

Of Kiwanis Club of Portage Lakes



May 13, 2009 PLK NEWSLETTER
Sue Harding, Editor

Pres. **TIM PETERSON** called the May 13 meeting to order with a large group present at the Rose Villa Restaurant.

FRANK SMITH introduced our guests Betty Friess, wife of **RUSS FRIESS**, and Garrett Boone, guest of **TOM BURGE**.

BIRTHDAYS none
WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES none
CLUB ANNIVERSARIES
JIM DAVIS 18 years



NEWS IN OUR KIWANIS FAMILY

Please remember **GEORGE DERRY** in your prayers as he faces neck surgery Monday.

HAPPY DOLLARS



AL GRZESCHIK had a happy dollar for everyone who helped build 8 docks at Camp Y-Noah over the weekend.

LARRY HUNTER was happy that Purple Martins have 10 eggs in nests already.

TIM PETERSON was proud to have presented Portage Lakes Education Grants last week to 2 Manchester Seniors and 2 Coventry Seniors at their Senior Awards Night Programs.

NATHAN BRANT was happy to have enjoyed a week off in Florida. *Nice Tan, Nate!*

TRICIA HUSSER was happy to have such a great turnout at meeting tonight.

CINDY WEAVER was glad to be back and had a wonderful time in Texas!

TOM BURGE had 2 happy dollars: #1 for his guest Garrett Boone coming; #2 after putting up his Purple Martin gourds while watching mallards in lake he heard a fish jump and turned to see a 3 1/2 -4 ft. black snake flip a large fish onto land and swallow it!

SUE HARDING was happy to have computer and internet access back again. Then she shared 2 Joe Klope stories for our entertainment.



CORRESPONDENCE

JOE REINMANN read a Thank You note for remembering Jack and Dorothy McClelland on last October's Rose Day.



COMMITTEE REPORTS

Please make every effort to attend **VERY IMPORTANT ELECTION OF OFFICERS NEXT WED. MAY 20 : Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, 3 Board of Directors positions, & Rose Day Chairperson.** Contact **AL GRZESCHIK** if you are interested in serving in any of these positions.

PLEASE NOTE:

We are moving the Board Meeting up to May 20th in order to Host the parents and scholarship winners on May 27th. Please try to attend and congratulate these fine students and their parents.

Pres. **TIM PETERSON** announced that a special speaker from Summit County Sheriff Dept. will be here on June 10 to speak about Victim Assistance.

Social Chair AL GRZESCHIK thanked Betty Friess for offering to provide chicken dinner next week and is looking for volunteers to host meetings in June. He also reported that Green Kiwanis Annual Golf Outing will be 1st weekend in Aug.

No Golf Report this week.



CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- May 17 Camp Y-Noah OPEN HOUSE with Free canoeing & horseback riding
- MAY 18-20 Dr. Husser's Triune Chiropractic Patient Appreciation Days & Scholarship Fundraiser
- May 20 **Regular & Board Meeting @ Civic Center; Election of Officers;** dinner hosted by **RUSS & Betty FRIESS; Rose Committee Meeting**
- May 25 Memorial Day
- MAY 27 **SCHOLARSHIP AWARDS DINNER**

