

The Swainsboro Kiwanian

March 18, 2008

The Kiwanis Club held its usual Tuesday night meeting with President Bob Losser presiding. After calling the meeting to order, Bob asked Bobby Seamans to lead the Pledge of Allegiance. The invocation was offered by Ed Bolton. There was a fairly typical group of Kiwanians present.

Note of Sympathy

The club was saddened to learn of the death of our long time member Wesley Stramoski. We extend our sincere sympathies to his widow Frances and all of his family.

Our club has been asked to be an honorary escort, and several of our members will be active pall bearers. Services were at 2:00 p.m. Wednesday in the chapel of Durden-Hudson Funeral Home.

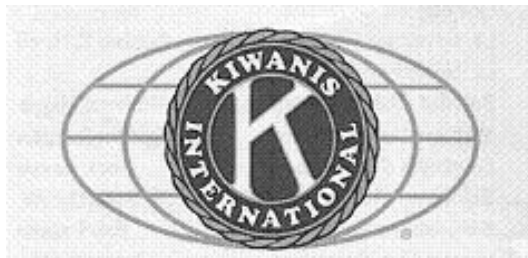
Sports

Tobe Karrh reported that Tiger Woods won the Arnold Palmer Invitational Tournament for the second time.

Someone in the club (I wasn't sure who.) reported that the University of Georgia won the SEC Basketball championship. I understand they did this by winning four games in three days. At any rate, they are going to the NCAA playoffs.

Court

Try as hard as he might, Judge Charles Brewer can't seem to avoid having court. Tonight's culprit was Ron McCroskey, who came in a few minutes tardy. The judge is looking for some of our members who have not been present for several nights. I'll not tip them off by divulging their names.



Announcements

Fun day at Pre-K will be this Friday. Bobby Seamans needs for everyone who can to come, not only on Friday morning, but on Thursday evening to get the cotton candy ready. On Friday, we'll be doing popcorn and grilling hamburgers. This is a very worthy project for our club.

Tim Goodman reminded us to keep selling tabloid ads. We only have a couple of weeks left to get them in. He says we've sold enough to pay for the tabloid, so anything else we sell will go to boost our Activity Fund to support our community projects. Sell those ads. Tim said that the tabloid will come out with the *Forest Blade* on April 23, which is just before Pine Tree Festival events get underway.

As for the Knotty Pine Run, Tim says he is getting inquiries about it. An ad will come out in the *Forest Blade* soon and will include a copy of the application form. Application forms have been placed in schools and banks.

Program



Jim Hendrickson

Jim Hendrickson was our program chair tonight, and he brought the program himself. He said his program would be in two parts, a humorous part and a serious part. For the humorous part, he shared some biblical humor with us. For the serious part, he challenged our club to find a way to increase the diversity of our membership so that it is more representative of our community.

Night Out on Kiwanis

As our Night Out on Kiwanis continues, we are back to the fourth Tuesday. The following are invited to bring a spouse or guest to the meeting: David Bartram, Ed Bolton, Tim Goodman, Bob Losser, Jim Dekle, Paul Cerpovicz, and Adi Galloway.

Door Prizes

The cake was a Coconut cake, donated by Justin Peebles and baked by Petite Garrett. The ladies of Catered Creations won the cake. The Domino's Pizza, donated by Chris Cann was won by Jim Dekle. Bobby Seamans held the tickets for the take out meals, and gave them to L. H. Weise.

Kiwanis Kalendar

	Program	Cake
March 25	Justin Peebles	Charles Brewer
April 1	??????????	Jim Daughtry
April 8	Jim Daughtry	Jim Hendrickson
April 15	Roger Peebles	Gary Couse
April 22	Ron McCroskey	??????
April 29	Bill Breedlove	Tim Goodman

Program Chairs, if you'll let me know what your program is going to be, I'll put it in the bulletin ahead of time. Call me, or email me at edbolton@ega.edu

Next Week

Next Tuesday, Travis Garrett is program chair, and he has invited Harry Martin, who will tell us about Emanuel County's Relay for Life. This important cancer fighting event will be held in April, so this is a very timely program.

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