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A trio of south side seniors recently received Kiwanis scholarships. Pictured (from left) are the students, their high schools, scholarships and college plans:

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- *Calvin Goah, Perry Meridian, also \$600 from the club, will study aerospace engineering or financial engineering at Columbia Univ.*
- *Doris Dong, Southport, \$1,200 from the Kiwanis Indiana Foundation, will attend Purdue Univ. to study pharmacy*

Dr. Frank Giles, associate superintendent of operations for Perry Township Schools, presented the scholarships. Parents and school administrators also attended. "We are proud of these seniors and wish them great success in the future," said President Steve Hadley. "The club's annual Fish Fry, BBQ and More, this year on July 17-18, continues to provide funding for these scholarships."

— Photo courtesy Shirley Branham

Schedule of Programs

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SPEAKER</u>
June 4	Business meeting
June 11	Karen Wilkerson, Greater Greenwood Arts Council
June 18	Loren Minnix, President; & Dennis Parrish, volunteer; Warrior's Hope
June 25	Mark Wallis, Dir. Mktg., Rosegate Commons, Amer. Sr. Communities

The club meets at 7 a.m. Thursdays at IHOP restaurant, 7521 U.S. 31 S. Visitors welcome!



The Countdown Begins



Steve Hadley
Lieutenant Governor

In just a few weeks, club members from 35 countries will gather in Indianapolis for the 100th Anniversary Kiwanis International Convention, June 25-28. Already, with the city and airport are festooned in signs and banners announcing the event.

Consider: A dozen welcoming billboards dot the city around I-465, the entire north side of Kiwanis headquarters is draped with a 100th Anniversary sign visible from the interstate, and Kiwanis banners swing from Visit Indy signs on street poles downtown. On Georgia Street, Kiwanis celebration activities will mimic a Super Bowl party.

At the airport, a huge 30' x 30' floor sign will greet Kiwanians at the bottom of the escalators in the baggage claim area as they are escorted there by our Airport Reception Volunteers. From there, the VIP Transportation Committee takes over. Drivers located across the street will be "ready to roll," transporting guests to hotels downtown, and our front-end hospitality mission will be complete.

How will we get this done? We have 34 VIP Transportation Volunteers on stand-by. We have flight schedules for about 25 of the estimated 150 VIPs. As we receive additional schedules, we will assign volunteers. In case of delayed flights, we have anticipated a need to have back-up drivers/volunteers available, living within 10 minutes of the airport.

A finale note: By all means, do not miss the convention celebration. Kiwanians visiting from all over the world will give you a feeling of pride to be a Kiwanian. Please find the opportunity to participate in some way. You'll be happy you did. Remember that the Indiana District Convention is free in the Indiana Convention Center 1-4 Thursday, June 25. Come downtown, just to see what Visit Indy, Kiwanis and Indianapolis are doing for you.

We are looking forward to simply enjoying the moment and doing our best to serve with true Hoosier hospitality. Let the fun begin!

Thank you for your interest and your support during this special 100th year.

District Celebration Planned

Join fellow Kiwanians at the Indiana District Celebration on Thursday, June 25, 4:30 - 6:30 p.m. at Howl at the Moon. Your \$50 ticket includes a dinner buffet, two beverages and live music entertainment. Tickets will not be sold onsite. For details, visit the Events page of the Indiana District website at www.indkiw.org. And don't forget the free Indiana District Convention earlier that day, scheduled for 1-4 p.m. at the Indiana Convention Center.

Riley Tour Scheduled

Plans for a tour of Riley Children's Hospital have been firmed up for the club, and all members are encouraged to participate.

According to Secretary Stacey Dahmen, event coordinator, the tour will take place on Saturday, June 6, beginning at 10 a.m. The tour should last 60-90 minutes, depending on the size of the group, she said. "Please respond to my email invitation, or just send me an email. You won't want to miss this special tour of Riley, an organization that has a unique and long history with the Kiwanis organization."



Stacey Dahmen

Legislature Declares June 26 "Kiwanis Day"

The Indiana General Assembly recently passed a resolution commending Kiwanis International and its members for "improving millions of lives in thousands of communities."

The resolution was introduced by State Rep.

Christina Hale, a member of the Kiwanis

Club of Indianapolis

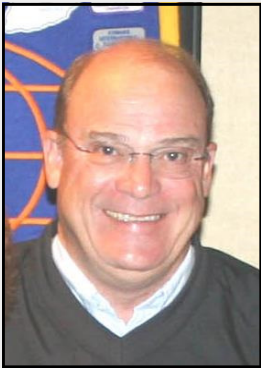
and a former executive at Kiwanis International.

It recognizes thou-

sands of Indiana Kiwanians "for making this state and its communities better places to live."

And it urges Gov. Mike Pence "to proclaim June 26 as Kiwanis Day in Indiana as thousands of Kiwanis family members from around the world will come together in Indianapolis to celebrate the 100th anniversary of Kiwanis."





Les Branham

Drawing Held to Recognize Concession Stand Effort

A lot of work and energy went into manning the concession stand this past Spring. In fact, according to Secretary Stacey Dahmen, it was a “superhuman” effort. So what would be more fitting as a prize to recognize this effort than a Superman computer flash drive?!

The lucky winner of the prize was Director Les Branham. The activity was organized by Stacey, with Kevin Wheeler doing the drawing.

The Southside Times Week of May 28 – June 3, 2015

Perry Township Kiwanis awards scholarships

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Calvin Goah of Perry Meridian High School also received a \$600 scholarship from the club. He will study aerospace engineering or financial engineering at Columbia Univ.

Doris Dong of Southport High School received a \$1,200 scholarship from the Kiwanis Indiana Foundation. She will attend Purdue to study pharmacy.

Dr. Frank Giles, associate superintendent of operations for Perry Township Schools, presented the scholarships.

The Kiwanis Club of Perry Township meets at the IHOP restaurant, 7521 U.S. 31 South, on Thursdays at 7 a.m. Contact Steve Hadley, president, at (317) 710-3199 for more information, or visit kiwanisperrytownship.org.



Foresman



Goah



Dong



Kiwanis Scholarships Awarded

Kiwanis in the News

The **SouthsiderVoice** Wednesday, May 27, 2015

Kiwanis Club awards scholarships to seniors

The Kiwanis Club of Perry Township and the Kiwanis Indiana Foundation have awarded scholarships to Kristen Foresman, Calvin Goah and Doris Dong.

Foresman, who graduated from Roncalli on Friday, received a \$600 scholarship to study occupational therapy at Marian University.

Goah, graduating Friday from Perry Meridian, also received a \$600 scholarship, which he will apply to his studies in engineering at Columbia.

Dong, who will graduate from Southport on Friday, was presented a \$1,200 scholarship. She plans to study pharmacy at Purdue.

“We are proud of these seniors and wish them great success in the future,” said club President Steve Hadley, who added that the scholarships are funded through the club’s annual fish fry, which is July 17 and 18 at Baxter YMCA.

Kiwanis International will celebrate its centennial anniversary June 25-28 in Indianapolis, site of its headquarters. The local club meets every Thursday at 7 p.m. at IHOP, 7521 S. U.S. 31, where visitors are welcome.



SUBMITTED PHOTO

Recipients of the scholarships are (from left) Kristin Foresman, Calvin Goah and Doris Dong.



Perry Township Kiwanis

We meet every Thursday at the International House of Pancakes on South US 31 at 7:00 am.



Serving the
Children
of the World



The six permanent Objects of Kiwanis International.

- *To give primacy to the human and spiritual rather than to the material values of life.*
- *To encourage the daily living of the Golden Rule in all human relationships.*
- *To promote the adoption and the application of higher social, business, and professional standards.*
- *To develop, by precept and example, a more intelligent, aggressive, and serviceable citizenship.*
- *To provide, through Kiwanis clubs, a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service, and to build better communities.*
- *To cooperate in creating and maintaining that sound public opinion and high idealism which make possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism, and goodwill.*

Kiwanis FAQ

How/Where/When did Kiwanis begin?

The first Kiwanis club was organized in Detroit, Michigan, USA, on January 21, 1915. A year later the Kiwanis Club of Hamilton, Ontario, Canada, was chartered, and Kiwanis International grew rapidly into a leading service club in these two founding nations. In 1962, worldwide expansion was approved, and today Kiwanis clubs are active in every part of the world.

What is the Kiwanis Motto?

"Serving the Children of the World"

What does the name "Kiwanis" mean?

The name "Kiwanis" was coined from an expression in an American Indian language of the Detroit area, *Nunc Kee-wanis*, which means, "we trade" or "we have a good time."

How many Kiwanis clubs/members are there?

There are more than 8,400 Kiwanis clubs with nearly 280,000 members in 96 nations and geographic areas.

What is a Kiwanian?

An active or retired business and professional man and woman who is member of a Kiwanis club.