



Kiwanis Klarion

Elmira Kiwanis Club



President: Sharon Sitrin-Moore
Treasurer: Joe Klaiber

President Elect Mike Wayne
Imm. Past Pres.: Ron Allison

Secretary: Nancy Nicastro

MARCH 1, 2018

Next Week: March 8th **EVENING MTG. 5:30 pm** Sgt. Joseph Marone on Guns: Preparation and Awareness

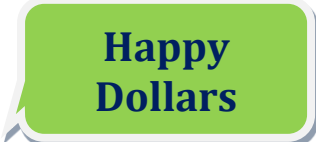
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This Week: **MARCH 1ST**

Meeting Opened by Sharon Sitrin-Moore

Welcome Table & Invocation: **Ron and Terri Allison**

NEXT WEEK: Table and Invocation: Ron Tunison



Today's Program

GUESTS Welcome to Kristy Klaiber, introduced by husband Joe; Laura Rios, Kiwanis friend of Terri Allison and our guest speaker: Andrew Smith.

ANDREW SMITH is the Vice President of Sales and Marketing for Watkins Glen International. The headquarters is located in Daytona Beach.

He talked about expansion of the track; a successful 2017 year and upcoming and new events for 2018, including the PHISH CONCERT August 17-18. There are 9 spectacular events planned for this summer. The WINE FEST will feature New State Wines ONLY. NASCAR will be there August 2-5. When there is no racing, the track is loaned for other events.

Expanded services and areas for camping. A 150 anniversary celebration is also included as Corning Glass celebrates its move from Brooklyn to Corning via the canal system. Event at Seneca Harbor.

Sherry Mandell reported on Drug-Free Task Force meeting. Focus on kids getting education and resiliency training.

HEALTH REPORT: President Sharon Sitrin Moore's mother-in law is now at home with care and therapy being provided...Sheila Thomas asked prayers for her daughter-in-law contending with father, mother and grandmother -all seriously ill.

The BON-TON Community Days have started: March 1-3rd. Coupon booklet is on sale \$5.00 to benefit Kiwanis. Booklets good March 1st - 3rd. See Alison Mandel

Upcoming Events:

MARCH 22nd FOOD BANK PACKING
MARCH 24TH John Keenan has a team and a menu FOR Community Kitchen

HOME TOWN BANNERS PROGRAM now has 61 banners sold, and more to come. Pass the word and contact Terry Allison for information/application. Terry reported; is receiving "sacred stories" Deadline: March 30th for 2018 applications. Sooner the better. Post on social network

DOLLARS FOR SCHOLARS: \$5 COLLECTED TODAY

MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE asks that you take a look and sign up for a committee or two.

Ron Allison -Florida trip
Alison Mandel-Terrific Kids, Mid Winter Convention and Champion of Children Award received.
Sharon Decker -Son's 25th wedding anniversary and shout out to her husband, Bob
Sharon Moore-program/ Mid Winter convention
Mike Wayne -Mid Winter Convention and bring back Laurie
TJ Malone -"Usual" reasons and visits with son; 76th anniversary remembrance of parents
Ron Tunison -Wife trip and safe return from mission work in Puerto Rico

EHS KEY CLUB AND CIRCLE K volunteering at Elmira College Dance Marathon for Children's Miracle Network telethon, March 10th -Noon.
AKTION CLUB Will have Joe Pirozzolo -friend of late Ernie Davis for upcoming meeting

Ray's Payday & 50/50

RAY'S PAY DAY: Would have meant a free lunch for Desi Cole. Susan Husted enjoyed hers from last week's draw.
50/50 Ron Tunison was first to draw; missed the King of Clubs; so did Nancy Nicastro. The jackpot is worth \$35.