

The Bulletin

The Kiwanis Club of Columbus



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“Building for our future.”

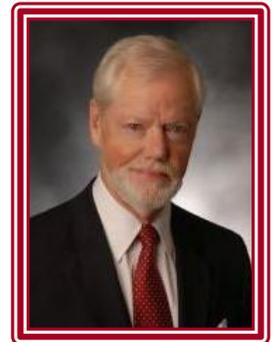
Noon to 1 p.m. luncheon meeting at The Athletic Club of Columbus, 136 East Broad Street, Columbus, OH 43215



November 24, 2014

DAVID L. WARREN

President, National Association of Independent Colleges and Universities



David L. Warren became president of the National Association of Independent Colleges and Universities (NAICU) in 1993, after nearly a decade as president of Ohio Wesleyan University. A tireless crusader for America's private colleges and for increased financial aid funding for all college students, Dr. Warren is widely regarded as one of the most persuasive and influential voices for higher education within Washington, D.C. He is frequently asked to speak at higher education national conferences and on campuses, and is regularly quoted by the news media on national higher education issues.

Beyond NAICU, Dr. Warren has orchestrated and led cooperative efforts with the other major higher education associations. He has co-chaired the National Campus Voter Registration Project, which in each presidential and congressional election since 1998, has engaged the nation's campuses in the political and electoral process. He has spearheaded the Student Aid Alliance, an ongoing campaign of 50 higher education associations to expand student aid, which has resulted in the doubling of Pell Grant funding, to a maximum grant of \$5,550, since 2007. He also is responsible for the creation of CampusCares, an initiative to gain national recognition for the community service and civic engagement contributions by America's colleges and universities, and the University & College Accountability Network (U-CAN), a major national effort to enhance consumers' access to comparative information on colleges and universities.

More recently, Dr. Warren was a driving force on behalf of all higher education in shaping the reauthorization of the Higher Education Act, which was signed into law in 2008 after five years of deliberation and debate. NAICU also took a leadership role in the passage of the new GI Bill, with its provisions for the participation of independent higher education through the Yellow Ribbon Program.

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### Today's Meeting

**Greeters:** **Linda Kay**- WesBanco Trust & Investment Services  
**Alice Foeller**– SiteInSight

**Invocation:** **Dave Timmons**- G W Timmons and Sons

**Committee meetings:** Young Children Priority One,  
Orientation Attendance & Retention

**Speaker Introduction:** **Dick Tice**, Penn Mutual

**Check Presentation:** Salvation Army, Major Frank Kirk

**Menu:** **Wedge salad, meatloaf with oven-roasted tomato sauce**

### A Glance at this week

#### Birthdays:

11/24 – Mike Stanley



**Wednesday – 11/26** – Manna Café – 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. at Broad Street United Methodist Church

**Thursday – 11/27** – Thanksgiving Day



## Kiwanis children display talent ...

It is always great to highlight the accomplishments of Kiwanis members and even more so the talents of their children. Today we are highlight two very talented daughters: Blythe Coons and Jessica Grové.



1- **Blythe Coons** – Blythe is the daughter of past Club President and Ohio District Governor **Ted Coons**. As the troupe passes through Columbus, Blythe will be appearing in a special one night only production of “*A Wonderful Life: Live from WVL Radio Theatre*,” on Tuesday, December 16, 2014, at 7:30 p.m. at the Schoedinger Theatre at Columbus Academy (4300 Cherry Bottom Road, Gahanna). We would like to get a large group of Kiwanis members together to support Blythe. Tickets are \$22 per person and can be purchased directly by you on line at <http://www.brownpapertickets.com/event/860033>.

Please notify Club Secretary **Paul Bohlman** when you order tickets, so that he may give you the proper attendance credit.



2- **Jessica Grové** – Jessica is the daughter of long-time member Willie Grové, and has starred in several Broadway shows. On November 9, Jessica began starring in the off-Broadway musical *The Underclassman*, at The Duke Theatre (229 W. 42nd Street) in New York City. *The Underclassman* is inspired by F Scott Fitzgerald's first novel *This Side of Paradise*. The show will run through November 23. If you happen to be in New York this week, tickets can be purchased by calling the box office at (212)-352-3101 or by visiting their website at [www.ProspectTheatre.org](http://www.ProspectTheatre.org).

*I miss being a kid. My only responsibilities were  
running and laughing a lot.  
And someone else was in charge of my hair.*

## Giant Eagle cards and holiday shopping ...

Give a gift to Kiwanis Club of Columbus by utilizing Giant Eagle gift cards to purchase retail gift cards. For example, if you know you will be shopping at Macy's for a number of your presents, why not use a Giant Eagle gift card to purchase a Macy's retail gift card before heading out?

Giant Eagle gift cards can also be purchased in various denominations (\$10, \$25, \$50) and used as stocking stuffers or 'Thank you' gifts. Small denominations must be special-ordered through Secretary **Paul Bohlman**.

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Now, in response to administration calls for dramatically increasing the nation's college graduation rate over the next decade, he has led NAICU in launching *Building Blocks to 2020*, a major effort to encourage and report on the role of America's private colleges and universities in achieving greater access to and completion of a college education.

Dr. Warren earned his bachelor's degree in English from Washington State University, where he graduated Phi Beta Kappa. Washington State recognized his accomplishments in 1991 by awarding him the Alumni Achievement Award for Distinguished Leadership. He earned master's degrees with honors in both divinity and urban studies from Yale University, and a doctorate in higher education administration from the University of Michigan, where in 1998 he received the Distinguished Alumnus Award from the university's Education Alumni Society. He also was a Fulbright Scholar in India and a Rockefeller Fellow at Yale.

His numerous articles on volunteerism, student activism, crisis management, and theology have appeared in publications such as *Commonweal*, *Change*, and *Christianity and Crisis*. In addition, Dr. Warren has contributed chapters to books such as *New Futures: The Challenge of Managing Corporate Transitions* and *Current Perspectives on Social Problems*.

He and his wife, Ellen, have two sons and a daughter: Jamison (Duke 1995), Mackenzie (Northwestern 2000) and Katrin (Middlebury 2001).

## Kiwanis Day with the Buckeyes ...

Mark your calendars and join fellow Kiwanis members from around Division 10-W for a Kiwanis day with the Ohio State men's basketball team.

On Saturday, December 13, we will be attending the game against Morehead State, with a tip-off time of 1 p.m. Special group discount tickets are \$24 per person. If we have 50 attendees, all youth will be able to take part in the Buckeye tunnel at half time.



You can order your tickets directly by completing and submitting the form attached to this newsletter. If ordered early, you will be able to have them mailed to you; otherwise, you will be able to pick up your tickets at Will Call, the day of the game.

Let's have a great turnout and make sure Kiwanis is heard from and visible. Be sure to bring your kids and grandchildren. They will have a blast.

## Six Zeller Fellowships awarded ...

There are six new 'Zeller Fellows' within our Club, recognized for their special efforts on behalf of our Club's programs and/or projects. Each award represents a \$1,250 gift from our Club to the Kiwanis International Foundation and is earmarked for the ELIMINATE Project, designed to eliminate maternal and neonatal tetanus (MNT) throughout the world. These six fellowships, bestowed upon the following members, will save the lives of more than 4,200 mothers and their babies!

**Brandon Akey**, a member since 2012

**Jerry Durham**, a member since 1990

**Perry Fisher**, a member since 1980

**Kristin Gintz**, a member since 2010

**Candace Plum**, a member since 2008

**Dave Weibel**, a member since 2001



The ELIMINATE Project has already eliminated MNT in more than a half dozen countries, with significant progress in many others; it is on the brink of elimination. With a one-time gift or two-year pledge, you have the power to save lives and prevent a life-threatening disease. The program is named after Walter Zeller, who made the first gift to establish the Kiwanis International Foundation in 1940. Zeller Fellows receive a medallion, certificate and commemorative lapel pin.

But most important of all, you can help put MNT where it belongs: in the medical history books. For details, see **Ted Coons, Scott Lindsey, Kathleen Roberts, Jim Skidmore** or **Paul Bohlman**.

*So you mean to tell me a stress ball isn't  
for throwing at people who stress you out?*

## Thanksgiving at Manna Café ...

There is still time to sign up to help with our next Manna Café scheduled for Wednesday, November 26 from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. Just click on this link to see the available times. ([https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1kYwRRG8cowz48V7zoaAPG9CrEwHaHX9kaq1nuLYsKb4/edit?usp=doclist\\_api](https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1kYwRRG8cowz48V7zoaAPG9CrEwHaHX9kaq1nuLYsKb4/edit?usp=doclist_api)) and to sign up, or contact **Jim Shively** at [jshivel279@earthlink.net](mailto:jshivel279@earthlink.net).

The Manna Café provides a hot meal to adults in need, and Kiwanis Club of Columbus will be providing and serving a delicious, nutritious meal to them. Because of the holiday, we are expecting a large crowd. We will need volunteers to help make sure everything runs smoothly. So, if you are not traveling, or if you just need to get out of the house, why not volunteer to help make this Thanksgiving something special for a group of people who will really appreciate it?

## 7 Clever Uses for Dryer Sheets ...

It's time for these laundry staples to venture outside of the dryer. You probably already know that fabric softener sheets work wonders for getting rid of static in hair, but that's not all they're good for. Here are a few more reasons to add them to your cleaning arsenal:



1. **Make your shower door sparkle.** Skip the harsh chemicals - a damp, used dryer sheet removes hard water stains and soap scum just as well.
2. **Prevent tangles in your thread.** Jennifer at [Mom vs. The Boys](#) suggests running your threaded needle through a dryer sheet before you begin stitching to avoid knots (and frustration).
3. **Save a burnt pan.** Drop the scouring pad and try this trick from [Apartment Therapy](#) instead: Fill the pan with warm water and lay a new dryer sheet flat on top to soak overnight. In the morning, the baked-on gunk will have either floated off or be loose enough to scrape off with a spatula.
4. **Freshen up your gym gear — and everything else.** Don't throw away your used dryer sheets! Stick them in shoes, gym bags, luggage - even the bottom of trash cans, to keep odors at bay.
5. **Polish your chrome.** Jillee, at [One Good Thing](#), gets a spotless shine on chrome by using a used dryer sheet to rub calcium deposits off her showerhead, faucets and even her car.
6. **Remove dust.** Try a used dryer sheet instead of a feather duster — their static-absorbing qualities make them great for lifting dust off appliances, blinds and everything in between.
7. **Pick up spills.** The same static-absorbing qualities that make them great dusters make them perfect for picking up spilt powder. So, no more panicking when you accidentally knock over that bag of flour!

## Education for all of us ...

On line training for Youth Protection Guidelines is available at Kiwanis One. Every Kiwanis member should take this course - especially all Service Leadership advisers. Simply visit [www.KiwanisOne.org](http://www.KiwanisOne.org), log on, visit the "Education tab" and get started. The whole program takes less than 30 minutes. It is very important for all of our members to be informed!

Please notify Secretary **Paul Bohlman** when you have completed the program so that he can submit that information in his monthly report to Kiwanis International.

## 'Bethlehem on Broad' brings joy ...

As each of us was growing up, we likely had countless photos taken at Christmastime of us opening presents, wearing new clothes, playing with toys, and in general, enjoying the holidays. They were moments to remember, moments we all treasure.

But not all children are that fortunate and many have never received the gift of a happy memory captured on paper.



On Saturday, December 13, Kiwanis Club of Columbus will partner with Broad Street United Methodist Church (501 East Broad Street) to conduct the annual 'Bethlehem on Broad,' a program designed to bring Christmas to those in need and to help insure a memorable holiday.

We will be taking photos of children and families sitting with Santa Claus, and providing them with a framed photo as a holiday keepsake. We will need the help of many Kiwanians (family and friends welcome) to staff each of the five, two-hour shifts, with start times at 8:30 a.m.; 10:15 a.m.; noon; 1:45 p.m.; and 3:30 p.m. If you are interested in helping, please contact Jim Shively at [jshivel279@earthlink.net](mailto:jshivel279@earthlink.net), as we need at least four volunteers per shift. You may sign up for a shift by clicking on this link: <http://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1cAjdCbssj4q9xwrSjsDx0bNIzbK15GruzqM3BHNo5hw/edit?usp=sharing>.

*Attitude is the outward expression of our mood and, perhaps more importantly, the inward expression of our expectations. A positive attitude expects positive outcomes and a negative attitude expects negative outcomes. We usually get what we expect or look for!*

## Help build furniture ...



The Furniture Bank of Central Ohio will host members of Kiwanis on Saturday, December 13, as we 'help build' various pieces of furniture.

You do not need any special carpentry skills to participate in this program, because the tasks are simple and well choreographed.

The Furniture Bank of Central Ohio serves 100 families per week and provides 1,500 pieces of furniture per week, as well. Ninety-eight percent of their clients earn less than \$24,000 per year.

The work will take place at 118 South Yale Avenue; we will begin at 9 a.m., and work until about noon or 1 p.m. If you are interested in helping, please contact Jim Shively at 614-469-0386 or at [jshivel279@earthlink.net](mailto:jshivel279@earthlink.net).

*Every positive change in life begins with a clear, unequivocal decision that you are going to either do something or stop doing something.*

## Next week's meeting

(December 1, 2014)

**Program:** Andre Porter – Director - Ohio Department of Commerce

**Greeters:** Bill Calvert - Merrill Lynch

Neil Distelhorst – Retired, Deloitte & Touche

**Invocation:** David Kandel – Retired, AT&T

**Committee Meetings:** Behavioral Health and Wellness, Scholarship, Golf.

**Menu:** Chop Salad, flank steak with Chimichurri

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