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Weekly Newsletter of the Kiwanis Club of Green Bay – Downtown  
**KIWANIS MEETING OF November 12th, 2018**

Our Veteran's Day meeting was missing our most famous veteran! We missed you Colonel Wood, but Ben did salute the contributions of you and our other heroic veteran members in his prayer. Then we sang "You're in Kiwanis Now" and did a fine job too. All this in addition to enjoying a ham/turkey/cheese sandwich lunch with salad and fries.

Our other song today was the "Packer Fight Song" which we will continue to sing as long as they continue to win. Happy dollars were Packer related. Anne gave a dollar in honor of the team's victory and Rick gave one because he came back from Las Vegas with a sports bet ticket on the game and it was a winner! Rick's company was also in the news with a Green Bay Press Gazette article about the lookout tower they are designing at Peninsula State Park in Door County. And in club announcements, Maria said five of our members attended the division dinner last week in Darboy. We were the best represented club in the division!

Our speaker today was Willow Stewart, marketing and communications manager for the Greater Green Bay Habitat for Humanity. The organization started in Georgia in 1976, there are now 1,400 chapters in U.S. communities. The Green Bay chapter started in 1987 and has built 105 homes in our community. Willow said the group has had a strong construction push in the last two years with five homes and a six-plex completed. Volunteers poured over 23,000 hours into projects last year in Green Bay!

We also learned a lot about the people that move into the Habitat homes. Willow said their selection is based on need, ability to pay, and willingness to partner in the construction project. She encouraged us to shop at the organization's ReStore on Ramada Way. Willow called it "Goodwill combined with Home Depot". It's open Monday through Saturday and they are always

looking for volunteers to help as cashiers and recycling helpers. Thank you, Willow, for coming to our club meeting today and for the valuable contributions you make to our community.

Upcoming programs:

November 19 – speaker from Freedom House

November 26 – speaker from The Gathering Place

December 3 – no speaker selected yet

December 10 – Club Christmas party featuring the Green Bay East High School flute ensemble

December 17 – Nicolet School Christmas party at Riverside Ballroom

December 26 (Wednesday) – club roundtable

No meeting the first week of January

Today's attendance – Vince, Nancy, Rick, Ann, Ben, Joe, Maria, Anne, and welcome back from knee surgery Bob R.!

By: Rick Satterlee