



KISHWAUKEE KIWANIS CLUB of DeKalb, Illinois

May 10, 2023

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http://www.kishkiwanis.org

LUNCH Chicken marsala, mashed spuds, veggies, salad, cookies
Invocation: Bob H.

Hybrid Meeting led by Prez Mary
Location: Faranda's (where else?)

Officers for 2022-2023

- President Mary McGinn
President Elect Bob Hoffman
Vice President Mike Mooney
Treasurer Sue Doubler
Asst. Treasurer Al Mueller
Secretary Ken Doubler
Asst. Secretary Jerry Wahlstrom
Immediate Past President Colleen Bredeson
Lt. Governor Sue Doubler
District Governor Dustin Morrison

Kishwaukee Kiwanis Meetings

2nd, 3rd, 4th, (and 5th) Wednesdays at 11:45 a.m.
Faranda's Banquet Center
302 Grove St.
DeKalb, IL

K-Family Events/Meetings

Circle K Every other Friday at 6:00 p.m. in DuSable 461 or via Teams Online.

AKtion Club - Looking to start up again at some point at Opportunity House (357 N. California St.) in Sycamore.

Defining Statement

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

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.



ANNOUNCEMENTS, EVENTS and OPPORTUNITIES

Upcoming Interclubs: 6 pm Monday, Westminster Church, DeKalb Club.

Sign-up table: 2 for 2, proposed Kiwanis International amendment (a \$30 dues increase)

Salvation Army service opportunities: Help would be greatly appreciated for unloading the truck at the Food Pantry, Mondays at 8 am or so.

Fundraising Committee: Meeting next week! If you're interested see Max H., or sign up on the committee sheet.

If you'd like to help set up flags on for Memorial Day, see Bob H or sign up next week.

Only 67 days until Beanzie. Mark it (July 16, 2023) in your calendars. Next meeting Tuesday May 30, 5:30 at Rosita's. Also, on May 26, meet 9am at the storage locker.

2nd Quarter dues are now due! You can mail a check to AI at PO Box 1007, DeKalb, Illinois 60115 or bring a check to a meeting. (\$110/quarter meals; \$75/quarter no meals).

Kish Kiwanis Officer Nominations

(Moved by Caroline C., seconded by Bill F, approved unanimously):

- Prez Bob Hoffman
Prez Elect Mike Mooney
VP Caroline Collins
Treasurer: Dave Conlin
Asst Treasurer Al Mueller
Secretary Ken Doubler
Asst Secretary Jerry Wahlstrom
Imm. Past Prez Mary McGinn
Lt Gov.: Sue Doubler
Directors:
Class of 2023: Jerry S., Bob H, Marty R., Beryl S.
Class of 2024: Roger S., Betty H., Tony C.

PoP Box

Birthdays: Betty Hampa (5/25), Kim McIver (5/2), Al Mueller (5/30).

★★★★ PROGRAM ★★★★★

Sabrina Nicholson, from Northwestern Behavioral Health Services (NWBHS) was our guest today. She has a very long title. Sabrina was with Ben Gordon when they were obtained by Kish Health, and then a month later Kish was obtained by Northwestern Medicine. She is currently manager of operations for NWBHS. They will be offering a range of services and programs “across the lifespan” at their facility at 760 Foxpointe Dr. in Sycamore (by Farm & Fleet and Culvers). They’re still staffing up, so there are employment opportunities available. They offer personalized treatment programs for patients who may need more attention than out-patient services provide but who do not need to be hospitalized. At Ben Gordon (locations in Sandwich, downtown DeKalb, and over by the hospital). They offer marriage therapy, help for children and adolescents, addiction treatment services, and other outpatient programs. They operate a recovery house for women recovery from addiction. They have a crisis care program and can work with walk-ins, as well as making house calls. They have a “living room” program for adults, including parents of child patients. This provides a homey, unstructured experience where people can come and talk about their issue and get counseling. They have office space at various locations to offer on-site help to those who need it.

Website: [NW Behavioral Health Services](#)

Honorarium: TBD

Quote for the Day:

“When we remember we are all mad, the mysteries disappear, and life stands explained.”

- Mark Twain

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

May	17	All of us	Bylaws discussion
May	24	Kim McIver	Habitat for Humanity
May	31	Philip Henrickson	There’s Fun in Store (and more)
Jun	7	Board Meeting	
Jun	14	Rep Yednock (?) and Sen. Rezin	The State of Springfield

Today’s Attendance:

36	Kish Kiwanians (34 in person, 2 on Zoom)
1	K-family: Misty
4	Other Guests: Scott, Sergio, and Renee and Shannon (both of whom are on Sen. Rezin’s staff)
1	Outside Speakers: Sabrina
42	Total

Closing thought for the day:

Mothers hold their children’s hands for a while, but their hearts forever.