

January 20, 2016

It was a pretty good crowd for a cold Wednesday in January. Twenty loyal Kiwanians showed up for the meeting.

President Killian was looking good with his tan from his Florida vacation. First V.P. Linda was looking good, after her accident on Warren Ave. She and Mrs. Holmes were driving "carelessly & recklessly" according to Al Holmes, and driving backwards down Warren Ave. I think she might be trying to become an Uber driver. After the opening act of Ray "Guns" Scorboria and his rendition of "God Bless America", the second act was a bearded Norm "78" Record (who looked like Grizzly Adams without the ax) leading us in prayer. The third act was Al Holmes fining Renan, for receiving a ticket for "driving while watching a movie". Al then gave five (5) happy bucks for his President Obama, "screwing up traffic in Detroit" while visiting the NAIAS.

As we began to eat dinner, Mark V. had a burger & hot dog delivered to his table. He was fined, and Skip Armstrong (a retired Kiwanis Food Committee Chair) paid the fine, as Skip wasn't eating food from the buffet either.

The Main Act of the evening was Carter Bundy, a non-lawyer from Michigan Attorney General Bill Schutte's office.

Carter spoke about the Flint water problem, human trafficking, phone scams, and variety of other issues that the AG's office addresses. Lots of questions and comments from the audience. A pretty good talk. Next week is the "Peanut Sale" dinner, where Capt. Mark V.'s winning team gets steak & all the other teams get red hots.

Top salesman Dr. Paul Goerke will be presented with his award. Bob "Zeker" Zimmerman will be the evening's speaker, his subject "Wine" and he will be bringing bottles of crushed & fermented grape juice for us to taste. There will also be committee meetings & a board meeting. Sounds like a meeting you don't want to miss.

If you are interested in going to the International convention, to be held in Toronto, we need to submit our attendees by April 15th, see Al for info. February 5th is the Dearborn Symphony "Pops" concert, and Cherry Hill Presbyterian Church is having a piano concert on February 21st. Detroit Kiwanis Club #1 is celebrating their 101st this week.

REMEMBER HEMLOCK CABIN COOK-OUT-FEBRUARY 10th.

All the World's a Stage,  
Billy Shakespeare