Kiwanis Finger Lakes Division Meeting

Monday April 4, 2022 at Flaherty's Macedon

LG Deb called the meeting to order in person and on Zoom at 6:40 p.m. PP Kat Purbeck led the Pledge of Allegiance and Rev. Christine Mitchell delivered the invocation.

Attendance:

LG Deb introduced guests PLG Keith Cummings and Kiwanian Michele Geresi who visited the Canandaigua K Kids earlier today and will be presenting the program this evening on Anti Bullying.

Past Governors Joe Ruggiero, Bob Calabrese and Doreen Pellittieri were acknowledged as well as PLG Marty Toombs, John Treahy, Peg Bobzin and Roger Awe.

Roll Call of Clubs:

Brighton 1 and 1 Delegate

Canandaigua 4 and 3 Delegates

Farmington Victor 3 and 3 Delegates

Geneva

Honeoye Falls, Lima, Mendon 2 and 2 Delegates

Lakeshore Rochester

Newark 1 and 1 Delegate

Palmyra Macedon 1

Penfield Perinton 3 and 3 Delegates

Seneca Falls Wateloo 4 and 3 Delegates

Webster 3 and 2 Delegates

Secretary Report:

The minutes for the February Meeting were approved with a motion by LG Elect Tom David, a second by PLG Marty Toombs and acceptance from the members present.

Treasurer Report:

FLD Tresurer Joyce reported the balance in the bank is \$4,933.92 and we are on budget. The report was approved with a motion from PLG Roger Awe and a second from Adrienne and accepted by the membership present.

Club Sharing: LG Deb asked that in order to save time, please report events only.

Brighton: A Food Truck Rodeo is scheduled on May 17th behind Brighton High School in conjunction with voting on the School District Budget,

Canandaigua: Participating in a food distribution with FoodLink and there is a new member mixer scheduled on April 26th at Forest Hills Arts Center and our Annual Chefs' Challenge on May 1st at Kings Catering.

Farmington Victor: We will participate in MMOD and we have a Bunco Tournament scheduled on April 30th and we will be attending the Governor's Visit on that same evening. Dollars for Scholars is scheduled in May and our Annual Golf Tournament is at Ravenwood Golf Club on June 6, 2022.

Honeoye Falls Lima Mendon: We will attend the MMOD at Eastview Mall on Saturday and we have a Chicken Barbeque scheduled on June 25th.

Newark: This Thursday we have an annual cooking class with our Aktion Club and we will be collecting new underwear and socks for our local clothing closet. We are making baskets to present as a thank you to the nurses at Newark Hospital. We have a chicken barbeque scheduled on May 15, 2022.

Penfield-Perinton: We have scheduled a MocktoberFest on May 13, 2022 to attract new members and our annual golf tournament is June 20, 2022 at Shadow Lake Golf Club.

Seneca Falls Waterloo: Our easter Egg Hunt is scheduled on April 16th and we will be attending the MMOD on Saturday and we will be inducting a new member in May.

Webster: We are scheduled to have a community fund raiser, Krazy Kanine Dog Show at North Ponds Park on August 7, 2022.

Division Elections:

PLG John Treahy announced that the candidate for Finger Lakes Division LG Designate is Tom David from the Seneca Falls Waterloo Club and Christine Mitchell from Honeoye Falls Lima Mendon is the candidate for Finger Lakes Division LG Elect for 2022-23.

PG Bob Calabrese nominated Tom David and PLG Marty Toombs gave the seconding speech. There were no nominations from the floor, the nominations were closed and one unanimous ballot was cast for Tom David. He accepted the nomination and appreciates all the kind words and is looking forward to serving the Finger Lakes Division.

PG Bob Calabrese nominated Christine Mitchell for FLD LG Elect and PG Doreen Pellittieri gave the seconding speech. There were no nominations from the floor, the nominations were closed and one unanimous ballot was cast. Christine thanked everyone for their support.

Program: LG Deb said the program that was presented to the Canandaigua K Kids earlier today regarding anti bullying was very well received by the students and their teachers. Keith and Michele explained how wide spread bullying is in our world today. They expressed how important it is for parents and teachers to look out for signs that someone is being bullyed to prevent a tragic outcome.

Chair Reports:

Child Protection: PLG John Treahy will email links for Zoom training to the club presidents and secretaries. The Zoom training is scheduled on 5/5 from 7-8pm, 5/14 from 9-10pm and 6/14 from 6-7pm. In person presentations to clubs can also be scheduled.

Conferences and Conventions: LG-Elect Christine announced The KI Convention is coming up on June 4th in Indianapolis and the NYD Convention is right here in Rochester August 18-21st. A golf tournament is being scheduled for August 18th during the Convention.

Golisano Hospital: The FLD MMOD is this Saturday at Eastview Mall and is dedicated in memory of PLG John Hanratty. We are providing free passes to ride the carousel and there is still a need for Kiwanis volunteers to help.

Kamp Kiwanis: PLG Jordan reminded the clubs that the kamp is open this summer and he encouraged clubs to send campers and if you do not have campers but would like to pay for a child to attend, he will partner your club with a child. You can volunteer to clean up at the Kamp any weekend but, the formal cleanup date is scheduled on May 21st.

Membership: There is a new member mixer scheduled in Canandaigua on April 26th.

Programs: PLG Peter and PG Doreen Pellittieri will present a program on Pediatric Lyme Disease at our next meeting on June 13, 2022.

Protocol: PG Bob Calabrese will have materials for each club in June to discuss protocol at your club meeting.

Pull Tabs: President Leo Fisher has 45# of pull tabs to bring to Ronald MacDonald House.

Webmaster: PLG Marty reminded all to send in information to him that he can post on the website and include in the Division newsletter which is published the months that we do not meet. Registration for the KI Convention is on line only and the price will increase after May 1st. Members can attend virtually for \$49.

Old Business:

New Business: Member Linda Roby has contact information for two speakers. One is Girls on the Run and the other is Daystar.

LG Deb encouraged clubs to take information provided for membership called Two For Two and encouraged us to think outside the box for membership.

Certificates were presented to two clubs that achieved Distinguished Status-Webster and Seneca Falls Waterloo.

PG Joe Ruggiero presented banner patches for completing his Governor's Project on mental health to Brighton, Farmington Victor, Honeoye Falls Mendon and Webster.

PLG Keith Cummings made donations to the MMOD and Pull Tab projects.

The next Division Meeting is Monday June 13, 2022 at Flaherty's Macedon.

Christine Mitchell gave the benediction and the meeting was adjourned at 8pm.

Respectfully submitted,

Doreen Pellittieri, FLD Secretary