

KIWANIS CLUB OF RIDGETOWN

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NEWSLETTER FOR THE WEEK OF 17 AUGUST 2009

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Twenty-one members welcomed 40 guests to a great pig roast hosted by John Wright and David Vaughan. Guests included ten members of the Aktion Club, eight members of the local antique tractor club and friends and family of John and David. Thanks to Janice Wright and Jen Vaughan for their work on dinner and thanks to Kori and Kristal Wright for hosting our group in their yard. It was a fun evening.

Next week's meeting is hosted by Mike Mervin and Brad Carnie at the home of Brad and Bethé Carnie – 19821 Hill Road. Don't forget your lawn chair. The last summer meeting, August 27 is a guest night.

If you have not returned your committee sheet and club survey, please do so soon. The new Kiwanis year is fast approaching and these two reports are needed for planning the new year.

Safe travels to the members and guests heading to Genoa on Saturday. Thanks to PLG Allen for his work in organizing the trip. The Kiwanians in Genoa are gracious hosts and you will have a great day.



Past President June thanks our hosts Kristal and Kori

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E.C.& C. District Website: www.kiwanisecc.org

Kiwanis International Website: www.kiwanis.org



A FUN FUNDRAISER!

Past President June and Treasurer Gary came up with a new 50/50 fundraiser. Participants paid a loonie for a nail and the person who buried the nail in the least number of hits won. The winner was Dale Clark (that's Clark not Smith) and he generously donated his portion back to the club. Many Kiwanians and guests tried but they were no Mike Holmes!



Aktion Club member Robert gives it a try



Look up. Way up!



Breaking the tie!



“ONE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE”

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The Kiwanis Club of Ridgetown meets weekly at 6:30 pm in the basement of the Mount Zion Presbyterian Church, 59 Main St. E., Ridgetown, every Thursday, from September 1st through June 30th each year. Summer meetings are hosted by members at various local addresses.

DOWNHILL DERBY

Thanks to everyone who helped with the Downhill Derby. A special thanks to the Aktion Club members for their help with the barbeque. A big thanks to the members who moved the cars up the ramp – they worked very hard!



Watch for more pictures next week.

MEETING AND EVENT SCHEDULE

August 20 Brad Carnie & Mike Mervin
August 22 INTERCLUB TO GENOA
August 27 Debbie & Dr. John –
PARTNER/GUEST NIGHT
September 3 return to meetings at the Church
October 15 2009/2010 officer installation
October 29 Quiz Night
2010
February 11 Quiz Night

JUST A REMINDER

Our meetings are more relaxed in the summer, but our monthly dues continue. If you haven't made a payment recently, please see Treasurer Gary. If you can't make it out to a meeting you can mail payment to Treasurer Gary's attention to the Club at P.O. Box 1642, Ridgetown, ON N0P 2C0.

Thanks!

CLUB SURVEY AND COMMITTEE SHEETS

Please return your club survey and committee sheets to me. For those members who have not been at a meeting for the past couple of weeks – I have mailed you a package of the survey and committee sheet to complete. It is time to start our plans for next year and these two forms are critical to the planning process.

Thanks
President Debbie

CLUB OFFICERS:

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