

# **Fort Oglethorpe Kiwanis Newsletter**

## **February 26 2016 4-15**

The Fort Oglethorpe Kiwanis met at Park Place on February 26, 2016 with David presiding with 11 members present.

PR Cook reported on the Mid-Winter Meeting and passed out "Things to Know About your District" encouraging every member to read about the district and get more involved.

Board Meeting was called to order by David Hollis.

Gordon Lee Basketball tournament, sponsored by the club was a huge success and the organizers will expand to 8 teams in 2017.

Honeycutt Golf tournament raised \$18,000+ with David giving details about the teams, sponsors and initial plans for 2016.

Club growth was also addressed with the club having 29 current members. Lacey Wilson, Walker County Chamber of Commerce president is going to join.

March 8 is IHOP Free Pancake day to support Children's Miracle Network. Eight members have signed up to help and we are waiting for additional instruction from Erlanger's Children's Hospital.

DSA Luncheon was reported on by David Hollis and Chris McKeever. All members are expected to secure auction items and sell tickets to attend. At this time 8 corporate tables are confirmed.

Walker Co. Chamber golf tournament is April 28<sup>th</sup>. PR is asking for two club members to join the Kiwanis team that he and David Hollis are forming. \$125 entry fee includes mulligans. Let PR know if you want to play.

PR Cook also reported that he is going to work with Walker County and Chickamauga City Schools to start a Junior Chamber of Commerce program in the schools to teach business fundamentals. He'll report as progress is made.

Meeting location and monthly dues amount were discussed with the club voting to meet at Park Place Restaurant and increase the dues from

\$32/month to \$50/month. Much discussion was held with many club members voicing their opinion on the matter.

6<sup>th</sup> Cavalry Museum requested \$500 sponsorship of the Hometown Teams display from the Smithsonian Institute that will be on exhibit May 7 – June 16. Club approved the request

Thank you to Chris for notes

### **Upcoming Events**

March 8 is IHOP Key Club pancake day.

April 13 DSA

August 19-21 District Convention

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