



Kiwanis Club of Madison West

KIWANOGRAM

Guests: Relatives of recipients: Chris Hildebrand, Sandy Xiong, Carol and Hannah Lemke, Brian and Danielle Gale, Laura and John Svaren. Teachers: Mark Cyra LaFollette), Andy Johnson (Memorial) and Peggy Boettger (East). Special guests: Kathy Endle and Linda Joseff.

Program: The 2017 Joseff-Endle Music Scholarship recipients were recognized with Laurie Fellenz, Art Education Coordinator from the Madison School District present. The recipients were:

1. Anna Hildebrand, Edgewood,
2. Jennifer (Gaoza) Xiong, East,
3. Gabriel (Gabe) Lemke, LaFollette,
4. Megan Gale, Memorial, and
5. Levi Svaren, West

These students will receive \$500 scholarships to participate in a music clinic this summer. Attending the UW-Madison Music Clinic are Anna, Jennifer, Megan, and Levi. Gabriel will be attending the UW-Stevens Point Clinic.

Laurie Fellenz provided an overview of the music programs in the Madison schools. Music education is present in all 50 schools. For K-5, the focus is general music. Stringed instruments are added in 5th grade, over 1300 enrolled. In middle school, the music program continues in band, orchestra and choir. Madison is only district that provides instrument – may be doing a campaign soon.



L-r: Laurie Fellenz, Jennifer Xiong, Gabriel (Gabe) Lemke, Anna Hildebrand, Levi Savaren, Megan Gale and Dave Wendricks.

April 21, 2017

Presiding: Arlin Brannstrom
 Greeter: George Shook
 Opening word: Ken Saville
 Music: Dwayne Rohweder
 Checkpoint: Terry Stewart, Virg Jurrens
 Drawing: Ken Saville
 Music Scholarship

Announcements:

After experiencing a stroke in Colorado last week, **Ron Fiedler** is expected to return to Madison today and will receive rehabilitation therapy at a hospital. This was reported by **Fred Ross**.

On May 5, we will have the Middle School awards organized by **Sharon Brantmeier**. Kate Taves will be representing the Madison School Board at this meeting. Sharon is looking for volunteers to serve as hosts for the students and their parents and teachers. If interested contact Sharon at 839-4832.

Kiwanis Day at the Milwaukee Brewers game is scheduled for June 20. The cost is \$50 which includes bus ride to the game.

Important Dates

Date	Event
April 22	Kiwanis Vilas Zoo Cleanup Madison Area Kiwanis Clubs
May 1	Downtown Kiwanis Auction Madison Club
May 3	Board of Directors Meeting HyVee, Whitney Way
May 18	Monroe Kiwanis Club Anniversary
June 15	Kiwanis at Madison Mallards Game
June 20	Milwaukee Brewer Game
September 18	Downtown Madison Golf Outing Oaks Golf Course

Upcoming Programs:

Date	Program	Greeter	Opening Word
April 28	Plant Genetics in the 21 st Century Bill Tracy	Harold Green	Virg Jurrens
May 5	Middle School Awards Sharon Brantmeier	Tom McCrill	TBD

Meeting Time and Location

Fridays, 11:45 am

Covenant Presbyterian Church

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Announcements:

Bruce Hoehne announced a meeting of the Madison Kiwanis Foundation Trustees will take place immediately following today's program. Members are welcome.

Members of Madison West Kiwanis are encouraged to invite guests who are potential members to our meetings. We have some very outstanding programs scheduled which will be of great interest.

Our next Lunch Buddies at Midvale School is scheduled for April 3 and 17. Three volunteers are needed. Contact **Ed Reisch** if interested (274-4371).

Kiwanis cleanup day (also Earth Day) at Vilas Zoo is scheduled for April 22. The primary focus will be raking and removing last year's vegetation. Madison area Kiwanis, Circle K and Key Clubs are invited to participate. More details will follow.

Madison East Kiwanis has scheduled Kiwanis at the Duck Pond during the Madison Mallards game on June 15.

Monroe Kiwanis will be celebrating their anniversary on May 18. More details to follow. This is their 99th anniversary. An interclub is being planned.

Ed Reisch provided information on the 12th Annual Circle of Friends Celebration scheduled Tuesday, May 23 (12:00 noon to 1:30 pm, registration 11:30 am) at the Alliant Energy Center. This event provides funds for the Madison Public Schools and a minimum contribution of \$100 is requested for a ticket. Ed encourages members to participate to obtain a table of eight. Contact Ed if interested, 274-4371.

Club Officers (2016-2017)

President:	Millard Johnson
Vice President	Arlin Brannstrom
Secretary	Ron Schuler
Treasurer:	Randy Grobe
Past President	Mary Mennes

Board of Directors

Bonnie Hansen	Jim Danner
Ken Saville	Brian Martin
Scott Kramer	Tom McCrill

The Kiwanis Club of Downtown Madison invites other Kiwanis clubs in our district to attend their annual fun fundraising auction, to be held on Monday, May 1, 2017, at the Madison Club. The event will feature a silent auction, a live auction, a book/media sale, a matching donation challenge, and the usual buffet lunch. The event will begin at 11:00 AM with the opening of the silent auction. Lunch will be served at 11:30 AM. The live auction will be the program of the day. It will begin at 12:15 PM. The festivities will conclude around 1:00 PM. Come and support your fellow Kiwanians. Please inform Richard Wildermuth at tbmauctioneer@gmail.com, by Tuesday, April 25, 2017, of your intentions to attend, so sufficient food will be prepared. We are looking forward to seeing many of our Kiwanis friends.

The Downtown Madison Kiwanis Club has scheduled a golf fundraising event on September 18. They are inviting people to golf, to provide sponsorships of holes, and participate in a dinner. The funds generated will be used for the Autism project, the Wisconsin-Upper Michigan Signature Project. Madison Area clubs are encouraged to participate and will receive funds for iPads to students with autism in their schools.

