



**Kiwaniis**  
CLUB OF EDINBORO

August 2024

# Edinboro **KIWANIAN**

**PENNSYLVANIA DISTRICT**

Conrad Schlesinger, Governor  
Kiwaniis Club of Lock Haven

**REGION ONE**

Cathy Szymanski (Erie)  
Trustee

**DIVISION ONE**

Val Rose (Ft. LeBoeuf)  
Lt. Governor

**EDINBORO KIWANIS**

Patti Loomis, President

Erica Bickel, Secretary  
724-719-7856

Mark Baker, Treasurer  
814-897-5792

**BOARD MEMBERS**

Missy Abbott (2022-2024)

Al Leonzi (2022-2024)

Patty Niswonger (2022-2024)

Cheryl Harney (2023-2024)

Pat Baker (2023-2025)

Mark Hutchison (2023-2025)

**MONTHLY MEETING**

4th Tuesday, 7:00 p.m., Zoom

**SOCIAL**

2nd Tuesday, 7:30 a.m. at  
Perkins Restaurant

3rd Wednesday, 6:30 p.m. at  
Crossroads Dinor

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First, the bad news —

At the International Convention, an amendment was passed raising dues \$25 for each Kiwanis member. Ok, yes, that sounds like a lot, but look at it this way: That’s just \$2.09 per month. Just once a month, skip a cup of coffee or fries with your Big Mac, and you’ve got it covered.

Good news —

There is no increase in dues for the Pennsylvania District or the Club.

More good news —

You can avoid this dues increase, and any other increase in the future, by applying for Lifetime Membership. In order to enjoy lifetime membership (as Judi Pacileo and I have been doing for many years), you just need to pay 15 years x the base dues (\$52 International and \$45 District). The total would be \$1,455. As you can see on the chart on page 2, the amount you have to pay after that is minimal.

**But there’s a catch!** In order to avoid the increase, this must be processed before September 15. Contact Erica for both applications.

*The Kiwanis Club of Edinboro has been serving the community since 1986. We are well known as a club that gets things done ... especially programs for children. We are a strong club, and I believe with all my heart that we will be around for many years to come! — Patti*

*Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to improving the world one child and one community at a time.*

**ALL MEMBERS ARE ASKED TO ATTEND OUR MEETING  
TO APPROVE THE DUES STRUCTURE  
TUESDAY, AUGUST 27, 7:00 p.m., on Zoom**

**PROPOSED -- BASED ON \$25 INTERNATIONAL INCREASE, effective 10/1/2024**

**2024-25 DUES**

	<b>International*</b>	<b>District</b>	<b>Club</b>	<b>Total</b>
Individual	\$107.00	\$ 45.00	\$ 8.00	\$160.00
Married couple	\$206.00	\$ 90.00	\$ 16.00	\$312.00
District Life	\$ 82.00	-0-	\$ 8.00	\$ 90.00
Int/District Life	\$ 30.00	-0-	\$ 8.00	\$ 38.00

\* Dues \$77, magazine \$8, insurance \$22



***To our newest member — Shari Gould!***

Recently retired from PennWest Edinboro, Shari fell in love with Kiwanis after helping out at Kids Day and the Duck Race. We are working on getting another reading program in place, and Shari is anxious to share her time with the little ones.

Shari has been in Edinboro for many years and active in the community, so you probably already know her. When you see her, be sure to say “hi” and share a friendly Kiwanis welcome!

## YOUR 2024-2025 OFFICERS AND BOARD

**PRESIDENT:** Missy Abbott - member since April 2019, Kids Day chair and so much more!

**SECRETARY:** Erica Bickel - member since October 2023, a quick learner when it comes to being secretary

**TREASURER:** Mark Baker - member since November 2020, a numbers whiz

**BOARD MEMBER 2023-2024:** Ray Dengel, charter member

**BOARD MEMBERS 2022-2024:** Mark Hutchison, Pat Baker

**BOARD MEMBERS 2024-2026:** Al Leonzi, Patty Noswonger, Judi Pacileo

# DUCK RACE 2024



## JUST THE FACTS ...

100% Member participation!

- 1,820 tickets sold (surpassing last year's 1,674 and 1,719 in 2022)
  - 1,341 tickets sold by members
  - 239 sold by GM Marching Band
  - 115 sold by Ft. LeBoeuf Marching Band
  - 27 sold by Builders Club
  - 8 sold by Key Club
  - 37 sold at Chances, 34 at Erin's Hair Garage, 20 at Brink Ink
- 207 total prizes awarded including \$1,800 in cash
- NET PROFIT OF APPROX. \$7,200

*Cut off the bottom half of this page and put it on your fridge so you'll always have it!*



## ZOOM MEETINGS BY PHONE — 4TH TUESDAY, 7:00 P.M.

1. DIAL: 929-205-6099
2. IF ASKED, ENTER MEETING ID: 844 1533 5282
3. USE THIS PASSCODE: 217384



### HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Judi Pacileo ..... August 4  
 Mary Ropp ..... August 14  
 Jon Foulkrod ..... August 26

### HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

Erica and Alan Bickel ..... August 12  
 Joan and Ray Dengel ..... August 20

### MEMBERSHIP MILESTONES

Fran Dietz ..... August 2000

# DUCK RACE 2024 – PHOTO ALBUM



*Thanks for the great photos,*