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The Weekly Newsletter of The Kiwanis Club of Lakewood, Ohio, Inc.

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OF
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THE WORLD ONE CHILD AND ONE
COMMUNITY AT A TIME.

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The Kiwanis Club of Lakewood
Chartered May 17, 1921
93rd Year

Meetings - Tuesdays at Noon in
St. Clement Catholic Church Hall,
2022 Lincoln Avenue Lakewood, Ohio
(Corner of Lincoln & Madison
Avenues)

Laurence L. Jones
President

Kenneth A. Eberl
President - elect

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Secretary

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Treasurer

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Immediate Past President

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Board of Directors

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James R. Vine

Sponsored Clubs

Lakewood High School
Key Club

+
Before & After Care K-Kids
Harrison Elementary School

+
Horace Mann Elementary School
K-Kids

**TODAY IS
APRIL 28, 2015**

MENU: SUB SANDWICHES - BROWNIES
INVOCATION: ANDREW KILLIAN
SONG LEADER: RAY GOODRICH
PROGRAM: PROVIDENCE HOUSE BIRTHDAY PARTY

MAY 5, 2015

MENU: CHICKEN KELLY - BROWNIES
INVOCATION: FRANK MILLER
SONG LEADER: CAROLYN POTANTUS
PROGRAM: SCHOLARSHIP RECIPIENT'S LUNCHEON



April 28th
Providence House
Birthday Party

May 5th
Presentation of the 2015
Scholarship Winners

May 12th
"Annual Meeting" & Board Meeting
During Regular Meeting Time

May 19th
Lakewood Kiwanis' Birthday
Celebration of
94 Years of Service

Spotlight On.....

The boxes full of your donations to the Shoes for H.O.P.E. & Providence House are filling up quickly, but there are always more boxes and always room for more.... Keep these projects in the minds of friends and neighbors alike. We continue to also collect used eye glasses to be reused by the Cleveland Sight Center.

For our Ohio District Kiwanis project we are collecting used shoes, no matter what their condition or their type. Bring them in, they will be repurposed (creating jobs) and distributed to those in need of shoes. See the entire story on our Website

Click on: [SHOES FOR H.O.P.E](#)

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Our 2nd service project is donating gifts to Providence House as we celebrate its birthday on April 28. The list of items needed is available for printing on our Website.

It's going to be a real Birthday Party with entertainment and birthday cake so bring along family and friends for a fun time! Click here for a list of needed items.

[PROVIDENCE HOUSE BIRTHDAY WISH LIST](#)

The Lakewood Kiwanis Scholarship Foundation has awarded six, \$10,000, four year scholarships to Lakewood Resident High School Seniors!

The Recipients Are:

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Franchesca M. Bodnar –
Lakewood High School Senior
*Environmental Studies

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Mary D. Chudy –
Magnificat High School Senior
*Nursing, Spanish Language
for Healthcare, Peace Studies

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Raychelle L. King –
Lakewood High School Senior
*Art Therapy (Studio Arts &
Psychology

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Magdalene R. Pizzo –
Lakewood High School Senior
*Mathematics & Physics

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Laurel N. Roelle
Lakewood High School Senior
*Nursing

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Molly C. Schmidt -
Magnificat High School
*Pre-medical, Neuroscience,
Biology, Nursing, Public Health

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Please go to our website for more information about the Foundation and how you might support the future of the KCL Scholarship Foundation Program. PayPal is available.

[LAKWOOD KIWANIS SCHOLARSHIP
FOUNDATION](#)

Pete' Table
Carmel, Triple Mix, Cheese
New Classic Popcorn
\$1.00
Candy Bars
(Many Varieties)
75¢ each
3 Bars for \$2.00
Yard Bags
Five Bag Package \$2.50
American Flags
3' x 5' \$22.50
4' x 6' \$24.00
5' x 8' \$33.00

The 2015 Lakewood Kiwanis Membership Roster Book will be available soon. With your donation of \$10 you may become a Patron. All donations will be used to cover the cost of printing. **Deadline for donations is May 12th.** See John Huetter

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Top Picture:

State Senator Michael J. Skindell receives a gift from President Larry Jones following an address by the Senator at our April 14, meeting.

The Senator presented a view of the current State Legislator's activity and his views on the closing of Lakewood Hospital. The Senator questioned some of the reasons and facts for the closing that he felt needed much looking into and clarification.

The Division 14 & Club Kiwanis Calendar

(Additions & Corrections are Always Welcomed!)

May 3, Sunday, The West Park Kiwanis Club will hold an All You Can Eat Pancake Breakfast at St. Joseph Academy, 3430 Rocky River Dr., 8:00 am to 1:00 pm. Adults \$ 7:00 - Children Under 5 are free ! Tickets available at the door or contact Herb Hampson at (216) 941-5815. Click here: [Breakfast Flyer](#)

May 14, Thursday, The North Olmsted Kiwanis will hold a Spaghetti Supper at the North Olmsted Party Center, 29271 Lorain Road from 4:00 to 7:30 P.M. The meal includes spaghetti, meatballs, salad, roll, dessert and beverage. A cash bar is available. Adults \$7.00, Seniors \$6.00, Children 5-10 years \$5.00 and Children under 5 years FREE. Contact Dave Dillon at 440-427-0885 or Jim Yager at 440-871-6554

May 28, Thursday, This is the Division 14 Fundraiser at Max & Erma's Restaurant, 30105 Detroit Avenue, Westlake. **CLICK HERE AND PRINT YOUR DIVISION 14 MAX & ERMA'S FUNDRAISER COUPON!**

May 30, -31, Saturday-Sunday, 3 P.M. - 9 A.M. Lakewood Kiwanis will be participating in the Lakewood Relay for Life at Harding Middle School. This is the 30th Anniversary of the Relay for Life. Anna Bacho will once again be our Team Captain. Registration and donations may be made with Anna or online. **CLICK HERE: LAKEWOOD RELAY FOR LIFE SIGNUP/DONATE**

June 13, Saturday, The **Special Olympics** will be held at Westlake High School Football Field beginning at 10:30 A.M.

June 25-28, 2015, Thursday - Sunday **At the Indianapolis, IN, convention,** Kiwanians celebrate 100 years of serving children and kick off the next 100 years.

July 12, Sunday, North Olmsted & Bay Village Kiwanis Clubs are jointly sponsoring a play at Huntington Playhouse in Bay Village at 2:00 P.M. The play is a comedy entitled "The Producers". Tickets are \$20.00 and will include refreshments afterwards. Contact Dave Dillon at 440-427-0885 or any Bay or North Olmsted Kiwanis member for tickets.

July 15, Wednesday will be the 58th Annual Ohio District Kiwanis Foundation Golf Outing, Tam O'Shanter Golf Course. Complete information and Sponsorship Registration Form - **ODF GOLF OUTING INFORMATION SHEET & ODF GOLF OUTING SPONSORSHIP REGISTRATION FORM**

August 14 - 16, Friday - Sunday, This is the **2015 Ohio District Convention;** Doubletree Cleveland East-Beachwood Hotel, 3663 Park East Drive, Beachwood, OH 44122.

September 24, Thursday, this is the Second Division 14 Fundraiser at Max & Erma's Restaurant, 30105 Detroit Avenue, Westlake. **CLICK HERE AND PRINT YOUR DIVISION 14 MAX & ERMA'S FUNDRAISER COUPON!**



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NO BIRTHDAYS!

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Happy Anniversary to John & Joanne Brinkman as they celebrate their 60th Wedding Anniversary!

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NOTICE!

The Annual Meeting of the Kiwanis Club of Lakewood, Ohio will take place at 12 Noon on Tuesday, May 12, 2015.

The main purpose of the meeting will be to vote for the elected members of the Board of Directors for three (3) year terms beginning October 1, 2015.

Prior to voting for members of the Board of Directors the membership present at this meeting will be asked to vote on a Board approved amendment to our club Bylaws and to the Policies & Operations Manual. A 2/3 affirmative vote of the members present is needed for passage.

The proposed amendment includes the reduction of the total number of elected directors from the present seven (7) to four (4) each to be elected to three (3) year terms.

Currently the Board of Directors includes the President, Immediate Past President, President-elect, (Vice-President - optional), Secretary and Treasurer. (5-6 total), plus seven (7) elected directors. (Total 12-13)

A nominating committee has been created and will present its list of candidates by the April 28, meeting. Floor nominations will be accepted at the May 5, meeting. These two lists will then become the complete list of nominees presented at the May 12, Annual meeting.

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Third Quarter (Kiwanis Year) dues were do for payment on April 1st.

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Lakewood Kiwanis members are now able to pay their dues by cash, check or **PayPal**. Using our PayPal link with your credit card on our KCL Website you may now pay your dues right from home. You will receive a receipt via email. None of your personal information, card number, etc is ever seen by Lakewood Kiwanis. Future fundraisers will also have **PayPal** available for payments. The link will be found as the 3rd Tab in the menu at "DUES PAYMENT".

PAY DUES USING PAYPAL....CLICK THIS LINK

With gavel in hand President Larry announced the club's birthday best wishes to Toni Gelsomino while President-elect Ken Eberl has the honor of pinning on Toni's pink carnation.