

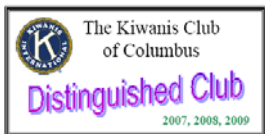
The Bulletin

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."

"Where Ordinary People Provide Extraordinary Service"



August 2, 2010

Steve Stover Restaurant Critic



Steve Stover is passionate about food. He has taught cooking for more than 27 years and reviewed restaurants and judged cooking for nearly 25 years, in addition to cooking for charity events and speaking to community groups all over Central Ohio.

Steve is a food and restaurant writer for Columbus "City Scene" magazine, and a contributor to the new "Edible Columbus" magazine, which had its inaugural issue in April 2010. Steve had a weekly restaurant and food commentary program on the Bob Connors Show on 610 WTVN AM radio for more than 11 years (600 shows, 1996 - 2008). He also reviewed restaurants for the *Delaware Gazette* for nearly five years. From 1992 to 2004, Steve was the Ohio editor for Zagat Survey, and edited five Zagat Survey Ohio editions. He was also a contributing editor for several editions of Zagat Survey

America's Top Restaurants.

Steve currently teaches cooking at Faire la Cuisine in Granville. He is a popular speaker for service clubs. He also judges cooking at the Ohio State Fair and at chili and pizza cook-offs. And, he has served as guest chef at the Inn at Cedar Falls and numerous charity events for the James Cancer Center, Columbus Museum of Art, Ballet Met and others.

In "real life," Steve is the Legislative Counsel for the Ohio State Bar Association, a position he assumed in 2000 on his retirement as Administrative Director of the Supreme Court of Ohio.

Join us today to for an insightful update of the many fine restaurants in the Central Ohio area. Steve has spoken to us before and has always done an excellent job. Be prepared to ask some questions about your favorite places to dine.



Thank you **Lisa Jolley**
and **Chris Pflum**
for greeting us today.



Thank you
Irina Barhorst
for providing today's invocation.

Scheduled Committee Meetings

August 2

Environment & Agriculture
Golf
Interclub
Reception/Invocation
Scholarship
Youth Opp. & Citizenship

August 9

Behavioral Health & Wellness
Homeless
International Relations
Senior Citizens

Today's Menu: House Salad, Sauteed Salmon, Smoked Tomato Relish

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

President's Corner



As you already know, our Kiwanis Club is one of the largest in the world. We do many good works—almost too many to mention with our \$80,000 fundraising and contributions to the community each year. However, our brand is not well known. By that I

mean, when you mention Kiwanis to your friends, they may have a glimmer of what we do or they may have no idea at all. So I want to start a major initiative to become a well-known brand in the Columbus area, and for us to be known for all the good works we do.

Obviously, one person cannot accomplish this. It will take a very active and involved team with dedicated members to achieve our goals. Those goals are as follows:

To heighten the recognition throughout the greater Columbus community of the great works and services that this Kiwanis Club provides the community.

To effectively "brand" the Kiwanis Club of Columbus in the eyes of the community by providing information in multiple venues for present and potential constituents to see.

To gain recognition for our individual members who do outstanding service and who commit to join our organization for service, camaraderie, and leadership

I have asked Past President **Bob Wiseman** to lead this initiative and I am asking all of the professionals in our Club with public relations, advertising and marketing expertise to join with Bob and others (others willing to learn and/or to work) to tackle this very important initiative. It will take all of us to accomplish these goals.

Bob has committed to a 15-month time frame, including Tim's presidency, to work on this initiative. We are not nuns who like to work modestly and keep our light under a barrel. We are a dedicated community of activists who work tirelessly to make our world better. And the more we are known, the more we can attract others to our mission of changing the world.

I commend Bob for agreeing to lead this initiative, and I am asking for each of you to volunteer to help. This is not complex, but it is vital. And it will not be an onerous task on any one person if each of us takes on a small piece of the work. Please call Bob today to volunteer to do a very important piece of this initiative. Our Club depends on it.

Calendar of Events

8/11 – Patrick Losinsky, Columbus Metropolitan Library

8/10 – Trustee meeting at Scioto Country Club

8/16 – Columbus Corporate Regatta

Membership dues ...

Secretary **Paul Bohlman** will have your 2010-11 annual dues notice available for distribution at today's meeting. Those not hand-delivered will be placed in the mail and you should have it by Wednesday, August 4.

Incoming President **Tim Barhorst** has been diligently working behind the scenes to line up his team of committee chairs. He is recruiting a nice combination of new and tenured faces to head up the various aspects of our Club. But what makes everything successful is your participation; for the Club is about people coming together to accomplish what each of us can only dream of doing individually. Now is the time to get involved with a committee. Either join one for the first time or re-commit to one you have worked with before. Your involvement means our success.

Of course, the first step to another successful year is for everyone to pay their 2010-11 annual membership dues. Unlike many other things in life, the annual membership dues have NOT increased. However, it is important that they be paid in a timely fashion since these are the funds utilized to run the Club. The initial deadline is September 15th and we are hopeful that ALL dues will be paid in full prior to October 1, the official start of the new administrative year.

Hopefully, by getting the dues notice out early, there is sufficient time for many of you to process the invoice through your company. Those who pay their dues from a personal account can certainly write a check today and send it in by September 15th. We hope this process runs smoothly, with minimal need for follow-up.

Due to administrative and billing changes by Kiwanis International, we will be charging a \$25 administrative fee for those dues payments received after October 1. So please pay your dues on time. It will save the Club work and you money.

Food for thought . . .

Are we doing things right? Perhaps we should put our seniors in jail, and our criminals in a nursing home!

This way, the seniors would have access to showers, hobbies and walks, they'd receive unlimited free prescriptions, dental and medical treatment, wheelchairs,



etc. and they'd receive money instead of paying it out. They would have constant video monitoring, so they could be helped instantly, if they fell or needed assistance.

Bedding would be washed twice a week, and all clothing would be ironed and returned to them. A guard would check on them every 20 minutes, and bring their meals and snacks to their cell. They would have family visits in a suite built for that purpose. They would have access to a library, weight room, spiritual counseling, pool and education. Simple clothing, shoes, slippers, pajamas and legal aid would be free, on request. They would have private, secure rooms for all, with an outdoor exercise yard, with gardens. Each senior could have a P.C., a TV, a radio and daily phone calls. There would be a board of directors to hear complaints and the guards would have a code of conduct that would be strictly adhered to.

In the nursing homes, the "criminals" would get cold food, be left all alone and unsupervised, lights off at 8 p.m. and showers once a week. They would live in a tiny room, and pay \$5,000 per month and have no hope of ever getting out.



Hmmmmm ... are we doing things right?

Hilltop Club celebrates 65 years ...

On Saturday, August 7, the Hilltop Kiwanis Club will be celebrating its 65th anniversary with an exciting dinner/dance party. It will be held at the American Legion Post 534 located at 1571 Demorest Road.

The reception and cash bar will begin at 4 p.m., with dinner being served at 5 p.m. Entertainment and dancing will follow from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. Cost is \$15 per person and the dinner will include baked chicken, roast beef or ham, potatoes au gratin, California vegetables, rolls, salad, coffee or tea.

Reservations must be made by July 31. Please contact Harold Hambrock at 351-1435 or haroldcols2@juno.com with your choice of entrée.

Regatta lunch tickets on sale ...

To help facilitate the program the day of the Corporate Regatta and to minimize the amount of money being exchanged that day, we will be selling Regatta lunch tickets in advance. In fact, if you buy your meal ticket in advance, we have a special offer for you – buy one ticket for the full \$5 price and you will receive a second ticket for *free*.



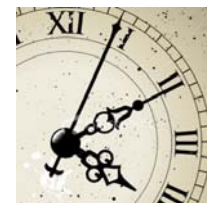
The incentive is designed to do two things: First, to convince you to buy your tickets early. The more we can pre-sell, the easier things will be the day of the event; and second, and perhaps more important, we would like you to bring a friend, a co-worker, a potential new member, etc.

The larger the crowd, the more fun the event will be. Please note, the extra ticket should be used to invite a guest, not to bring another Kiwanian!

Amy Lutz from WTTE Fox 28 will be on hand with television cameras to capture the action and to interview participants. So, why not bring your whole family, your office staff, or your church group? You simply cannot beat the price and the entertainment will be great.

Time for Membership ...

We are lagging behind our past two stellar years of increasing our ranks with new members. Do you have a potential member you can bring to an upcoming meeting?



Here are the members who have sponsored our 17 new faces to the club this administrative year:

Paul Bohlman, Char Collister (2), Neil Distelhorst, Scott Doellinger, Laura Donahue, Jerry Durham (2), Mike Gladfelder, Lisa Jolley, Scott Lindsey, Jeff Rayis (2), Jamie Richardson, Kathleen Roberts and Troy Terakedis (2).

Applications and our newly developed FAQ (Frequently Asked Questions) are available at the check-in desk and also online.

Help us grow our club...remember, we were each brought into the club by a member who was excited about the opportunities, projects, programs and of course, the fun!

One thing about the game of golf, no matter how bad you are playing, it is always possible to play worse.

Fair labor laws ...

A man owned a small farm in Iowa. The Iowa Dept. of Fair Labor Practices claimed he was not paying proper wages to his help and sent an agent out to interview him.

"I need a list of your employees and how much you pay them," demanded the agent.

"Well," replied the farmer, "there's my farmhand who's been with me 3 years. I pay him \$400 a week plus free room and board. The cook has been here for 18 months and I pay her \$300 per week plus free room and board. There's the half-wit. He works about 18 hours a day and does about 90% of all the work around here. He makes about \$10 per week, pays his own room and board and I buy him a bottle of bourbon every Saturday night. He also sleeps with my wife occasionally."

"That's the guy I want to talk to ... the half-wit," says the agent.

"That would be me," replied the farmer.

Kiwanis Club of Columbus Polo Shirts ...

With several upcoming events ... Kiwanis Corporate Regatta, Kiwanis Night at the Clippers, this weekend's golf game ... you need to be "styling!" That means you need to be wearing your Royal Kiwanis Blue polo shirt. Each will have our club's logo embroidered on it, not just an inexpensive stamp!

There are two manufacturers offered:

Port Authority - 100% ring spun combed cotton; shrink resistant: men's and women's sizes S to L, \$25; \$27 for XXL and \$29 for XXXL.

Cutter & Buck - cotton/polyester blend, DryTec™ finish; women's shirts have princess seams: men's and women's sizes S to L, \$36; \$38 for XXL; \$40 for XXXL.

All orders (prices include sales tax and shipping) must be paid in full before they can be processed. Order forms are available on our website.

Do you have yours? Is it worn out? Are you ready to buy another? These make wonderful gifts ... birthday, anyone?

Giant Eagle Gift Cards ...

You can have your cake and eat it, too! Plus, you can help your Kiwanis Club at the same time. Just make your Giant Eagle grocery purchases using a convenient Giant Eagle gift card purchased through the Club. A \$100 card buys \$100 of groceries and the Club receives \$5. It is a win-win situation. Plus, you earn all of the normal Giant Eagle award points for gasoline and shopping. See **Paul Bohlman** to purchase your gift cards.

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK



08/04 – Her Flint

08/04 – Ray Pauken

08/04 – David Ryan

08/07 – Don Boyd

08/07 – Rob Mackey

08/08 – Jacalyn Stemmer

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