KIWANIS ANNUAL PICNIC
WELL ATTENDED DESPITE RAIN
The summer may be hot and wet, but the weather has not slowed down our Kiwanis Club. Planning will start in August for our Fall Pancake Day- to be held at the War Memorial Building. Also, our Installation Banquet will be held Sept 28, at the G.W. Hotel. Mark your calendar and join us for a pleasant evening.

The Capital District will be holding its 100th convention August 17-19 in Reston. Dennis Grubbs, Al Sibert and I will attend, representing our club.

Our annual visit to the wonderful organization Camp Fantastic will (Continued on page 6)

**AUGUST BIRTHDAYS**

**Happy Birthday To Our Members!**

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(for birthday errors & omissions, please email editor@winchesterkiwanis.org)

**CALENDAR**

- **August 1:** Business Meeting/Major Beneficiary Presentation
- **August 2:** Interclub @ Martinsburg
- **August 4 & 5:** Stuff the Bus @ Walmart
  - 4th: Stephens City 2-4pm
  - 5th: Pleasant Valley 2-4pm
- **August 8:** Shirley Dodson, (Worlds of Work)
- **August 15:** Tracy Fitzsimmons, (SU Facilities)
- **August 16:** Social, Piccadilly Pub, 5:30pm
- **August 22:** Gemma Felton, (Belle Grove History)
- **August 22:** Deadline for Newsletter Articles
- **August 23:** Board Meeting, Baden House, 6pm
- **August 29:** Mathew Peterson, (Habitat for Humanity)
The Kiwanis Club meets monthly at Piccadilly’s Public House & Restaurant located at 125 East Piccadilly Street in downtown Winchester, VA.

Next Social: **August 16, 2018; 5:30pm**

**INTERCLUB NEWS**
Robin Doss & Tim Anderson

Eleven members of our club attended an interclub to the Kiwanis Club of Blue Ridge on Thursday, July 5th at 7:30am at Perkins Restaurant. Members attending included Robin Doss, Doug Butler, Dennis Grubbs, Carmen Rio, Earl Zook, Ann DeLorme, Scott Straub, Randy Zook, Kelly Durant, Helen Zebarth, and Kay Anderson.

Seven members of our club attended an interclub to the Kiwanis Club of Blue Ridge West Virginia on Tuesday, July 17th at 9:00am at the IHOP Restaurant in Charles Town, WV. Members attending included Travis Nesselrodt, John Westervelt, Randy Zook, Earl Zook, Doug Butler, Ann DeLorme, and Tim Anderson.

Tentative Upcoming schedule:

**August 2nd, 6pm, Martinsburg**
September 6th, 6pm, Leesburg
October 3rd, 8am, Strasburg

Submitted by Tim Anderson, Co-Chairman

**IN OTHER NEWS...**

Travis Nesselrodt, is inducted into the Kiwanis Club.
His Sponsor, Paul Nerko observes.

Travis’s contact information is:
Cell#: 540-550-4678
Email: travis@phelpsfunerals.com

Sequoia Nightfeather and Gene Williams share their success stories about College Orientation Workshop, a leadership program designed for young men at VMI.
Volunteer for Camp Fantastic 2018

Sometimes a devastating event can bring about something wonderful, even magical. This was the case for Tom and Sheila Baker. After losing their daughter Julie to lymphoma, they wanted to find a way to improve the struggles of families going through the same thing.

In 1983 they founded Special Love, Inc. The organization sponsors many activities. Their flagship event, Camp Fantastic, is a weeklong camp for patients and survivors. The Winchester Kiwanis Club has the privilege of serving the campers, staff and medical personnel our specialty, pancakes and sausage, on their last day of camp.

We are looking for volunteers to help on the day of this event – it is a mini Pancake Day serving around 220 at an outdoor shelter. A sign-up sheet has already started to go around at the weekly meetings. You will be giving 4-5 hours of your time on Saturday, August 18, 2018. We meet at the Travelodge (160 Front Royal Pike, Winchester; Behind IHOP at Rt 50/522 intersection) in the morning and at 6:30am carpool to the 4-H Center (600 4H Center Drive, Front Royal, VA 22630).

Some Kiwanians elect to meet us at camp. We are typically done around 10:30am and head home.

Please sign up to help support this wonderful event. If you cannot make it to a meeting you can reach out to Kari Dorsey at (540)247-6249 or karirae@comcast.net.

For additional information on Special Love and Camp Fantastic, please visit their website at www.speciallove.org.

Submitted by Kari Dorsey
August’s Featured Kiwanian is: Fred Board

Birthplace: Elkwood, West Virginia

Favorite Movies: “Music Man” and “Twelve O’Clock High”

Favorite Quote: “A man’s life is what his thoughts make off it.”

Best Advice: “Nothing in all creation can separate us from the love of God in Christ Jesus our Lord.” Romans 8:39

Most Interesting Place you’ve been: Stonehenge; Salisbury Plain in England.

Favorite Job: Finance / Banking

Interesting to know: Fred has been a member of the Kiwanis Club for over 20 years. He attended college at West Virginia Tech in Montgomery, WV (which later merged with WVU). Fred credits his parents and grandparents with instilling into him the values of hard work, honesty and loyalty, and maintains a deep respect for the hard work that his mom and grandmother put into running the household. Some of Fred’s favorite memories include hiking the 4 Corners area of the Southwest USA for 11 days with his daughter, playing baseball in his backyard with his father, & then later his son and grandsons.

Fred has also been a “reader” (twice a week) at the Freemont Street Nursery School in Winchester for the past 11 years, introducing children to books, and the importance of reading, at an early age. (Editor’s note: It occurs to us that as Fred inspires each child that he reads to, this is literally, and literately, “improving our community one child at a time”!

Ask Fred to tell you about his close encounter with a Bighorn Sheep at Logan Pass in Montana 3 years ago! He got some beautiful pictures of this magnificent creature and got to spend some quality time wondering how the encounter was going to end!

Kiwanis Club of Winchester is successful because of its many volunteer members who give so freely of their time and effort.

THANKS FOR BEING AN UPSTANDING MEMBER OF KIWANIS CLUB, FRED!
be Saturday, Aug. 18 to serve them breakfast. This is an organization founded to help cheer and support seriously ill children. It's a humbling experience to be able to bring these kids a boost; the experience is quite an inspiration for us, please sign up and join us.
Eugene Williams visited us on July 11th bringing a recent graduate of his program. This young man just completed his first year of college which could not have happened without his preparation from this program. He is a full blooded Indian, named Sequoia Light feather. His talk to the club was a delightful example of a successful young man who greatly succeeded with a helpful boost. We can be proud of our support of that program and all the others we support. As with last year, we are also helping with donated shoes as well as our financial help. Remember to bring shoes to the next few meetings. Our next social will be Thursday Aug. 16 at 5:30 at Piccadilly Brew Club. Come join the fun. Our next Board meeting will be Thursday Aug. 23 at 6:00. If you want to view the essence of our club’s function, come join us. It will be at the Baden Center on Washington St. as it recently has been. Enjoy your summer. See you soon.

NEW SIGNS FOR KIWANIS CLUBS

Thanks to Mr. Walter Aikens of Dominion Square/Aikens Group on the Front Royal Road we were able to have the two signs replaced on the bottom panels of the large sign at the location. Walter’s father, Harry Aikens, was a long time member of our Kiwanis Club of Winchester and when he erected the sign, he told Doug Butler the bottom panels would be reserved for our Kiwanis Clubs. Somewhere along the way the panels were blocked out but in conversation with Walter, the panels were restored. Submitted by Doug Butler