



# THE PLAGIARIST

THE NEWSLETTER OF THE KIWANIS CLUB OF GLENDALE, NEW YORK

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Meeting Notice for September 5, 2024



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*Editor's Note: This week was a very special one for me. Celebrating my 70<sup>th</sup> Birthday started with a surprise party at Plattduetsche Park with family and friends, followed by a vacation in Cape May, NJ. We had a very special guest bulletin editor today. See you next week. - BK*

Today's meeting opened by our great President Ingrid in her unique fashion with an invocation by Past First Lady Karen, followed by the Pledge and 'My Country Tis of Thee'. Ingrid then introduced our past leaders.

Our **Guests Today** were Tina Kotnick, along member Frank who gave a warming speech about his bladder cancer and recovery. He thanked the club for their prayers and best wishes. Frank stated that he is now cancer free. We all gave them a warm Kiwanis welcome. Guest Bob Scheer and potential member, son of our legendary member Charlie Scheer. Past President Paul Miceli spoke about what Charlie meant to the club and the Glendale community. Many members expressed their own memories of Charlie.

Vinny Arcuri was in attendance with his aide Maria. So good to see Vinny, another Glendale Kiwanis legend, at the meeting. Trudy had her daughter Trudie and a friend.

DPP Fred Haller, our Glendale Kiwanis historian, had his staff with him and gave a very informative program about Wills and Trusts. Many questions from members were answered by Fred.

Our longtime waitress Kelly announced that she will be leaving to pursue her studies. Glendale Kiwanis thanked Kelly for her hard work and dedication. It was an emotional moment when Kelly thanked the club. She will be missed but we wish her all the best.

After 38 years in the club this is my first newsletter, harder than any half time talk.

PP Paul Miceli

## Club News:

On Saturday, September 7, we will be back at the Shops at Atlas Park for our annual **Community Day** event. As we do every year, we will be joined by community organizations, local vendors and Kiwanis groups. Our Club Musical Director PP Ken Voisin will be organizing the entertainment, including two dance academies, an open karaoke microphone, and keyboard selections for the occasion. This year, we will be joined by several tenants of Atlas Park, including *Main Street Radiology* and *Tribeca Pediatrics* attending as our guests, plus a demonstration by *Tiger Schulmann Karate*. The owner



company of Atlas, Macerich Co., donated \$2500 to us to purchase and distribute school supplies to every child in attendance, which we will put into our signature drawstring bags. And of course, we will be cooking and distributing hot dogs to everyone. We hope the weather will cooperate, and we can have another fantastic event. See you all there.

DIPP Bruce Kramer announced that the **First Saturday Food Drive** on September 7<sup>th</sup> has been cancelled, due to our Community Day event that day. It will resume on October 5<sup>th</sup>.

On September 8<sup>th</sup>, the Glendale community will be meeting at the **9-11 Monument in Dry Harbor Park** for the annual observance of the September 11<sup>th</sup>, 2001 attacks. The solemn event will gather at 12 Noon and begin at 1pm. Myrtle Avenue and 80<sup>th</sup> Street, Glendale.

Our 71<sup>st</sup> annual **Presidents Dinner** will be held on Thursday evening, September 26<sup>th</sup>. We will be returning to *Vetro's Restaurant* in Howard Beach for our final meeting of our club year. The price for members is \$75 each, and guests are \$100. It's not too early to **Save The Date** and make plans to celebrate another great year and thank President Ingrid for her year of service. Get your money to DPP Teresa Donahue or SDPLG Bob Kueber as soon as possible.

<b>Sheriff:</b>	DPP Fred Haller III	<b>Pig:</b>	46
<b>Invocation:</b>	Karen Kramer	<b>Sheriff:</b>	DPLG Kerrie Hansen
<b>Happy \$:</b>	298		
<b>Next Meeting:</b>	Ridgewood Historical Society		

**Calendar of Events:**

<b>Sept 7</b>	Community Day	@ Atlas Park	11:00 - 3:00pm
<b>Sept 12</b>	Charter Day / Past Presidents Part 2	@ Züm Stammtisch	12:30pm
<b>Sept 19</b>	"Name the Names"	@ Züm Stammtisch	12:30pm
<b>Sept 20</b>	<b>KPTC Black &amp; White Ball</b>	@ Leonard's Palazzo	7:00pm
<b>Sept 24</b>	Board of Directors Meeting	@ Yer Man's Pub	7:00pm
<b>Sept 26</b>	<b>71<sup>st</sup> Presidents Dinner</b>	@ Vetro's Restaurant	7:00pm



We meet every Thursday, 12:30pm at Züm Stammtisch,  
 located at 69-46 Myrtle Ave, Glendale, NY 11385 (unless otherwise specified)  
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