



THE SANDPIPER



THE WEEKLY MEMBERSHIP NEWSLETTER OF THE KIWANIS CLUB OF SAND LAKE, NY

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MEETING OF JUNE 11, 2012

PRESIDENT Patricia A. Lane presiding

GREETINGS & INVOCATION by **Bob Pasquarelli**

GUESTS of Barb Fioravanti and Mike Marcelle, **Liz Maloney** and **Rob Messier**

PROJECT SIGNUP SHEETS

DOORS OF HOPE, unloading food truck

Tues June 12th: **Loveridge, Linda Ellis, Lane, Nippes**

K-KIDS CELEBRATION, Tues June 12th 4 PM @ WSL Elementary School: **Mulligan, Malecki, Loveridge, Ellis-Linda, Behson, Ward, Weiss, Lane, Booker, Patton, Fioravanti**

TICKET SALES @ SUMMERFEST, Thur – Sun, June 14 – 17

Thur 6/14, 4-5PM: _____, _____

5-6: _____, _____

6-7: **Ward, Ginther**

7-8: _____, _____

8-9: _____, _____

9-10: _____, _____

10-11: _____, _____

Fri 6/15, 4-5PM: _____, _____

5-6: **Patton, Perry**

6-7: **Ward, Weiss**

7-8: **Hamlin, Weiss**

8-9: **Hamlin, _____**

9-10: **Ellis, Linda & Lyndon**

10-11: _____, _____



Sat 6/16, 12-1PM: **Wagner, Crozier**

1-2: **Mulligan**, _____
2-3: **Mulligan**, _____
3-4: **Sarsfield**, _____
4-5: **Sarsfield**, _____
5-6: _____, _____
6-7: **Ellis, Linda & Lyndon**
7-8: _____, _____
8-9: **Weiss, Ward**
9-10: **Weiss**, _____
10-11: _____, _____

Sun 6/17, 12-1PM: **K James**, _____

1-2: **Mulligan**, _____
2-3: **Mulligan**, _____
3-4: _____, _____
4-5: _____, _____
5-6: _____, _____
6-7: **Ellis, Linda & Lyndon**
7-8: **Hamlin**, _____
8-9: **Hamlin**, _____
9-10: _____, _____
10-11: _____, _____

Lots of empty spaces, folks! Let's fill them up! Remember, EVERY MEMBER HELPS AT SUMMERFEST!

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- **Bob Pasquarelli:** Need a few more orders to make the minimum of 12 for “Kiwanis Sand Lake” dress shirts @ \$33. Order will go in next week.
- **Pres Pat:** Thanks to all those who helped in the Food Trailer at the Relay for Life; proceeds to go to the Cancer Society. Our Sand Lake Youth Unit had the largest group walking, and had raised the largest amount of money at Relay time. A very impressive ceremony.
- **Pres Pat:** Thanks also to Bob Loveridge and Janet Malecki who presented the benefits of community service to Miller Hill Elementary students. Bob gave out K-9 calendars and explained the project, after which Bob and Janet helped the kids make dog pull toys.
- **Janet Malecki:** Please remember the K-Kids Celebration tomorrow at 4 PM!
- **Eve Ward:** Our After-Summerfest Picnic for members and guests will be two weeks from tonight at Butler Park. Please notify Eve if you plan to come, and if you will have guests. The club will supply sandwich supplies and beverages; plan to bring a dish to share, along with your place settings and chairs.
- **Eve Ward:** The annual baseball outing will be in July; signups start next week.
- **Pres Pat:** Thanks to LTG Bob Loveridge, Sec Dave Booker and John Brownrigg who attended the Key Club charter presentation at Tech Valley High School last week, along with North Greenbush's Noreen Barrett, East Greenbush's Lynn Cataletti, District Key Club LTG Arianna Schneider, and District Key Club Administrator Emily Gicewicz.
- **John Brownrigg:** I have 2 Medium size Kiwanis yellow golf shirts, and hope to have some more before the end of the week in time for Summerfest—perhaps even Ladies sizes!

PRESENTATION

Barbara Fioravanti and Superintendent of Schools Mike Marcelle formally presented the Algonquin Middle School Builders' Club charter to Faculty Advisor **Liz Maloney** and Principal **Rob Messier**, and welcomed our newest member of the Kiwanis Family! Congratulations!



PROGRAM

John Brownrigg stated the obvious—SUMMERFEST IS THIS WEEK—our 20th! He especially wanted to thank Bill Whipple who reorganized the sponsorship information, and stimulated the collection of \$20,130 from our community sponsors! 20 years ago our first



Summerfest budget was \$5000 and we made \$8300. John also specially gave thanks to Janet Malecki who spent many hours helping to set up for vendors and crafters, to Barb Fioravanti for once again scheduling all the bands, to Mike Gates for publicity in the *Advertiser*, posters, and in this week's *Metroland*, to Joe Behson for obtaining the trophies, and to Bob Loveridge for security measures (look for the red shirts), and once again providing workers from the Rensselaer County Detention Facility. Food will be provided by Stewart's, with SLK help, on Saturday from 5-9 PM only. At all other times, food will be

available from various other vendors. Remember to wear your yellow shirts every day! Folks have learned to look for them when they need information or help. Remember school is still in session Thursday and Friday—the parking lot must be shared!

HAPPY DOLLARS

- \$ **Eve Ward:** My granddaughter Alexandra has been on the honor roll all year!
- \$ **Joe Behson:** I accompanied twelve 6 & 7 year old Little Leaguers to Yankee Stadium yesterday, and we watched the Yankees beat the Mets from the luxury suites!
- \$ **Bob Loveridge:** Thanks to John Brownrigg for once again leading us to Summerfest!
- \$ **Mike Gates:** As co-chair I appreciate the thanks, but will take all the blame if stuff goes wrong! On a different topic, I was able to take a perfect picture of Venus passing in front of the sun the other night! *{He passed the beautiful photo around the room!}*
- \$ **Skip Patton:** I saw it too, but I didn't get a picture!
- \$ **Mike Marcelle:** Here's one for Rob, one for Liz, and one for Pat! Thanks for the awards!
- \$ **Barb Fioravanti:** And here's one for Rob, and one for Liz—for the new Algonquin Builders Club!
- \$ **Pete Stevens:** I graduated high school in 1972, and just went to my 40th reunion in Detroit!
- \$ **Peg Weiss:** My brother Bill gave us a scare last week when he suffered a heart attack on Tuesday, but happily, after insertion of a stent and a week in the hospital, he's home with a lot of new instructions!
- \$ **John Brownrigg:** I finally beat Blondie big time at the races! Her horse was scratched from the Belmont, and mine won, so I'm \$4.20 ahead of her! Till the next race! And I want to thank the whole club for all the support for this year's Summerfest!
- \$ **Pat Lane:** On Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday last week, I KNEW I was a Kiwanian!

DOOR PRIZE, an IOU provided by John Brownrigg (or Pat Lane?), was won by **Liz Maloney!**

Now you **HAVE** to come back, Liz, and maybe become a member?

50/50 for \$20.50 was won by **Bryce Ginther!**

MEGA 50/50 dangled its \$339.50 in front of **Linda Ellis**, but she picked the 10 of Clubs, not the King, from the remaining 33 cards!



COMING WEEKS... There **WILL** be a meeting next Monday!

JUNE 18 PROGRAM: *John Brownrigg et al*, Rehashing Summerfest!!!
GREETER/INVOCATOR: **TBA**

JUNE 25 **MEMBER/GUEST SUMMERFEST R&R PICNIC @ BUTLER PARK**
Call Eve, bring food, place settings, chairs

JULY 2 PROGRAM: **TBA**
BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING
GREETER/INVOCATOR: *Woodie Hacker*

JULY 9 PROGRAM: *Joe Behson -- TBA*
GREETER/INVOCATOR/CERTIFICATE: *Janet Malecki*

SPIRITUAL THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:

“Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it is the only thing that ever has.”
Margaret Mead