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The Kiwanis Club of Lakewood
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93rd Year

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

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Sponsored Clubs

Lakewood High School
Key Club

Before & After Care K-Kids
Harrison Elementary School

**TODAY IS
JUNE 17, 2014**

Menu: Turkey Rollups, Green Beans, Rolls
Invocation: Bob Homer
Song Leader: Tim Mohr
Program: Business Meeting
June 24, 2014

Menu: BBQ Beef, Kaiser Rolls, Cole Slaw,
Corn
Invocation: Carlyle Mossman
Song Leader: Tim Mohr
Program: Judge Patrick Carroll

SPOTLIGHT ON.....

Last call to help support the Lakewood Kiwanis
Relay for Life team effort....

Click this link and make your On-Line donation!
**[Lakewood, Ohio Kiwanis Relay For
Life Team](#)**

**Lakewood Kiwanis will have a team
effort in the**

"Lakewood Relay for Life"!

Saturday, June 28, 3 P.M.
Thru Sunday June 29, to 9 A.M.

Anna Bacho is again our
Lakewood Kiwanis Team Captain.

Our goal this year is to raise \$500 to help
cancer research.

Here's how you can support this effort!

You may enter and participate by walking the
Lakewood High School "Kwan-Trac"!

***Sign up** sponsors for your
participating walk!

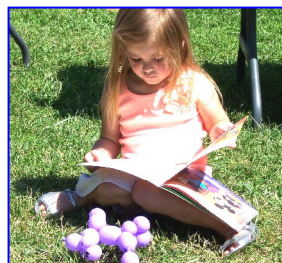
***Donate** directly to our team's
effort!

***Sponsor** a specific team
member!

* **Make checks payable to:**
"American Cancer Association"

***Click this link to learn more about the
event and to enter:**
[Lakewood, Ohio Kiwanis Relay For Life](#)

*Contact Anna for more information!
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"Meet The Trucks"
at Lakewood Park
gave us the
opportunity to give
away 620 books to the
young visitors at the
Lakewood Kiwanis's
five tables with over
800 books available
for free.....

June 24th



Judge Patrick Carroll,
Presiding Judge of
Lakewood Municipal
Court

July 1st

Director Tony Parker
"The Lantern Center for Recovery"

July 8th



Catherine Timko
Executive Director
Lake Erie Nature Center

July 15th

Business Meeting

July 22nd



Mayor Frank G. Jackson,
Mayor of the City of Cleveland



Those attending were John Mumma,
John's daughter Elizabeth (Bess) who is a
Librarian in the Greater Cincinnati Library
System and his granddaughter Emma
who is a junior at Ohio State. Kiwanians:
Nancy Andrade, Ken Eberl, John Huetter,
Tom McDonough, Frank Miller, Tim Mohr
and Dave Norton were also on hand.

Weather wise the day could not have
been better, the young families were
plentiful and the interest in the books
was very good.



No! Nancy is not going to attack John, but she was involved in doing the "Chicken Dance" as we were set up across from the DJ who played some lively, finger tappin' - foot stompin music.

Division 14 & Club Kiwanis Calendar

June 19, Thursday, Lakewood Kiwanis "Meals That Heal" - dinner for Domestic Violence Center. Cooking at Lawther Center, 16024 Madison Avenue, Lakewood, 3 P.M.

June 25 - 26, District Golf Outing at Tam O'Shanter, Canton, Ohio

June 28 - 29, Saturday & Sunday, Lakewood Kiwanis Participating in "Relay for Life"

July 2 - 6, Wednesday thru Sunday, Key Club International Convention Anaheim, California

July 17, Thursday, Division Council Meeting at the Westlake Porter Library 6:30 PM (Host Clubs Rocky River & Westlake)

July 17 - 20, Wednesday, Saturday, Kiwanis International Convention in Tokyo-Ohiba, Japan.

July 20, Sunday, Lakewood Kiwanis will hold its annual Chicken & Ribs BBQ at the Lakewood Park Kiwanis Pavilion. More details to follow.

August 2, Saturday, Lakewood Kiwanis hot dog sale fundraiser at Lakewood Arts Festival.

August 8 - 10, Friday - Sunday, Ohio District 2014 Convention, Crowne Plaza Columbus North Hotel, 6500 Doubletree Avenue, Columbus, OH 43229.

August 12, Tuesday, 10 A.M. 'TIL NOON. The annual "Lakewood Kiwanis Football Luncheon" at the Lakewood High School Cafeteria. (NEW LISTING)

September 4, Thursday, Division 14 Fundraiser at Max & Erma's, Westlake. 20% of your sale to benefit the Division.

September 27, Saturday, Lakewood Kiwanis will be participating in the "FITNESS FITS EVERYONE" at Lakewood Park between 1 - 5 P.M. Featuring hundreds of energizing activities for kids and families to have fun and play while also learning a bit about healthy living.



Our speaker, Judge David T. Matia, spoke of his involvement in Drug Court as a member of the Cuyahoga County Court of Common Pleas. Drug

overdosing is the leading cause of accidental death in the U.S. His Honor feels there is a stigma on those who are in "recovery" from addiction and those who are in recovery should be more open about it thereby helping others that need encouragement. Drug Court is really a team effort to help those who are addicted. To be considered for the court's help the defendant can not have more than two or three prior felonies with no violent convictions. The court sets specific guide lines for the addicted to follow including meetings, counseling and random drug testing. Through the system the court tries to determine what caused the addictive dependency and attempts to deal with that as a way to help the addicted. Many of those addicted to opiates were originally prescribed medications by doctors to relieve pain and over time needed more and stronger doses of the medications to receive the same results and so they begin to "doctor shop" seeking greater quantities of drugs. It is usually necessary for those working through the program to stay in a halfway house in an attempt to keep them from their previous environmental causes of addiction. There is a law, currently pending, that will require doctors to check a patient's current medication list for opiates prior to prescribing an opiate. If an opiate is prescribed, the record will be updated automatically to a data base. The Judge feels "drug court" needs to be expanded to meet the real needs of those addicted because it does help them return to society, family and a life worth living where being sent to prison does little to help those addicted.

Pete's Table
All POPCORN
\$1.00
Carmel, Triple Mix Cheese
Try Our New Plain Popcorn

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



No Birthdays!

The Lakewood High School Key Club is offering printer paper at the reduced price of \$4.00 per ream. The fundraiser will help the club meet its financial goals. See Jim Westlake

Ohio District Golf outing -
June 25 & 26, Tam O'Shanter Golf Course, Canton, Ohio See Vic Cachat for registration forms or at our website at www.lakewoodkiwanis.com

Kiwanis International has a new 2014 Kiwanis Store Catalogue. A copy will be available at our meetings for those who would like to look through it for Kiwanis items. See John Huetter.



Judge Matia picture here with his Court Administrator Mollly Christofferson.

Kiwanis Club of Lakewood Board Meeting

July 10, 2014
 7:00 P.M. - Thursday
 Lakewood Board of Education Building

Division 14 Council Meeting

NO June Meeting!

Two new members were received this past week!



Carolyn Potantus is the principal of Lakewood Lutheran School.

Jeffrey Harkleroad Is President of Buckeye Health Benefits in Lakewood.



After being a member of Lakewood Kiwanis for 35 years and a member of the Legion of Honor, Jim Vine (L) received his three year perfect attendance pin from President Matt....Just one of the benefits of being retired.