

Pledge of Allegiance, Kiwanis Pledge, Invocation (Earl)

Introduction of Guests – *Builders Club*; *Key Club* Michael Robert; *Circle K*; *Prospective Member* Stacy Suhadolc; *Guests*

Attendance –Bob Chambers, Bob Eaton, Angelo Fiorino, Janice Fiorino, Pam Graham, Gary Gummersheimer, Cynthia Mill, Earl Renshaw, Kathy Ripley, Joe Schmit, James Wells

Program/Education *Membership Drive*

- Cynthia passed out club brochures for those in attendance to update with new officers and our meeting location. Each person took 5 brochures with them to use in the recruiting of new members.
- Earl distributed a prospects list on which members (which attended the February 8 meeting) were assigned 5 individuals to contact about attending our New Members meeting on February 22.
- Bob Chambers gave advice on approaching prospective members, “Be enthusiastic and sincere about being a Kiwanis, and let others know what you enjoy about the club”. It was advised that if the person you asked wasn’t sure about joining the club, invite him/her to come to the meeting anyway.
- Angelo stated that members are asked to make the initial contact with prospective members, follow up with a letter and phone call
- It was decided that the program for February 22 would be a round table speaking about what we do as a club. Angelo will speak about the Spastic Foundation, Joe Schmit - Honors Banquet, Bob Hall and James Wells - Sponsored Youth, Bob Chambers – Bocce Ball, Cynthia Mill – Young Children Priority One. We will also speak on fundraising (Peanut Day, Apple Festival, Pancake Breakfast)
- Please wear Kiwanis Attire!

Reports –

- Club Secretary (Cynthia Mill): Service Hours Activity Log; Minutes; Pam Graham noted a correction to the Feb 1 minutes, as sponsoring club for the Lt Gov a check for \$150 was written to Adam Cripps; Joe Schmit noted a correction to the Feb 8 minutes, the Working Budget does not show that the club has a CD worth \$5276.41. This money has been earmarked for the Bocce Ball Court project, and when considered, shows that we have money in reserve. A copy of the budget will be submitted with these minutes. Skip A Meal literature from International shows the event to be in the last week of April. Kiwanis Club of Carbondale is collecting diapers for the new Southern Illinois Diaper Bank. They can be brought to the club meeting on March 1 (Hunan’s at noon, email mindy.combs@oldnational.com).
- ▶ Club Treasurer (Pam Graham): ADMINISTRATION FUND=\$3172.73 PROJECT FUND=\$7851.18 MONEY MARKET=\$5276.41 8 members have not paid dues. Earl made a motion for the club to pay Charter Member Bob Crombar’s dues, Joe Schmit 2nd, all in favor, motion carried. Pam made a motion to pay \$50 membership to Murphysboro Chamber of Commerce, Angelo 2nd, all in favor, motion carried. Pam has been contacted by the Miners Ballpark, the 1st home game is June 21, the price of the picnic lunch is \$20.
- Service Leadership Programs (Key Club/Bob Hall, chair); (Builders Club/James Wells, chair): Saturday, March 20 is the Key Club Banquet and Lock-In; Michael Roberts, 2010/11 Key Club Lt Gov’s goal is to indoctrinate new clubs throughout the division
- Community Service (Bob Chambers, chair):
- Finance and Fundraising (Joe Schmit, chair):
- Membership Growth & Ed (Angelo Fiorino, chair): Angelo asked for volunteers to attend the Aktion/START Annual Dinner on Tuesday February 23 at 5:30pm in the Carbondale Civic Center, dinner is \$15

- Interclub (Earl Renshaw): February 16, Metropolis, leaving at 10:30 from Angelo's (Kathy, Earl, Angelo), returning about 2:30
- Human & Spiritual Values (Jean Etheron/Garry Gummersheimer chair):
- Public Relations (Joni Bailey, chair):
- Young Children: Priority One (Jennifer Craig, chair): Jean is still working on someone from St Joe to come to a meeting to accept the bags
- Lt Gov Update (Adam Cripps):

Club Administration (Andrew Erbes/Gary Gummersheimer):

PRESIDENT'S MINUTE

OLD BUSINESS

- Bocce Ball – Bob Eaton showed us the engineering and land surveying plans and details for the park. Bob Chambers plans on have fundraising packets next week
- Pancake Day – Pam distributed last year's placemat and club members committed to selling ads for \$30 a square

NEW BUSINESS and UPCOMING EVENTS

Benediction (Gary)

Calendar/ Miscellaneous: –

- Wednesday, 3:30pm: Builders Club Meetings Murphysboro Middle School Room 108
- 1st, 3rd, 5th Wednesday, 8:00pm: Key Club Meetings Murphysboro High School Auditorium
- Every Tuesday, 6:15pm: Circle K Meetings SIUC Student Center, Troy/Corinth Room (first floor)
- February 22, Monday, 6:15pm: New Member Night, 17th Restaurant 'Pig Pen'
- February 23, Tuesday, 5:30pm: Aktion Club/START Annual Dinner \$15, Carbondale Civic Center
- February 27, Saturday: Kiwanis Club of Carbondale Annual Pancake Breakfast, Newman Center
- March 1, Monday, 6:15pm: 17th Restaurant 'Pig Pen'
- March 8, Monday, 6:15pm: 17th Restaurant 'Pig Pen'
- March 15, Monday, 6:15pm: 17th Restaurant 'Pig Pen'
- March 20, 2010, Saturday: St Patrick's Day Fun Fair 11:00 am Youth and Rec Center
- March 20, 2010, Saturday: Key Club District Banquet and Lock-In
- March 22, Monday, 6:15pm: 17th Restaurant 'Pig Pen'
- March 29, Monday, 6:15pm: 17th Restaurant 'Pig Pen'
- Spring 2010: Build Bocce Ball Courts
- April 6, 2010, Tuesday: Honors Banquet
- April 10, 2010, Saturday: Kiwanis One Day
- April 10, 2010, Saturday: Catholic Social Services Annual Charity Breakfast, St Andrews Knights of Columbus 9-10 am
- April 17, 2010, Saturday: Pancake Breakfast
- April 24-25, 2010: Key Club Pencil Day
- June 21, 2010: Tentative Kiwanis Night at the Miners
- June 24-27, 2010: Kiwanis International Convention, Las Vegas, NV http://www.iikiwanis.org/public_district/pub_Content.aspx?Page=445
- August 5-8, 2010: I-I District Convention, Normal, IL http://www.iikiwanis.org/public_district/pub_Content.aspx?Page=446
- Fall 2010: Tree Planting
- October 1 and 2, 2010: Peanut Day