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NEWSLETTER-September 6, 2023

Our SUMMER SCHEDULE has official wrapped up as we head back to Park Place on Tuesday, Sept. 12. Check out the flyer on the last page to see what is happening this Tuesday.

We would like to extend a debt of thanks and gratitude for the members who hosted a summer dinner, whether it was in their home or in a restaurant. Cheers to: Ray Scoboria, Renea Callery, Sue Cleereman, Tom Gillespie, Pam Carstea, Leon Bergeron (Grillmaster), Don Killion (tables/chairs) and Peggie Pedenelli. Four homes, two restaurants, Comerica Park with the Tigers, Ford Field Park twice: The Turtle Derby and our annual Kiwanis picnic. Lots of great Memories were made and thank you to all our Club members who joined in to make Summertime of 2023 awesome!!!

IT'S PEANUT TIME.

Please contact Jim Rugenski if you're able to work in the street or at a store front. Jim.rugenski@gmail.c om (313) 949-5747



MI District Foundation Raffle

Thank you to everyone one who participated in our 2023 Raffle. We raised \$24,500 gross and had a \$14,000 net profit through August 19th, so \$7,000 will go to each the Michigan District and the Kiwanis of Michigan Foundation. \$7,000 will help A LOT of injured and hospitalized children. The winning tickets were drawn at the Great Lakes Conference.

Congratulations RAFFLE WINNERS

\$5,000 Governor Renea Callery (Dearborn Club)

\$500 Gene Smith (Dearborn Club)

\$100 M. Suchowski; E. Thelen; S. Kukaglic;

F.V. Powell; V. Samuelson

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We are STILL LOOKING for this BANNER! Call Jim! (313) 5812576 We are STILL LOOKING FOR THE Community Since 1928

FUTURE DATES

Club INSTALLATION – September 26

AAUW Book Sale - October 5-7

Penrickton KICK-OFF Dinner - Oct. 13

Elderfest – Nov. 8

Festival of Trees Nov. 19-26

KIWANIS PICNIC – August 22, 2023 Ford Field Park

















Fantastic **KEY CLUB MEMBERS** joined us!





John McFadden













Pam Carstea's House – August 15, 2023





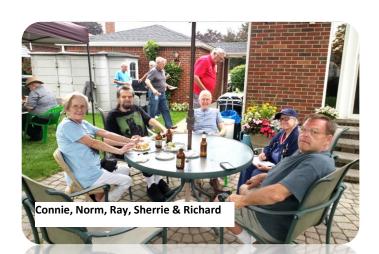




The gang's all here.

Peggie & Dennis' House – August 29







Bob, Roger, Don, Jan & Marge

GREAT LAKES CONFERENCE for

the Michigan District of Kiwanis was held at the Bavarian Inn in Frankenmuth on August 17-20. **GOVERNOR RENEA** emerged ready to rock & roll. She had a great speech, a great team behind her and she's READY!

MI District Governor Renea Callery. MUCH more to come about the fantastic Conference!





Tom G.

Dennis and Warren

The Kiwanis Club of Dearborn would like to thank several of our former members who sent donations to the Turtle Derby. We are most grateful and even more so, happy to hear from you. A SPECIAL THANK YOU TO RAY & BARB JOHNSON for their Kiwanis Love! We wish you all well and invite updates on your Shenanigans anytime.



If you could save the life of ONE veteran by doing ONE thing, would you?

The holiday season can be especially hard on those struggling with mental health issues.

It is estimated that at least 17 veterans take their own lives EACH DAY. The stigma of asking for help still looms and too many veterans are falling through the cracks of our overburdened VA healthcare system.

The Veterans we are losing to suicide are more than statistics. They are fathers, mothers, sons and daughters.

This Christmas, please do not forget those who fought for our freedom, many who paid an enormous price and need our help today.

Senior BINGO at Hubbard Manor presented by our Club will start back up on **Sept. 19**, after the weekly meeting. 3RD Tuesday every month. FUN STUFF!



DEARORN CLUB INSTALLATION

Tuesday, September 26 (in 2-1/2 weeks)

It's a sign-up.

Welcome our new Officers & Boards

President Elect Sue Cleereman

Vice President Leon Bergeron





newsletter writer Peggie Pedenelli PEANUT FUNDRAISER
IS BACK! Sept. 7, 8, 9, 10.
The Key club Advisors may need some help from Adult Volunteers. The students start selling at Store fronts in October at 5 locations in and around Dearborn.



HAPPENING NOW!!!

Call Jim asap and get an open Spot!
Storefront or street



REMEMBER to thank our Peanut Leader, The BIG GOOBER himself,

Jim Rugenski (313) 949-5747

JOINT SERVICE WEEK DINNER HOSTED BY





PARK PLACE

23400 PARK STREET, DEARBORN 48124 TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 2023



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CASH BAR 5:30-6PM
6 PM - DINNER \$20
GUEST SPEAKER
JESSICA MARCETTI
VISTA MARIA, COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Please bring a doll, action figure, or game to this meeting for a child in foster care at Vista Maria

RSVP by Friday, September 8th. to Lynne Killion email dhlynne-rotary@usa.net | text or call 313-410-9623