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Weekly Newsletter of the Kiwanis Club of Green Bay – Downtown Kiwanis Club Meeting on November 3rd, 2025

We got our Nicolet School year going today by having a Jimmy John's lunch with the third grade teachers! Joining Holly, Alyssa, and Noah (we met in Alyssa's classroom) were Anne, Eric, Maria, Ann, and Rick. Holly is new to the third grade having taught fifth grade at Nicolet previously.

There are currently 49 students in the third grade and that number hasn't changed much over the first couple months of the school year (often the number of kids leaving and entering the district is significant). Alyssa prepared a helpful power point presentation for us and said a big focus this year is increasing parent involvement. One challenge is that many Nicolet parents did not have positive school experiences themselves. New events include a picnic, math competition, and "Color Run" (you run into a tornado of colored dust). The teachers have learned that events with food have the best attendance!

We had a fun discussion about our club's long-standing relationship with Nicolet, which was helpful to Holly. A calendar of events was set:

Monday, December 22 - bingo with the kids, we'll bring winter hats and mittens, starts at 1:15 PM

Monday, March 16 - GBASO skatepark day! Kids will arrive around 9:30AM and leave about noon.

Tuesday, May 26 - NEW Zoo trip including lunch, times to be announced.

Please put these dates on your calendar, club member support is important to the success of each activity!

Our next club lunch meeting will be at the Hyatt on Monday, November 17th. Noon arrival as always! Ben and Rick will present what they've learned about club growth and survival from attending recent Wisconsin Upper Michigan Kiwanis district conventions. An important topic, hope to see you then!



(Maria, Ann, Eric, Anne & Rick with Nicolet School Lion Mascot)