# Kiwanis Klarion -November 16, 2023



Meetings are 1<sup>st</sup>, 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Thursdays at noon, 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday at 5:30pm At the Clarion Inn, Elmira

Next Meeting - No MEETING NEXT WEEK - HAPPY THANKSGIVING

November 30 - Brian Baker - Director of Spiritual Care - Arnot Ogden Welcome Table - Curren Sekella Invocation - Brenda Leigh Johnson

## Officers 2023-2024

President – Sue Mower
President Elect- Mary Schuehler
Vice President – Lauren Little
Secretary – Alison Mandel
Treasurer – Joe Klaiber
Immediate Past President – Sherry Mandell

## **Upcoming Programs**:

Nov 23 – Thanksgiving
Nov 30 – Brian Baker – Arnot Ogden
Spiritual Aims

If you have ideas for programs, please let Mary Schuehler know.

## Program -

Unfortunately, our speaker for today, Melissa Rinker had to cancel at the last minute so we did Christmas Cards for the Bags we will be giving to the residents at Able2 for Christmas as well as some cards for the kids at the Southside Community Center where we hope to have a small Christmas Party for them. President Sue will be meeting with Kim Stanton at the Southside Community Center next week to plan a party for the kids!

No meeting next week due to Thanksgiving! Hope that all the members and their families have a very Happy Thanksgiving!



We have 3 clubs left – Corning,
Painted Post and Hornell left to finish
our round robin of visiting all the clubs in
our Division. Hopefully we will have the
last ones scheduled soon!

There is First Arena Ticket Scanning Nov 18 – Horseheads

Nov 24 - Team 1 - Alison Mandel- 7:05

Nov 25 - Team 2 - Ron Allison - 6:07

Thank you to Elmira High School Key Club, Notre Dame Key Club, EC Circle K & Elmira Kiwanis for helping to fill 600 grooming kits for the Arctic League – Kiwanians - Sue & Steve Mower, Brenda Leigh & Peter Johnson, Gordy Schuehler, Mike Wayne, Mark Wayne, Katrina Nichols, Deb Hobler, Ron Allison, Jen Clark & Husband Greg, Pat Thorne, Alison Mandel & TJ Malone

Here's What else you Missed Today.....

50-50:

Deb Hobler won the 50/50 of \$7. She didn't draw the King. The pot is now at \$267.

## **Rays Pay Day:**

Cleavus Watts would have won the \$75 Next week it will be \$80

Dues are Due! Please make sure you pay your dues either by pay pal or by check.

### **MARK YOUR CALENDARS!**

December 2 – Christmas Tree Auction – Hibernians – 1-4pm. We have 6 trees left if anyone wants one to decorate or you can donate a basket to raffle off! Tickets are available for the raffle. Please contact Mary Schuehler if you want to donate a basket for the event!

**December 7** – Arctic League Packing – 6:30pm

**December 16** – Wreaths Across America at Woodlawn National Cemetery – 9am

#### **HAPPY DOLLARS**

**Gordy Schuehler** – happy for his great niece's soccer team that won the Class D Championship

**Sue Mower** – happy for everyone doing the holiday cards and for all the events we have going on this month and in December.

**John Keenan** – for the new members we have been getting and for his & Betsy's 54<sup>th</sup> Anniversary!

Mike Wayne – he congratulated Gordy on being named one of the best Accountants in the area in the Star Gazette's 2023 Community Choice Awards! He first met Gordy in 1990!

**Dick Pirozzolo** – gave a happy dollar for his Birthday on Nov 24 & Mike Waynes on Nov 25 since there is no meeting next week!

Alison Mandel – thank you to the EHS & ND Key Clubs, EC Circle K and the Kiwanians who came last Sat to put the 600 grooming kits together we were done in 45 minutes! Great Job! Great to have the Key Club members involved again! Looking forward to Arctic League packing starting soon! Also, a Happy dollar for Peter Johnson who had his shoulder surgery on Tuesday and came home on Wednesday and he said he is on the road to recovery!