



Rochester Day Makers Kiwanis Club

Tues 9:00 A.M. at Rochester Elks Lodge 1091 Building,
1652 US Hwy 52, Rochester MN 55901
See Day Makers on the web at: <https://www.kiwanisrochester.org>
See MN-DAK District Site at: <https://k13.site.kiwanis.org/>
Newsletter for **October 2024**

DAYMAKERS KIWANIS



OFFICERS		DIRECTORS (3 yr terms)		Chairs & Meeting Dates		
President	Becky Hopson	Bruce Keller	2025	Operation/Fundraising	Jim Schwinghammer	1st Tuesday 8:35 am
Imm. Past Pres.	Janet Cederholm	Larry Scilley	2025	Program	Jim Cook	1st Tuesday 10:05 am
Pres. Elect	Rick Johnson	Jim Decker	2026	Board Meeting	Becky Hopson	2nd Tuesday 10:05 am
1st Vice Pres.		Dave Bhaskaran	2027	Community Services	Rick Johnson	3rd Tuesday 8:35 am
Secretary/Treasurer	Jack Zierdt	Garry Post	2027	Public Relations (PR)	Greg Hain	3rd Tuesday 10:05 am
Historian:	Bruce Keller	Pres.Advisor:	Kathy Davis	Human and Spiritual	Ruth Vrieze	3rd Tuesday 10:05 am
Interclub:	Kathy Davis, Jack Zierdt	Web/Newsletter:	Dick Odell	Membership	Linda Rouhoff	3rd Thursday 9:00 am
Asst Sec./Treas:	Jim Decker			Youth Services	Helen Kolb	4th Tuesday 8:35 am
				Early Childhood	Linda Rouhoff	4th Tuesday 10:05 am

Program Schedule:
...Special Notice ...
Five meetings in Oct are at 9am at the Elk's. In-Person/Zoom meetings weekly, see details on page 2.

10/01 Rochester Public Schools Referendum, Kent Pekel, Dallas Glaser

10/08 Understanding Loss, Griever, Supporter, Friend, Randy Stocker, Jim Cook

10/15 Rochester Vision 2050 (RV2050), Albert Lun, Jim Cook

10/22 Norway Trip, Tony Goergen, Jim Cook

10/29 Annual Kiwanis Youth Protection, Jack Zierdt, Jack Zierdt

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NOTIFICATION OF DUES INCREASE:

For the Day Makers for the 2024–2025 Kiwanis Year beginning October 1, 2024.

OCTOBER Regular Membership (30 members projected 2024-2025): \$55.00 per quarter which totals \$220.00 per member per year

Spouse Membership (5 members projected 2024-2025): \$35.00 per quarter which totals \$140.00 per member per year

Life Membership (1 member eligible): \$45.00 per quarter which totals \$180.00 per member per year

President's Corner:

Now is the time for not only transitions to fall with colorful leaves, cooler temperatures, and the cheers of football but the turning of the Kiwanis calendar to 2024-2025. We are 30 years young in giving of ourselves to better the lives of children and our communities worldwide. So proud of that! Day Makers continue to look where the needs are in the present and step in, whether it is the giving of school supplies, supporting single mothers trying to make a better future for their child, having fun with kindergartners learning what they need to know and feeling good about themselves, and nurturing future leaders to better the world.

Katrina Baranko, immediate past president of Kiwanis International, sent a letter which I want to share.

“Congratulations to your club as you celebrate your 30th anniversary. I hope the last year has been a good one for your members and that you are excited about planning future projects.

Good plans start with input and ideas. Each of us has a unique background or story. Get everyone involved and use those differences to create new goals.

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October Birthdays:

01 Carolyn Heyne	08 Janet Cederholm
02 Dallas Glaser	11 Dick Vrieze
03 Kathy Davis	30 Bruce Keller

October Anniversaries:

18 Dave and Maureen Bhaskaran

Treasurer's Summary: September 30, 2024

Administrative Account \$ 3,598.83
Service Account \$ 5,385.49
Charitable Account \$ 12,545.94
\$ 21,530.26

Total Membership October 1, 2024 **37**

**"K" Dollars for September 2024 is: \$178
For the 2024-2025 Kiwanis Year**

KWIK Trip fund raiser for 2023-2024 Kiwanis Year:

Budgeted for expenses in 2023-2024 was: \$10,000.00

Actual expenses through September 2024: \$ 9,987.50

Budgeted for income in 2023-2024 is: \$ 10,400.00

Actual income through September 2024: \$ 12,545.46

Inventory of Cards on Hand September 30: \$ 820.00

Day Makers ZOOM Meetings: October

Time: Oct 1, 2024 09:00 AM

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83096167446?pwd=cic8DiWc7hTrWH4kMohVkTJZxzuCbo.1>

Meeting ID: 830 9616 7446

Passcode: goblue

Time: Oct 8, 2024 09:00 AM

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83519010106?pwd=FJFkPx38818yZaNaDt9mubz0xOAAUX.1>

Meeting ID: 835 1901 0106

Passcode: goblue

Time: Oct 15, 2024 09:00 AM

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82606328897?pwd=YkYRIzduRLZwFnzlvPu0hnVuxzMXQj.1>

Meeting ID: 826 0632 8897

Passcode: goblue

Time: Oct 22, 2024 09:00 AM

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85778287243?pwd=nwNfghD9LoakDRMhHawDSKIQPON7w.1>

Meeting ID: 857 7828 7243

Passcode: goblue

Time: Oct 29, 2024 09:00 AM

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83258822796?pwd=Gb4x0hFWVUmrYmtUzsG2Pr2JoVW5aM.1>

Meeting ID: 832 5882 2796

Passcode: goblue

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Big or small, your service projects do make a difference. They are a bright light that can lead to happier kids. Children discover what they can do and accomplish, with a little help from Kiwanis mentors.

We need more people like us, people who have come together to lift kids and communities. Think about why you joined Kiwanis and invite others to see what we do. Introduce them to your members so they feel the sense of support and teamwork that we encourage.

I send my best wishes as you celebrate your anniversary. I ask you to use your energy to be the best club you can be and to shine the light that is Kiwanis!"

She can say it better than me. Continue to shine the light!

Becky Hopson

Kiwanis Day Makers president 2024-2025

Day Makers Dues Kiwanis Year 2024 – 2025:

With the beginning of the new Kiwanis year on October 1, 2024, our **October-November-December** dues are now payable.

Please bring your dues payment of \$55 per quarter, for this quarter, to the meeting tomorrow; \$35 per quarter for spouses, and give to Jim Decker or me.

Or you can mail your dues payment, via US Postal service, to me ASAP.

Jack Zierdt

Secretary/Treasurer

Drive Carefully: Situational Awareness



Summer is still not over...

BOD MINUTES OF MEETING: August 13, 2024

BOD Minutes of Meeting: Sept 10, 2024

The Board meeting was called to order by President Janet Cederholm.

Board Members/Committee Chairs Present: Jack Zierdt, Jim Decker, Janet Cederholm, Bruce Keller, Rick Johnson, Dave Bhaskaran, Jim Cook, Becky Hopson, Larry Scilley, Linda Rouhoff and Garry Post.

Board Members/Committee Chairs Absent Helen Kolb, Ruth Vrieze, Greg Hain, and Jim Schwinghammer,

Other Day Makers, Members Present, Sue Johnson and Judy Zierdt

Approval of Agenda: Jim Cook moved, and Jim Decker seconded the motion to approve the agenda.

Agenda was approved.

Approval of Minutes of Previous Meeting:

Linda Rouhoff made the motion to approve the minutes, of the meeting of August 13, 2024. Dave Bhaskaran seconded the motion. **Minutes were Approved.**

It was moved by Dave Bhaskaran and seconded by Linda Rouhoff to approve the revised August 2024 monthly report to Kiwanis International. **Motion was approved.**

Treasurer's Report as of July 31, 2024: The report was sent out to all board members in the packets before the meeting. Dave Bhaskaran moved to accept the report as noted and Jim Cook seconded the motion. **Motion was Approved.**

OLD BUSINESS:

The Board and Committee structure for the 2024-2025 Kiwanis Year was sent out in the packet and was acknowledged as informational. The present signups for the 2024-2025 Committees and Chairs were attached also.

The proposed budgets for the Administrative Account, Service Account and Charitable Account were presented. Dave Bhaskaran moved and Jim Decker seconded the motion to approve the 2024-2025 budgets with the contingents that were discussed. **Motion was Approved!**

Jack Zierdt moved adoption of the club By-laws revisions to be presented to the membership in October. David Bhaskaran seconded the motion. **Motion was Approved.**

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BOD Meeting:

NEW BUSINESS:

A request for reimbursement of expenses as secretary/treasurer was presented by Jack Zierdt. David Bhaskaran moved that the reimbursement of \$123.07 be paid to Jack. It was seconded by both Jim Cook and Larry Scilley. **The Motion was Approved.**

Garry Post moved and Jim Decker seconded the motion to transfer \$1,000 from the "K" Dollars in the Administrative Account to the Charitable Account. **Motion Carried!**

The projected roster of membership for the 2024-2025 Kiwanis year was given to the board in their packet. The projection shows that we will have 37 members on October 1st for the 2024-2025 Kiwanis Year. This will be the number of members that KI will use for their annual billing to our Day Makers Club.

COMMITTEE REPORTS:

Rick Johnson mentioned that a Christmas Anonymous meeting is scheduled on Thursday September 12th for planning this year's event that will be held on Saturday December 14th! Rick also, mentioned that all other activities are moving along as usual.

Linda Rouhoff Thanked all of the people that donated above and beyond for school supplies in her report for the Early Childhood Development Committee.

Ruth Vrieze Human and Spiritual Aims Committee chairperson was not present. There was some discussion to have cards sent to some of our members that have been missing recently. It was also discussed about reintroducing the circle of 3 beginning with the new Kiwanis Year.

Linda Rouhoff Membership Committee Chairperson stated that the whole group will be involved in membership this year. She is, also, planning to have the different committees do a 10 minute educational presentation at one of our meetings once a month.

Jim Schwinghammer was not present to report on the Operations and Fund Raising Committee.

Jim Cook stated that we are booked with programs up to the last week in October in his Program Committee report.

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BOD MINUTES OF MEETING: (Cont from p. 3)

Greg Hain, Public Relations Committee Chair Person was not present to make a report.

Helen Kolb was not present to make a Youth Services Committee report.

President Janet adjourned the meeting following a motion by Larry Scilley and seconded by Dave Bhaskaran.

Submitted by
Jack Zierdt, Secretary/Treasurer

Roses Sale Fund Raiser: Tell Neighbors and Friends

Our annual Rose Sale fundraiser with sign-ups for purchasing and/or selling roses at \$20 per dozen is now in progress. We have a total of 125 dozen roses for our membership to sell or buy. The rose delivery date will be October 10th!!

Jack Zierdt

Pick-up Roses

Eatery & Pub
CHARLIE'S
est. 1987

October 10
10 AM-NOON

Thank you for helping young people starting off in life by providing financial support for their post-secondary goals!

More Roses Available

Garry Post

Kwik Trip Gas & Gift Cards:

Winter is just around the corner Keep that vehicle clean and well stocked with supplies.

A "no-brainer!"

Raise funds for Daymakers Kiwanis by using KWIK TRIP cards!

see Jim Gift Cards

Car Wash Cards

Rochester Day Makers Fund Raiser Kiwanis

Kwik Trip is a Club fund raiser via the sale of Kwik Trip cards and their rebate donations are from their corporate community giving program.

Jim Decker has the gift cards. He has both Gas, Instore Grocery and Car Wash Gift Cards. Fill that vehicle, fill the pantry and keep that car/truck clean....

Dick Odell and Gary Post

Halloween Jokes for Kids:

What vehicles do cave dwellers prefer?
Batmobiles !

Why didn't the skeleton go to the dance?
He had no body to go with.

Why can't Dracula play baseball?
He lost his bat.

What do you call a witch at the beach?
A Sand-witch

What do you use to open the door to a haunted house?
With a skeleton key.



2024-2025 Club Officers/Directors Inductions:



Thank you for your service...



New 2024-2025 Directors



Kiwanis Flashlights to find new member in dark...



Janet passing on the gavel to new President Becky.



Becky shares her club objectives for 2024-2025.

Kiwanis Rochester Day Makers



30th Year Charter Date 07/26/2024