

KIWANIS CLUB OF AMES, IOWA

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BULLETIN

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DECEMBER 4TH PROGRAM

Altrusa Holiday Home Tour

Altrusa International of Ames will talk about its Annual Holiday Home Tour. Proceeds from the tour support the Emergency Residents Project, YSS Kids Club, and Story County Dental Clinic. A portion of the proceeds also go to scholarships for women returning to school, a study abroad scholarship for a college student, and a high school service award.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

December Birthdays!

5: Lynell Dougherty

23: John Clark

- **Thank you!** Thank you to these Kiwanians and friends, who worked at Food at First this past Monday evening: John Clark, Carl Anderson, Ginny Anderson, Cynthia Gaunt, Paul Domoto, Don Wishart, Mary Ellen Wishart, Ralph Yoder, Bernie White, Jack Cleasby, Jerry Chase, Neal Dietz, and Lynell Dougherty. We served Baked Chicken, Stir-fry Veggies, Rice, Mixed Fruit, Dinner Rolls and Pecan or Apple Pie to 78 persons.
- **Volunteer Opportunity.** Volunteers are needed to serve food at the annual Holiday Luncheon, Wednesday, December 16th. Contact Cynthia Gaunt.
- **Interclubs.** This Kiwanis year, we hope to repeat our accomplishment of attending all clubs in Division 11.
- **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.
- **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.

TREASURER NEEDED

Beginning October, 2016 our club will need a new Treasurer. Contact Mike Miller.

PROJECT REPORTS

- **Food Shelf.** Volunteers are needed! Contact Bernie White for more details. We are working with Hy-Vee on potential food drives.
 - Our service is extremely valuable to the Ames community because we collect such a large volume of food.
 - Thank you to Carl and Ginny Anderson, Cynthia Gaunt, Ken Larson, Doug and Kris Meinhard, Gary and Sue Osweiler, Gary Wade, 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.
 - This past week, our "Hats Off" collection brought in \$42.
 - Gary Wade has become our newest Centennial Award recipient!
 - Ask Ted MacDonald 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 are set up and ready to wrap at the North Grand Mall.
 - Sign up now for a shift. Use the hand out sheets at tables each Friday or go online.
 - Go to <https://members.portalbuzz.com/Member/User/Login?ReturnUrl=%2fMember> and log in. If you have not registered with Kiwanis International in the past, click on Register and complete the online Kiwanis International Registration.
 - Under the heading "Meetings and events", scroll to the day you wish to volunteer and click on the "Signup" button.
 - Scroll to the shift you wish to work that day and click on the "Sign up member" button to complete your sign up. If you are signing up a nonmember, click on a "Sign up guest" button and complete the sign up.
 - 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.
 - The next meeting of the committee will be held on Friday, December 11th, 11:00 a.m. at the Ames Golf and Country Club.
- **Knickels for Kids.** Volunteer needed for a December collection.
- **Apple Sales.** Turn in your money as soon as possible.
- **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, Nancy Kaltenheuser, or 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, December 15th 4:00 p.m., First United Methodist Church, for their Holiday Party. Contact Ed Gillott.
- **Circle K Club.** The next general meeting is scheduled for Sunday, December 6th, 12pm to 2pm. Caroling at Northcrest Community Center. Luncheon afterwards. Meet at the community room downstairs.
 - ISU Circle K Club had the most members attend the Falliday Event in Omaha, NE.

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 Mike Miller or John Core for details.

NOVEMBER 27TH PROGRAM

Thanksgiving Meeting

Club members answered some trivia questions, along with some holiday ice-breaker questions.

KIWANIANS IN ACTION

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