

The Bulletin

The Kiwanis Club of Columbus



"Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world - one child and one community at a time."

“Building for our future.”

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



August 31, 2015

MIKE KAUFMANN

Cardinal Health



As chief financial officer of Cardinal Health, Mike Kaufmann has primary responsibility for all of the Organization’s financial activities, including external reporting, investor relations, tax strategy/planning and capital deployment. He also oversees global sourcing for both the pharmaceutical and medical segments, as well. As a member of the company’s Executive Team, Kaufmann plays a key role in creating and executing the Cardinal Health strategy.

For nearly 25 years, Kaufmann’s held a number of senior operational, sales and finance roles touching all areas of Cardinal Health. Most recently he was the chief executive officer of the pharmaceutical segment whose FY14 revenues exceeded \$80 billion. Along with providing direction to the segment’s multiple businesses and sourcing, he was instrumental in orchestrating key activities such as the joint venture with CVS Health that formed Red Oak Sourcing, and the creation of Fuse, the Cardinal Health technology innovation center.

Kaufmann serves as executive sponsor of the Cardinal Health Women’s Initiative Network, an employee resource group whose goal is to foster a culture of partnerships that makes Cardinal Health a great place for women to work and grow their careers. His support of women leaders in healthcare led to the Healthcare Businesswomen’s Association naming Kaufmann as its 2012 “Honorable Mentor,” and the Institute for Women’s Leadership awarding him the 2014 “Guys Who Get it Award.”

He currently serves on the executive board of Red Oak Sourcing, and is a past member of the executive committee of both

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### Today’s Meeting

**Program:** Mike Kaufmann – CFO, Cardinal Health

**Greeters:** David Brainin – David J. Brainin LLC  
Bill Calvert – Merrill Lynch

**Invocation:** Kathleen Roberts - Sweetbriar Group LLC

**Presentations:** 1916 Society recognition pins  
Non-traditional scholarships

#### Menu Options:

**Hot:** House salad, Coriander-crusted pork loin with peach compote.

**Cold:** Tuna salad sandwich on croissant with lettuce and tomato

### Next two weeks ...

#### Birthdays:

09/06 – Dave Fenner  
09/06 – Mike Gladfelter  
09/08 – Scott Doellinger  
09/11 – Bob Wiseman  
09/12 – Adam Biehl  
09/12 – David Brainin  
09/12 – Alice Foeller



**Tuesday – 09/08** – Program Committee – Noon at OSU golf course club house.

**Friday – 09/11** – Centennial Committee – 7:30 a.m. – Giant Eagle - Grandview Yard.

## Recognition day ...

Several times each year, we have months where there are five Mondays. On these occasions we pause to recognize and thank those individuals who have given so generously of their resources to support Kiwanis – whether it be on the local, District or International levels.

Several years ago, in an effort to encourage incremental support to the 1916 Society of the Columbus Kiwanis Foundation above the initial \$1,000 membership requirement, the Foundation board established several giving levels – Diamond (\$10,000), Gold (\$5,000) and Silver (\$2,500). A number of our members have reached these levels and will be recognized today with a special “1916 Society” lapel pin designating their level.

Those being recognized are:

**Diamond Level** – Ted Coons, Scott Lindsey, Jim Skidmore and Dave Timmons.



**Gold Level** - S. Ronald Cook, Jr., Herb Flint, Kathleen Roberts, Tom Sherrill and Alan Weiler



**Silver Level** - Tom Christman, Neil Distelhorst, William Gillam, Michael Griffith, William Grové, Lisa Jolley, Ellwood Lewis and Fred Miller.



In addition, we will be presenting 1916 Society membership lapel pins to recent joiners **Susan Black, Jack D'Aurora, Jerry Durham, Rita Edwards, Michael Manser, Jeff Rayis, Melanie Tobias, Nick Tomashot and Elaine Young.**

Finally, we will be recognizing two individuals who have completed the 2014-15 administrative year requirements to be recognized as ‘Distinguished Club Members’ – **Paul Bohlman and Kathleen Roberts.** Their recognition pins will be sent directly to them from Kiwanis International with a letter from the Kiwanis International President.

There is still time for you to earn this distinction by recruiting two new members and completing a Kiwanis service project. We have many members who need only recruit one more member to earn the distinction.

*In the Sahara Desert, there is a town named Tidikelt, Algeria, which did not receive a drop of rain for ten years. Technically though, the driest place on Earth is in the valleys of the Antarctic, near Ross Island. There has been no rainfall there for two million years.*

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the Healthcare Distribution Management Association and the National Association of Chain Drug Stores. Kaufmann also serves as a trustee at Ohio Northern University and is an active member of the community.

Prior to Cardinal Health, Kaufmann had a successful career in audit and consulting with Arthur Andersen, one of the nation’s largest public accounting firms. He earned a bachelor’s degree in business administration from Ohio Northern University in Ada, Ohio.

Cleveland Interclub: Help celebrate their birthday ...

Earlier this year, a delegation of Club members traveled to Detroit to help celebrate the 100th anniversary of Kiwanis, as the Detroit Kiwanis Club, Club #1, celebrated its 100th birthday. On Saturday, October 17, we will again be sending a group to help celebrate another milestone – the 100th birthday of Kiwanis Club of Cleveland, Club #2.

The event will be held at the Western Reserve Historical Society at 10825 East Boulevard in Cleveland. The cost is \$65 person (prior to September 25, \$75 per person afterward). For information, visit their website at www.kiwaniscleveland.org.

“Non-traditional” scholarship winners to be recognized ...

After working hard to sort through, read and evaluate numerous applications, the Scholarship Committee has chosen two winners of our “non-traditional scholarships.”



The non-traditional scholarships are designed to assist individuals who have been out of the educational process for a period of time as they raised families, worked to save money or pursue other priorities that came before their education.

The scholarships are made available by Kiwanis Club of Columbus on behalf of the Columbus Kiwanis Foundation. The “non-traditional” scholarships are one-time awards and this year’s recipients are:

Danh D. Tran - \$1,500 – Danh arrived in the US in 2012 and is planning to earn a degree in accounting from Columbus State.

Jessica Marshall - \$1,000 – Jessica is a working mom from Westerville with plans to earn a degree in nursing from Chamberlain College of Nursing.

Boxers & Socks for the homeless ...

The Homeless Committee is spearheading a campaign to help the Columbus homeless community by providing underwear and socks. The campaign, titled "Boxers & Socks," will collect boxer shorts and socks (new only).



You can either purchase them your self and bring them to a Monday meeting, or you can make a contribution the Homeless Committee will use to shop for you. Checks should be made out to Kiwanis Club of Columbus.

Items collected will be distributed to those in need at this year's Good Neighbor Picnic, scheduled for Saturday, September 26, at Goodale Park.

Time to renew your membership ...

In our annual dues mailing, incoming Club President **Jeff Rayis** outlined some exciting events coming up during our Centennial year, which will begin on October 1. We hope you will renew your membership by paying your annual membership dues in a timely fashion, and no later than September 30.



The notices were distributed the week of August 10. If you have not received your letter (sent to your home address), please let Club Secretary **Paul Bohlman** know, so that your mailing address can be verified.

Also included in the mailing was an opportunity to make a voluntary contribution above and beyond your annual dues. This special request was made in lieu of a dues increase and the need to cover incremental expenses, such as the \$10 per person increase in Kiwanis International dues approved at this summer's International Convention.

We encourage you to pay your dues early and to help us avoid having to send reminders, make phone calls and otherwise deal with awkward situations. Checks should be made out to **Kiwanis Club of Columbus**. They can either be sent to P.O. Box 20334, Columbus, OH 43220-0334, or handed to Club Secretary **Paul Bohlman**.

For those who prefer, payment can also be made via credit card. However, a 3.5 percent service charge will be added to the payment to cover processing fees.

Those failing to pay their dues on time will be dropped from the roster on October 1 and will incur a \$25 reinstatement fee in addition to the dues owed. We are hopeful this will not be needed.

Kiwanis' Key Leader weekend is set ...

Kiwanis' Key Leader is a weekend experiential leadership program for today's young leaders. Participants learn that the key to leadership is helping others succeed. Through workshops, discussions and team-building activities, students have the opportunity to learn leadership skills that will help them change their schools, communities and world for the better.

A Key Leader event is being hosted at Recreation Unlimited in Ashley, Ohio, November 13-15. If you have or know high school students (freshmen and sophomores), please encourage them to attend. Or perhaps you would be interested in sponsoring someone. More details, including costs, can be found at www.key-leader.org.

Foundation Trustees to meet ...

Trustees of Columbus Kiwanis Foundation will meet on Monday, September 14, immediately following the regularly scheduled Club luncheon meeting at the Athletic Club of Columbus.

The primary business will be reviewing the Club's annual request for funds to be distributed through scholarships and grants during the 2015-16 administrative year, which will begin on October 1. Trustees will also receive a report on the process and schedule to be followed on awarding the incremental \$100,000 in grants to commemorate our Club's 100th anniversary, to be celebrated on Saturday, May 7 at the Ohio Statehouse.

Foundation Trustee meetings are open to all Club members.

'Shred-it' Day ...



The next semi-annual 'Shred-it' Day, run by WCMH-TV4, is scheduled for Sunday, September 13, from noon to 5 p.m. Once again, Kiwanis Club of Columbus will provide much needed manpower to help with the effort.

We will staff two shifts. The first shift will report at 11:30 a.m., to help get set up and be ready for the cars to begin rolling in at noon. The second shift will take over at 2:30 and work until 5:30 p.m., or when the cars in line at the 5 p.m. closing time can be unloaded. We need 15-20 people per shift and you are welcome to bring spouses, friends, neighbors and teenage children to help. The more the merrier ...

To sign up for one or both shifts, please contact Scott Doellinger at scottjd714@wowway.com.



Good Neighbor Picnic ...

In recognition of the many cultural layers that make up our community, Good Neighbors Of Central Ohio provides opportunities for groups and individuals who represent each aspect of our community to work side by side in demonstrating that we are 'good neighbors' to our often-forgotten citizens: the homeless.

Since 1999, Good Neighbors has hosted a day of fun and relaxation for children and families in Central Ohio who are homeless, and serving thousands of homeless persons in the process. Every year, an array of partners joins the Good Neighbors team of volunteers to raise awareness of the issues of homelessness and truly "make a difference" in the lives of those who often are looked down upon by the very community in which they once belonged.

The event provides a day of refuge away from the worrisome day-to-day stress of daily life for homeless families. They are served free hot food and beverages in a picnic atmosphere. A free clothing store is open, offering a place where parents and individuals can select much-needed winter clothing for them and their children to prepare for the long winter ahead. Adults and children enjoy playing lawn games, participating in craft activities, selecting free toys and books, and watching the array of talented entertainers on the stage from noon 'til 4 p.m.

On Saturday, September 26, Kiwanis Club of Columbus will again participate in the annual Good Neighbors Picnic held in Goodale Park. We will set up a temporary photo studio and provide photos of both individuals and families. For many, this may be the first time they have had a professional photo taken of themselves or their family.

We will need 10-12 volunteers throughout the day to help set up, run printers, coordinate participants and handout the finished photos. More details will be forthcoming, but if you are interested in helping, please contact Jim Shively at jshivel279@earthlink.net.

Boy, do we own stuff ...

There are 300,000 items in the average American home (*LA Times*) and the average size of the American home has nearly tripled in size over the past 50 years (*NPR*). Still, one out of every 10 Americans rent offsite storage—the fastest growing segment of the commercial real estate industry over the past four decades. (*New York Times Magazine*). The United States has upward of 50,000 storage facilities, more than five times the number of *Starbucks*. Currently, there is 7.3 square feet of self-storage space for every man, woman and child in the nation.

*Ever get up in the morning,
look in the mirror and think
"Well, that can't be right!"?*

Next meeting

(September 14, 2015)

Reminder: No meeting September 7 – Labor Day

Program: Jim & Nancy Petro –
The Innocence Project

Greeters: Neil Distlehorst
Retired, Deloitte & Touche

Invocation: Fil Line - ROI Realty Services

Committee Meetings: International Relations,
Homeless

Menu Options:

Hot: Wedge salad, meatloaf with oven-roasted
tomato sauce.

Cold: BLT on Sourdough Bread with Basil Aioli

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