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KIWANIS CLUB OF RIDGETOWN

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NEWSLETTER FOR THE WEEK OF OCTOBER 31, 2016

October 27, 2016 Meeting:

Seventeen members welcomed guest Sarah Cudmore.

Happy \$\$

\$ - Kiwanian Jim was happy – another Kiwanian made him happy by telling him his lawnmower purchase was a good deal.

\$ - Vice-President Allen was happy to be representing the district at a meeting for service clubs.

\$ - Kiwanian Larry was happy that the donation of candy for the Santa Claus Parade has been confirmed. He was also happy that his grandson has joined the armed forces.

\$ - Kiwanian Dave was happy to have Brandon home and happy for the 150th parade committee meeting.

Due to the weather it was decided to skip getting lost in the corn maze. Members moved to the Happy Shack to get costumes prepared for Monday night.



The Haunted Bus crew!

The Haunted Bus

The haunted bus was another huge success. Over 250 people of all ages braved the bus! Some got to the top of the front steps and turned around. Some were pushed and pulled through the bus and some just didn't even try. 250 bags of candy were given to the brave young ones that made it through the bus. Thanks to Jeff Brown for the following photos.



Is it any wonder kids of all ages were too frightened to brave the bus!

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.

Craft Show

We still need some help at the craft show on November 5 & 6. If you or your family can help, contact Secretary Debbie.
We are a sold out show for vendors with 61. There will be two radio stations doing remote broadcasts from the show on Saturday and one on Sunday.
Invite your friends and family to the show. Every person through the door is money in our service account.

Ornament Tickets

Keep selling those tickets. If you need more to sell see Kiwanian Mary Ann. The draw will be held at the Santa Claus Parade, December 10.

Club Election

There will be an election held at the November 3, 2016 meeting to fill two one-year terms on the board of directors.

MEETING AND EVENT SCHEDULE

Nov 3	Jerry Hind - Remembrance Day program, election of directors and induction of new member
Nov 5 & 6	Craft Show
Nov 10	Business meeting – discussion of proposed meal reduction
Nov 17	program to be determined – board meeting following regular meeting
Nov 19	Division 4 caucus meeting in Ingersoll
Nov 24	4H banquet
Nov 25 & 26	Ridgetown Christmas House Tour
Dec 1	program to be determined
Dec 8	Business and board meeting
Dec 15	Children’s Christmas party – no meeting at the church
Dec 22	Christmas meeting
Dec 29	no meeting at church

Home Hardware Tapes

Please keep saving your Carter Home Hardware receipts and give them to DP Dale. The club receives a credit at the store – 5% of pretax sales for all receipts submitted. This is an easy fundraiser for the club and very generous of Mark Carter, owner of the store.
Receipts must be dated within the past year and only from Carter Home Hardware in Ridgetown. Thanks to DP Dale for adding the receipts and submitting to the store.

2015-16 CLUB OFFICERS:

President: Alan Bloomfield
President-elect: John Button
Treasurer: Jenn Vaughan

Past President: John Wright
Vice-President: Allen Ure
Secretary: Debbie Button

DIRECTORS:

Brad Carnie, Debbie Button, Hanna Kielt, Greg Roberts (1 year)
Craig Mitton, Brad Scoyne, Dennis Vaughan, Gary Wake (2 years)

DISTRICT & DIVISION OFFICERS:

Governor: Phil Rossy
Governor -elect: Bobby Mooyoung
Vice Governor: Mel Clark
Division 4 Lt. Governor: Gary Van Kooten