



Kiwanis Club of Madison West

KIWANOGRAM

Guests: Neal Spencer, son of Carol.

Program: During today's program, the 2015 Community and Youth Grant recipients were announced and representatives from each organization were present. Bonnie Hansen introduced the community grant recipients and Arlin Brannstrom introduced the youth grants.

Community grant recipients (rep.) were:

1. First United Methodist Church Food Pantry (Karen Andro)-\$1,500,
2. Planned Parenthood of Wisconsin (Adrian Jones)-\$1,000,
3. Road Home (Peggy Haloran)-\$1,000 and
4. Allied Food Pantry (Eileen Dresser, Phyllis Dresser and Juan Alvarez)-\$1,500.



Bonnie Hansen, Karen Andro, Adrian Jones, Peggy Haloran, Eileen Dresser, Juan Alvarez, Phyllis Dresser (l-r).

The Youth grant recipients (rep) were:

1. Dyslexia Center-Madison (Kelly Kueuzie)-\$1,500),
2. Lussier Community Education Center (Brian Squire)-\$1,000),
3. Boys & Girls Club of Dane County (Jen Carlson) \$1,000,
4. Gio's Garden (Val Madsen)-\$750 and
5. Aldo Leopold Center (Emma Streckert)-\$750.

Up coming Program

Date	Program	Greeter	Opening Word
June 19	Domestic Abuse Intervention Services Sheba McCants	Jim Bly	Fred Ross
June 26	Know Your Grasses, Turfgrass Research Doug Soldat	Virgil Jurrens	Karyn Schairer

June 12, 2015

Presiding: Mary Mennes
Greeter: Bill Grabel
Opening word: Ken Saville
Music: Boomer and Mary Mennes
Checkpoint: Terry Stewart, Virgil Jurrens,
Drawing: Ken Niemeyer
 Eliminate Project



Brian Squire, Kelly Kueuzie, Jen Carlson, Val Madsen, Emma Streckert and Arlin Brannstrom(l-r)

The total value of the grants is \$10,000 with \$4,300 coming from our foundation and \$5,700 coming our club fundraising budget.

Important Dates

Date	Event
June 16	West Madison Little League Brewers Game
June 17	Satellite Club Meeting HyVee Westgate
June 25-28	Kiwanis International Convention Indianapolis
June 26	Weekly program will be at the Turfgrass Res. Facility (UW)
August 25-27	WI Farm Technology Days Sun Prairie, Statz Bros. Farm
August 28-29	Wisconsin-Upper Michigan District Conv., Marquette, MI

Meeting Time and Location

Fridays, 11:45 am

Covenant Presbyterian Church

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Club Officers (2014-2015)

President: Carrol Spencer

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Secretary Ron Schuler

Treasurer: Randy Grobe

Past President Bill Grabel

Board of Directors

Ed Reisch Al Wearing

Bill Battista Tom McCrill

Bonnie Hansen Travis Wirth

Announcements:

Carrol Spencer reported on highlights of the Board of Directors meeting on June 10:

1. Service Club Luncheon is scheduled for October 12. This luncheon will serve as our weekly meeting. Nominations have been requested for the Ruth Gordon Award. See **Ed Reisch** for details
2. The Kiwanis International Amendments and Resolutions were reviewed. Our delegates were advised of the Boards recommendations.
3. Due to another activity at Covenant , our June 26 must be relocated.

Wayne Kussow has arranged the June 26 meeting at the OJ Noer Turfgrass Facility Research and Education (UW-Madison) located on County Road M, Verona, The UW facility is located midway between Midtown Road and County PD, adjacent to University Ridge Golf Course.

The next work day at Eplegaarden will be June 20, Saturday. Cutting firewood and preparing bundles for sale will be the major task with four bale wagon loads of apple wood branches and tree limbs available. If you have any questions, please contact **Carrol Spencer**.

Attending the June 10 Satellite Club meeting were **Helen Atz, Helen Dorak, Virgil Jurens, Anita Poehlman, Fritz Lutze, Ron Schuler, Chuck Stumpf** and **Necy Wilson**. The next meeting is on June 17, 9:00 am, at the Westgate HyVee.

Ken Saville announced the Key Leader program which provides leadership training for youth who have graduated from eighth grade and primarily ages 14 to 20. This program is scheduled for Camp Wawbeek, September 25-27. Our 2014-15 budget has \$500 allocated to support two students to this event. If you know of any potential students for this program, contact Ken.

Our West Kiwanis Little League team is in a bit of a slump, with two straight losses: June 5, a 13 to 6 loss to Badger Sports and June 7, a 8 to 6 loss to Culvers. The team's record is one win and three losses. The next game is Friday, June 12, 4:00 pm when their opponent is ATC. On Sunday, June 14 (1:00 pm) their opponent is Meicher & Associates.

On July 22, 2015, **Ken Saville's** retirement will be celebrated after 37 years with Easter Seals Wisconsin. The celebration will take place Camp Wawbeek, North of Wisconsin Dells. Members of Kiwanis are invited.

On June 10, **Bruce Hoehne, Wayne Kussow** and **Ron Schuler** attended the Madison East Kiwanis meeting and discussed their volunteer opportunities at the 2015 Wisconsin Farm Technology Days.

Madison East Kiwanis invites Madison West Kiwanians to Olbrich Gardens concerts on Tuesday evenings, 7:00 pm, from June 23 through July 28 and enjoy food from their brat wagon, They will be serving brats, hot dogs etc. from 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm. Members of the Aktion Club assist in this project and this serves as their only fundraising project.