

February & March 2013 Highlights

Announcements

- ☛ **Ted Scott** reported that there are 11 cases of nuts left. All members should make an extra effort to sell this product.
- ☛ **L.G. George Rowell** invited members to attend Wine Tasting at Casa Loma on **Wednesday April 10th, 6 - 9 p.m.**, featuring more than 30 Ontario Wineries and Royal Anti Pasti Buffet. Tickets: \$58 for Kiwanians and their guests to be purchased in advance. Call 416-926-1588 or email: kiwaniscasaloma@gmail.com.
- ☛ **Division 9** is planning a fundraising event at Chapters/Indigo on **Saturday April 6**. Kiwanis members are invited to go to their local store to canvas for funds to purchase books for children in need. Details will follow.

MEMBERS NEWS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Christina Scott, March 10
 Mabs Smith, March 22
 Jane Rucchetto, March 29
 Ted Scott, March 31
 Marjorie Paradine, April 1
 Brian Keogh, April 7

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Jane & Gabe Rucchetto, March 29
 Myra & Derek Jeffery, April 2

Special Projects

On **Monday February 4th** the past director of Key Clubs for Ontario, Kiwanian **Ken Hanson**, spoke about how well Key Clubs are doing in Ontario and how proud he is of our club for our success with Father Redmond and Martingrove Collegiate. He spoke of how important it is for kids to have a focus and how Key Club encourages leadership and social conscience.

On **Monday, March 4th** our speaker was **Alli Sergautis**, Education and Development Director, of Etobicoke Seniors Services who gave a power point presentation on "Help To Stay In Your Home".

Alli addressed the services available to help keep seniors in their homes including respite care for their caregivers. From assistance in bathing to local shopping excursions which are provided at nominal fees, ESS is there to assist. They will also engage seniors with exercise programs and companionship get togethers. ESS has been helping in Etobicoke 35 years.

The **Music Festival** was a great success according to a report by **Mary Margaret MacInnes** despite the attendance being down due to the teachers work to rule action. Our club was fortunate to include a day with large choirs of children and adults. Bo Fleischman and a friend enjoyed a full day of directing kids and parents and took in about \$1000 in donations that day alone! Our club raised about \$2000 overall.

Community Service

One Can Make a Difference

MUSIC FESTIVAL REPORT

Heartfelt thanks for your participation in the 2013 Kiwanis Music Festival! Every volunteer contributes to the success of the Festival but I want to express a special thank you to Peter Clarkson and Bev Best who covered so many shifts at Gallery 345 so that I could help cover the assignments originally intended for Islington Kiwanis Club at Grace Church on-the-Hill. I continue to be amazed by the talent, discipline and dedication of the young musicians at our Festival and I appreciate the wonderful support of their families. I am pleased to report that we collected \$1,861.00 at Grace Church and \$505.00 at Gallery 345 during the days for which our Club was responsible.

Mary Margaret MacInnes

BLOOD DONOR CLINIC VOLUNTEERS Sun Life Centre

TUESDAY APRIL 9, 2013

Morning Shift: 10:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.
Afternoon Shift: 1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Please Call Debbie Hardy at 416-255-6389 to volunteer for a shift.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Monday March 18 • 12:15 p.m.
St. Patty's Day Luncheon
 Barnaby Ross

Monday April 8 • 12:15 p.m.
Alzheimer's Society
 George Torgy

Wednesday April 10 • 7:30 p.m.
Board Meeting
 Kingsway-Lambton United Church,
 85 The Kingsway

Monday April 22 • 12:15 p.m.
Key Club
 Arthur Scauzillo

Monday May 6 • 12:15 p.m.
City Hall & Local Issues
 Councillor Peter Milczyn

Monday May 13 • 7:00 p.m.
Board Meeting
 Kingsway-Lambton United Church,
 85 The Kingsway

Monday May 27 • 12:15 p.m.
Fundraising
 Bo Fleischman

"Why should you never iron a 4-leaf clover?"

You don't want to press your luck!"

Daryl Stout