

KIWANIS CLUB OF RIDGETOWN

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NEWSLETTER FOR THE WEEK OF 15 JUNE 2009

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NOTE: THIS WEEK'S MEETING, JUNE 18 dinner will start at 6:00 pm at the home of PP June and Treasurer Gary.

JUNE 11, 2009

Twenty-four members welcomed Aktion Club President Leisha, Key Clubbers Jordan, Brendan and Rebecca and guest Brian Dunlop.

This was a very special meeting – induction of our newest member John Henderson. John was introduced to the club by his daughter, Aktion Club President Leisha. John and his family returned to his family's home in Highgate a few years ago. He now teaches at Fanshawe College in London. Thanks to President Leisha for introducing her father to Kiwanis through her involvement in Aktion Club. Welcome John!

Happy \$\$ - PLG Randy was happy that his son Mark received his Doctor of Optometry.

Our June 18 meeting we will welcome an interclub from the Kiwanis Club of Genoa. PLG Allen is arranging golfing and Kiwanians Larry and Stan will be taking the non-golfers on a tour. Please phone or email Allen by Tuesday evening if you plan to golf or tour. PP June and Treasurer Gary are hosting dinner.



New member John Henderson

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

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Club Website: <http://www.ridgetownkiwanis.com>

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

Kiwanis International Website: www.kiwanis.org



CAR RALLY

PG Dr. John explained the rules of the car rally:

Distances are within 50 meters.

Speeds for each section are average.

Where the directions contravene the Highway Safety Act, follow the directions!

The use of cruise control is discouraged and probably wouldn't be helpful anyway.

Teams with compasses in their vehicles are asked not to use them.

If you see someone you know, wave!

Phone numbers to phone if you get lost

Eight teams headed out, seven made it to the destination. The winning team, defending their championship from last year, was Shawn Hoskins driving, Chris navigating and Abdi and Kevin Hoskins giving backseat directions.



PG Dr. John presents the Lazzara Cup to the winners.



DIVISION 4 KIWANIS ROBERTS GOLF DAY

DLG Eb reported the 20th annual Kiwanis Roberts Golf Day was very successful. There were 139 golfers and proceeds for the day were approximately \$23,000.00. The day's proceeds were matched by a very generous donation from Bill Gray, President of L.H. Gray & Sons.

Thanks to the members of the golf committee and all members who played and helped.



PG Chuck McIlravey with some members of the golf committee



The winning ladies team congratulated by Tara Kenney from the Roberts

“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.

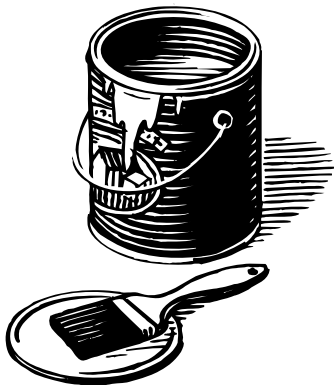
INTERCLUB TO GENOA

PLG Allen is arranging our trip to Genoa for Saturday, August 22. Members will be required to commit to attending this meeting in Genoa prior to their visit here. We missed our trip to their club last year and need to have a group make the trip this summer. This is a fun day for golfers and non-golfers. The members of the Genoa club always plan a great day for our visit. This interclub has been happening for over 50 years. Let's keep it going.

PAINTING THE GAZEBO

Nine members and Kiwanian Greg's son Owen worked Saturday morning and completed the primer coat on the gazebo. All those helping were treated to a great barbecued lunch at the home of PP Ken and Marg Richmond's. Thanks to all who helped.

Kiwanian Chris is looking for help this Saturday, June 20 to complete the final coat of paint. If you are able to help, please meet at 9:00 am. Chris estimates it should only take 2 – 3 hours.



MEETING AND EVENT SCHEDULE

June 18	Genoa visits Ridgetown
June 24 – 27	Business and board meeting
June 25	International Convention
July 2	Mike Jay - presentation on his time in Turkey
July 2	Summer meetings
July 23	Bill and Margaret Johnston
August 13	PLG Allen Ure
August 15	Dave Vaughan & John Wright
August 27	Downhill Derby
October 29	President Debbie & PG Dr. John
2010	Quiz Night
February 11	Quiz Night

SUMMER MEETINGS

Contact VP Alan if you are able to host a summer meeting or have an idea for a meeting.

E.C.& C. DISTRICT CONVENTION



The host committee has a great convention planned. Visit the District website www.ecckiwani.org for online registration.

CLUB OFFICERS:

President: Debbie Button Past President: June Guyitt
Vice-President: Alan Bloomfield
Secretary: Barb Doxtater Treasurer: Gary Guyitt

DIRECTORS:

Dale Smith, John Button, Brad Carnie, John Case, (1 year)
Kevin Bartlett, Chris Arneill, Abdi Yuya, Kevin Hoskins (2 year)

DISTRICT & DIVISION OFFICERS:

Governor: Sheron Cameron-Dunn
Governor Elect: Gary Levine
Immediate Past Governor: Chuck McIlravey

Div. 4 Lt. Gov. Jim Garey
Div. 4 Past Lt. Gov. Randy Ross