



Kiwanis Club of Madison West

KIWANOGRAM

Guests: Monroe Kiwanians Jim Glessner, Judie Heitz, Nikki Matley and Shannon Kaszaba; and Sandy Stark, guest of Charlie.

Program: Midvale second grade teachers, Candice Whitmore and Sarah Thomas guided about 35 second graders to our meeting and planned a program for Kiwanians and second graders to engage one on one discussion about an educational lesson on 'Beavers'. The lesson describe beaver's ability to construct dams and create their home within the material used to construct a dam.

In addition the second graders entertained Kiwanians by singing two songs. In turn, Kiwanians entertained the second graders with the song, "When Kiwanis Calls".

As part of program each of the second graders received raffle tickets for several drawings for books. Six tickets were drawn and six second graders each received a book.



Second graders sharing their Beaver work sheet with Kiwanians , Tom McCrill and others.

December 2, 2016

Presiding:	Millard Johnson
Greeter:	Brian Rodeck
Opening word:	Tom McCrill
Music	Fred and Mary
Checkpoint:	Brian Rodeck
Drawing:	Terry Stewart

Announcements:

Arlin Brannstrom announced:

1. The Madison West Kiwanis Board of Directors will be meeting Wednesday, December 7, 7:30 am at the **HyVee located on Whitney Way-note new location,**
2. Bruce Hoehne will present the program on the Madison West Kiwanis Foundation on December 9, and
3. December 16 will be a excellent meeting to invite guests because the program will be a musical: " Fiddling Around with Christmas."

Our Foundation Trustees have a meeting scheduled for December 9, 1:00 pm, immediately following our weekly meeting. Members are welcome.

Important Dates

Date	Event
December 2	Stage setup-Christmas Pageant
December 4	Christmas Pageant
December 9	Madison East Kiwanis Candy Sale
December 9	Madison Foundation Trustees Meeting, following regular meeting
December 11	Application Deadline for the Adaptive Ski Program
December 23	No Meeting

Upcoming Programs:

Date	Program	Greeter	Opening Word
December 9	Madison West Kiwanis Foundation Bruce Hoehne	Brian Martin	Ed Reisch
December 16	Fiddling Around With Christmas Arlin Brannstrom	TBA	TBA

Meeting Time and Location

Fridays, 11:45 am

Covenant Presbyterian Church

326 South Segoe Road, Madison, WI

Web site: www.madisonwestkiwanis.com

Email: Admin@madisonwestkiwanis.com

Facebook:

www.facebook.com/madisonwestkiwanis

Announcements:

Ken Saville, chair of the Christmas Pageant, reported a sufficient number of members volunteered for the pageant stage setup immediately following today's meeting. More volunteers were needed for ushering and stage takedown on Sunday. Fifteen Edgewood Circle K Club have volunteered for ushering. If you haven't signed up for Sunday and want to volunteer contact Ken by email at 249-1161 or ksaville.1951@gmail.com.

Ed Reisch reminded members of opportunities to provide financial support for the Christmas Pageant. Thanks to Ed, each year contributions have been sufficient to cover the expenses associated with the pageant. A special thank you goes to Reynolds Transfer and Storage for storing the stage and transporting the stage to and from the State Capitol, free of any charges. If interested in contributing to the pageant, please contact Ed: mlreisch@chorus.net or 274-4371.

Ed Reisch announced a Midvale School Lunch Buddies is scheduled for December 14 (second Wednesday), 12:10 – 12:30 pm. Bruce Dewey volunteered.

Opportunities to volunteer at UW-Madison events: UW Men's Basketball on December 7, NCAA Volleyball Regionals on December 9, NCAA Volleyball Regionals on December 10, UW Women's Basketball on December 11, UW Men's Basketball on December 14 and UW Winter Commencement on December 18. Contact **Bruce Hoehne** if you have any questions. His contact information is by phone 608-798-1904 or by email b.hoehne@yahoo.com.

Fritz Lutze had the sign up for volunteering for Salvation Bell Ringing circulated. We are scheduled to do bell ringing at the Copps store on University Avenue, December 10 and 17. If you missed the opportunity to sign up contact Fritz: 231-1555 or rslutze@wisc.edu.

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

Reminder: The application deadline for the 11th season of the Adaptive Ski Association (ASA) program is December 16. For the first ten years we have supported 35 skiers. Our goal is to support four skiers per year. Support for this program is provided by the Ethel Allen fund in our Foundation.

Reminder: **Fred Ross** reminds members of our goal of one new member each month through December, 2017. We have four new members since this program was started in June, 2016. Fred encourages members to invite potential guests to our meetings.

Today, Monroe Kiwanians were selling their tins of chocolate covered macadamia nuts. They raise \$20,000 to \$25,000 each year. Extra tins are available from **Ken Saville**.

Madison East Kiwanis Club members will be providing an opportunity to purchase their Amish candy during their visit on December 9 at \$9.00.

Charlie and **Sandy Stark** invited Kiwanians to an Open House at their home, 929 Arden Lane, on December 3 from 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm.



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Reinvigoration Program

20 new members by December, 2017