

April 11, 2011 Meeting Highlights

Announcements

- ☛ **Frank Sgarlata** toasted Stan Nicholson. Stan died on March 29th. Everyone is encouraged to sign the sympathy card for Stan, to be sent to his daughter, Bev Hilton.
- ☛ **Frank** announced that Janet Atkinson from the Kiwanis Club in Ottawa, our present Gov. elect, will become the new Governor as of October 1st.
- ☛ **Frank** reported that there will be a caucus meeting on Saturday April 30th at the Boulevard Club. All are welcome.
- ☛ **Frank** and **Arthur Scauzillo** will be presenting a cheque and pins to the students of Father Redmond Key Club at our meeting on May 3rd.
- ☛ **Ted Scott** announced that he has products for sale. Good prices are available!

MEMBERS NEWS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Andy Kyriaskos, April 20
Elizabeth Sinclair, April 20
Helen Brown, May 1
Jean Marno, May 5
Don Kerr, May 11

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Myra & Derek Jeffery, April 2
Elizabeth & Bruce Sinclair, April 19
Gloria & Neil Brown, May 7

Special Guests

André Dugas introduced **Christopher Brett**, who spoke about his adventures in conquering Mount Kilimanjaro to benefit the Canadian Organization for Development through Education (CODE).

The organization promotes literacy in African countries. It sends books, sets up local NGOs, run by local people and published children's stories. UNESCO presented the Literacy Award to CODE.

Christopher's presentation took us along on the climb to Kilimanjaro - through dense jungle, barren alpine desert and snowy peak. The key to a successful climb is slowly - slowly. Camping in the crater at 18,300 feet the night before the summit they were treated to a beautiful full moon and starry night.

After the climb the group visited schools and saw how much the books are appreciated. Christopher thanked our club for the support we have given to the project. **Frank Sgarlata** thanked Christopher for his work.

\$ HAPPY/SAD DOLLARS \$

- André Dugas is happy to announce their grandson's second birthday. André also thanked Rosemary and Bev Best for entertaining he and Gillian in Florida - they were great hosts!
- Bill Stuart's admiration for Tiger Woods as a person may be lacking but as a golfer he is great - shooting seven birdies!

Community Service

In Memory of Syd Collier

*Syd passed away on April 12 at the age of 91. He was a dedicated Kiwanian since 1965 and was the Champion of many projects such as the Ride for Sight and West Park Hospital.
He will be missed.*

BLOOD DONOR CLINIC Wednesday May 18th

Please contact Debbie Hardy at 416-255-6389 to volunteer for a morning or afternoon shift

Interclub News

CASA LOMA WINE TASTING
Thursday May 19 - 6 p.m. to 9 p.m.
\$58 by May 13 to Ken Burford,
43 Cuthbert Cres. Toronto, M4S 2G9

GEORGETOWN LOBSTERFEST
Friday May 27 - 6:30 PM
Contact: mserjeantson@sympatico.ca

NORTH YORK WINE TOUR
Saturday, June 4, 9 a.m.
\$85 includes lunch. \$40 deposit by May 1
Please contact Barnaby Ross

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Monday April 25 • 12:15 p.m.
Easter Meeting
"The Talking Stick"
Lifting up the Divine Image
Planted within Each Child
Rev. Katherine Irwin

Monday May 9 • 12:15 p.m.
Father John Redmond Key Club
Arthur Scauzillo

Monday May 16 • 7:00 p.m.
Board Meeting
Weston Golf & Country Club

Monday May 30 • 12:15 p.m.
Kingsway Humber AGM

SPECIAL EVENTS

SPRING SINAWIKS LUNCHEON
Thursday, May 12th at noon
St. George's Golf Club
Cost \$35.00.
RSVP: Elsie Gaziuk
at 416-238-1748

District Convention
May 12-14 • Blue Mountain
Information & Register:
www.kiwanisec.org

"He who climbs upon the highest mountains laughs at all tragedies, real or imaginary,"
Nietzsche