



Kiwanis Club of Coldwater Weekly Newsletter

Serving the Children of the World

Monday, October 31, 2016

Officers

- Bob Tharp, President
- Mark Ott, President-Elect
- Jim Voss, 1st Vice President
- Stan Tipton, Secretary
- Kent Neitzert, Treasurer
- Cheri Anderson, Past President

Board Members

- Denny Brieske
- Tracy Kelley
- Janet Ott
- Ray Sebastian
- Deborah Tomlinson
- Terry Tomlinson

Meetings:

Mondays @ 11:45 a.m.
Coldwater Elks Club
47 S. Division St.
Coldwater, MI 49036

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Serving the Children of the World

**Serving Coldwater and
Branch County since 1935
with youth programs**

Upcoming Events:

Dictionary Distribution
Terrific Kids
November 10: Flags Across
Coldwater-6 p.m.
November 13: Flag pick up 6 p.m.

Future Programs:

November 7: Board Meeting
Nov. 14: Tommy's Place, Kathy
Olmstead
Nov. 21: Youth Haven Ranch, Larry
Carlson
Nov. 28: Miller Amish Country
Poultry Program

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Today's meeting recap

President Bob Tharp brought the meeting to order.

Members in attendance: Cheri Anderson, Dave Anderson, Amy Galliers, Tracy Kelley, Jack Lintner, Red Loose, Kent Neitzert, Shirley Tipton, Stan Tipton, Deb Tomlinson, Terry Tomlinson, Ray Sebastian, Bob Tharp, Jim Voss.

Guests: None today

Happy Dollars today (*A reason to start the week on a positive and upbeat note*)

Happiness is: Newly designed label for Terrific Kids books, retreat at Wings Shadow, Da Cubs!! The attendance of Reverend "Sam", going to see granddaughter, Sad dollar for Stan and Shirley leaving, Happy to see Stan and Shirley leaving!?, visit to Canton for Grandson's 5th birthday, Treat Street a hit with over 500 kids, a trip to Miller Auditorium to see granddaughter play violin, finally getting a replacement car, Kent fiddled around last weekend, a surprise??

Our Program:

Judy Krzeminski, Director of Branch County United Way presented a program detailing "Schools of Hope", an endeavor aimed at boosting literacy in 2nd and 3rd grade pupils. This is a possible hands-on project for the Coldwater Kiwanis Club with individual members volunteering 30 minutes of their time a week.

- The time will be spent as a participant in a "buddy reading program" with one student.
- In the Coldwater School District there are approximately 36 students in need of this type of assistance.
- The Key Club could possibly be involved.
- The program is in response to legislation which takes effect in 2019 that will hold back 3rd graders who are not reading up to their grade level.
- Students who fall into this category are 4 times likely not to graduate.

Club Announcements:

1. Terrific Kids!!!! *Below are the openings through January.*

Lakeland

- Tuesday, November 29- Amy Galliers & _____

JANUARY

Max Larsen

- Tuesday, Jan 10- _____ & _____
- Wednesday, Jan 11- _____ & _____

Lakeland

- Tuesday, January 24- Amy Galliers & _____

2. Stan gave final figures for Peanut Sales and with his challenge match, it was a huge success.

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3. Next week is our regular monthly Board Meeting.
4. Reminder of Flag placement on Thursday 11/10 at 6 pm, and pick up on Sunday 11/13 at 6 pm.

50/50 Winner this week was: Dave Anderson

To start your week:

Kiwanis: Wear your "K"

151. Books aren't
made of pages and
words. They're made
of hopes, dreams,
and possibilities.

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