportunity.** On Saturday, November 21st, NetFest needs volunteers during their basketball games. Proceeds will benefit the Iowa Games.
- **Makeup Assignments.** Kiwanis International has expanded their definition of a make up for missing a regular meeting: Terms are generous. Information is posted on our web site.
- **Interclubs.** This Kiwanis year, we hope to repeat our accomplishment of attending all clubs in Division 11.
 - 16 members and their spouses attended the installation of Jody Melcher as the NE-IA Governor. Jody’s theme for this year is: Dream, Believe, Achieve. She is especially looking forward to the installation of a new Kiwanis club in Huxley.
- **Position Opening.** Beginning October, 2016 our club will need a new Treasurer. Contact Mike Miller.
- **Committee Chairs.** Please send volunteer hours and other statistics to Geri Derner (see attached). Please send list of members on the committee to Mike Miller.
- **Membership Challenge.** Prior to December 25th, bring in the most guests seeking membership to win fabulous prizes. Upcoming weekly programs will be posted to our web site to help you plan that perfect first visit to our club.

PROJECT REPORTS

- **Food Shelf.** Volunteers are needed! Contact Bernie White for more details. We are working with Hy-Vee on potential food drives.
 - Thank you to Carl and Ginny Anderson, Cynthia Gaunt, Ken Larson, Gary and Sue Osweiler, and Don and Mary Ellen Wishart for helping Bernie collect food each week.
- **Project Eliminate.** Kiwanis International has joined with USAID and UNICEF to Eliminate Maternal-Neonatal Tetanus.
 - Ask Gary Wade how to become a Zeller or Centennial Award recipient.
 - Maeann Unser challenges us to contribute 100 coins (of any denomination) for each year we participate in this project.
- **Gift Wrap.** We will have the same location at the same rental fee with the North Grand Mall. Save boxes (non-food containers). Contact Cathy Krebs and Geri Derner.
- **Pancake Committee.** The committee is meeting and setting up our plans for 2016. Co-Chairs are Lauris Olson and Bob Currie.
- **Knickels for Kids.** We are seeking a volunteer to pick up and deliver cans/bottles for October. Contact Cathy Krebs.
- **Apple Sales.** Apple Czar Paul Domoto reports that the crop looks to be in good shape for this year. We are selling Chieftains and Golden and Red Delicious apples, along with cider and dumplings.
 - **Apple descriptions and order forms are ready.** See attached.
 - Delivery day is Friday: November 13th.
 - We need a final count by Friday, October 30th.
- **Heartland Senior Services.** HSS seeks volunteers for their at-home meal delivery system. The route requires about one hour. Contact Geri Derner.
- **Teen Maze.** The dates for this upcoming year are April 4-8. Volunteers are sought for the planning committee. Contact Bob Currie and Ronnie Lindeman.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Web Site: Type into the browser address bar: amesnoonkiwanis.org.

Facebook. www.facebook.com/KiwanisClubsOfAmes.

Roster: See: "Member Login" on our web site. (Name: Roster. Password: Roster1200).

COMMITTEES

- **AKtion Club.** The club will meet next on Tuesday, October 20th, 4:00 p.m., Ames Public Library. Contact Ed Gillott.
- **Circle K Club.** The new president, Mikayla Sullivan (AHS graduate; former recipient of a scholarship from our club), is preparing for a successful year for the club.
 - The next general meeting is scheduled for Wednesday, October 14th, 5:30 p.m., East Hall 113. Contact Ted MacDonald.

KIWANIS FOUNDATION

The Kiwanis Foundation serves the children of Ames by providing college scholarships to high school seniors who excel in serving our community and who require financial assistance to further their education. Please return your pledge card with a generous donation (see attached). Contact Cathy Krebs or John Core for details.

OCTOBER 9TH PROGRAM

Cathy Krebs: My Year As President

Cathy pointed out that we experienced a rewarding year serving the children of Ames, Iowa. She noted that we love being Kiwanians; we love being a part of this club; and we share this love with others every day. Kiwanis: We live it! Cathy reminded us that the club accomplishments during this past year were not about just her, but reflected the hard work and dedication we all share to serve children. We received 100 candy bars, each listing a Kiwanis activity or program that took place during this past year. How sweet it is!

Thank you, Cathy Krebs, for leading us during a wonderful year!

KIWANIANS IN ACTION



Division 11 Lt. Governor Andy Webb installing new president Mike Miller

Past-president Cathy Krebs accepts her appreciation plaque for her year of presidential service.



Ames Noon Kiwanis member Gary Wade provided a celebration cake to help fellow members celebrate surpassing the five-year club contribution goal to help eliminate maternal neonatal tetanus (MNT) worldwide. Noon Kiwanis contributions of more than \$30,000 are helping eliminate worldwide deaths of 60,000 babies and 20,000 mothers each year. Kiwanis International has raised more than \$100 million to protect women and babies in 40 countries. To date the Kiwanis project has saved more than five million lives worldwide.

KIWANIANS IN ACTION



Ames Noon Kiwanis recently installed new club officers for the coming year. Left to right are president Mike Miller, president-elect Bill Bossenberger, secretary Geri Derner, vice-president Cynthia Gaunt, past-president Cathy Krebs, and treasurer John Core.








Ames Noon Kiwanis members have earned Zeller Award medals to recognize their financial support for the world-wide Kiwanis Project Eliminate: MNT effort to eradicate maternal neonatal tetanus (MNT). Zeller medals recognize an individual member contribution of \$1250 toward the MNT project. Total Ames Noon Kiwanis contributions total more than \$30,000, which can save 17,000 lives, all part of a \$110 million dollar goal of Kiwanis International. Zeller winners are (back row) Mike Miller, Bob Currie, Roger Lawrence, Bill Bossenberger, Gary Wade, Cathy Krebs, Geri Derner, and Jack Cleasby. (Front row) Steve Sapp, Wally Schloerke, Anne Schmitt, and Lynell Dougherty.

Kiwanis Club of Ames 2015 Apple Sales Project

RETAIN THIS FORM FOR YOUR RECORDS AND DELIVERY

Kiwanian:

				
<p>APPLE CIDER from Deal's Orchard, Jefferson. Flash pasteurized to retain the natural flavors of the fruit. (Contains preservatives)</p>	<p>APPLE DUMPLINGS from Community Orchard, Ft. Dodge. Frozen and packaged for 3 or 5 servings, they will keep all year long and are easily prepared for any occasion.</p>	<p>CHIEFTAIN A firm textured apple developed at ISU. Suitable for eating fresh or baking. A local favorite.</p>	<p>RED DELICIOUS Discovered in Iowa. A sweet apple suitable for eating fresh or in salads.</p>	<p>GOLDEN DELICIOUS An all-around apple suitable for eating fresh, baking or drying. Its flesh is resistant to browning.</p>

THIS KIWANIS CLUB OF AMES FUNDRAISER IS FOR LOCAL AGENCIES THAT SUPPORT OUR CHILDREN

SOLD TO	ADDRESS	PHONE	CIDER (1 gal) \$8.00	Dumplings		Chieftain		Red Delicious		Golden Del.	
				3 pack \$10.00	5 pack \$15.00	½ peck \$8.00	1 peck \$14.00	½ peck \$8.00	1 peck \$14.00	½ peck \$8.00	1 peck \$14.00
TOTAL Number of each item Sold:											

Cider \$8.00 Gal. Dumplings: \$10.00 for 3-pk, or \$15.00 for 5-pk Apples: \$8.00/ ½ peck, or \$14.00/peck (peck=10 lb)
DELIVERY WILL BE ON FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13th.



Kiwaniis 2015 Apple Sales Project Customer Receipt

Name: _____

Phone: _____

Item:	Quantity	Price	Amount Due
Cider	1 gal	X \$8	
Dumplings	3 pkg	X \$10	
Dumplings	5 pkg	X \$15	
Chieftain	½ peck	X \$8	
Chieftain	peck	X \$14	
Red Delicious	½ peck	X \$8	
Red Delicious	peck	X \$14	
Golden Delicious	½ peck	X \$8	
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Donations:			
TOTAL DUE			

Funds raised by our apple sales project are used to sponsor a wide variety of facilities and activities that serve the needs of young people in our community.

Thank You for supporting the
KIWANIS CLUB OF AMES



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Kiwanis 2015 Apple Sales Project

Sales turn in Sheet

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Phone: _____

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Donations:			
TOTAL DUE			

Make a duplicate copy

**Turn in this portion to Larry Zwagerman
or Paul Domoto by October 30st**

Or send it to Larry by e-mail: zwagerman2@gmail.com

DELIVERY DATE IS FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13TH

Cut Here

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TOTAL DUE			

Retain this portion and turn it in with your Apple Sales receipts

Turn into:

Larry Zwagerman or Paul Domoto before distribution day,
John Core after distribution day

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Kiwanis Committee Chairs

You a valuable source of information for the club monthly reports. I can only begin to *guess* what kind of work goes on with each of the committees every month. Some are active only a short time each year, others are busy every day and every week. When I complete the report I focus on fundraising and service, as well as administrative activities that keep our club strong.

With that in mind, I would like to be sure I accurately report OUR CLUB ACTIVITY in the monthly report that goes to Kiwanis International.

So here is my request of you, the committee chairs. **At the end of each month, please provide me with 2 numbers:**

- how many **total members** were involved in activities for your committee (if someone does something more than once, count it each time; we are looking for total peoplepower, not just number of individuals)
- how many **total hours** were spent on activities for your committee (be sure to include time for planning, calling, emailing, research, printing, delivering, signing up helpers - whatever it takes to get the job done; count *your* time as committee chair as well as any work done by others for your committee)
- I really do not need any more detail than this as the report focuses on numbers, not stories. We can save those for the Bulletin!

I ask you to be generous while remaining accurate. Give yourself (and our club) credit for all the time and effort that goes into our projects. Please feel free to ask questions. I don't want this to be a burden for you, but I do want to have an accurate reflection of the good work we do and the great people who do it. I look forward to hearing from you at the end of the month so we can get the year started right with our first report. THANKS for all you do for our Kiwanis Club!

Proud to serve as your Secretary,
Geri D
515-290-1308



Name: _____

Address: _____

Kiwanis Club of Ames City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Foundation Pledge Card

I would like to contribute \$ _____ to the Kiwanis Club of Ames Foundation and I pledge to pay by:

- Enclosed check for the full amount. Please make checks out to: **Kiwanis Club of Ames Foundation**
- Credit Card: Account #: _____ Exp. _____ Vin # _____
- Monthly payments of \$ _____ per month for _____ months (*Please no more than 12*) paid by:
 - check or credit card (please fill out above credit card information and it will be run monthly on the 15th)
- Please add \$ _____ to my quarterly Kiwanis Bill until my pledge is completed.

**Please return pledge card to: John Core, 3006 Briggs Circle, Ames, Iowa 50010 or
Hand in at a Friday meeting to Ted, Geri, or John.**

Any questions please contact John at 515.233.1014

All donations are tax deductible and may qualify for the Endow Iowa Tax Credit Program.