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"Serving the Children of the World, one child, one community, at a time"

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Members & Spouses October Birthdays

**13 Millie Norry. 16 Charlie Jackson, 18 Herb Norry,
24 Paul Fish, 24 Mary Laing, 29 Joe Leatham**

Members & Spouses October Anniversaries

None to report

TODAY'S PROGRAM

Peter Fragiskatos MP London North Centre

October 05 MEETING NEWS

Attendance: Graham Laing reported 33 members present and visiting Kiwanian **Lee Wilson**. Welcome back: **Ken Brown, Lou ,Coray,Jim Walker.**

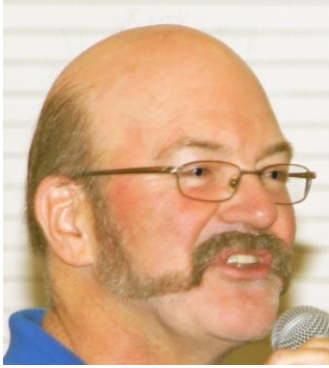
Sing along: Ed Schweitzer supported by **Evadne Benson** on the piano.

Today (Oct 12) Mission Service Clothing, small appliances, & Food Drive

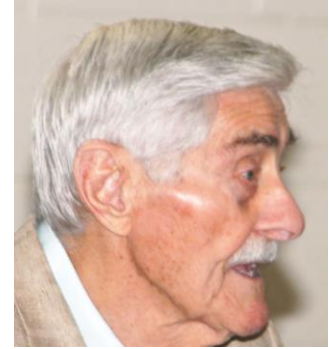
Ken Keith will be collecting the above items for Mission services.

MEMBERSHIP FEES

The membership fees for the Kiwanis Club of Middlesex 2017-08 year were due October 1st, 2017. They will remain at \$165.00 for the 2017-18 year. Pay membership dues to Ken Whitby or Don Sutherland.



Program: **Bob Curtis** introduced our speaker, Joel Dell, a retired IBM employee who has participated in a number of medical missions to Haiti with his brother-in-law Phil, a medical doctor. Joel explained that his involvement started when his brother-in-law elected to create his



own group by teaming up with a Haitian who had just opened a hospital in Quanamthe Haiti where there was a desperate need. This hospital was one part of an organization named, Coalition OF Children in Need Association, COCINA. The main mission of COCINA was to educate children but the need for medical care led to its expansion into that area. The poor conditions in Haiti were described with a series of slides. The missions are staffed by people recruited from Canada and the US who spend two weeks in Haiti. Byron United Church, where Joel is a member, is a supporter of this program. Avo Kingu extended the appreciation of the club and presented a a small flashlight, the club's token of appreciation.

50/50 winner: Yke Rusticus

Club Presentation



Millie Norry was presented with an appreciation certificate and a past president's pin by President Sandra Collier for her work as club president 2016-17. Millis is now Club Secretary.



Sunshine Reports

Jon Longworth visited **Don Bowman** who was sleeping when John came to visit him.

Don Russell is unable due to health reasons unable to continue as a member of the club but will continue to assist with the Kiwordian production

Directors' Reports

Sandra Collier – Parking for the London Knights hockey games began on Friday, 22 September at London Life's Clarence Street Lot. We need volunteers for the Knights 33 home games. Parking is going well because there are other events going on downtown at the same time. Dedicated parkers: Paul Fish, Lloyd Good.



Middlesex Kiwanis Club Shirts

- Orders for Polo Shirts with the name Kiwanis Club of Middlesex(London) Inc. on them are being taken. The shirts are available with a vest pocket. Sample shirts will be displayed to see the quality of the shirts but these are not the only colours available.



Cost is \$30.00 each and for \$5.00 additional you can have your name on the shirt. Orders and the money for the shirts can be placed now. Order will be placed October 26 with a 3 week delivery date.

Christmas Cakes

Paul Fish – Christmas Cake schedule is now being prepared with a start at Cherry Hill planned for October 19. Volunteers are needed. Please contact Paul to both volunteer at Cherry Hill and to arrange to sell cakes at other venues.

Sgt-At-Arms – Doug Ross



EDUCATIONAL SPOT FOR OCTOBER 12, 2017 – Don Russell

The Carefree Kiwanis Club in Arizona is doubling its efforts to help local needy children attend preschool. For the past couple years, the Carefree club has donated US\$10,000 annually to support preschool scholarships in Arizona's Cave Creek Unified School District. When other donor money

for the program dried up, Carefree Kiwanians increased "A storyteller, like a travel agent, can help gather us up from wherever we are, and put us down in another setting." the annual donation to \$20,000, effectively keeping the scholarships in business. ~John Leggett

Thought for the Day!

"It's all about dreams. If I had to attribute my success in life to any one thing it is this. I believed in my dreams, even when no one else did." ~Oprah Winfrey

Your Inspiration For the Week!

"Life without dreams is no life at all. When our existence gets reduced to a list of problems to solve or things to check off, passion dries up. Imagine a different list, one comprised of projects and activities that are the expression of your heart and soul. Reconnect to what makes you happy. Do you know what that is?" ~Marcia Wieder

Chesley Park Bingo

Oct 16 – Andre Cote

October 23- Joe Leatham, Russ Gonder

October 30 -Don Sutherland

November 06 - George & M.J. Mudge

November 13 – Andre Cote

Programs:

October 19 – Larry Godfree ‘My Life in the Ontario Provincial Police’

October 26 – Lori Pallin, The Lung Association

November 02 - Joan Vanderhagen, Canadian Cancer Service ‘Causes and Prevention of Cancer.’

Greeters:

Oct 12 – Russ and June Gonder

Oct 19 – Lloyd Good

Oct 26 – David Harman, Tom Hawke

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**The Kiwanis Club of Middlesex (London) Inc. meets every Thursday at
Kiwanis Seniors Community Centre,
78 Riverside Drive, London, Ontario**

Coffee and Friendship at 9:00 AM; program from 10:00 AM to 11:30 AM

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