

# THE NEWS FROM the

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KISHWAUKEE KIWANIS CLUB of DeKalb, Illinois

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**LUNCH:** Meatballs!!, rotini, meatballs, broccoli, meatballs, green salad, meatballs, and cookies.

. **SONG:** *God Bless America,* led by Bill C.  **Invocation**: Al M.

# ANNOUNCEMENTS, EVENTS

**Officers for 2015-2016**

President Dick Dowen

President Elect Joe Gastiger

Vice President Bob Higgerson

Treasurer Lisa Small

Asst. Treasurer Sue Doubler

Secretary Ken Doubler

Asst. Secretary Jerry Wahlstrom

Immediate Past President

Abby Chemers

Lt. Governor TarrynThaden

District Governor Penny Linneweh

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**Kishwaukee Kiwanis Meetings**

2nd, 3rd, 4th, (and 5th) Wednesday at 11:45 a.m.

Hopkins Park Community Room

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**K-Family Events/Meetings**

**Circle K Every Wednesday night at 8:00 p.m. in DuSable 254. Hint: To stay young, attend one of their meetings!**

**AKtion Club –** Second Wednesday of the month at 4:00 p.m. at Opportunity House (357 N. California St.) in Sycamore.

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**Defining Statement**

Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world, one child and one community at a time.

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**Flag Salute**

As our flag signifies purity, valor, and justice, may we as true Kiwanians exemplify these virtues as we serve the children of the world.

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# and OPPORTUNITITES

**We have a NEW BANNER.** Still spiffy and clean. How long can that last?

**COMMITTEE SIGN-UPS.** DO IT! Do it often!

**BRAT PARTY**: 5:30 pm. September 15, at the Goodrich homestead. Signups are happening.

**The YMCA** thanked us for our recent contribution.

**Community Service** meeting this Saturday at 9 am at Lincoln Inn. They may have some extra money this year, so if your committee could use extra funds, stay tuned.

**Grand Openings** – Library on Sept 10. New book store in the Junction, today!

**Corn Fest** went well. $1540, and a good time was had by all.

Time to start thinking about **peanuts!** **Sept 23 is the big day**. Box sales forms are available (and have been emailed out to the membership)– let’s all go out and sell a box or two or ten. Peanuts, pretzels, trail mix – it’s all good! Sign ups are happening.

**The Kiwanis Show.** Sign-ups will begin soon. Sounds like it’s something of which you’ll definitely want to be a part!

**Thomas Zucker Memorial Golf Outing** to benefit Meals on Wheels, TransVac and MedVac will be Friday, September 9th at the Sycamore Park District Golf Club. Lunch at 11:30, 12:30 pm shot gun start.

**DeKalb Kite Fest** (Sept 11, 9am-5pm) is looking for volunteers, in 2-hour shifts Think you might be interested? Follow the link: <http://dekalbcountycvb.com/event/dekalb-kite-fest/>

An oldie but goodie: The club **voted** to shift our regular meetings from the Terrace Room to Faranda’s, starting in October. (Board meetings still to be at Lincoln Inn.)

**Toiletries**- We’re collecting these for Safe Passage. (See below.)

**Sue – DUES ARE DUE!** (Same as the old dues).

Joan is collecting **box tops** and **Coke lids.**AKtion Club is collecting **aluminum cans and other recyclable materials**.

**P.o.P./Health Box**

No health or PoPpy news today.

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Brad Hoey and Morris White were our guests, and NIU Athletics was their topic. NIU will be hosting the Mens’s and Women’s NCAA Golf Championship in 2017 (in Sugar Grove). This will be NIU’s first time to host a national championship. Volunteer opportunities will be more than abundant! 2200 shifts will need to be filled. NIU seasons have already begun this year – men’s and women’s soccer teams have had their initial tilts. Women’s volleyball took 2 of 3 matches, falling to Iowa in a tournament final. There are still 8 matches at home. They were conference champs last year, and as a result, NIU will be hosting the conference finals this year. Football starts in Wyoming on Saturday at 9:30 pm on CBS College Sports Network. First home game will be against San Diego State on Sept 17, which is DeKalb County day - $15 tickets if you live in the County. Homecoming is against Buffalo on Oct 22. The Toledo game will be the Park formally known as US Cellular on Wednesday evening, Nov 9. The complete schedule can be seen at <http://niuhuskies.com/schedule.aspx?path=football>. Tailgating in “the Yard”, just west of the stadium. And don’t forget about basketball! Men’s basketball has been doing particularly well at home the last couple of seasons – so pretty good odds of seeing a victory!

**Heard around the tables:**

Apparently we used to have to tie people to their chairs to get them to sit with Morgan when he was doing the bulletin (they were afraid they’d appear in this section of the bulletin).

**Quote for the Day**

Nothing good comes in life or athletics unless a lot of hard work has preceded the effort. Only temporary success is achieved by taking short cuts.

* Roger Staubach

**UPCOMING PROGRAMS: (Why not invite a guest? – that could also mean a prospective member!)**

**September 7 BOARD MEETING @ the Lincoln Inn**

September 14 Cohen Barnes Sundog IT

September 21 ------- TBA -------

September 28 Lt Gov? Officer Induction

**Today’s Attendance:**

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| 33ish | Kish Kiwanians |
| 0 | K family Big Wig: |
| 0 | Other Guests: |
| 0 | Speakers: Brad and Morris |
| **32ish** | **TOTAL** |

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