



# THE SANDPIPER



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

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## MEETING OF November 27, 2017

President John C. Brownrigg, presiding  
INVOCATION by Joe Behson

**WELCOME BACK:** Joe Grillo, Jim Parslow and President John

**PROJECT SIGNUP SHEETS:** Numerous signup sheets were distributed and completed for projects including the 12/1 Doors of Hope, the 12/9 Pasta Dinner, the 12/ 12, 13 & 16 Holiday Food Baskets, the 12/16 Bells of Life, the 12/18 Club Holiday Party, and the 12/28 American Red Cross Blood Drive.

### **DOORS OF HOPE,** unloading food truck

Friday, December 1 *Craig Daniels, Skip Patton, Stuart Nippes, Pat Lane,* \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_  
Monday, December 18 *Pat Lane, Joe Grillo,* \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_

### **PASTA DINNER FUND RAISER:** West Sand Lake Fire House, Saturday, December 9

Prepare Sauce: *David Booker*

Kitchen: 3-7:30PM – *Rose Metchick, Bob Loveridge,* \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_

Set Up and Serve: 3-5:30PM – *Jean F. Hamlin,* \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_

Cashier 3:30-7:30PM – *Eve Ward*

Serve and Clean Up 5:30-7:30PM – *Jean F. Hamlin,* \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_ & \_\_\_\_\_

### **HOLIDAY FOOD & GIFT BASKET PROGRAM:** American Legion Hall

Sort & Pack Food (6-8PM Tuesday, December 12): *Eve Ward, Pat Lane, Stuart Nippes, Craig Daniels, Skip Patton, Ron Wagner & John Mulligan*

Sort & Pack Food (6-8PM Wednesday, December 13): *Peg Weiss, Eve Ward, Pat Lane, Stuart Nippes, Jim Colabelli, Craig Daniels, Janet Malecki & Ron Wagner*

### **HOLIDAY FOOD & GIFT BASKET PROGRAM (cont.):**

Distribute Food Baskets (8AM-1PM, Saturday, December 16): *Jim Parslow, Peg Weiss, Eve Ward, Pat Lane, Stuart Nippes, Ron Wagner & Bob Pasquarelli*

### **BELLS OF LIFE:** Crossgates Mall, Saturday, December 16

10AM – 1PM *Jean F. Hamlin, Bob Loveridge, Stuart Nippes (and guest), Jen Glasser, Justin Glasser & John Mulligan*

1 – 3:30PM *Peg Weiss, Bob Loveridge, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_*

3:30-6PM *Pat Lane, Betty Jean Whipple, Craig Daniels, Rose Metchick, Jim Parslow, \_\_\_\_\_*

### **HOLIDAY PARTY:** Monday, December 18 Cocktails at 6PM Dinner at 7PM

Attending: Joe Behson (2), David Booker, John Brownrigg (2), Jim Colabelli (2), Bryce Ginther, Jen F. Hamlin, Bob Loveridge (2), Janet Malecki, Rose Metchick, Jim Parslow (2), Bob Pasquarelli (2), Joe Trupia (2), Eve Ward & Peg Weiss.

**To sign up call Eve Ward with your choice of entrée:** Petite Prime Rib, Chicken Marsala, Broiled Haddock or Pasta Primavera

### **AMERICAN RED CROSS BLOOF DRIVE,** Church of the Covenant, UMC, Thursday, December 28

Set Up prior to 1PM: *Nancy W. Davis, \_\_\_\_\_*

1st Shift (1-3:30PM): Canteen: *Pat Lane* Registration: *Eve Ward*

2nd Shift (3:30-6PM): Canteen: *Craig Daniels* Registration: *David Booker*

Clean up (6pm): *Nancy W. Davis, \_\_\_\_\_*

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

- Peg invited us all to the Church of the Covenant Sunday, December 27 for their Christmas Concert at 10:30.
- Eve reminded us to sign up for our 12/18 Holiday Party and select one of the 4 meal choices.
- Eve collected (and will be collecting again if you did not give) for the Teenagers' gifts.

### **PROGRAM:**



Skip Patton presented Travels in Spain (part 2) covering travels through southern Spain. This part of their trip began in Ronda, the home of bullfighting in Spain where they toured the amazing bullfighting museum. They then traveled to the city of Malaga on the shore of the Mediterranean Sea and on to the British territory of Gibraltar and explored it's many honeycombed caves and numerous tunnels. They were met by numerous very, very inquisitive distant relatives, the Macaque monkeys, while spending a bit of time in cafes searching for that elusive

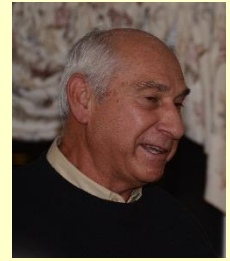
bad bottle of Spanish wine. They then traveled on to their final city stop Granada, the last Moorish city that fell to the Christians in 1492. They visited the Alhambra Palace and the lavishly decorated and beautifully maintained Sultan's quarters. It took over 200 years to complete and fully decorate the elaborate mosque and Sultan's gardens that remain beautiful to this day.

### **HAPPY DOLLARS:**

- \$ Bob #1 (Bob P) is happy to report that our food trailer is all cleaned up and is now in winter storage.
- \$ Skip is happy for Thanksgiving with family in Lancaster, PA and for observing 1,000 American Eagles at their annual gathering site on the Susquehanna River.



- \$ Jim Parslow for a once-in-a-life-time trip to Nepal. And seeing a mountain lion right here in our neck of the woods.
- \$ Bryce for his upcoming trip to Missouri to be with family.
- \$ Jean happy that the kids at the YMCA completed 300 Letters to Santa.
- \$ Bob #2 (Bob L) thankful for all the Letters to Santa that members have turned in tonight. We can complete more and turn them in next week.
- \$ Jerry is happy that Jim P, his old classmate, wasn't lost and has found his way back from India.
- \$ John Brownrigg: \$5 Happy Dollars for :1- Great vacation with Family in AZ ,2- thank you to all that participated in Sand Lake Veterans Night and joint cooperation of Veterans Groups, and 3- hiking getting a little more difficult than past years.



**DRAWINGS:**

**DOOR PRIZE:** a beautifully wrapped bottle of wine (Spanish we hope) provided by Skip was won by Joe Trupia

50/50 of \$18 was also won by lucky Joe T!

**PROGRESSIVE 50/50:** Our Mega prize of \$153.50 once again eluded Bob #2 who drew the 7 of hearts from the remaining 45 cards.

Three unpaid meals had to be awarded as Door Prizes.



**IN THE COMING WEEKS:**

**NEXT WEEK**

**December 11**

**PROGRAM CHAIR:** Joe Grillo

**PROGRAM:** Dan Merrill, National Grid: *Energy Efficiency and Conservation*

**INVOCATOR/GREETER/CERTIFICATE PRESENTER:** Bill Whipple

**IN 2 WEEKS**

**December 18**

**PROGRAM CHAIR:** Social Committee

**PROGRAM:** **Holiday Party**

**INVOCATOR:** Bob Pasquarelli

**IN 3 WEEKS**

**December 25**



**No Meeting – Christmas**

**IN 4 WEEKS**

**January 1**

**No Meeting – New Years Day**



**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:**

"Hard times don't create heroes. It is during the hard times when the hero within us is revealed."

