

Bettendorf Kiwanis

APRIL 7, 2010

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Board Member

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- Maria Levetzow, Public Relations
- Gary Kamp, Programs
- Steve Grimes, Dining Books
- Wally Almquist, Rose Day
- Tom Dryg, Pork Chops at Bix
- Tom Dryg, Peanut Day
- Dave Nichols, Key Club
- Bev Ricketts, Newsletter
- Bill Boom, Circle K Club

Minutes from the April 6 Meeting

WOW! Our group keeps getting bigger and bigger! We had 28 members present today. We actually filled up 3 tables and the head table. I love it!

Maria discussed financials and what we've got going out for expenses.

The nominating committee named the new officers and board members, all were voted in.

President-Jim Tiedje
Vice President-Maria Levetzow

Treasurer-Marnie McDanel
Secretary-Bev Ricketts
Board Positions-Tom Dryg, Chad Carr, and Janet Coogan

Announcements:

May 10 there is a lunch hosted by Salvation Army the Kiwanis International President will be speaking at the lunch. JR will check on the price of having our meeting there that

day. More information will follow.

Reminder of Moline Kiwanis Club's 90th anniversary outing.

We will be serving pork chops at the Bix festival on July 23rd and 24th.



April service project opportunities are:

April 13 Café on Vine (this will take the place of our normal meeting)
April 18 Children's Therapy Center needs 5 members to help out answering phones

Program:

Michelle Allison from Juan Diez Rancheros joined us to talk about her unique program. Juan Diez Rancheros is an alternative outlet for counseling. They use rescue horses to help children. This is not a riding camp. The kids work with the horses on the ground. Horses mirror what the children are feeling to help counselors get to the heart of what the child is going through.

Michelle started this program last fall. The program is located at the old Fejervary Park location. The city of Davenport lets her use the area free of charge. There is no charge to the child's family for these services.

All horses used in this program are rescue horses and have been rehabilitated.

April 13: No meeting, serve lunch at Café on Vine
April 20: Shawn Rice - Teacher at Edison Academy.
April 27: Jennifer Jansen - Employee at Mississippi Bend AEA

Program Chair for April: Cindy Behrer
Program Chair for May: Eric Engstrom

*Leave yesterday
in the past.
Get rid of that
rewind button
in your memory
of bad situations.*

S. Richards, R.N.

