



“Lead with Service”

Noon to 1 p.m. luncheon meeting at The Athletic Club of Columbus, 136 East Broad Street, Columbus, OH 43215

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Northland – The Next Frontier in Redevelopment



Alice Foeller, Alicia Ward and Jenny Lin have all been longtime residents and leaders in the Northland area. The three are teaming up on a project to combine pent-up demand for a nonprofit hub for residents in need with a lively community center and small business development.

Alicia Ward, president of the Northland Community Council, is a “serial volunteer,” lending her organizational expertise to a number of civic endeavors simultaneously. She is determined to create a true community center in Northland where longtime residents can come together with new American residents to take classes, enjoy entertainment together, and cook together.

Jenny Lin, chairman of the board of the Northland Alliance, reignited previously abandoned discussions of the “nonprofit mall,” where residents in need of health and human services in Northland could have a centralized location for case workers and services, rather than navigating all over the city to make appointments with various agencies.

Alice Foeller, chair of the Northland Collective, is intent on building a space to support startups, family businesses and small retail ventures such as ethnic handmade crafts and foods in the spirit of the old Continent Market Place. Rather than pursue the co-working and retail space in isolation, Alice is helping to fold all three projects together to build momentum and capitalize on economies of scale.

The three leaders are working together to explore the possibilities in an area of Columbus once written off as “dead.” In a

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Today's Meeting

Greeters:

Kristin Gintz - WesBanco Bank
Bob Wiseman – Burkholder Flint Associates

Invocation:

To be determined

Committee Meetings: New Member Committee;
Young Children Priority One.

Menu Options:

Hot: Grilled chicken with red-pepper coulis.
Cold: Turkey Caesar wrap, with a bowl of fruit.

A Glance at this week

Birthdays

07/19 – **Mike Griffith**
07/20 – **Kim Welty**



Tuesday, 07/17/1903 –The first Tour de France was won by Maurice Garin.

Thursday, 07/19 – 5:30 p.m. - Club social event at **Juniper** (atop Smith Brothers Hardware Building, 580 North Fourth Street).

Division 10-W Council Meeting set ...

Our next division council meeting will be Sunday, July 29, at 1:15 p.m., at the Mirolo Barn in Upper Arlington (4395 Carriage Hill Lane). This is an air-conditioned facility with a lot of space – a great place for a summer outing, and one that is conducive to families with kids.

The business meeting will be brief, as this is primarily a social event open to all Kiwanis members and their families. It will be catered by City Barbecue (pulled pork, beef brisket, baked beans, mac & cheese, potato salad, green salad, corn pudding and cookies) at a cost of \$13 per adult; \$10 per child; free for children 5 and under.



Reservations are due in by July 24.

Confidence is the feeling you have before you understand the situation.

Bare necessities drive ...

Come prepared to have some fun today as Past President **Ken Keller**, along with a small supporting cast, presents a short musical interlude regarding our efforts to help those in need.



With the **'Bare Necessities Drive,'** we are collecting underwear (boxer shorts or briefs in Large, XL and XXL sizes) and socks to help those less fortunate. We hope you will consider donating one or more new packages of underwear or socks, or to writing a check so that someone can shop on your behalf. Checks should be made out to **Good Neighbors of Central Ohio**.

Play golf with Tiger Woods ...

Yes, you can play a round of golf with Tiger Woods at Scioto Reserve Country Club on Tuesday, July 31 ... well, not really, but hopefully it got you to read this article.



Our golf committee has another great outing set up for that day, and while Tiger may only be there in spirit, you can be there in person, to have a relaxing afternoon of fun and fellowship.

The outing is open to all Club members and their guests, but you need to sign up in advance. You can do that from the Activity Calendar on our Club's website, or by contacting Tom Christman or Mike Becker. Tee times will begin around 1 p.m.

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project that is changing and evolving week by week, the group is exploring models new and old for revitalizing an area of the city that was left behind, but is now poised for rapid growth and development. In collaboration, a vision is developing for the area at Route 161 and I-71 that would include secondary convention space, a tourist destination for authentic food and crafts from the international community, new restaurants, classrooms and workshops, and resources for area residents in need.

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Informal social event set ...

Whether organizing, planning or volunteering, there is plenty to keep us busy with Kiwanis activities, so periodically, we need to take a break, kick back and relax. That's what we'll be doing on Thursday evening, July 19, at 5 p.m.



Come join us for a casual evening of relaxation, socialization and networking, as we gather at **Juniper** (atop Smith Brothers Hardware, 580 North 4th Street).

There is plenty of parking, as the event takes place after work hours. Please feel free to bring your spouse, significant other or other friends and co-workers. Besides, the more the merrier.

Happy hour runs from 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. (wine is \$3 off), so be sure to get there early. Drinks are moderately priced.

*Regardless of how filthy your past has been,
your future is still spotless. Don't start your day
with the broken pieces of yesterday.
Every day is a fresh start. Each day is a new beginning.
Every morning you wake up is
the first day of the rest of your life.*

Buckeye ticket sales ...

Ticket sales appear to be going well but we need to begin gathering up all the sold and unsold raffle tickets so we can assess our progress and redirect unsold tickets to groups who are having success.



If you have not already done so, please submit any ticket stubs, cash and tickets you know you will not be able to sell. If you are in need of additional tickets, please let us know. We currently have

78 organizations trying to sell a total of 30,000 tickets.

All ticket stubs, money and unsold tickets must be turned in no later than Friday, August 10, so that we can hold the drawing on Monday, August 13.

Giant Eagle gift cards ...

Did you know you could use a Giant Eagle gift card purchased through Kiwanis Club of Columbus to purchase any number of retail gift cards such as Home Depot, Delta Airlines, Amazon, Best Buy, Barnes & Noble, Cameron Mitchell Restaurants, and on and on. The list is almost endless. When you utilize a Kiwanis Giant Eagle gift card to purchase a retail card to use for yourself or as a gift, Kiwanis Club of Columbus receives a 5 percent commission and you earn fuel perks. See Club Secretary **Paul Bohlman** to purchase your Giant Eagle gift card and start helping the Club earn money.

Get to Know Kiwanis ...

Our next "Get to Know Kiwanis" session is scheduled for this Monday, July 30. It will be held in the same room where we normally hold our Kiwanis meetings, and will begin at 11:30 a.m. The presentation will last about 20 minutes.

Want to learn more?



This is a great opportunity to invite friends, co-workers, suppliers and other contacts you may have whom you feel would make good members of Kiwanis. The presentation, conducted by Past President **Bob Wiseman**, is designed to provide an overview of 'who we are and what we do.'

Following the presentation, it is our hope that you will invite your guest to join us for lunch and our regularly scheduled Monday meeting. Please be sure to make a luncheon reservation for your guest and to include their name in the notes section of the reservation form.

Remember, it starts with your asking folks to take part. Why not ask today?

Kiwanis Charity 5K and 1-mile stroll ...



On Saturday morning, July 28, we will be conducting our annual Kiwanis Charity 5K and 1-mile stroll. This year's event will be held at the beautiful and historic Green Lawn Cemetery.

Those who run and walk during our Kiwanis Charity 5K will have the opportunity to learn many facts about this historic park and about many of the famous people resting there. As a member of our Club, here's what you can be doing:

- 1- If you are a runner or walker, sign up to participate. Registrations are now open. You can register on line at our dedicated race website, www.Columbuscharity5k.org.
- 2- Get some additional discounts if you register a team. Talk to your friends, co-workers and family members, and encourage them to enter the race under a team name, to receive an additional discount on the entry fee.
- 3- Spread the word to those you know that are runners and walkers – family members, neighbors, co-workers, etc. We all know people who are avid runners or walkers, and most are happy to enter once they are asked. But it starts with "the ask."

Reach out to these people early, so they have time to prepare.

The object of golf is to play the least amount of golf.

Foundation update ...

At the Columbus Kiwanis Foundation's Trustee meeting this past Monday, it was reported that the total assets of the Foundation have reached \$1,165,502. These funds are invested conservatively, with about 44 percent in equities, 52 percent in fixed income and 4 percent in cash reserve. The Foundation's goal is to provide funds each year to the Club to utilize in our extensive scholarship and community grant programs.

The Foundation's practice has been to use the funds raised in the current administrative year to fund the programming in the following administrative year. Up to 5 percent of the Foundation's corpus may be added to that each year.

The success of our individual fundraising programs is crucial to the long-term viability of the Foundation and the Club's ability to support our community. We appreciate your support in all of our efforts.

2018 Kiwanis Charity Regatta prepares to launch a new format ...

When something has been working well for almost 20 years, how would you go about improving it? Easy -- you turn our famous **Kiwanis Charity Regatta** into a cocktail reception (**Libations on the Lawn**), to celebrate our **20th** anniversary of this event. The new format will provide a more relaxed atmosphere, so business and civic leaders can network, socialize and relax before heading home.



Libations on the Lawn will take place on Thursday evening, August 16, in the Park Plaza, located on the east side of the Columbus Metropolitan Library, just west of the Topiary Park. The event will begin at 4:30 p.m., and the Regatta competition will begin at 5:30 p.m.

We are in the process of signing up competitors. Information is available regarding the different participation/sponsorship levels your company, your civic association, your golf buddies, your family or even you as an individual, can sign up for. Each competing racer will receive a wooden yacht to decorate, along with food and drink tickets, the number depending on their level of participation.

The event is open to the public, and we encourage participating groups to bring out their co-workers and friends to help cheer for their yachts. Spectator tickets are \$35 each.

Proceeds from this event go to our **Columbus Kiwanis Foundation**, to help support our extensive scholarship and community grant program. One of the major beneficiaries of the Regatta continues to be the annual 'Summer Reading Challenge' conducted by the Columbus Metropolitan Library. The award-winning program helps children retain their reading skills over the summer months. Over the history of the Regatta, Kiwanis has provided more than \$250,000 to this program, and has impacted more than 1.2 million children.

A man and his wife were having some problems at home and were giving each other the silent treatment. Suddenly, the man realized that the next day, he would need his wife to wake him at 5 a.m. for an early morning business flight.

Not wanting to be the first to break the silence (and LOSE), he wrote on a piece of paper, 'Please wake me at 5 a.m.' He left it where he knew she would find it.

The next morning, the man woke up, only to discover that it was 9 a.m. and he had missed his flight. Furious, he was about to go and see why his wife hadn't awakened him, when he noticed a piece of paper by the bed. The paper said, 'It is 5 a.m. Wake up.'

Men are not equipped for these kinds of contests.

*Don't ask a girl where she wants to eat.
Tell her to guess where you are taking her to eat.
Then, take her to the first guess.*

Next meeting

(July 23, 2018)

Program:

Joanne Pinkerton – C.O.T.A.

Greeters:

Joyce Waters –

Kathleen Roberts – Sweetbriar Group LLC

Invocation:

Chad Price– Abbott Nutrition

Committee Meetings:

Interclub

Menu Options:

Hot: Smoked pork loin, with a peach compote.

Cold: Chicken salad wrap, with coleslaw.

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