



The Kiwanis Club of Williamsburg

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Kiwanogram

Aug. 4, 2010

Meeting Location

Woodlands Conf. Center—Cascades Room

This Week's Program

John Brackbill

Goodwill in Williamsburg

Menu

Reuben Sandwich w/Corned Beef,
Swiss Cheese, Sauerkraut, Thousand
Island Dressing and Potato Salad

Upcoming Speakers/Topic

Aug. 11—TBA

Aug. 18—Tony Nadal/We Were Soldiers Once

Invocation Song Leader

Martha Madeira

Gary Ripple

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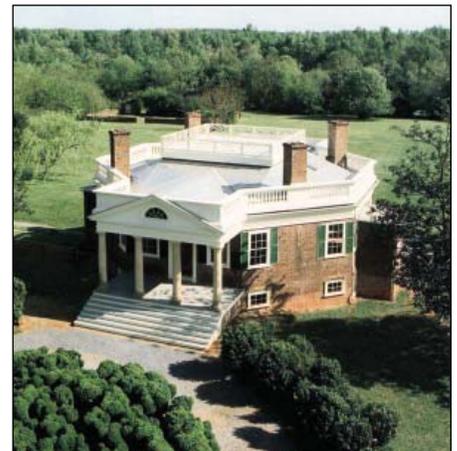
92nd DISCO Offers Chance For Kiwanis Fun, History

*(The following message
is from Lt. Gov. Scott
Zimmerman.)*

From Aug. 20-22 at the
downtown Holiday Inn in
Lynchburg, Capital District
Kiwanis will hold its 92nd
annual district convention.
Commonly called DCON,
I like to call it DISCO (for
DISTRICT CONvention) because
Kiwanians from all over the
District will come together
to learn, to meet one another
and share ideas and to enjoy
one another's company ... you
know, have a Kiwanis party!

Actually, there is quite a bit of business taken care of at our
Capital District Convention as well. Our future leadership is chosen
by the delegates from all Kiwanis Clubs in good standing. Each
club is entitled to three delegates who may each register a vote
when candidates compete for District office. These same delegates
will be asked to vote on matters of governance as well. Changes
and improvements to our District bylaws will be discussed,

(See "Convention," page 2)



*Your District Convention experience
in Lynchburg will offer the opportunity
to see Jefferson's lesser-known retreat,
Poplar Forest, which he also designed
and used to escape from Monticello.*



*37 Days
Until Shrimp
Feast*

Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to
changing the world one child and one community at a time.

Today's Speaker: John Brackbill

Our speaker today is John Brackbill, who will talk about Goodwill Industries in Williamsburg. Goodwill just opened a new store on June 24 in the Williamsburg Shopping Center where the Fashion Bug store used to be. This 13,000+ square foot store, Goodwill's first in Williamsburg, has everything from fashions for the whole family, electronics, refurbished computer equipment, toys, books, housewares, furniture, and unique home accents.

The store hours are Monday through Saturday from 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. and Sunday from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Goodwill attendants gratefully accept donations of gently used items during these hours at the donation drop-off center, next to the store.

Goodwill's ten stores in Hampton Roads and outlet in Virginia Beach generate revenue to fund Goodwill's job skills training and career development programs throughout Hampton Roads. Goodwill



also operates a Community Employment Center in Portsmouth, where 200+ job seekers are helped every month. Last year, they transformed gently used clothing and other items into career development and support services for more than people individuals in the region.

Shrimp Feast Only 37 Days Away: Tickets For Us To Sell Coming Soon

Reserve Saturday, Sept. 11, for our 31st annual Shrimp Feast. The starting time has changed and we will be cooking shrimp, hot dogs, hush puppies and our new recipe of baked beans from 3-6 p.m.

Our "headliners" organizations this year are Head Start, Colonial Casa, and Bacon Street.

As usual, beer and soft drinks are included in the price of \$30/person, \$15 for children. We are raising the ticket price, anticipating that the price of shrimp will go up with all the Gulf oil problems.

Tickets are being printed and are coming soon. Order Shrimp Feast tickets online or call Joe Sheppard at (757) 229-5886. Reserve a Sponsor Table for \$150 (plus ticket cost). Seat up to 8-10 people at your table. Each Sponsor Table has its own waiter or waitress. Have mounds of shrimp and drinks brought directly to your table, no lines for you and your group.

Contact Joe Sheppard at (757) 229-5886, or e-mail at joe@joelsheppard.com, for more information on Sponsor Tables.

Convention

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Hampton Roads Regional Hospitality Suite to meet greet and eat some more. Kiwanis rocks!

Beginning on Saturday morning there will be an awards breakfast followed by a selection of informational training and Kiwanis Interest sessions.

Hugh Siggins and I will tell the attendees about the new Kiwanis International World Service project "ELIMINATE" which will be a chance to eradicate maternal and neonatal tetanus in over 40



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countries worldwide. By 2015 Kiwanis and UNICEF hope to eliminate this cruel baby killing affliction worldwide. Kiwanis wants to stop the 60,000 plus deaths of newborns and the 30,000 plus deaths of new mothers caused by this dreaded affliction.

After our Fellowship Luncheon there will be an important business session where our delegates will represent us in the business of Kiwanis. While our delegates are occupied spouses and guests may participate in a tour of Poplar Hall where Thomas Jefferson showed off his incredible architectural and landscaping talents.

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Here's More About Our "Headliner" Organizations

As reported earlier, the Kiwanis Board of Directors selected three organizations to "headline" the club's fund-raising efforts in the coming year. They will be the primary recipients of funds raised throughout the 2010-2011 fiscal year starting with the September 2010 Shrimp Feast.

In case you were interested in learning more about these worthy organizations, here is some more detailed information about them:

Head Start: The local Head Start program is a comprehensive program for children ages 3-5 and their families. It is for low-income families. The classrooms are inclusive. Children with disabilities play with typical peers their age. The educational piece includes large and small group activities, story time, circle time, indoor and outdoor play and breakfast and lunch. Through the program children grow in the following areas: Social, emotional, gross and fine motor skills, reading and writing,

Gloucester Ice Cream Social Aug. 17

The Kiwanis Club of Gloucester, which our club had a major hand in launching, has invited us to attend a social event it is planning later this month at Short Lane Ice Cream. Members of the York club also will be there. The cost of the ice cream ranges between \$3-\$6, but the networking experience is worth the price! The event will be from 6 p.m. to 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Aug. 17, at the Short Lane Ice Cream Shop, 6721 George Washington Memorial Hwy. (Rte. 17), in Gloucester. For information, contact Pam Galganski at pgalganski@1stadvantage.org or Mary Sweany at tmsweany@sprintmail.com.

Interclub With Mercury Aug. 11

Our next Interclub meeting will be held Wednesday, Aug. 11, at 7:30 a.m. at the Mercury 64 Club, Holiday Inn, 1815 W. Mercury Blvd., in Hampton (I-64 to Exit 263, Mercury Blvd., Rte. 258 North, right on Coliseum Drive, turn in at sign on right).

We will meet at the Williamsburg Crossing shopping center, Rte. 199 and John Tyler Highway, in the main lot near Taco Bell at 6:45 a.m. to car pool. Please e-mail gbestes@cox.net or see him at a meeting by Aug. 4 if you plan to attend.

critical thinking, math and science. Website: www.actionagency.org/headstart

Colonial CASA: The purpose of Colonial CASA is to provide supervised and trained volunteers that advocate for the best interests of abused and neglected children in the greater Williamsburg area courts by advocating for safe, timely, and permanent placements. Website: www.colonialcasa.org

Bacon Street: Provides services to young people and families affected by substance abuse and/or mental health issues. Bacon Street utilizes evidence-based practices to assure quality assessment of problems, and attention to the "whole person" in working with individuals and their families. Website: www.baconstreet.org.



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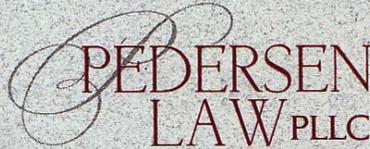


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