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THE CLUB CRIER

KIWANIS CLUB OF THE CHATHAMS

Tues. Sept.2, Lunch at C.B.'s; Sept. 9, Lunch at Brooklake CC, in Florham Park
Tuesdays- Sept.16, 30, Breakfast at Charlie Brown's, Southern Blvd. Chat.Twp.

SEPTEMBER, 2008

CHATHAM KIWANIS' ANNUAL HOT DOG PICNIC, "Our Gift To The Summer Reading Club", according to *Book Ends*, the *Friends of the Library's* newsletter.

Those boys and girls who read enough to earn 40 points were invited on August 14 to what



Marge hands out juices

is officially called the "Summer Reading Rewards Picnic". There, Wiener Chefs Dick Ligertwood and John Eyre cooked over 300 hot dogs, while Marge Ahrens, Dick Plambeck and Erv Martin helped the invited guests to find the juices, hot dogs and packages of chips that they liked. In the meantime, Margaret Nicolais, Betty Anne Keat and Librarian Diane O'Brien made sure that there were plenty of paper goods to go around.

Diane was very impressed by "Robert the Guitar Guy" (sponsored by the Friends of the Library), whose enthusiasm for kids and music encouraged them to dig into his bag of musical goodies so they could be part of the program. Among the excited participants was Cory's granddaughter, Adel, who brought many happy memories with her as she returned to her home in France.



Dick helps Ethan Gritz



Volunteers Dud Healy, Monty Montague, Marge Ahrens, Dick Plambeck, Margaret Nicolais, Tom Mullin, and Betty Anne Keat gather to critique the grilling techniques of chefs Dick Ligertwood and John Eyre



Margaret, Betty Anne and Diane prepare the paper goods for distribution (left). Right: Erv helps Cameron and Lindsey Bresnahan, and Marley McSweeney. Photos, C. Ziegler



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CLUB CALENDER FOR SEPTEMBER– MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Board Meeting, Sept.17, Wed. 8:PM at Chatham United Methodist Church

Sponsored Youth: Key Club meetings, Wed. Sept.10 and 24, at 7:30PM in High School Cafeteria

Birthdays this month: Sept.12, Jeff Wilson; Sept.14, Cory Fuller; Sept.24, Jerry Cunningham; Sept. 20, Herb Ramo; Sept.29, Charlie Murray

Invocations: To be announced

Special events: Annual Installation Dinner. Sept. 23, Tues. 6:PM at Brooklake CC. See separate announcement on P. 5.

Newspaper Recycling: Mondays, 7:15 AM– Volunteers welcome at collection area near Chatham P.O.

Reminder for friends and neighbors: Leave newspapers on the collection platform near the large trailer with the Kiwanis logo.

Weekly Meetings: Nancy Boucher is program chair for September

Sept.2, Tues. lunch (Charlie Brown's) Neil McAneny, museum educator, will speak to us on *The History of the Liberty Hall*

Sept.9, Tues. lunch (Brooklake CC) Sid Frank, author and museum educator will speak on *Presidential Tidbits and Trivia*

Sept.16, Tues. breakfast Candace Sarges will speak on *Acupuncture and Oriental Medicine.*

Sept.23, Tues. Installation Dinner .6PM Happy Hour. See separate announcement, P. 5.

Sept.30, Tues. breakfast Danielle Gregor will tell us about the *Circle K Leadership Academy*

COMING KIWANIS-RELATED EVENTS

Betty Anne Keat is Program Chair for October

Oct.7, Tues. lunch Dana Noblett, Liberty Drug pharmacist, on *compounded drugs.*

Oct. 3-5 2008 Key Leader Leadership Camp for HS age students. Registration deadline Sept.19, to avoid penalty for late registration

Oct. 23 Thurs. Pasta Dinner, Chatham H.S. Price: HS age students & adults, \$12.00; younger, \$6.00.

Chatham Kiwanis– Officers, Directors for 2008-2009

Doug Bryant, President	Betty Anne Keat, Director	2009
Rich Behling, President-Elect	Dave Pike, Director	2009
Cory Fuller, Past President	Nancy Boucher, Director	2010
Dick Plambeck, Vice President	Nancy Holt, Director	2010
Tom Mullin, Secretary	Herb Ramo, Director	2010
Ron Whalin, Treasurer	Jerry Cunningham, Dir.	2011
Valerie Olpp, Asst. Treasurer	Jill Gregg, Director	2011
Marge Ahrens, Director	Mary Ann Maloney, Dir.	2011

The Induction Ceremony for the 2008-2009 Officers and Directors will be conducted by Joyce Garrow, Lt. Governor of Division 10, during our September 23 Installation Dinner, at Brooklake Country Club

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Kiwanis International: <http://www.kiwanisone.org/> Phone: 317-875-8755; Fax: 317-879-0204

The New Jersey District Kiwanis Convention, August 22-24, in Whippany

A Record Delegation From Our Chatham Club performed official convention duties, won election to state office, brought home awards for our club, attended the meeting of the House of Delegates, participated in a series of educational forums, and took part in the *Celebration of Life Memorial Tribute* to Kiwanians who have passed on this year.



Betty Anne Keat, Cory Fuller, Doug Bryant Marge Ahrens and Nancy Holt Dick Plambeck and Tom Mullin

In addition to chairing the Convention, our club member and Lt. Governor, Marc Litwack, won election to State office, that of Treasurer for the NJ District. Chatham Club member and past Lt. Governor, Nancy Boucher, chaired the Registration Committee, was on the Host Committee, and the Credentials Committee (along with Doug Bryant, our Club President, 2008-2009). Our 2007-2008 President, Cory Fuller, was a member of the Committee on Elections.

Our voting delegates, Cory and Doug, plus Secretary Tom Mullin, attended Saturday afternoon's meeting of the House of Delegates. Our other delegates came as observers. The Chatham delegates, in addition to those already mentioned, included Betty Anne Keat, Marge Ahrens, Nancy Holt, Dick Plambeck (our Vice President for 2008-2009), and your editor.

Most of our delegation took part in one or more of the Saturday morning educational workshops, whose topics included Information on Club Presidents, Club Secretaries, Children's Specialized Hospital, Membership Growth, Creating Good Meetings, Kiwanis Foundations, and Service Leadership. Service Leadership refers to the many sponsored youth programs under the Kiwanis Family banner: K-Kids, Builders Club, Key Club, Circle K, Key Leader, and Aktion Club. We were impressed by the well-prepared remarks given by the new NJ District Key Club and Circle K Club Governors, Rishika Chugh, and Kristen Aitkens.

Sunday morning's *Celebration of Life* included memorial tributes to the NJ Circle K Governor, Gina Durham (see March Crier, p.4) and to our long time club member, Lloyd Wise. Nancy Boucher placed a flower on the ceremonial "K" in his memory. Following the memorial celebration, Nancy accepted a banner patch in appreciation for our support of the Children's Specialized Hospital, Doug Bryant accepted a certificate of appreciation for our support of Drew's Circle K Club, and your editor accepted a First Runner-Up banner ribbon for Clubs of our size in the NJ District Newsletter Contest.



Lloyd Wise is remembered with a flower.



Nancy accepts banner award from District Gov. Mulhau



Doug accepts appreciation for our sponsored club from Circle K's Gov. Aitkens



Ribbon award for our Crier

Lloyd W. Wise, Jr., Past Club President, died July 25 at Fellowship Village.

A memorial service was held August 1 in *Fellowship Hall*, and was well attended by his friends and neighbors and by his fellow Kiwanians. Sally Deatly, neighbor and Kiwanian, spoke at the service and shared some memories of her *mentor and predecessor as club President*. She said that "Lloyd was always willing to take the most difficult assignments, which he carried out with total commitment. I will miss him; he was my friend." Our members would agree that "He had great dignity; he won the respect and admiration of all who knew him."

Nancy Boucher, our Club President before Lloyd, said that he was an enthusiastic supporter of many of the club's fundraising activities, including boat cruises, the clean highway program, the food-store gift cards and the holiday nut sales. When Jerry Fedeler chaired the holiday sales in the winter of '06-'07, he honored Lloyd by naming him, *Nut of the Year*, for which Lloyd received two large bags of chocolate pecans. Betty Anne Keat was impressed by his willingness to collect *soup labels*, which are passed along to the ECLC school to aid in purchasing new equipment for their SKIL lab. In relating the story of the memorial service at our recent club meeting, President Cory Fuller spoke of his generous heart and friendly smile. She then invited our members and friends to consider making a donation to the Scholarship Fund in his memory.

Editor's note: In the Jan.'07 Crier, I reported that Lloyd was so sure "that you will catch the *spirit* that I will give anyone a free \$10 card just for trying it" His slogan, "If you can use a credit card, you can use our Gift Cards" shows his confidence in the character of our members. We will miss Lloyd. *Bob Stannard*

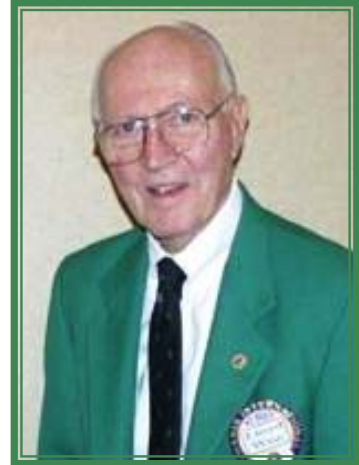


Photo of Lloyd W. Wise Jr., by Ron Whalin.

Aug. 12, Dress For Success, Morris County



Stefanie Conley

"Last year, *Dress For Success, Morris County*, helped 500 low income women with clothing and career support." **Stefanie Conley, Executive Director.** This organization started 12 years ago in New York, and now counts 86 affiliates world wide, including 4 in New Jersey. Its services are provided free of charge, and are available to women referred by any NJ social service agency. Volunteers help them in selecting clothing appropriate for the environment of the work they are seeking. Ongoing support includes the Professional Womens Group, whose monthly meeting are devoted to advice on home and work, and the Career Center for improving job search and retention skills. For more information, call 973-822-3188, or look up the website, at www.dressforsuccess.org/morriscounty.

Aug 12, Amos Chalif, Kiwanian, Celebrating 90th Birthday

Our long time and loyal club member (see p.1 of The Crier for May, 2007) was serenaded by our famous rendition of "Happy Birthday, Dear Amos". He introduced Margaret, to our applause, and then took the opportunity to tell us of his passion of many years, the Air Force Association. This organization educates the public on "the role of aerospace power in the nation's defense", and it supports the Air Force. For more information visit www.afa.org, or contact Col. Amos Chalif at colonelamos@comcast.net or 973-984-2318



Amos & Margaret Chalif

THE KIWANIS CLUB OF THE CHATHAMS INSTALLATION DINNER, SEPT. 23.

Come to the Brooklake Country Club at 6PM for the Cocktail hour, with the lavish hors d'oeuvres for which they are famous, plus a cash bar all evening. The Installation Ceremony at 7PM will be conducted by Lt. Governor Joyce Garrow of Parsippany. Price per person is \$50.00. President Cory asks that every Board member be present for the Installation Ceremony, if at all possible.

Following the Installation Ceremony, dinner will be served. It will feature a choice of Filet Mignon and Breast of Chicken, or Salmon, and will include salad, vegetables, garlic mashed potatoes, plus coffee and tea. Ice Cream Sundaes will be provided for dessert, with do-it-yourself toppings available at each table.



Above, L to R: Lt. Governor, Joyce Garrow, Presiding at Installation Ceremony; In-coming Club President, Doug Bryant, and Outgoing President Cory Fuller.



Left: Throughout the evening, we will be entertained by a colorful Barbershop Quartet, *The Old Parts*.

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Please respond via email [Please include the following information.](#)

Name of Member(s): _____

Name of Guest(s): _____

Number of Salmon meals: _____

Reservations and payments are requested by September 9 (all reservations and payments no later than September 16). Send check (payable to Kiwanis Club of the Chathams for \$50.00 per person)

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