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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
94th Year

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

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Lakewood High School
Key Club

Harding Middle School
Builders Club

Before & After Care K-Kids
Harrison Elementary School

Horace Mann Elementary School
K-Kids

TODAY IS
MARCH 1, 2016

Menu: Fried Chicken & Cookies
Invocation: Larry Jones
Song Leader: Bill Beutel
Program: Davie L. Bilinovich

March 8, 2016

Menu: Kielbasa & Sauerkraut + Cookies
Invocation: Frank Miller
Song Leader: Bill Beutel
Program: Joanne Clemens

Spotlight On.....

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Get ready!! Our Lakewood Kiwanis Choir is preparing to sing at the division-wide *Lenten breakfast on Wednesday, March 23, at Rocky River Civic Center.* This is the final breakfast of the 7-week series and is hosted by our Lakewood Kiwanis Club.

We are planning to present two pieces: "In the Garden" and "Beneath the Cross of Jesus", two relatively familiar hymns. We will be accompanied, as usual, by Mike Wilson.

We will have two rehearsals: Tuesday, March 15, and March 22, both at 11:00 A.M. prior to our meetings

Contact Ray Goodrich or Bill Beutel!

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Today's Speaker Is - - -

- - - **David L. Bilinovich** who grew up in Lakewood moved to Broadview Heights and then to Parma and graduated from Valley Forge High School in 1975.

While a senior at Valley Forge David joined the Marine Corps under the delayed entry program. Following boot camp at Parris Island David spent the next twenty-three years in a variety of infantry, reconnaissance, instructor and special assignments while in the Marines. David married his wife, Sherry Ann, in 1977 and they have one son, Dave. Sherry and son traveled with David through most of his Marine Corps career and were evacuated by the State Department from Rangoon, Burma during the 1989 war. David remained behind, for a time; in charge of the Marine Security Guards protecting our Embassy David then went to Kuwait and eventually retired as a Master Sergeant in 1999. Furthering his education David received an Associate of Science degree in Computer Information Science and a BS degree in Organizational Behavior. Moving back to Ohio he worked for the VA in Brecksville then joined the Disabled American Veterans (DAV) as National Service Officer taking medical retirement in 2012. Staying active with the DAV, as a fraternal member, he now serves as the Senior Vice Commander of the Department of Ohio. David is a Member of the Cleveland Metropolitan Bar Association as a Paralegal. David is currently active in fund raising for the new *Greater Cleveland Fisher House project.*



March 29th
Bob DiBiasio
The 2016 Cleveland Indians

April 5th
Providence House Birthday Party



April 12th
Cassandra Fear
Lakewood's Own
"Fear's Convections"

April 19th
Business Meeting

April 26th
John Kucinski
Whole Foods Store, Rocky River



May 3rd
Sean Jackson
Athletic Director
Lakewood High School



May 10th
Ernie Krivada
Jazz Saxophonist
Cleveland Jazz Scene

* ROCKY RIVER CIVIC CENTER
210 HILLIARD AVENUE

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**Pete' Table
Popcorn!**
Carmel, Triple Mix, Cheese
New Classic
\$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

NUTS TO YOU!

AVAILABLE AT PETE'S TABLE!

GIANT SALTED CASHEWS, 1LB. \$11

NATURAL, SALTED PISTACHIOS 1LB \$9

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DIVISION 14

2016 LENTEN PRAYER BREAKFAST SERIES

44TH YEAR

4TH MARCH 2ND

HOST CLUBS: NORTH OLMSTED & WESTLAKE

ROCKY RIVER CIVIC CENTER

BREAKFAST - 7:00 - 7:30 A.M.

PROGRAM - 7:30 - 8:00 A.M.

\$7.00

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**Lakewood Kiwanis Scholarship
Foundation**

The 2016 Scholarship Application

is currently available online at:

<http://lakewood.portalbuzz.com/Page/e/17536>

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**PROVIDENCE HOUSE WISHLIST
BIRTHDAY PARTY
APRIL 5TH**

**We Protect At-risk Children -
We Empower Families in Crisis -
We Build Safer Communities!**

CHILDREN'S CLOTHING Children's Clothing, sizes 7-14 Children's Pants and Shorts, sizes 2T-6T Children's Fleece Pajamas, size 5T+ Boys' Underwear, sizes 2T-8 Boys' and Girls' Undershirts Boys' Shoes, sizes 1-1.5 & 12-12.5 Girls' Shoes, sizes 1-1.5.....CHILDREN'S MISCELLANEOUS Tommee Tippee Baby Bottles with Slow-Flow or Medium-Flow Nipples Tommee Tippee brand Sippy Cups Late Stage Toddler Toys, 18-36 months Children's Suitcases Infant Swaddlers Boys' and Girls' Pull-Ups, size 3T/4T and 4T/5T Diapers, sizes 4-6 Diapers, preemie and newborn.....HOUSEHOLD ITEMS Paper towels All White Twin Sheet Sets All White Fitted Crib Sheets Pillows and Pillow Cases (White) Fitted, Water-Proof, Zip Mattress Pads for Cribs and Twin Beds Full Zip Waterproof Twin Mattress Protectors Pillow Protectors Kitchen Sized Garbage Bags (13 gal.) Dish Sponges Dishwasher Powder (Cascade) White Hand Towels Liquid Hand Soap Hand Sanitizer Aquaphor.....THE COMPLETE LIST IS AVAILABLE ON OUR WEBSITE - COPY AND PASTE INTO YOUR BROWSER:

<http://lakewood.portalbuzz.com/Page/275>

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The Division 14 Kiwanis Club Calendar

(Additions & Corrections are Always Welcomed)

Print Flyers & Coupons at:

<http://lakewood.portalbuzz.com/Page/17285>

March 20, Sunday, The Bay Village Kiwanis Club will hold their Pancake Breakfast with the Easter Bunny and the Disney Princesses, 8 A.M. to 12:30 P.M. Advance tickets are \$6 and \$7 at the door, under 5 years - FREE. Bay Middle School, 27725 Wolf Road and don't forget your camera!

April 10, Sunday, Lakewood Kiwanis will hold their Spring All You Care To Eat Pancake Breakfast at Lakewood Catholic Academy, 14808 Lake Avenue, 8 A.M. - 1 P.M. Adult tickets \$7, Children 6-12 years-\$5, under five years eat FREE! Handicapped accessible!

April 11, Monday, North Ridgeville Kiwanis is hosting a dinner at the Bullfrog Sports Cafe, 33137 Center Ridge Road, North Ridgeville, (order from the menu), beginning at 6 P.M. The program will begin at 7 P.M. featuring the motivational speaker, David Honning, with a refreshingly funny personal development program that entertains, engages, & inspires while teaching. [See flyer for additional information!](#)

April 17, Sunday, Westlake Kiwanis will hold their Spring Pancake Breakfast, 8 A. M. - 1 P.M. Details to follow!

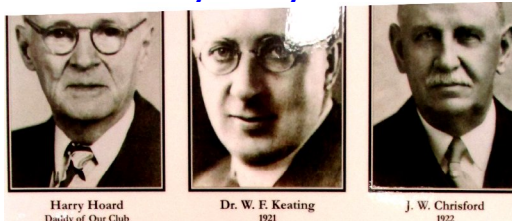
April 20, Wednesday, Kiwanis Division 14 fundraiser at Westgate Applebee's, 20705 Center Ridge Rd., 11A.M. - 9: P.M. 15% or your bill will be presented to the Division. You must present this coupon to your server. [Click here to print your coupon!](#)

July 28, Thursday, Kiwanis Division 14 fundraiser at Great Northern Applebee's Restaurant 5010 Great Northern Plaza - North, 11A.M. - 9: P.M., 15% of your bill will be presented to the Division. You must present this coupon to your server. [Click here to print your coupon!](#)

THE NEWS.....Six KCL members will be traveling to Columbus this Saturday for the Ohio Kiwanis 2016 Mid Year Education Day.....**Lakewood Relay For Life** is scheduled for July 11, 2016 at Harding Middle School. Jim Trela, our President-Elect, will be heading up our participation.....**The KCL Pancake Breakfast** is scheduled for Sunday, April 10th at Lakewood Catholic Academy, 14808 Lake Avenue, Lakewood. All the Pancakes you care to eat 8, A.M. to 1 P.M...**Volunteers will be needed** for our Pancake Breakfast.....**Children's FREE Book Give Away** will be held at our April 10th Pancake Breakfast.....**The next Lakewood Library Book Sale** will be March 31st 6-9 P.M. and April 2nd 9 A.M. to 5 P.M. Purchase books for our FREE Children's Book Give Away.....**Nancy Andrade won the 50/50 drawing** and promptly donated her winnings to the ELIMINATE Project.....**All Scholarship Applications** must be submitted by Midnight, April 1, 2016.....**Lakewood H.S. Track Meet**, April 15 3 P.M.....**A new Public Service General Information Tab** has been added to Our KCL Website Go to:

<http://lakewoodkiwanis.com/Page/27588>

KCL's Early History - Presidents



Harry Hoard, "Daddy of Our Club"
Dr. W.F. Keating (1921), J. W. Chrisford (1922)
95th Anniversary - Chartered May 17, 1921

NO BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK!

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Hannah Belsito pictured here with KCL President Ken Eberl, was last Tuesday's speaker. Hannah is Vice President of Destination Development & Community Affairs for "Destination Cleveland" Hannah's current focus is on Greater Cleveland's preparations for the 2016 Republican National Convention. Destination Cleveland is not a political group, but its efforts are designed to draw visitors to the area.

At convention time there will be 500 hotels available as far away as Sandusky and Canton, making 16,000 hotel rooms available within 30 miles of the area with 600 rooms in the new downtown Hilton Hotel. Thirty-five thousand visitors are expected to come to Cleveland where 23,000 jobs have been created since 2013. The convention will be the 2nd largest media event of the year with the Summer Olympics being #1. Eight-thousand volunteers will be needed outside of the convention with over 1,200 events taking place. See what's happening in your town - visit: <http://www.thisiscleveland.com/>

The DAR has set an ambitious goal: to literally set a world record in Patriotism! Working with officials at GUINNESS WORLD RECORDS™, DAR is making a formal attempt to set a new record for the "Most letters to military personnel collected in one month." All of these letters must be brought to the 125th Continental Congress during the week when the Congress will meet on Wednesday, June 15, 2016. In order to establish a new world record, we must collect at least 10,000 letters and present them to Congress.

Here's How You Can Help: Go To: <http://lakewood.portalbuzz.com/Page/27588>

Click on: [HELP THE DAR SET A WORLD RECORD IN PATRIOTISM!](#)

Kiwanis Key Leader registration is now open for the April 22-24 weekend at the Ohio Recreation Unlimited site. Registration is open to all high school students and this Spring it includes 8th grade Middle School students as well.

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