

# **Finger Lakes**

## **Division Meeting Minutes**

February 2011 Division Meeting

Meeting was held at the Log Cabin Family Restaurant in Macedon and was sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of Palmyra Macedon.

The meeting was opened with a patriotic performance by the Tow-Path Fife and Drum Corp.

Lt. Governor Peter J. Pellitieri opened the meeting at 7pm with the Pledge of Allegiance and an opening prayer by David Jacobus.

The minutes were not available for reading. They were sent to the Presidents and Secretaries of each club after the last division meeting.

Treasurer's report was presented by David Wolf. It was approved and seconded,

Club attendance: All clubs were in attendance.

Brighton-4, Canandaigua-5, Farmington Victor-5, Lakeshore Rochester-2, Newark-1, Palmyra-Macedon-8, Penfield-Perinton-5, Penn-Yan-4, Seneca Falls-Waterloo-4, and Webster-5

Key Club Lt. Governor sent a message for our meeting through Webster President Terri Glessner.

Make sure to include any time you work with your Kiwanis family on your monthly reports. The hours we book goes toward their volunteer time.

The Key Leaders Leadership meeting will be held in Albany April 8-10. The cost is \$250 per student and \$350 per adult.

Guest speaker Betsy Finley from The Golisano Children's Hospital talked about projects that Kiwanis could help the hospital with. The QMOQ is an annual event that we will hold in the near future. This will give us a project to work toward. These are Ideas that Committee Chairman John Hanratty and Betsy Finley have come up with to help the hospital.

Help maintaining the Get Well Network – Cost to maintain network yearly is \$180,000 if we designate our money to go to this our name will be broadcasted on the network as a sponsor.

Make a donation to purchase an item from the Hospitals Wish List: Sofa Bed-\$3300, Chair bed-\$1900, Glider rocker- \$1200 to only mention a few.

As last year, a Plaque will be awarded to the Kiwanis Family School who raised the most money for the QMOQ.

Kiwanis has been involved in the CMN's with Golisano Children's Hospital for the past 28 years starting with Jack Hartten.

LG Peter J. is dedicating the month of April to membership and would like all the clubs to hold a membership drive. Any members that are brought in will be inducted by Governor Mike at the Governor's visit on May 6th.

Mid-winter Conference 2/24-2/24 n informal hospitality room will be opened for Finger Lakes Kiwanian's attending the Conference.

Please get your club sharing and dates to our website so that they can be sent out to all members in the Finger Lakes Division.

On reporting club sharing it would be easier to share the information if I had a written copy so I could be more accurate with this part of the report.

### Club Sharing

Brighton- meeting have moved to the Legacy at Clover & Blossom

Canandagua-5/15 Annual Auction will be held at Steam boat Landing. Watch for their upcoming golf tournament.

Farmington-Victor: 3/19- Annual St Patrick's Day Senior Citizen Dinner

4/30-Spirit of Giving Dinner 25th Anniversary held at the Country Club of Mendon at 6pm

6/6-Annual golf tournament at Ravenwood golf coarse

7/8 & 7/9 relay for Life Activities.

Palmyra Macedon: School Bus driver's and Kiwanis food drive." Feed the bus ". Supplied books to school Teachers and Parents so they can donate them to schools in Ecuador to help teach English.

Penfield American Legions and Pal- Mac Kiwanis Annual Garage Sales.

Penfield-Perinton: Feb 22: guest speaker Jim Castillo Director of development services, topic future plans for Penfield

June 20th Penfield-Perinton Annual Golf Tournament

Penn-Yan: AMBA Annual blood testing

Annual Club Dance

Continued Hospital Baby's hats project

Books are always available. Let Barbara know and she will make arrangements to donate books for your projects.

Seneca Falls-Waterloo:

Planning Happiness House Games

Yard Sale

Held a GPS Raffle

Webster:

Feb 15th will begin 20 week raffle

Program: Tom Link, Animal Control Officer in Webster

March 27: Prayer Brunch at Castaways. 12 noon guest speaker from St. Paul's Church

Big money raffle: Ongoing, culminates April 14th @ Hedge's Restaurant.

April 2: Kiwanis one day working with Webster Parks & Recreation to put together a service project that everyone can participate in.

April 23: Annual Community Easter egg hunt. New venue at Kent Park

May: Pinewood Derby for challenged children; date and venue TBA

June : date TBA - fishing derby at North Ponds Park

Aug 10: \$100 plate dinner

September 12: Webster Kiwanis Golf Tournament

Monday, February 7, 2011