

# THE Bulletin

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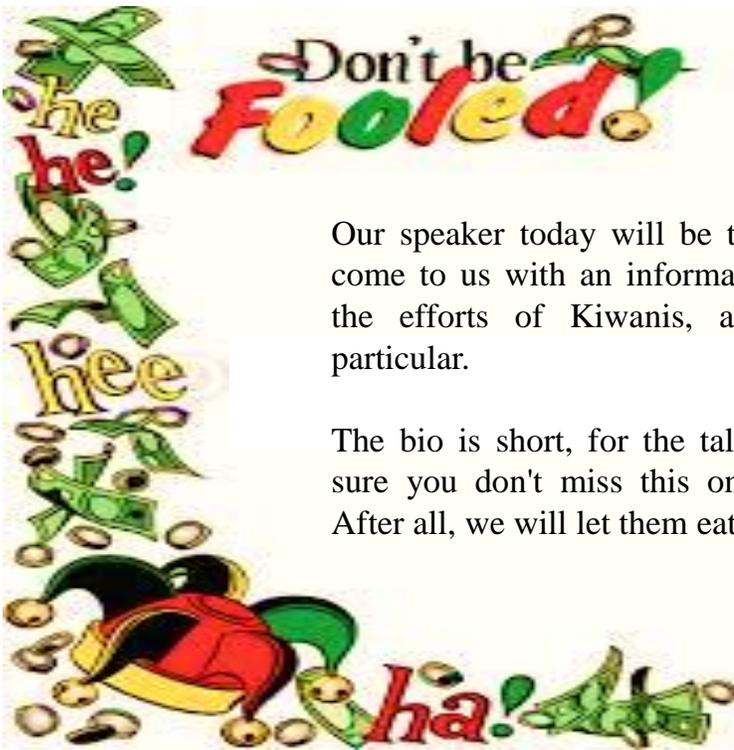
CLUB OF COLUMBUS

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

### “Serving the future”

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

## ~~ THE APRIL FOOLS ~~



Our speaker today will be the April Fools. They come to us with an informative program honoring the efforts of Kiwanis, and one Kiwanian in particular.

The bio is short, for the tale will be long. Make sure you don't miss this once-in-a-lifetime event. After all, we will let them eat cake.



### Today's Meeting

#### **Greeters:**

**Tobi Furman** – The Artmobile  
**Jessica Holland** – Edward Jones

#### **Invocation:**

**Perry Fisher** - Retired

**Committee Meetings:** Young Children Priority One; Golf

#### **Menu Options:**

**Hot:** Sirloin, with demi-glace.  
**Cold:** Turkey club, with a bowl of fruit.

### Coming up this week

#### **Birthdays**

04/02 – **John Gambaiani**  
04/09 – **George Ruff**



**Monday, 04/01/1976** – Apple Inc. was formed by Steve Jobs, Steve Wozniak and Ronald Wayne in Cupertino, CA.

**Thursday, 04/04/1873** – The Kennel Club was founded, the oldest and first official registry of purebred dogs in the world.

**Saturday, 04/06/1926** - Varney Airlines (root company of United Airlines) made its first commercial flight.

## Striving for 'Perfect Attendance' ...

The words 'Perfect Attendance' sound daunting. Who could possibly get to every Kiwanis event, especially with a Club as active as ours?

Not to worry ... because our Club typically meets 48 Mondays out of the year, 'Perfect Attendance' is defined as earning 48 attendance credits. Attendance credits can be earned by attending a Monday meeting; participating in a committee meeting; attending a fund raising or hands on service event; going to an interclub meeting/event; serving as a greeter; and many other simple tasks. It's not uncommon for many people to earn two, three, four or more attendance credits in a single week.

So, will you strive to earn 'Perfect Attendance' during this administrative year? We are now at the halfway mark and to be on track, you should have at least 24 attendance credits. Here is a list of where members stand:

**48 or more** attendance credits: **Paul Bohlman, Scott Lindsey, Kathleen Roberts, Jim Shively and Jim Skidmore.**

**36-47** attendance credits: **Susan Black, Tom Christman, Lynn Coons and Fil Line.**

**25-35** attendance credits: **D'Andra Andrews, Ted Coons, Neil Distelhorst, Jerry Durham, Chad Endsley, Dave Fenner, David Gallit, Caitlyn Johnson, Lisa Jolley, Dan Lacey, Joyce Waters, Dave Weibel, Kim Welty and Bob Wiseman.**

**24** attendance credits: **Ed Deering**

**16-23** attendance credits: **Sean Ballinger, Merri Bame, Char Collister, Bob Eberhart, Lauren Lee, George Ruff, Adrienne Sraver, Mark Swepston and Dave Timmons.**

**10-15** attendance credits: **Bob Barnes, Pranab Bhattacharya, Greg Daugherty, Scott Doellinger, Ian Gaunt, Kristin Gintz, Jessica Holland, Leslie Huntington, David Kandel, Ken Keller, Bill Kiefaber, Liz Moore, Tom Sherrill and Alan Weiler.**

**Less than 10** attendance credits: **All others.**

If you find yourself lagging behind a little, don't worry. There is plenty of time to catch up. It is not hard to earn more than one attendance credit per week ... just get involved by participating in Club activities and committee meetings. You will be surprised how fast attendance credits can add up.

**Note:** The attendance credits listed above are based on what has been reported to Club Secretary **Paul Bohlman**. If you are a committee chair, please remember to report committee meeting attendance on a regular basis.

*The trouble with living alone is that it's  
always my turn to do the dishes.*

## Trivia Night – Regaining our title ...

The fifth annual New Albany Kiwanis Trivia Night will be held Saturday, April 27, at the New Albany Church of the Resurrection Ministry Center (6300 East Dublin-Granville Road). The doors will open at 6 p.m., and the competition will begin at 7 p.m. The entry fee is \$25 per person and includes fun, food, water and two beer tickets.

Kiwanis Club of Columbus has won this event two of the first four years, but let it slip away in 2018. Our mission is to regain the title and walk away with the trophy pictured here.



To do so, we need to enter a strong and competitive team, maybe two, to help improve our odds. You can sign up to be on a team from the Activity Calendar on our website. The team is not limited solely to Kiwanis members, so if you have a family member or friend who knows a good amount of useless information, please invite them to join our team.

There will be cash prizes, door prizes and raffles. The deadline for signing up and registering our team(s) is April 19. Please sign up early, if you can.

*Spring is here. I'm so excited, I wet my plants.*

## Auction tickets now on sale ...

This year's Kiwanis charity auction, "Auction-Fore-Kids," is scheduled for May 2 at the exciting Top Golf facility, near Polaris. This is one of our Club's largest fundraising events of the year with all proceeds going to the Columbus Kiwanis Foundation to support next year's scholarship and community grant programs conducted by the Club.



Tickets are now on sale for this year's event. Just log into <https://columbuskiwanis.org/auction-fore-kids-2019/> to purchase the number you want. You can also find information there about sponsorships, should your company or organization be interested.

**Remember:** This event is designed for us to bring guests and to showcase the fun we have in Kiwanis, while helping to raise money for our Foundation. Feel free to forward this link to your family, friends and co-workers. Let's get a huge turnout.

## Hilliard residents ... It's pancake time!

If you live in or around the Hilliard area, you won't want to miss this year's annual pancake breakfast conducted by the Hilliard Kiwanis Club on Saturday, April 13. It will run from 8 a.m. to noon, and will be held at the Hilliard United Methodist Church, located at 5445 Scioto Darby Road, in Hilliard. Tickets can be purchased at the door, so there is no need to sign up in advance. Please self-report your attendance to Club Secretary **Paul Bohlman**.

### If the person who named 'Walkie Talkies' named everything:

*Stamps = Lickie Stickie*  
*Defibrillators = Hearty Starty*  
*Bumble bees = Fuzzy Buzzy*  
*Pregnancy test = Maybe Baby*  
*Bra = Breastie Nestie*  
*Fork = Stabby Grabby*  
*Socks = Feetie Heatie*  
*Hippo = Floatie Boatie*  
*Nightmare = Screamy Dreamy*

## University Kiwanis Rick Nini Pancake Breakfast ...

Come join the Kiwanis Club of University for its annual spring pancake day! Once again, they will be offering all-you-care-to-eat plain, blueberry and chocolate chip pancakes (Mickey Mouse available upon request for kids!).

The event will take place Sunday morning, April 28, at Tuttle Park (located at 240 West Oakland Avenue). It will run from 8:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.



Tickets are available through University Kiwanis members, **or** at the door for \$5 each. This is a great opportunity for an interclub, provided at least four of our Club members attend. You do not have to attend together, but you will need to self-report your attendance so that you can be given the proper attendance credit.

## HONOR OUR VETERANS AND OUR COUNTRY

- Salute the flag during: the National Anthem; the Pledge of Allegiance; and when it passes during a parade.
- Know your responsibilities for U.S. flag respect.
- Veterans may use military salute.

## 2019 Columbus Arts Festival – Calling all beverage-booth volunteers ...

Once again, members and friends of Kiwanis Club of Columbus will be staffing the Bier Garten specialty beer booth at the 2019 Columbus Arts Festival, scheduled for Friday through Sunday, June 7, 8 and 9.

This annual event is a great fundraiser for the Club; it helps defray our operating costs Club, keeping us from having to raise dues. We earn a hefty 10 percent of everything we sell, plus any tips we earn. It's easy, it's fun and it's profitable. Plus, you get to know other Kiwanis members and you get to go to the Arts Festival.



As in the past, we will have multiple shifts set up for each of the three days. Each shift will require 5 people to properly staff the booth, with as many as 8 people needed during the peak hours.

The one caveat is **again** the need to be trained IN ADVANCE of volunteering. However, they have made some changes to help facilitate this process.

1- If you attended training in 2018, you will **not** have to train again this year.

2- If you attended training in 2017, you will **not** have to participate in a live training session but **must** use a video link to take a refresher course and successfully complete a post-test to be able to work at this year's Festival. A link for that video refresher training will be available soon.

3- All other volunteers will need to attend a **live training session in order to be qualified to work in the booth**. These sessions will all be held at the offices of Greater Columbus Arts Council, 100 East Broad St., 22<sup>nd</sup> floor; all participants should enter by the Third Street entrance. You can sign up for the live training at this link: <https://doodle.com/poll/ifdpk9gqbund28zi>. The training is 90 minutes long, and the dates are Saturday, April 27 (10 a.m.); Thursday, May 2 (7 p.m.); Saturday, May 18 (10 a.m.); Tuesday, May 21 (7 p.m.); and Saturday, June 1 (10 a.m.)

4- Those members who will function as shift leaders **will** need to attend a live session this year, even if they attended last year. This will ensure that we will have at least one person on each shift in your booth who is aware of any procedural changes, and is familiar with the electronic pads we will use to collect payments.

We hope we can count on your active support, and we hope you will encourage family members and friends to work with you. Just remember that everyone must be trained.

## Division 10-W Council meeting set ...

The next quarterly meeting of the Division 10-W Council is scheduled for Wednesday, April 24, at the China Bell Restaurant in Grove City. It will begin at 6:30 p.m.

Division Council meetings are open to all Kiwanis members and are designed to bring the leadership of the Clubs within the Division together to exchange ideas, to learn what else is going on and to gain insight about Kiwanis International. This particular meeting will be hosted by the Kiwanis Club of Grove City and the Kiwanis Club of Hilltop; all Kiwanians attending will receive two attendance credits.

The buffet dinner includes egg rolls; crab Rangoon; General Tso's chicken; Mongolian beef; Vegetarian Delight; fried and steamed rice and fresh strawberry cake. The cost is \$26 per person.

If you are interested in attending, please sign up using the link on our Activity Calendar on April 24.

*When you're young, we sneak out of our house to go to parties.  
When we're old, we sneak out of parties to go home.*

## Club Trustees to meet ...

The April Trustee and Committee Chair meeting of Kiwanis Club of Columbus will be held on Tuesday, April 9 at the Roosevelt Coffeehouse, located at 300 East Long Street. The meeting will begin at 5:30 p.m., and you are welcome to join us for fellowship and dinner following the meeting at a nearby restaurant.



**Trustees**

Trustee meetings are where the official business of the Club is conducted, as Club Officers and Committee Chairs Committee Chairs give their reports and make proposal reports and make proposals or requests.

All Club members are welcome to attend and to participate in the discussions before any votes are taken by the Trustees. Your voice is important, and we want to make sure all sides of an issue are heard before decisions are made.

Please let Club Secretary **Paul Bohlman** know by Friday, April 5, if you will be attending the meeting and if you will be having dinner with us.

## Short North Kiwanis chartering event ...

Join us for a Kiwanis interclub, as we help the new Short North Kiwanis Club celebrate the receipt of their official Kiwanis charter. As a sponsoring Club, we hope that we can have a strong representation at this event. Cost is \$20, but you need to purchase your tickets in advance. You can access the link for the tickets from the Activity Calendar on our website.

*If poison expires, is it more poisonous  
or is it no longer poisonous?*

## Next meeting

(April 8, 2019)

**Program:** Arlene Reitter - Alvis

### Greeters:

**Kathleen Roberts** - Sweetbriar Group LLC  
**Amanda de Leon** - Anne Rogers Interiors

### Invocation:

**Bob Eberhart** - Cook & Sladoje Co., LPA

**Committee Meetings:** None scheduled

### Menu Options:

**Hot:** Chicken parmesan, with marinara.

**Cold:** BLT on sourdough, with pasta salad.

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