

KIWANIS CLUB OF RIDGETOWN P.O. BOX 1642, RIDGETOWN, ONTARIO NOP 2C0

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NEWSLETTER FOR THE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 17, 2014

February 13, 2014 meeting:

Twenty-three members welcomed guests Karen Dunlop, Cory Kernohan, Margaret Johnston, Margaret Richmond, Cheryl Zvaniga, Gail Vaughan, Brenda Mason, Lynn Beavis and Liz Hoskins.

Happy \$\$

- \$ Kiwanian Mary Ann was happy that her daughter Christie applied for a co-op position at the hospital and she was the top candidate chosen!
- \$ President Brian was happy for the great spaghetti dinner at the arena for KSR Family night. The dinner was a fundraiser for the Key Club. There was lots of help from the Key Club and six Kiwanians.
- \$ Kiwanian Jenn Vaughan was happy that her daughter Amanda made it safely to Saskatchewan where she will be working and taking care of her father, Kiwanian Dave! \$ Jenn was also happy for the flowers that VP Karolyn sent her the day Amanda left.
- \$ Kiwanian Rebeccah was happy her grandfather is doing better after his stroke.

KIWANIS MOMENT

Past President Ken Richmond gave the Kiwanis moment. PP Ken has arranged many "mystery tours" for members over his years with the club. Some of them didn't do much for his reputation! One of the his best memories was the "Nuts & Bolts" show. This was a variety show of comedy, singing, dancing and skits put on by the members for the public. He had to use all the members of the club and sometimes that was a challenge – given their talents (or lack of). For one group he had them in tutus with letters on their behinds – when they bowed with their backs to the audience – they spelled "intermission". A creative use of talent! PP Ken and the members found the show fun for two reasons:

- everyone got involved
- they couldn't have done it without the help of their spouses/partners.

Ken then thanked the partners/guests in attendance for their support of the club.

AKTION CLUB

The Aktion Club made cookies at their February 12 meeting. They are selling a package of two for \$2.00. I believe all at the meeting purchased cookies!

KEY CLUB

Advisor Jenn reported that the Key Club raised \$856.00 from the two spagnetti dinners. They are making plans for Eastern Canada Key Club District Convention in Charlottetown in April.

GOURMET DINNER TICKETS

Kiwanian Keith reminded members to sell their tickets. The draw will be held at our April 17 meeting.

QUIZ NIGHT

Registration forms for the 30^{th} quiz night are posted on the club website and will be available at Mitton's Jewellers. Get your team together for March 27, 2014.

CHILI COOK-OFF

Get your recipes ready for the next chili cook-off on March 6, 2014.





Club Website: http://www.ridgetownkiwanis.com
E.C.& C. District Website: www.kiwanisecc.org
Kiwanis International Website: www.kiwanis.org

Following dinner and the brief business members and guest went down Main Street to Melinda's School of Dance studio. There we were treated to several performances by a group of the school's students.



After the dance performances we went next door to Kakoon Spa. Thanks to owner Judy for letting us use the upper level of her facility for some Valentine's games.



A team relay using a plunger and a roll of toilet paper!

The Kiwanis Club of Ridgetown meets weekly at 6:30 pm in the basement of Mount Zion Presbyterian Church, 59 Main St. E., Ridgetown, every Thursday, from September 1st through June 30th each year. Summer meetings are hosted by members at various local addresses.





Passing the hula hoop without breaking the chain.





MEETING AND EVENT SCHEDULE

Feb. 20 Kiwanis Olympics

Feb. 27 Kiwanis education presentation

Mar. 6 Chili cookoff

Mar. 13 Business & board meeting Mar. 20 Presentation on Westover

Mar. 27 Quiz night

Cupid Says!





Thanks to Kiwanian Mary Ann and her helpers for a fun evening!

CLUB OFFICERS:

President: Brian Dunlop President-elect: vacant Treasurer: Alan Bloomfield

DIRECTORS:

Brian Hoskins, Marian Visser, Rebeccah Malott, Craig Mitton (1 year) Keith Hamilton, Dennis Vaughan, Gary Guyitt, Jenn Vaughan (2 years)

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