



Kiwanis Club of Madison West

KIWANOGRAM

Guest: Gurdip Brar, WIUM District Governor; Joy and Jenny Beatty, Bob and Pat Fessenden, and Olinda and Walt Holthaus, guests of **Marv Beatty**; and Nancy, David, Neal and Tom Spencer and Maddie Blanchard, guests of **Carrol Spencer**; Mandy Gallo and Megan Kniesek from Edgewood Circle K.

Program: Ken Saville reported on the plans for a new pool at Camp Wawbeek, which is needed to improve accessibility for campers and the old pool is showing some deterioration. Today, 80 to 100 percent of the campers are in wheelchairs. WIUM Kiwanis District has provided support for Camp Wawbeek including the old pool. For 2013-14, the pool is the district project.

George Hixson awards were presented to **Marv Beatty** and **Carrol Spencer** for contributions to Madison West Kiwanis. George Hixson was the first president of Kiwanis and Kiwanis International established to recognize outstanding club members.



Hixson recipients Marv Beatty (l) and Carrol Spencer (r) and Gurdip Brar (c)

November 22, 2013

Presiding: Bill Grabel
Greeter: Randy Grobe
Checkpoint: Dick Vilstrup, Terry Stewart
Opening word: Ken Saville
Music: Boomer and Mary
Raffle Winner: John Busby
Music Awards

Marv Beatty, joined Kiwanis in 1989, provided leadership for the E-way project which involved removing unwanted brush and shrubs from the E-way south of the south beltline. Marv also provided leadership with Bonnie Hansen in establishing the Midvale School project. Marv is our expert coffee maker at the Pancake Breakfast and has been involved with the Eplegaarden and the concession stand at football and tournament games.

Carrol Spencer, joined Kiwanis in 1992, is serving as our President-elect. He provided many years of leadership on the Eplegaarden project which includes gathering, cutting and bundling firewood and organizing volunteers in the fall to weigh pumpkins, staff the info booth and serve as greeter. He served on the meetings committee setting and takedown for our meetings and at the check point.

Important Dates

<u>Date</u>	<u>Event</u>
November 23	Bell Ringing @ Copps
December 4	Board Meeting
December 6	Pageant Setup
December 8	Christmas Pageant

Up coming Programs

<u>Date</u>	<u>Program</u>	<u>Greeter</u>	<u>Opening Word</u>
November 29	No Meeting		
December 6	Midvale School Midvale staff	John Thomas	Ed Reisch
December 13	Creating a Dairyland Ed Janus	George Meyer	TBA

Meeting Time and Location

Fridays, 11:45 am
Covenant Presbyterian Church
326 South Segoe Road
Madison, WI
Web site: madisonwestkiwanis.com

Announcements

Harold Green reported a successful interclub with the Dodgeville Kiwanis Club on Monday, November 18. Attending were **Marv Beatty, Bob Cropp, Tom McCrill** and **Harold**. Another interclub is planned with the Edgewood Circle K on Sunday, November 24.

Fred Ross reported eight applications for the ASA (ski) program have been received. All applications will be evaluated by the staff at the Durango. During the week of December 6, the applicants will be interviewed by a team of our members and applicants will be informed of results during the week of December 13. The plan is to have four attend the ski program in Durango during the last week of February or the first week of March.

Bill Grabel reported we needed volunteers for Salvation Army bell ringing on November 23 and December 7 at the Copps store on University Avenue. A signup was circulated.

Terry Stewart circulated a signups for our Christmas Pageant which includes ushering on December 8 and setup for December 6 immediately after our meeting. The pageant takes place at 4:15 PM and 5:15 PM at the State Capital. The pageant has been performed for 90 years.

Club Officers (2012-2013)

President:	Bill Grabel
Vice President	Carrol Spencer
Secretary	Ron Schuler
Treasurer:	Randy Grobe
Past President	Bruce Hoehne

Board of Directors

Bonnie Hansen	Mary Mennes
Ed Reisch	Al Wearing
Bill Battista	Tom McCrill

Ken Saville announced the candy (chocolate covered macadamia nuts) are available from the Monroe Kiwanis Club. The price is \$15 per tin. An order form was circulated. The candy will be delivered on December 6. If you are unable to attend this date, the candy can be picked up December 13. Contact Ken at 249-1161 or ksaville@wi.easterseals.com.

Ed Reisch announced members attending Lunch Buddies at Midvale School on Wednesday, November 20, were **Steve Kalscheur**, and **Ed Reisch**. No Lunch Buddies scheduled for Wednesday, November 27.

Madison East is looking for programs for the Aktion Club on January 23, April 10 and 24, and May 22. If interested contact Sibyl Morgan, sammorgan@charter.com.

