

AUGUST, 2008



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# Kiwanis Club of

# Stow-Munroe Falls

## FROM THE PRESIDENT'S DESK

*Dear Fellow Kiwanians:*

*This month we begin holding our meetings in our new meeting place—Silver Lake Country Club. I continue to encourage everyone to work on getting new members. Our next meeting might be a good one in which to invite prospective members as it is kind of like another new beginning.*

*The special needs playground — Stow Outdoor Accessible Recreation (S.O.A.R.) will have its grand opening and ribbon cutting on Saturday, August 30, 2008, just prior to the opening of the "Summer Sunset Blast." Invitations are being sent to all contributors and a sign acknowledging Kiwanis's lead role will be in place by that time. I look forward to seeing all of you there.*

*Yours in Kiwanis,  
Janet D'Antonio*

## CLUB PROJECTS

- Stow 4th of July Parade
- Aviation Heritage Fair at Kent State Airport
- Boundless Playground
- Tree Planting — Arbor Day
- Cleanup Day at Camp Manatoc
- Stow Adopt-A-Spot
- Breakfast with Santa
- Mobile Meals

## Sponsorships

- Circle K at Kent State
- Key Club at SMF High School
- K-Kids
- Builders Club
- Various Scholarships

## CALENDAR



- August 6—Board Meeting at Red Lobster at Noon.
- August 13—Regular Meeting at **Silver Lake Country Club** at Noon.
- August 27—Regular Meeting at **Silver Lake Country Club** at Noon.
- Sept. 3—Board Meeting at Red Lobster at Noon.

## WORTH NOTING



Beginning this month, our regular membership meetings will be held at **Silver Lake Country Club at Noon**. The price for lunch will be \$11.00 and will be a buffet that includes 2 entrees, a vegetable, a starch, a salad and coffee or tea. If you do not regularly attend each meeting, you will be asked to call or email Pam Daerr no later than the day before the meeting to reserve a spot at 330-689-2812 or [pdaerr@stow.oh.us](mailto:pdaerr@stow.oh.us). You will be sent a regular reminder.



## INSTALLATION MEETING

At our September 24 meeting we will be installing our new officers. Please plan to attend as we welcome our new officers and board members as well as acknowledging those stepping down.

## CLUB NOTES

### SUMMER SUNSET BLAST

August 30-31—Noon until 11p.m. at Silver Springs Park.



Our group will be participating in this event and will be selling cookies and brownies. Some help will be needed. A sign up sheet will be available at the next meeting and also on our website at [www.kiwanissmf.org](http://www.kiwanissmf.org).

### AVIATION-HERITAGE FAIR AT KSU AIRPORT.

Saturday September 6, 2008. **All members are asked to participate.** There are plenty of opportunities to serve your club. There will be a set-up on Friday September 5 at the KSU Hangar starting at 4:00 p.m. Much help will be needed with the Pancake Breakfast from 7a.m.-1p.m. Then we will be selling hotdogs in the afternoon, and finally clean up.

There will be many exciting things happening throughout the day and you will be glad that you were a part of such a great event.

### MAKE A DIFFERENCE DAY

Saturday, October 25, 2008. As part of Kiwanis Make a Difference Day, we partner with Hands On Stow to help clean up our community. Our designated spot is Graham Road from Fishcreek Road to Newcomer Road, as well as the High School parking lot.



### THE NEW CLUB WEBSITE IS HERE!

The official website [www.kiwanissmf.org](http://www.kiwanissmf.org) is now functional. There are still some areas currently under construction, but it is now a useful tool we should all try to use when signing up for functions, submitting monthly reports, and keeping up-to-date on what is happening in our club. Feel free to offer any suggestions to Ron DeGrand.



### COMMITTEE MEMBERS

It is that time of the year to sign up to be on a 2008-2009 Committee. You can go to the website to sign up or do it at the August meeting. Please give some thought to how you can be best used as a Kiwanian—then plan to be an active participant. You are important to our success.

### AUGUST HISTORY

Aug. 3—Christopher Columbus set sail seeking a westerly route to the Far East.

Aug 5—(1962) Marilyn Monroe died at the age of 36.

Aug 6—The first Atomic bomb was dropped over Hiroshima at 8:15 a.m.

Aug 9—Richard Nixon resigned as President of the United States.

Aug 14—President Roosevelt signed the Social Security Act which guarantees pensions to those who retire at age 65.

Aug 15—Woodstock began!

Aug 18—The 19th Amendment was ratified to give women the right to vote.

Aug 27—Mother Teresa was born

## KIWANIS INFORMATION

Founded in 1915 and headquartered in Indianapolis, IN, Kiwanis International is a thriving organization of service- and community-minded men and women who support children and young adults worldwide.

More than 8,000 Kiwanis clubs in more than 70 countries make their mark by responding to the needs of their communities and pooling their resources to address worldwide issues.

Through these efforts, Kiwanis International is truly "Serving the Children of the World."

FOR INFORMATION ON BECOMING A KIWANIS CLUB MEMBER, PLEASE SEND ANY INQUIRIES IN CARE OF:

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STOW-MUNROE FALLS  
P.O. BOX 1875  
STOW, OH 44224

### DO YOU HAVE SOMETHING TO ADD

If you have any news or would like to have something included in the newsletter, please contact Pam Daerr at 330-689-2812 or at [pdaerr@stow.oh.us](mailto:pdaerr@stow.oh.us)

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