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

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**We meet Thursday mornings at 10 am @ the  
Kiwaniis Seniors Centre, 78 Riverside Dr. London  
ON**

**PARKING IS FREE AT THE KIWANIS CENTRE**

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**The next meeting will be held 20<sup>th</sup> June, 2024 at the Kiwanis  
Seniors Centre, 78 Riverside Dr. London ON**

#### **Members & Spouses June birthdays**

**10 Audrey Walker, 20 Ken Whitby, 24 Crandall Benson, 26  
Jane Hogg, 28 Anthony Mazereeuw, 30 Biserka Mrzljak**

#### **June Anniversaries**

**25 Gary and Elaine Duncan**

#### **Future Programs**

**June 20 - Uluru in Australia**

**June 27 – Transportation in Canada's north**

**July 4 to September In formal meetings at the Kiwanis Centre.**

## Public Service Announcement

**Beginning May 1<sup>st</sup> until June 30<sup>th</sup>, the parking lot at the Kiwanis Centre will be restricted as the City of London will be doing construction work on it. If there are not enough available spaces in the lot, it may be necessary to park on side streets.**

## Program 13<sup>th</sup> June, 2024



**Phyllis Spencer who was introduced by Russ Knight told us about Participation House started in 1988 in London which follows PHSS (medical and complex care in the community). Years ago families were advised to send children with complex needs to an**

**institution before the child bonded with the family. Many of these institutions had poor living conditions. There are 75 homes in London where residents are allowed to live to their full capacity. There are staff on duty 24/7. These homes also support people on long term ventilators. Residents often go to school until age 21. PSS has been recognized internationally for looking after people with disabilities. PSS Mission is supporting individuals with developmental medical and complex physical needs to live in their own homes and participate in community with family and friends. Their vision A leader in community inclusion of individuals with developmental, medical and complex physical needs. Carol Turnbull thanked the speaker.**

**50/50 winner: John Longworth  
Directors Reports & Club Activities**

## June Board meeting

**The Club Board met Friday June 14<sup>th</sup> at the Kiwanis Seniors Centre. This will be the last Board meeting until September. Some of the items discussed: President Carol wants every member to be on a committee, there will be a planning committee meeting some time during the week of August 19<sup>th</sup>. There will be an opportunity to visit the new Children's Museum in July when much of the construction is done and we don't need to wear hard hats and construction boots. Next Board meeting will be Friday September 13<sup>th</sup> at 10:30 am.**

## Parking

We did parking on the Canada Life Clarence St lot for the Children's Festival held in Victoria Park on June 14,15, 16. Thank you to the following members who staffed the parking lot on those days: Lauralee Bushan-Jazey, Sandra Collier, Andre Cote, Bob Curtis, Helen, Russ Knight, Millie Norry, Carrie Turnbull, Edith, Olive, Carol Turnbull.



## Weekly Summer Meetings

While we won't have formal Kiwanis meetings during July and August, it is planned those interested will meet Thursday mornings at 10am in the Meeting room at the Kiwanis Centre for coffee and conversation. This is the room immediately on the left when you enter the Kiwanis Centre. You can bring your own coffee or another non alcohol beverage or purchase food or beverage at the snack bar at the Kiwanis Centre.

## Summer BBQ

Carol Turnbull announced she is planning a BBQ at her home in Komoka in July 6<sup>th</sup>. More details to follow.

## Sunshine Report

John Longworth reported he talked to both Jim Walker and John Lawrence and both are doing well.



## Some of the attendees at our 13 June meeting.



## Golf Tournament

**Kiwanis Club of Port Stanley is holding its 3<sup>rd</sup> annual Golf Tournament on Saturday August 24<sup>th</sup>. Kettle Creek Golf & Country Club, Port Stanley ON. \$10,000 hole in one contest. Teams of four: \$500. Scramble format, shotgun start 1 pm. Sit down dinner Prizes to follow: call 519-608-9125.**

## Kiwanis Education 13 June 202

**The first president of Kiwanis International was George F. Hixson of the Rochester, New York, club. He was elected at the first convention in Cleveland in 1916 and re-elected the next year. He is the only International President to serve for two terms. The Hixson Fellowship of the Kiwanis International Foundation is named in his honor; Hixson medals are presented to donors who have contributed at least \$1,000 to the Hixson Endowment Fund or the Worldwide Service Project.**

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