



Kiwanis Club of Madison West

# KIWANOGRAM

**Guests:** Raina Richardson (Ahlgren Scholarship Recipient) and her parent Travis and Mary, Middle School students and their parents and teachers

**Program:** Nine Middle School students were identified by their teachers for Madison West Kiwanis awards, each receiving a certificate and \$100. One student was identified from each of the nine schools. The recipients (teachers) were:

1. **Wilson Kilmer**, Cherokee Heights (Rafeal Gomez)
2. **Tabitha Exun**, Spring Harbor (Rafeal Gomez)
3. **Nuchee Vang**, James C. Wright, (May Brigham)
4. **Matt Worzala**, Edgewood Campus (Jennifer Kozer)
5. **Cole Bell**, Jefferson (Michael Barrons-Vanheest)
6. **Clare Kysely**, St. Maria Goretti (Colleen Falla)
7. **Conrad Nelson**, Akira Toki (Carlene Becker)
8. **Noah Gonring**, Our Lady Queen of Peace (Cheryl Horn)
9. **Mark Paiz-Handrick**, Velma Hamilton (Jim Schneider)

The awards were presented by Anna Moffitt, Madison School Board Member and Carrol Spencer, our president.



Middle School Students and Anna Moffitt,  
Madison School Board Member

## Up coming Program

| <u>Date</u> | <u>Program</u>                       | <u>Greeter</u> | <u>Opening Word</u> |
|-------------|--------------------------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| May 8       | UW Madison Football<br>Joe Rudolph   | Bill Johnson   | Bruce Dewey         |
| May 15      | Rescuing Dogs in Need<br>Amie Trupke | TBA            | Bill Grabel         |

### May 1, 2015

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| Presiding:    | Carrol Spencer                    |
| Greeter:      | Virgil Jurrens                    |
| Opening word: | Tom McCrill                       |
| Music:        | Boomer and Mary                   |
| Checkpoint:   | Marv Beatty, Terry Stewart        |
| Drawing:      | John Roberts<br>Eliminate Project |

### **Announcements not announced:**

Thanks to Sharon Brantmeier for leading the Middle School Awards. Also a thank you to members serving as hosts: **Brian Martin, Bruce Hoehne, Marv Heiser, Marv Beatty, Virgil Jurrens, Bill Battista, Harold Green, Arlin Brannstrom and Randy Grobe.**

**Bruce Hoehne** was elected Division 3 Lt. Gov. of the Wisconsin-Upper Michigan Kiwanis District during the Mid-Year Conference at Barneveld, April 25. Division 3 includes the Madison Area Kiwanis Clubs and other clubs in Wisconsin, South and West of Madison.

### Important Dates

| <u>Date</u> | <u>Event</u>  |
|-------------|---|
| May 6       | Board of Directors meeting<br>Fitchburg HyVee                   |
| May 6       | Satellite Club Meeting, HyVee<br>Westgate Shopping Center       |
| May 6       | Lunch Buddies, Midvale School                                   |
| May 14      | Harold Green, Aktion Club<br>program                            |
| May 21      | Monroe Kiwanis Club 94 <sup>th</sup><br>Anniversary Celebration |
| June 4      | Mallards Game-Madison East                                      |
| June 25-28  | Kiwanis International Convention<br>Indianapolis                |

## Meeting Time and Location

Fridays, 11:45 am  
Covenant Presbyterian Church  
326 South Segoe Road  
Madison, WI  
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Facebook:  
[www.facebook.com/madisonwestkiwanis](http://www.facebook.com/madisonwestkiwanis)

## Announcements:

Attending the April 29 Satellite Club meeting were **Helen Atz, Fritz Lutze, Anita Poehlman, Ron Schuler** and **Necy Wilson**. The next meeting is on May 6, 9:00 am, at the HyVee Store at Westgate.

On May 14, **Harold Green** will provide the program for the Aktion. Harold will discuss 'Being a Pilot'. Inter club potential!

On May 21, members the Monroe Club will be celebrating their 94<sup>th</sup> anniversary with an evening banquet. This will be another interclub opportunity. The reservation deadline is May 13. More details later.

Madison East Kiwanis is planning their annual Madison Mallards game outing for June 4. The cost is \$14.00 with a reservation deadline of May 22. More details to follow.

The Division 3 Kiwanis Clubs of the Wisconsin-Upper Michigan District have been committed to staff one of six food tents at the 2015 Wisconsin Farm Technology Days, August 25-27 on the Statz Brothers Farm near Sun Prairie. **Bruce Hoehne** will provide Division leadership with Charlie Price, division governor. Forty volunteers will be required each day. **Mary Mennes** will provide the club leadership. The profits from the food tents are provided to the groups working in the food tents. The Dane County committee has assured the food groups they will receive over \$8.00 per hour of volunteer time, dependent on the weather during this outdoor show. About 55,000 people will attend this show.

**John Thomas** is currently in Coventry Village assisted living, recovering from cancer surgery and hoping to return home within a month. His phone number is 608-206-3531.

## Club Officers (2014-2015)

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| President:     | Carrol Spencer |
| Vice President | Mary Mennes    |
| Secretary      | Ron Schuler    |
| Treasurer:     | Randy Grobe    |
| Past President | Bill Grabel    |

## Board of Directors

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|---------------|--------------|
| Ed Reisch     | Al Wearing   |
| Bill Battista | Tom McCrill  |
| Bonnie Hansen | Travis Wirth |

The next Lunch Buddies is scheduled for May 6, 11:00 am. Contact **Ed Reisch**, if interested.

Volunteers participating in the Midvale School Book Sale on April 29, were **Rich Donkle, Bill Grabel, Bonnie Hansen, Ken Niemeyer** and **John Roberts**.

More Midvale School Volunteer opportunities are 1. May 3-prepare gardens, 2. May 9-rain garden restoration and plant sale, and May 14-planting day. To signup, contact **Bonnie Hansen** or go to the club member web site.

Raina Richardson, a senior at the McFarland High School, was presented the 2015 Henry Ahlgren Humanitarian Scholarship. Criteria for scholarship were community service, extra-curricular activities, leadership, communication skills, and community goals essay. Raina plans to attend UW-Madison, majoring in Economics. Several Kiwanians encouraged her to consider Agricultural Economics. Today, Raina was joined by her parents, Mary and Travis. A thank you goes to **Sharon Brantmeier, Bobette Heller** and **Wayne Kussow** for evaluating the eleven applications.



Raina Richardson with her parents, Mary and Travis, and Ron Schuler