

# TECUMSEH KIWANIS DISPATCH

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Meeting every Wednesday at 6:30p.m. in the Tecumseh United Methodist Church

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

#### APPLE FESTIVAL

Seven club members and 4 Key Club members took admission and tickets at the Apple Festival at Old Prairie Town. There was live music, food and arts and crafts vendors. Kiwanians participating were Ken, Mary, Tom Georgia, Mike, Larry and Diana.

## **BUSINESS IS PICKING UP**

On October 23 eight Kiwanis members picked up litter along three miles of Highway 40. Those participating were Mike, Larry Diana, Doris, Tom, Mary, Ken, and Georgia. Under the auspices of the KDOT club members pick up litter three times per year.

#### PANCAKES AND FELLOWHSIP

The annual Tecumseh Kiwanis Pancake Feed and Silent Auction was held October 30. The beautiful fall day brought many people out to enjoy pancakes, sausage, eggs, coffee and juice. Treasurer Cindy reports, a profit of nearly \$2,900. Approximately \$1,800 from the Auction and \$1,100 from the Pancake Feed. Proceeds were up from last year by nearly \$300. We had help from 5 members of the SHHS Key Club. They served sausage, pancakes and drinks. We appreciate and welcome their participation.

KEY CLUB MEMBER LEANDRA SERVES UP SAUSAGE

SPOOKEY!

MUST BE HALLOWEEN

### **OCTOBER PROGRAMS**

**Sept. 29** – We were visited by KS. Dist. Gov. John Martel and his wife Bea. Gov John inspired us to continue our goods works and service. Dot Leakey Dist. Chairperson for ELIMINATE, shared information and stories about Kiwanis Int. WWSP.

Oct. 06 - Nancy Daniels, Executive Dir. Of Big Brothers Big Sister spoke to us about the need for more "Bigs"

**Oct. 13** - JoAnn Long, Executive Dir. Of Development of KS Capital Area Chapter of the American Red Crosss spoke of the many classes, and programs, and services offered by the organization.

Oct. 20 - Dinnette Tipton, Executive Dir. Of Break Through House, partnered with Valeo to provide housing and services for adults with mental illness.

**Oct.** 27 - Dave Sterbenz, Tecumseh Township Trustee reported on the State of the Township. Dave is also Emergency Management Dir. for Shawnee County.

#### INTERCLUB REPORT

Our club members fellowshipped with the following clubs during October:

October 02 Topeka South West

October 14 Berryton

October 18 Downtown Topeka

October 26 North Topeka

### **FUTURE PROGRAM CHAIRS**

Nov. 17 Install new members

Nov. 24 No meeting

Dec. 01 Ken Ertl - Roger Viola Topeka Comm. Found.

Dec. 08 Mary Ertl

Dec. 15 Christmas Party

Dec. 22 No meeting -Merry Christmas Dec. 29 No meeting - Merry Christmas

### **CORRECTIONS**

Bell Ringing: Date changed to Nov. 20

Rescue Mission: Christmas items need to be at the

Mission by Dec. 8