

KIWANIS FINGER LAKES DIVISION

MINUTES April 03, 2023

Meeting Called to order at 6:30pm. Canandaigua President Pam Metting led the Pledge of Allegiance and Lt. Gov. Elect Christine Mitchell gave the invocation.

LG Tom recognized Past Governors of the NYD and PLG from the FL Division in attendance as well as the Speaker for the evening Pam Metting, the Canandaigua Club President.

PROGRAM; Pam provided handouts for everyone and began the powerpoint and explained the Strategic Partners program which expands the influence and outreach in the community. The first year her club participated in this program they signed up seventeen businesses as partners and raised \$17,000 for their club. Please contact Pam for information if you were unable to attend this evening.

Secretary Doreen did the roll call of clubs:

Brighton	0
Bushnell's Basin-Pittsford	5
Canandaigua	4
Farmington Victor	2
Geneva	1
Honeoye Falls-Lima-Mendon	3
Lakeshore Rochester	0
Newark	0
Palmyra Macedon	1
Penfield-Perinton	3
Seneca Falls-Waterloo	4
Webster	2

SECRETARY REPORT; The minutes from the meeting in April were tabled and will be approved at the next meeting and PLG Marty Toombs will post them on the website.

TREASURER REPORT; Joyce Marble gave the report which was approved by SDPLG John Treahy and seconded by Adrienne Emmo and approved by the membership. She also explained the KI Children's Fund is offering Baby Bottles for purchase that clubs can place in their communities to raise funds. President Kathy Servoss made a motion to approve purchase and Secretary Doreen seconded it and the membership approved. Please contact Joyce Marble to purchase.

CLUB REPORTS

BUSHNELL BASIN-Pittsford We now have 23 charter members and will be formally chartered on June 14th. We are collecting pull tabs and will participate at the Canandaigua Chefs Challenge.

CANANDAIGUA Their Kiwanis Kids Carnival was attended by over 200 children and their families. Close to six hundred children and families attended the Kiwanis Easter Egg Hunt on April 1st. Sponsoring 9th Annual Chefs Challenge fundraiser on May 7th.

FARMINGTON-VICTOR We fed 300 people at the annual St. Patrick's Dinner. Our Golf Tournament is scheduled on June 3rd and we will participate in the Relay for Life and a Bunko Tournament. We are partnering with the Victor Parks and Recreation Dept. with a Bike Safety program.

GENEVA The Bowling Tournament had 22 sponsors for the event and raised \$1,800. On May 20th we will have a BBQ Chicken and pulled pork dinner with the opening and blessing of bikes at the Geneva Harley Davidson.

HONEOYE FALLS-LIMA-MENDON We are sponsoring one child to attend Kamp Kiwanis and hope to have more. Our Chicken BBQ is scheduled on May 20th at Dapper Dans and we are participating in Lima scarecrow contest. Our members attended the MMOD and are supporting ball drop in Seneca Falls in August. Our Free Library will be set up and manned.

Palmyra Macedon No Report

PENFIELD-PERINTON We have four new members. We will have our Mocktober Fest on May 12th at the Craft Beer and Brew House in Fairport with tickets sold in advance as well as drink tickets. Our annual golf tournament is scheduled June 12th at Shadow Lake.

SENECA FALLS-WATERLOO We will host the Wonderful Life Martini Dinner. We are reading to children in the library. We are selling tickets for the Golfball Drop.

WEBSTER No Report

DIVISION CHAIR REPORTS

Child Protection PLG John Treahy reported they are almost done.

Conferences and Conventions: District Convention is in Corning August 10-13,2023.

MMOD We raised \$5,000 for Pediatric Mental Health at Golisano Hospital and all clubs participated this year.

KAMP KIWANIS Clubs should have received packets to register campers and Quick Reservations are available on line. Our Kamp is helpful when promoting new club membership. Budget now for campers next year. The NYD Foundation Gala is April 23,2023.

MEMBERSHIP Trish reported that our division is plus 22 members and our NYD Governor Joel wants each club to add at least one new member.

PEDIATRIC LYME DISEASE The Foundation has received more requests for grants and relies on support from our clubs to fulfill these grants. Please consider purchasing a Brittany or one of the other awards for your club .

PROGRAMS Well Visions at June Division Meeting

PROTOCOL Try to keep a history of your club as well as Kiwanis International.

NEW BUSINESS Elections

There is a quorum present and each candidate had a representative to nominate and second their nomination. There was unanimous approval to elect Christine Mitchell as Lt. Governor and Pam Metting as Lt. Governor-Elect and a request for the Division Secretary to cast one unanimous vote for each.

ADJOURNMENT The meeting was closed at 8:05pm

Next Division is scheduled at Flaherty's in Macedon April 3rd at 6:30pm

Passing of the Banner

August 7th at 6:30pm at Flaherty's

Respectfully submitted

Doreen Pellittieri

Division Secretary