





GREEN BAY - DOWNTOWN, Founded 1917

## KIWANIS KEY

Weekly Newsletter of the Kiwanis Club of Green Bay – Downtown KIWANIS MEETING OF March 2nd, 2020

Members at the meeting were Maria, Anne, Ann, Dave, Emmet, Ben, Bob R, and Bob F.

Lunch included chicken breasts, what looked like mashed potatoes but (as I realized when I ate it) was actually mashed white rice, the ubiquitous salad greens and a chocolate birthday dessert for the first Monday of the month. The dessert was individual mounds of chocolate, all chocolate and very chocolatey!

We sang Happy Birthday for the March birthday of Pat Olejniczak, and for our two honorary members Chris Faymonville and Mike Gallagher. We also sang the Kiwanis song "Keep It Booming." There were not enough members to make much booming.

A Happy Dollar from Bob Rowan as he told us that our former member Gloria Yu is considering living in the Philippines where her husband has a home, but she has a concern about the coronavirus.

This week's Uber story was about a customer that Anne picked up at 12:30 a.m. in an alley next to the downtown YMCA. Anne had some concern about that location at that hour of the morning, but the passenger turned out to be a manager of a downtown restaurant who had just finished work. No problem, no worry.

Our speaker was Tessa Randolph, a Child Life Specialist at Bellin Hospital. This is a new position at Bellin and involves providing emotional and educational support for children who will have surgery. The goal is to reduce the fears of the children by explaining the medical procedure that they will have. Tessa also works with the families of the children to provide information and support to them. The program on Monday March 9th will be on the Fox River PCB clean up.

Many upcoming Club events for us- please mark your calendars

Monday, March 16

Dale Vaness/ Installation of new club member: Dr. Kirby Crowley Nancy Quirk, the general manager of the Green Bay water utility, will tell us about the safety of our drinking water. Hopefully we don't have PCB's in our water!

- Monday, March 23
   Lisa Lamphear
   Exceptional Equestrians
  - March 28th the International President, Daniel Vignernon, will be in Appleton for a Kiwanis Dinner event, tickets \$34.00 https://www.wiumkiwanis.org/(X(1)S(v4nn34twtshley3ciilugg0a))/Page/48147
- Monday, March 30
  5:45 social 6:00
  Walter Awards
  Black & Tan
- Sunday, April 26 Sunday event
   Sconniewood
   Meyer Theatre
- Tuesday, May 5 Evening Meeting Youth Awards
   Riverside Ballroom
- Monday, May 18 Evening Meeting Scholarship Dinner
   Black & Tan
- Tuesday, May 26 time change
   NEW Zoo Picnic
   with Nicolet kids-NEW Zoo lunch and zoo
  - Friday, July 24 Brat Barn Festival East