So how many of us still play or maybe ever have played video games or have ever been actively engaged with virtual reality? I imagine not that many of us, but the staff at C.S. Mott Children’s Hospital’s Patient Technology Department sure have, in particular as a way to enhance the child’s hospital experience and most importantly as a way to support the healing process through the use of gaming as well as a wide range of emerging technology platforms (see the links to video(s) below that tell this story).

This all started with your Kiwanis of Michigan Foundation providing seed funding and other support to C.S. Mott’s in order to try several different therapeutic gaming and technology programs that at the time were clearly out of the mainstream in terms of child and family life services.
April

4  CANCELLED: Spring Divisional- Divisions 1-9
5  LG Training - Online begins April 5
10  GOOD FRIDAY- District office closed
18  CANCELLED: Spring Divisional- Divisions 19-21
24-26  RESCHEDULED: Key Leader, Grass Lake - Sept. 11-13
30  Club Delegate forms for Kiwanis International Convention Due

May

2  Michigan District Day of Service
2  Past LG Council Meeting
4  Club Boards should elect delegates to District Convention in Flint
9  Third District Board Meeting- 9:30 am
12  Final District Convention Planning Meeting-Flint

Will Reschedule  Kiwanis MI Foundation Board Meeting

22-25  MEMORIAL DAY- District Office Closed

* indicates dates and events Club Presidents and Secretaries should note
I am so proud to be a part of an organization with so many strong, vibrant, and intelligent people ... high in EQ to boot. I am grateful for your energy. For your willingness to do bold things every day. For your determination to face the wind in your face and declare “I will lead”. These are the traits of excellence, the energy of reliance, and the spirit of winning. In every crisis there is enormous opportunity to lead and change lives. This power is yours ... and greatly amplified ... thanks to modern technology and the digital tools that are so common in 2020. Who is determined to show the world ... through their business efforts ... that fear-based psychology does not control them?

Join me in a fun bingo Challenge!

Email the governor or comment on the Facebook post with the bingo board when you BINGO!

First 10 bingos will win a little prize, first person to get a cover all will win the Grand Prize!

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Sarah Kew | 2019-20 Governor | Michigan District
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To complete my statements on WHO WE ARE, WHAT WE DO and WHY WE DO IT.

Let me discuss why I volunteer.

Many times I have been asked “Why do I do all the volunteering in the various organizations?” My answer is always simple - I get a sense of satisfaction and contentment in helping others. I like making a positive difference in the lives of others. It gives me a sense of accomplishment and also helps with my psychological and physical health. I have heard that this feel good feeling is actually shown to decrease your risk of depression because it keeps you active and helps you make new, fulfilling connections.

According to an article in our Kiwanis magazine on June 1, 2019 are listed here.

- “Volunteering enhances social networks, which buffer people against stress and disease and ease pressure on health systems.
- Volunteering improves mental health and contributes to higher levels of happiness, self-esteem, self-worth and life satisfaction.
- Service organizations galvanize communities in times of need.
- Service organizations contribute to economic growth via community investment.
- Volunteering develops life skills and leadership abilities.
- Volunteering increases awareness and understanding of public issues.
- Service-learning enhances understanding of diverse cultures and communities, and binds people through shared experiences”

So, think about why you belong to Kiwanis and why you like volunteering. Then have those answers ready when you are asked WHY YOU DO IT. Besides telling others WHO WE ARE and WHAT WE DO tell them WHY WE DO IT.. And remember WE ARE KIWANIS
PARTICIPATE

The definition of participate is to take or have a part or share, as with others.

What does that mean for us Kiwanians and our clubs? That means we can step out of our club’s meetings, our community and our way of doing things, expand our horizons and share our ideas, fundraisers, service projects, best practices, what to avoid, etc.

I distinctly remember my first experience with this realization. Immediately after college I went to work for Sears in management. I had worked for them for nine years in Pontiac and Highland Park when I decided to go back to school at night to get my Masters in Business Administration from Oakland University. After several weeks of classes and talking with other students who worked at other companies, I was shocked to realize that there were other ways to conduct business, treat customers and employees, other ways to get things done. I thought after nine years with Sears and not looking at other companies, that was the way to do things.

This could be the same experience with your club. Maybe some of your members have suggested different things but that’s just old Joe or Jane or young Joe or Jane saying that. It’s sort of like your parents telling you something and you dismiss it, but when someone outside the family says the same thing, a lightbulb goes on.

The point is your club does not have to be an island in your community insulated from the rest of the Kiwanis world. There are ideas, help, support, people and wonderful opportunities to grow your club and yourself. Take advantage of them and you will realize there is more than one way to run a Kiwanis club.

In these unprecedented times there are ways to participate with others besides being there in person.

Be creative!

Greg Smith | Executive Director | Michigan District
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So how can you and your club participate more?
Here are some ways. You can attend:
- Spring Divisionals (over now, but there will be more next year)
- Division Council meetings
- Interclubs with any Kiwanis club in the District or a Service Leadership club
- Key Leader Sept 11-13
- The Key Club Service Leadership Conference or Circle K Convention next year
- The Aktion Club Conference September 18-19
- The Kiwanis International Convention in Indianapolis June 17-21
- Club Leadership Education in Troy-July 18, Kalamazoo-July 25 or Grayling-August 1
- The Michigan District Convention in Flint August 20-23
- You can also consider a District Leadership position as a Lt. Governor or on a District Committee

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And as you may be aware of from attending a C.S. Mott’s breakout session at last year’s Michigan District Convention in Ann Arbor, it all started in 2015 with Mott’s JJ Brouchard (Director of Patient Technology) building on the successes he had in bringing therapeutic play to pediatric oncology patients at the hospital and very rapidly building on that in bringing gaming systems to the entire hospital as his team grew from one to four staff. To this end and based on JJ’s understanding of the clinical as well as technology that would be required, he and his team reached out to the community for volunteers with expertise in these areas and were able to bring all of this to their patient’s bedside, to the hospital’s activity centers as well as integrate it into Mott’s physical and other therapy programs.

With all of this said, what are the benefits that The Kids derive from these gaming and virtual reality programs? There are several: (1) **the encouragement of fine motor movement**, problem solving and critical thinking (2) **encouragement of cooperative game play**, translating into greater socialization and normalization (3) **reduced isolation from family and friends** outside of the hospital through online gaming, and perhaps most of all (4) **using video gaming and virtual reality to help in a calming way get kids ready** for what is coming up for them medically or even more simply help them to be better able to ignore the IV in their arm or just fall asleep.

Finally, while C.S. Mott Children’s Hospital is clearly the trailblazer nationally in all things that deal with therapeutic gaming and virtual reality, they continue to evolve and add new programs and therapies. One example of this is that they have expanded upon their ongoing outreach to the community by setting up a monthly “Arcade” whereby they invite different individuals from the outside community to come to Mott’s and test out a variety of different games and virtual reality technologies. The Patient Technology Staff, as part of Mott’s Child & Family Life Services Department, has also developed a relationship with a non-profit group named “Build Up Steam” who work with

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**For sure C.S. Mott’s digital endeavors are constantly evolving with technology and patient feedback, with their current major initiatives including the following:**

- **IN ROOM GAMING:** With most hospital rooms being equipped with Xbox 360 Systems plus having mobile game carts available in each activity room.

- **VOLUNTEER GAMERS & GAME DEVELOPERS:** Volunteer play games with patients and help them build their own games, from the simple to the complex.

- **LEGO AND ROBOTICS:** Mott’s staff uses customized Lego Robotics to help keep patients’ minds busy during hospital stays while teaching basic coding and educational skills.

- **VIRTUAL REALITY:** This technology is used in order to help Mott’s kids experience a world that may sometimes feel out of reach. They can experience scuba diving, explore rain forests or even the feeling of running down the tunnel and onto the playing field at Michigan Stadium.

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The Kids to develop Legos with small motors that connect to an iPad or iPhone thereby turning these Lego Creations into actual robots that scurry around doing one task after another…..amazing to say the least.

From the very beginning days of our Kiwanis Of Michigan Foundation we have partnered with C.S. Mott’s Children’s Hospital to help support Michigan’s hospitalized children and as a result we as Michigan Kiwanians have been instrumental in the development of these groundbreaking therapies. Additionally, last year we were able to add an additional 13th monthly payment to all of the Michigan children’s hospitals that we support given our effective stewardship of our members financial support. So let’s continue this tradition as we work with our hospital partners to make the lives of Michigan’s hospitalized children (and their families) just a little bit easier every single day.

Thank You for the support you have provided to your Kiwanis of Michigan Foundation (KMF) and to the support you will provide, it is so very much appreciated.
Downriver Students Unite with Woodhaven Kiwanis to Fight Against Hunger

Hunger is a universal human problem, as threats of starvation often plague the lowest and poorest in our society on a daily basis; the problem even worsens as you exit the first world and witness the poverty of some of our world’s poorest areas in Asia and Africa, with children, in the time vital to their maturing into healthy and functioning adults, often experiencing the worst effects of hunger and malnourishment.

In an attempt to fight against this scourge of poverty-induced hunger in the world’s poorest regions, in 1998 Dr. Donald E. Burwell founded the Kids Coalition Against Hunger (KCAH), which “coordinates packaging events throughout eastern half of the United States, feeding starving children around the world and in local communities”; simply put, the goal of Dr. Burwell in founding KCAH was to not only feed children around the world, but around the corner as well.

For over a decade, the Woodhaven Kiwanis Club has partnered with Dr. Burwell and the KCAH to bring Kids Against Hunger food-packing events to the Downriver community, partnering with students K-12 to help achieve the goal of feeding the hungry. On February 1st, 2020, Woodhaven-Brownstown Kiwanis hosted their 12th annual Kids Against Hunger event at Bates Elementary School and saw great success, with a huge turnout of both Kiwanians and Downriver students. In total, over 500 students (including the players of the Woodhaven High School Varsity Hockey team, who helped coordinate many of the younger students) as well as nearly 30 Kiwanians (including three helpful Kiwanians from neighboring clubs) volunteered, contributed, and worked in Kids Against Hunger, packing a grand total of 34,797 meals for the needy and hungry. Although, of course, a great majority of the packed meals were boxed-up, ready to be shipped across the globe, twelve local food pantries also received boxes to distribute to the hungry here in our own communities.

The Woodhaven Kiwanis Club looks forward to not only next year’s event, but also the rest of its planned activities for the 2019-2020 year, remaining dedicated to the noble causes of charity and community service, both within their own community and outside of it.
Every year the Grand Rapids Kiwanis Club helps local children have a Merry Christmas with gifts under the tree. This is the Signature Project where all members get excited and participate. Working with our “Terrific Kids” schools, the faculty nominates students that may not have any, or very few, presents to open on Christmas morning. This year our club helped 32 families with a total of 105 children from four schools.

This year the need was critical for one family. A working mother with seven children were all sleeping on the floor of their home because they had NO beds. Kiwanian, Pat Newcombe stepped in to find help for the family. He contacted In the Image to find some household necessities for the family. He then called the Ashley Home Store with their Hope to Dream program about getting some beds donated. After a few days the new beds arrived! Not only did they receive beds, but sheets, pillows and seven stuffed animals. In the Image provided blankets and comforters.

Angeline McCall from Fox 17 did an amazing job covering the delivery and interacting with the family. Thanks to everyone that helped to make this a truly Merry Christmas for this family.

------------- For more information click on the logos below -------------
Dear Kiwanis Leader:

We’re really excited about the 105th Annual Kiwanis International Convention, June 17-20, 2020, in Indianapolis, Indiana.

Kiwanis is serious business with a playful spirit. So that’s exactly what this convention will be — a union of grown-up commitment and childlike exuberance. We want Kiwanians to come to Indianapolis for fundraising, leadership and service project education with a playful twist.

You will be receiving via FedEx a shipment of convention catalogs to distribute to everyone who registered for your midyear conference. Please ensure each person gets one. You can place them on every seat before a general session or at every setting in the rooms of the first educational workshop. The catalog is an excellent overview of what attendees can expect at the convention.

Also enclosed in this packet is a flash drive with 25 short and fun videos that promote convention. Feel empowered to sprinkle them throughout your midyear sessions to add a little fun and levity to your training. We don’t recommend playing them back-to-back, as that could be monotonous. You can also use the videos throughout the next few months on your social media channels and other places you need quick bits of content.

You may be asked questions about the 2020 Kiwanis International Convention. Here are some of the frequently asked questions we’ve received and how to answer them:

WHAT’S DIFFERENT THIS YEAR?

This year’s convention will focus more than ever on educating members on how to be great leaders and improve a club’s service to its community. Changes were made after a multi-year study of data and feedback from attendee surveys telling Kiwanis International what they want and expect from the convention.

Redesigned master classes will go deeper into leadership training and community service with subject-matter experts. These trained professionals will get you thinking and send you home with a to-do list designed to take your club to the next level.

WHY DOES THE CONVENTION COST MORE THIS YEAR?

The registration packages include many extras, such as lunches and the Kiwanis Night at Victory Field event. Additionally, new options let you personalize a convention experience that works best for you, your schedule and your budget. Come for the entire convention, the Kiwanis Education Conference — or just come for a day.

The Kiwanis Convention 3-Day value package is the best value, especially if purchased before April 10. It includes entrance to the Kiwanis Education Conference and the Kiwanis Annual Meeting. You’ll have access to all general sessions, all keynote speakers and all non-ticketed events. You can also enter the Kiwanis World Showcase, enjoy lunch all three days and party at Thursday’s Kiwanis Night at Victory Field.
WHEN ARE OPENING AND CLOSING SESSIONS?

There are general sessions that start and end each day. Make sure you attend to get inspired by the stories, experiences and performances from an all-star roster of speakers and entertainers that will reignite your fire to make a positive difference in your community.

WHY IS MY CLUB ALLOWED TO COVER CONVENTION EXPENSES FROM THE SERVICE ACCOUNT?

Clubs have always been allowed to cover members’ registration and travel costs from their administrative account. The Kiwanis Education Conference — part of the Kiwanis International convention — qualifies as an acceptable educational expense from the service account of the club.

COVERED EXPENSES CAN INCLUDE:

- Registration fees up to US. $299
- Hotel
- Airfare or mileage
- Meals
- Per diem
- Other expenses as determined by the club

The increased educational tracks offered at the 2020 Kiwanis International Convention meet the requirements of educational expenses allowed to be deducted from a club’s service account. If a club chooses, a fair practice could be to provide two-thirds of any reimbursement from the community service account and one-third from the administrative account for a member attending all three days.

Expenses related to a member attending only the Kiwanis Annual Meeting would not qualify for reimbursement from the community service account by Kiwanis standards. Clubs may continue to cover any portion of members’ convention expenses from their administrative account.

DO I HAVE TO STAY IN MY DISTRICT HOTEL?

One of the benefits of being a Kiwanian: Preferred hotel rates at our select convention hotels. Staying at the hotel assigned to your district gets you extra perks, such as a hotel in a prime location, upgrades as available and the opportunity to meet and mingle with Kiwanis members from your district and beyond. If you’d rather stay at a different hotel within the Kiwanis block, that’s OK. Just make sure you book your room through the link on this page to get the special rate and perks.
Kiwanis International has partnerships that benefit the individual members and their families with special deals and discounts. If you need help with home projects or want to protect the ones that you love Kiwanis is here to help.

Let someone else worry about planning your home improvement to-dos with HomeAdvisor. Kiwanis members get complimentary access to Home Concierge, HomeAdvisor’s exclusive service offering a dedicated personal assistant for coordinating any home project need. Whether you’re looking for quick repairs or tackling a major remodel, your concierge will ensure you’re connected with the best pre-screened professionals for the job. Kiwanis members also get free access to HomeAdvisor’s electronic newsletter that promotes seasonal project ideas, testimonials and valuable resources to help improve your home. Click this link to sign up today.

Kiwanis International has partnered with Protect America, a leading provider of wireless home security in North America. Protect America offers home security systems that use wireless technology. Homeowners can download apps to their smart phones, giving them control of and access to the protection system. Protect America has secured more than 500,000 homes and is rated No. 1 by BestCompany.com and has been rated a Consumers Digest Best Buy for the past five years. Learn more and sign up here.

Whether it’s helping small business owners or families, LegalZoom delivers high touch, high service legal solutions that help Kiwanis members. On the business side they can help to start and run your business. This includes establishing an LLC or incorporating your business. They can even help with trademarks. On the personal side they can assist with Power of Attorneys and a Last Will and Testament. They want you to be a more informed and secure in your legal decisions. Check out the Kiwanis discount here.

SAVE THE DATE

JUNE 17-20

Kiwanis Convention 2020
Indianapolis

Kiwanis Michigan
April/May 2020
Over 400 wild game enthusiasts attended the 32nd Lenny “Nardo” Palermino Memorial Wild Game Dinner recently in February. A huge thank you to our host the Century Banquet Center of Sterling Heights. What a fun and enjoyable evening. Whether your tastes were wild or mild, it was a night to remember.

Club Member, Larry Lozo, chaired this successful event along with co-chair Mike Boyle. Many volunteers and club members were there to assist and make sure all attendees had a great time.

WHAT A TEAM… the goal of the world record book drive committee is to promote literacy and awareness by putting books in circulation for children and adults. It’s a huge project, but with all club members being patient and working together, we can reach our goal.

Members from World Record Book Drive committee came from Allen Park, Canton, Dearborn, Detroit, Flint, Garden City, St. Clair Shores to meet face-to-face in February on a Saturday afternoon to review and implement the book collections of new and gently used books. Below, is the Michigan World Record Book Drive committee working together to help make this project a huge success. We welcome new members to join us.

DO YOU HAVE FUN AT YOUR CLUB MEETINGS? Check out Shorewood’s members having a boxing workout at their 7:30am meeting! Guest Speaker, Christi Henderson, shared a sample of her Rock Steady Boxing… a comprehensive Fitness Program for People with Parkinson’s along with enlightening us about the dreaded disease. A few Pictures….
We have a private dining experience beginning at 6 p.m. at the Oceanaire Restaurant ~ 30 S. Meridian Street.
Dinner will include: Soup or salad, choice of entrée, potato, vegetable, dessert, taxes and gratuities.

We will be joining the Rocky Mountain and Southwest district for the dinner so it will be an opportunity to make new friends and exchange stories.

All reservations must be purchased in advance – NO EXCEPTIONS.
Reservation deadline is Friday, June 12.

Kiwanian Name: ____________________________________________________________________________________________
Kiwanis Club of: ___________________________________________ Division #: ______________________
Guest(s) Name(s): ____________________________________________________________________________________________
Mailing Address: __________________________________________________________ Street   City   State   Zip Code

Cell Phone Number: (_____) ______-_________    Email Address: __________________________________________________________

Total Meals X $70 inclusive/each = $__________

PAYMENT METHOD:

Check (enclosed) Checks should be made payable to Michigan District of Kiwanis

VISA       Mastercard       Discover (no American Express)

Name on Credit Card: ____________________________________________________________________________________________

Card Number: ___________-___________-___________-___________                      3-digit Code (on back of card): ________

Cardholder Signature: ________________________________________________________________

Return completed registration form to Michigan District Kiwanis  •  P.O. Box 231 Mason, Michigan 48854
    or Fax: 517-676-6600 (credit card only)
THE DISTRICT NEEDS YOU!

Our Governor-Elect is Preparing for the Upcoming Year and These Positions Are Currently Open!

Role Expectations:
1. You get to shape the role for the whole year.
2. You will have the support of the Governor and the Executive Board.
3. You get to have fun and practice your leadership skills while you do it!

Interested?
Send an email to franbabbage@yahoo.com

Builders Club District Administrator
- Act as the liaison between the Builder Clubs and the District.
- Provide Educational materials and resources to club advisers.
- Coordinate district contests and awards.

Kiwanis Kids District Administrator
- Act as the liaison between the Kids Clubs and the District.
- Provide Educational materials and resources to club advisers.
- Coordinate district contests and awards.

Marketing Chair
- Create the district advertising and communication plan.
- Manage the yearly marketing budget to support the plan.
- Work with the marketing committee to execute on the plan.

Marketing Committee Positions
- Public Relations
- Email
- Website
- Social Media
- Creative
Your Division Needs You!

The following Divisions need Lieutenant Governors:

Division 4
Division 6
Division 7
Division 9
Division 10
Division 14
Division 15
Division 19

Just as the club president is the leader of the club, the lieutenant governor is the leader of the division. Your role will to work closely with club leadership to ensure they feel supported and have access to information to continuously improve their member’s experience.

Interested?
Send an email to franbabbage@yahoo.com
CHANGE YOUR 2019-20 DIRECTORY

(ALSO MAKE APPROPRIATE CHANGES ON PAGES 20-25)

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CLUB MEETING PLACE/
DATE CHANGES

WILLIAMSTON, DIV. 18
Williamston Eagles Club, 835 High St., 2nd, 3rd, 4th Tues. 6:30 PM

Think Spring!

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PLAY with PURPOSE
In Memoriam

DR. WALTER W. NIEMANN, DDS
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Clinton Township

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Golden K of Gd. Rapids

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Metropolitan North-Troy

EDWARD J. SUDERMAN
Midland

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Newberry

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Saline

JANET M. SMITH
South Lansing

GOVERNOR'S
MEMBERSHIP TROPHY

Shorewood.................................................+9
Dearborn YP.............................................+8
Tri Cities, Gdl. Haven-Spr. Lake..................+8
Holt ...........................................................+7
South Haven .............................................+7
Flint ...........................................................+6
South Lansing ..........................................+6
Addison.......................................................+5
Brooklyn.....................................................+5
Indian River..............................................+5
Lac Ste. Claire............................................+5
Lapeer.......................................................+5

Net gain is from 10-1-19 thru 2-29-20
and includes clubs only with at least a net
gain of +5 based on official membership
numbers supplied by Kiwanis International.

district news || Event Updates

• All Spring Divisionals have been cancelled. We will determine how
to give recognition and awards at a later date to all clubs who did so
much for the community last year.

• The deadline for applications to the Law Enforcement Academy has
been extended to April 17.

• Key Leader has been rescheduled to September 11-13. All students
and adults who have already registered will be contacted about
attending in the fall.

• At this point, the District Board meeting for May 9 is still scheduled but
will probably be an on-line meeting.

• Lt. Governor training will not take place as an in-person weekend on
May 15-17. Alternative training will be presented to LG-Elects and
District Chairs.

• Kiwanis International Convention in Indianapolis June 17-21 is still on.
Any changes will be sent out by Kiwanis International.

• Club Leadership Education sessions for July 18, 25 and August 1 are
still on. Registration for these sessions will begin on May 4.

• The Michigan District is still scheduled for August 20-23 in Flint.
Registration will open on June 1.

Net Gain +123 members

Active Clubs ............................................. 154
District Beginning Membership ................. 3996
Reporting Members Dec. 31, 2019............. 4119

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