GOVERNOR’S PROJECT MAKES CAMP WAWBEEEK EVEN MORE ACCESSIBLE

By Kim Boyer, Director of Marketing and Communications, Easter Seals Wisconsin

The Wisconsin-Upper Michigan Kiwanis District has been supportive of Easter Seals Wisconsin’s Camp Wawbeek for many years. The camp serves children and adults with disabilities in Wisconsin Dells. From donating money for camperships to helping with Governor’s Projects like our new swimming pool, your support is always appreciated.

Governor Jim Burmeister has continued this generous tradition with his Governor’s Project, which funded the purchase of a six-person “people mover” golf cart to be used at Camp Wawbeek. Thanks to Kiwanis, the cart made it to camp this summer and was put to good use!

The vehicle will help with transporting campers and visitors throughout the camp’s 400 acres. Hopefully, you will have the chance to visit and get a tour on the great new people mover. Governor Burmeister has already had the opportunity to test out the golf cart when he visited Camp Wawbeek this summer, taking a few of our campers around for a ride.

Thank you, Governor Jim and the entire Kiwanis family, for making this project a reality. We look forward to seeing what great things Camp Wawbeek and Kiwanis members can accomplish together in the future.
Message from the Governor

SHOUT FROM THE ROOF TOPS...KIDS NEED KIWANIS & KIWANIS NEEDS YOU!

By John Collins, 2016-2017 WI-UM Kiwanis District Governor

Let me start this column as your Governor by thanking outgoing Governor Jim Burmeister and his wife, Fay. They are a great example of a committed Kiwanis family. Fay serves the Wisconsin-Upper Michigan Kiwanis District as the Builders Club Administrator. Jim has done just about everything that a Kiwanis leader can do. They are great people who will remain active in Kiwanis. For them it is a passion.

Kiwanis is an organization that has clubs across the globe. When I attend a Kiwanis International event, it is always educational to meet with fellow Kiwanians from Europe and Asia. One of the things that I have learned is that we all have common challenges but are drawn together as one Kiwanis family interested in making life better for kids in our communities.

The WI-UM Kiwanis District represents 157 clubs across two states. My club meets on the shore of Lake Michigan just 50 miles north of Chicago. Members in the Copper Country club meet near the shore of Lake Superior in Michigan's upper peninsula. Our district has over 4,400 members and many thousands more who serve the Kiwanis family through Circle K, Key Club, Builder’s Club, K-Kids and AKtion Club. All of these diverse people are bound together by a strong desire to help kids.

The Kiwanis family has virtually eliminated neonatal tetanus in third-world countries. From Bangladesh to Zimbabwe, pain and suffering has been reduced, babies have been saved and hundreds of thousands of lives have been improved.

Just a few weeks ago, Camp Wawbeek received a new vehicle with which to transport campers with mobility challenges. This was Jim Burmeister’s Governor’s Project. I jokingly call it the “Burmeister bus”.

In my town, Kiwanians deliver hundreds of holiday food baskets to needy families, run the Kiwanis youth baseball league for teens, provide food for the homeless and help the local women’s shelter. For kids in my hometown, these are life changing, inspiring and memorable things.

When my son aged out of the local little league program, he needed a place to play ball. Thanks to dedicated members of the local Kiwanis club, our son had an outlet for his energy and a place for his dreams while Gayle and I had a team to root for in the Kiwanis league.

Our iPads for Autism program has raised over $350,000 and delivered more than 813 iPads to children on the autism spectrum in Wisconsin and Upper Michigan. Each of these devices has had a real impact on the life of a real child in a real family right here in our district. I remember the smiles when Lynn Messer delivered over 20 iPads to kids at a meeting of my club. It was a grand example of what Kiwanis does best... helping kids.

For kids that take part in the Union Grove Bike Rodeo, or get a book from the Portage Kiwanis bookworm, or play in an accessible playground built by Wautoma Kiwanians, or ride on a therapeutic horse named “Kiwanis” in the Chippewa Valley, Kiwanis is an important part of their lives. Kiwanis does great things for kids. We are proud, and we should be. We should shout it from the roof tops.

As we enter the 2016-2017 Kiwanis year, we are seeing great challenges ahead of us. Our membership is in decline and aging. That has resulted in more reliance on fewer people to support our mission.

So what are we going to do about that? We need to organize, organize, organize. We need to hit the bricks, knock on doors and make contacts, sign up people and reinvigorate our clubs. We need to work toward a common goal of building Kiwanis into what it can be: a growing group of people committed to helping kids far...continued on page four
Message from the Immediate Past Governor

JIM BURMEISTER FEELS HONORED TO HAVE SERVED AS WI-UM GOVERNOR

By James Burmeister, 2015-2016 WI-UM Kiwanis District Governor

My year as Governor is over. I say year, but it really is a two-year deal. With training, meetings, and especially working with the Key Club and Circle K Board of Directors, since their years are offset from ours, the Governor is fully involved for two years.

I have so many people to thank for helping me these past two years. First, my wife, Fay, who was supportive of my efforts. Thanks to Past Governor Anna Bruhn who worked with me during her year as Governor as well as mine. Thanks to Mark Finger who has tremendous patience to work with and guide so many different leaders. Thanks to the Lt. Governors and all the chairs for working with me. Thanks to our Kiwanis International Trustee, Barb Thompson, for her guidance. Thanks to the iPlan Team of Mark Finger, John Collins, Justin Hahn, Jim Sanderson, Dale Vannes, Lena Scheibengraber and Margaret Rudolph.

Special thanks to the Service Leadership Program (SLP) Administrators Janet DeGroot, Kathy Gillis, Fay Burmeister, Emily Condon, Charles Zarnoth and Justin Hahn. They do a tremendous job. If anyone wonders why their club should be a part of Kiwanis International, they need look no further than the SLP programs. Last, but certainly not least, thank you to all the members who supported me.

We did not get everything done I had hoped to. Our membership is still declining and we must continue to address this. We still have clubs that have not given to The Eliminate Project. Even if you have not so far pledged anything, it is not too late to contribute. We were able to get our District I-Plan finished and approved by the House of Delgates. The I-Plan will guide our efforts for years to come.

The Key Leader program was a great success again this year thanks to administrator Justin Hahn and his team. He will now have to step down from this program to take on the roles of Governor-elect and Governor. He leaves the Key Leader program in great shape.

We were able to meet the goal or purchasing the six-passenger people mover golf cart for Camp Wawbeek. Thank you to all the clubs that made this possible. I got to drive the cart with campers in the Wo-Zha-Wa parade, representing both Kiwanis and Camp Wawbeek.

I was able to accomplish my personal goal of walking 1,500 miles and losing 25 pounds to earn (from my wife) a Centennial Pin representing a $1,500 donation to The Eliminate Project. I initially thought it would take me two years and my pledge started at 1,250 miles. My goal became more attainable and even increased and I was able to walk 1,525 miles in one year and lost the weight half way through. Set your goals high. You may be able to do more than you thought if you work at it.

I will continue to help John during his year as Governor as well as Justin in his. It has been an honor and privilege to have served you this year as Governor.

#kidsneedkiwanis #kiwanisneedsyou

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Message from the Governor-elect

GOVERNOR-ELECT JUSTIN HAHN LIVES KIWANIS ‘EIGHT DAYS A WEEK’

By Justin Hahn, 2016-2017 WI-UM Kiwanis District Governor-elect

Greetings Kiwanians! My name is Justin Hahn and I am your 2016-2017 Governor-elect. I am a proud member of the Waterford Area Kiwanis Club. I wanted to take a moment and introduce myself to all of you and reintroduce myself to those who already know me.

My journey in the Kiwanis family started in high school where I was a Key Club member. Upon entering Carthage College, I joined Circle K and served as club treasurer and president, followed by terms as the Southeast Lt. Governor and, ultimately, the Circle K District Governor. Upon graduation, I joined the Waterford Area Kiwanis Club, and served three terms as Division 2 Lt. Governor, 12 years in a leadership role for Key Leader and many terms as the District Education Chair. I am still very involved with Circle K and am serving my eighth term as Assistant District Administrator.

Aside from my Kiwanis family involvement, I am employed with Belair Cantina restaurant as a general manager. I am happily married and live in Waukesha. I have a huge obsession for British culture which is clearly reflected in my favorite band of all-time, the Beatles. I am also obsessed with the Brewers and Packers and can be found at Miller Park when not at work. I am passionate about bright and crazy socks and shoes, so don’t be afraid to stop and ask me what I’m wearing.

I am excited for the future of Wisconsin-Upper Michigan Kiwanis. There are already great things in motion this year and I look forward to continuing to help this District achieve even more in the coming years. I would love to visit your club or division, and if there is ever anything I can do to help you, please don’t hesitate to contact me. Let’s make the Wisconsin-Upper Michigan Kiwanis District the strongest it has ever been.

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into the future. It starts with smart planning. We will plan a lot of organizational work in the coming years.

The program is called The Formula and, with your help, it will produce a reinvigorated Kiwanis organization. The Formula will grow our current clubs and plant new ones in under served areas. We will provide help to clubs that have temporarily run out of steam. We will reach out to new generations and find ways for them to serve that may not mirror the ways that you and I are used to.

One aspect of reinvigorating clubs is for every club to have a signature project – the kind of project that the community identifies with the club. In other words, each club needs a purpose for its existence. Nothing inspires people to join a club like the energy that comes with sharing a mission. Kiwanis bonds are often forged standing around a pancake griddle or swinging a hammer at a playground build. Folks want to join a club that does something rather than a coffee group. The energy is attractive and infectious. That sense of shared mission is what creates and sustains clubs.

I look forward to serving as your governor. Hopefully, we can energize and grow our clubs, do good for the kids in our communities and around the world.

And hopefully, we’ll have a little fun along the way.

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Kiwanians care. We come together to change children’s lives while serving our communities. The Kiwanis International Foundation is where we extend our Kiwanis impact.

When you donate to the Kiwanis Children’s Fund, you help Kiwanians around the world reach children near and far in ways they couldn’t otherwise afford.

Your gift to the Kiwanis Children’s Fund helps our foundation provide grants to Kiwanis clubs, districts and district foundations and those grants help them fund life-changing projects and programs close to members’ hearts. Your gifts also help our foundation support Kiwanis Service Leadership Programs, bringing the joy of service and leadership to Kiwanis-family members of all ages. Our district received more than $1,000 from the International Foundation for the Key Leader program.

The District is an important part of the Kiwanis family. Members’ support is crucial to our foundation’s mission. Give today . . . and help change the lives of children around the world.

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KIWANIS AUTISM PROJECT IS OFFICIAL DISTRICT SIGNATURE PROJECT

By Lynn Messer, 2012-2013 WI-UM Kiwanis District Governor and Chair, Kiwanis Autism Project

At the Kiwanis District Convention in August, the Kiwanis Autism Project was approved as the 2016-2017 District Signature Project. This is great news for a project that has been active for four years and has benefited more than 800 children diagnosed with some form of autism. The iPads granted have made drastic changes in these children’s lives. By continuing this project, the funds raised in a community will stay there, benefiting the children of that community.

The recognition that Kiwanis gets in each community and the District is enormous. Most recently, an iPad granted by the Green Bay Kiwanis Club received recognition on TV and You Tube, showcasing what the Downtown Green Bay Kiwanis Club and the Kiwanis District are doing. This is great free exposure for Kiwanis. Clubs are encouraged when they grant iPads to submit it to news media and let their community know what great things they are doing.

Now that school has started, I expect the request for iPads to increase. I have heard that some schools are saying that they provide iPads in school and that the children don't need an iPad at home. I wholeheartedly disagree. These children need the use of an iPad at all times, and that is why we grant iPads for them to use around the clock.

I am available to visit clubs to explain the project and I encourage clubs to invite special education staff to attend when I do a presentation. If a club does not have an iPad Project contact person, please recruit a member and contact me so that I can add them to the list.

When this project was started during my 2012-2013 term as District Governor, the goal was to grant iPads to 1,000 children. With more than 800 children already in receipt of an iPad, the gap is closing. Once the goal is reached, we can then reset it and continue. If anyone has questions, please feel free to contact me by email or visit the website at www.kiwanisautismproject.com.

We are changing the lives of children on the autism spectrum one child in the WI-UM District at a time.

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Proud grandmother Saphronia Purnell, left, watches as Danz Elementary student TariJah Wooden was awarded an iPad at Communication Pathways in De Pere. The iPad gift was the latest in an ongoing Kiwanis program which helps children on the autism spectrum improve communication skills. Joe Jacques, right, Past President of the Green Bay Downtown Kiwanis Club, presented the award.
When a club is 99 years old, sometimes members get tired of the same “old routine.” A speaker every Tuesday, (who can we get who we haven’t heard before?), the same old fundraising activities, the same old, same old.

The Fond du Lac Noon Kiwanis Club rose to a challenge proposed by its 2015-2016 president, Tiffany Heim. Tiffany brought enthusiasm and a big goal. Instead of introducing one “President’s Project” upon her election, Tiffany challenged the club to participate in a different service project every month of her term. Twelve service projects and twelve interactions with the community – letting the community see Kiwanis in action.

In October, in addition to the club’s annual Pancake Day, members connected with the local warming shelter, thoroughly cleaning and refurbishing the ancient attic of the Episcopal cathedral in which the shelter is housed. The club worked with Big Brothers/Big Sisters to make inspirational word pictures of encouragement including “Believe,” “Hope” and “Never Give Up!” to hang in the shelter. In November, the cleaning project continued and all three Kiwanis clubs in Fond du Lac pitched in to help.

December brought caroling through the downtown streets, pairing unmatched “littles” in the Big Brothers/Big Sisters program and Kiwanians – who together gave an impromptu concert at the local radio station!

January found members involved with the food pantry, and in February the club caught up with the humane society, donating things the animal shelter needed. Members formed a Kiwanis bowling team in March in support of Big Brothers/Big Sisters “Bowl for Kids” fundraiser and assisted with the “Community Baby Shower” sponsored by the Family Resource Center, which helps families year round.

April brought the annual American Kennel Club Dog Show and Kiwanis members happily staffed the concession stand. May found members with hammers in hand assisting in a Habitat for Humanity build and laying trails in the Fond du Lac Greenway nature area. Members also welcomed long-time member and armed forces veteran Ray Farr back from an “honor flight” in May!

June consumed club members with participation in the Walleye Weekend fundraiser, which funds many of the projects the club undertakes, including its “Learn to Swim” program in collaboration with the YMCA. This year more than 500 children were taught the basics of swimming in the annual June program.

In July the club partnered with Big Brothers/Big Sisters to provide children who are unmatched and waiting for a “big friend” with a summer fun opportunity.

August and September afforded members the opportunity to involve Kiwanians in the Boys and Girls Club “Spell for Great Futures.” Every month finds members helping out at Parkside School, making friends with very young students through the Kiwanis Terrific Kids Programs.

The momentum has taken hold. The Fond du Lac Noon Kiwanis Club is a club of service. We are proud to do more than raise money and write checks. We are a club that serves, and a club that builds.
PLOVER KIWANIS CLUB MEMBERS HELP FUND POLICE K-9 PROGRAM  

By Chris Okray, President, Plover Kiwanis Club

The Plover Kiwanis Club donated $1,000 to the Village of Plover Police Department in July for their new drug dog, Ice. Plover Kiwanis members and the Plover Police Department are helping to make the community safer for our children to grow up in.

Plover Kiwanis meets at noon on Wednesdays at the Cottage Café in Plover, Wisconsin.

THIRD KIWANIS AUTISM PROJECT IPAD IS GRANTED IN PLOVER  

By Peter Gebhardt, Plover Kiwanis Club

When a former Kiwanian and School District of Plover employee recognized that a child on the autism spectrum served by the school district would benefit from full-time use of an iPad, she recommended that the family apply to the Kiwanis Autism Project.

Upon receiving the application, the Plover Kiwanis Club was happy to sponsor the iPad for the O’Neill family’s son, Brenton, who attends McKinley School in Plover. It is the third iPad the club has awarded in the past three years in support of the Kiwanis Autism Project.

Brenton O’Neill and his mom, Sue, received an iPad from Plover Kiwanis Club secretary Peter Gebhardt.
Members of the Madison West Kiwanis Club cut and bundle firewood, which is sold to support club projects.

FIREWOOD FUND RAISING PROJECT AT MADISON’S EPLEGAARDEN FARM

By Ron Schuler, Madison West Kiwanis Club

About fifteen years ago, members of the Madison West Kiwanis Club initiated a fundraising project preparing bundles of firewood for sale and volunteering at the Eplegaarden farm. The apple wood was cut from trees taken out of production at the farm, which offers ‘pick your own’ apples, raspberries and pumpkins.

On many Saturdays over this time, 5 to 12 Kiwanians loaded apple tree limbs in the orchard on flat bed farm wagons for transport to the farm buildings. There the tree limbs were cut and bundled with baler twine. The sale of the firewood was managed by the farm crew and Kiwanis received all the proceeds. Expenses, including the purchase of a log splitter, were funded by Kiwanians. On average, the annual income is $600.

Kiwanians also volunteered during the harvesting season, greeting farm visitors, weighing pumpkins and selling snacks. The farm donated money to the club’s foundation at an hourly rate of $10 per hour. Annual income for this effort ranges from $1,000 to $2,000.

The farm is operated by club member Lavern Forest and his wife, Betty. Sadly, Lavern passed away in May. Most activities at the farm are expected to continue.

Club members appreciate the opportunity provided by Lavern and Betty to raise funds to support club efforts.
SHOPKO AND KIWANIANS CELEBRATE BACK TO SCHOOL AND LEARNING
By Chris Behl, Columbus Kiwanis Club

The Columbus Kiwanis Club and Shopko Hometown partnered to celebrate kids returning to school and to help the school districts of Columbus, Fall River and Rio, Wisconsin with additional school supplies. The club received a $500 grant from the Shopko Foundation.

A portion of this money, along with funds from the Columbus Kiwanis Club, went toward the purchase of an iPad for a child on the autism spectrum in the Fall River School District.

KIWANIS CLUB OF DODGEVILLE MEMBERS WALK FOR ALZHEIMER’S
By Charles Price, Kiwanis Club of Dodgeville

The Kiwanis Club of Dodgeville joined Crestridge Senior Living, Sienna Crest Memory Care, Bloomfield Healthcare and Upland Hills Health as major sponsors of the 2016 Iowa County Alzheimer’s Walk promoted by the Alzheimer’s and Dementia Alliance.

Kiwanians participating were Mark Kay Baum, Linda Nichols and Charles Price. The October 1 walk raised nearly $6,000 in support of programs and services in the Dodgeville area.
APPLETON GOLDEN K KIWANIS CLUB MEMBERS AWARD FOUR IPADS

By Don Smith, Appleton Kiwanis Golden K Club

The Appleton Kiwanis Golden K Club awarded four iPads to children on the autism spectrum in August. Each child received an iPad mini, a protective case and a $50 gift card for use in buying apps.

The club has partnered with Applebee’s Restaurant to host a flapjack fundraiser on October 29 and 30, to provide funds for future iPad recipients. Kiwanians from other clubs are encouraged to participate.

Left to right, Caleb Bahr with his mom, Amber, James Daft with his mom, Mary, Jackson Braemer with his mom, Jacqueline, and Nate Leder with his dad, Chad, each received an iPad from the Appleton Kiwanis Golden K Club.

PLAN TO ATTEND K-_FAMILY SERVICE DAY, NOVEMBER 12, IN FOND DU LAC

By Kasey Hodges, Wisconsin-Upper Michigan Circle K District Governor

Thank you to all the Kiwanis members who attended the K-family Baseball Game in September. You are invited to participate in our K-family Service Day on November 12 in Fond du Lac, Wisconsin. This should be a fun event for members of the K-family to get together in service. More details will be available soon, but please save the date!
STUDENTS’ SNACKS PROVIDED BY MARINETTE, WISCONSIN KIWANIANS

By Gene Davinport, Marinette Kiwanis Club

A morning snack is a good way to ensure that elementary school students have the energy to learn. Some students do not have snacks to eat at “snack time” and often, in the past, the teachers have provided something for them at their own expense.

To make sure that snacks are always available, the Marinette school system set up snack bins at Garfield, Park, and Merryman elementary schools and at Sunrise Early Learning Center. For the past three years, the Marinette Kiwanis Club has donated the snacks to fill those bins at the beginning of each school year and again later in the year.

This year, club members purchased $400 of snacks to fill the bins of the four schools at the start of the school year. Marinette Kiwanis members coordinate the effort with a staff member at the high school. The money to provide the snacks and other donations for youth activities is raised by the Kiwanis Kapers – a fun-filled play put on by club members with lots of local humor and some lovely dancers – which is presented in the spring. Learn more about the effort on Facebook at facebook.com/MarinetteKiwanisKapers.
SKILLS LEARNED AT KEY LEADER EVENT WILL HELP FACILITATE CHANGE

By Justin Hahn, Key Leader Coordinator

Fifty-nine students from more than 30 schools gathered together September 16-18 for an unparalleled leadership event made possible with the support of Kiwanis Clubs, Runzheimer International, the District Foundation and the Kiwanis International Foundation.

The Key Leader program greatly impacts the lives of many students through its focus on service leadership as a meaningful leadership-development experience. Students attend large- and small-group workshops, discussions and team-building activities throughout the weekend.

They have opportunities to learn leadership skills that will help them facilitate change in their schools, communities and the world. While exploring leadership in a whole new way, participants make new friends and share memorable experiences. The lead facilitator, Brian Ritchie, was phenomenal and profoundly impacted the lives of every student in attendance.

Representatives from the U.S. Army “March to Success” program mentored the students and ran morning drills. Those who participated loved the experience and felt it contributed positively to growth and self-esteem.

2016 marked my final term as Key Leader Coordinator. Matt Norby will be taking over as I begin my term as Governor-elect. Matt has been involved with Key Leader since 2005 – first as a student, then as a student facilitator for two years. He has remained a member of the adult committee every since. With Lyssa Leege by his side as the Site Coordinator, I am confident that Key Leader will see continued success in our District. I look forward to many more successful Key Leader events.

If you have questions or want to be more involved, please contact Key Leader Coordinator Matt Norby at mattnorby@gmail.com. Matt would love to come speak to your club about the program.

Team-building experiences, like this ropes course exercise, give Key Leader participants new perspectives on service leadership.

Fifty-nine students from more than 30 schools attended the Key Leader service leadership experience held at Camp Wawbeek in September.
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KIWANIS VILLAGE PARK IS DEDICATED IN PEWAUKEE, WISCONSIN

By Pat Gallagher, Kiwanis Club of Pewaukee

The Kiwanis Club of Pewaukee, along with the Pewaukee Park and Recreation Department, officially dedicated the Kiwanis Village Park on Capitol Drive in late July, 2016.

The Kiwanis Club of Pewaukee entered into a naming rights agreement with the Pewaukee Park and Recreation Department in February. In return for the naming rights, the Kiwanis Club of Pewaukee will be donating $5,000 annually for 20 years to the Friends of the Parks of Pewaukee with the funds designated for “child-related” developments in the park.

The inaugural donation of $5,000 was spent on new playground equipment, which was installed in July.

CIRCLE K DISTRICT GOVERNOR VISITS WITH WHITewater KIWANIANS

By John Newhouse, Whitewater Breakfast Kiwanis Club

Wisconsin-Upper Michigan (WUM) Circle K District Governor, Kasey Hodges, reported to the Whitewater Breakfast Kiwanis Club about the experience of attending her first Kiwanis International Convention. Kasey graduated from UW-Whitewater in the spring and is now enrolled in the graduate program.

Kasey noted that WUM Circle K received Distinguished District honors. The district bulletin editor, past Circle K Governor Justin Hahn and Circle K Administrator Janet DeGroot also received accolades. Kasey is shown, at right, receiving our token of appreciation – a children’s book for her to sign and place on the Kiwanis shelf in the Whitewater public library.