



Oct 26, 2022
Chicago's Pizza, Wednesdays

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ROTARY CLUB OF PLAINFIELD

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Program Update - Oct 19, 2022

Kyle Schaefer

Board Chair, Central Indiana K9 Association

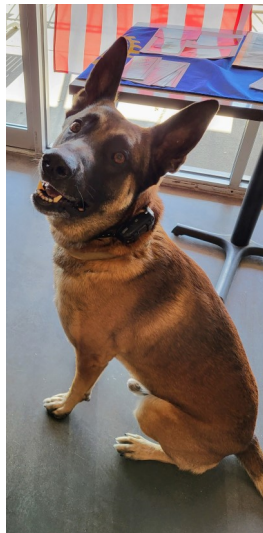


Last week, Kyle Schaefer, Board Chair of the Central Indiana K9 Association, and a Corporal & K9 Officer in the Hendricks County Sheriff's Department, visited our club to tell us more about this non-profit organization. The mission of the CIK9 is to expand the training and support of working dogs in Indiana, and to honor these brave heroes and their handlers. The association assists, unites, and promotes all working K9 Teams across Central Indiana to enhance training, education, performance, and the overall professionalism of those teams. CIK9 provides training seminars and publications to support the needs of the

200 K9 Teams across 62 law enforcement agencies in Central Indiana. Part of their mission is to raise sufficient funds to establish a K9 training facility in our region.



Plainfield Police K-9 Officer
Rob Prichard & Jocko



Jocko is friendly, if YOU
behave...

Charlie's \$2 Worth

ON MAN'S BEST FRIEND...

"The poor dog, in life the firmest friend. The first to welcome, foremost to defend."

- Lord Byron

"When you adopt a dog, you have a lot of very good days and one very bad day."

- W. Bruce Cameron

"Dogs' lives are too short. Their only fault, really."

- Agnes Sligh Turnbull

"You think dogs will not be in heaven? I tell you, they will be there long before any of us."

- Robert Louis Stevenson

"Dogs die. But dogs live, too. Right up until they die, they live. They live brave, beautiful lives. They protect their families. And love us, and make our lives a little brighter, and they don't waste time being afraid of tomorrow."

- Dan Gemeinhart

"It's not the size of the dog in the fight, it's the size of the fight in the dog."

- Mark Twain

"Does not the gratitude of the dog put to shame any man who is ungrateful to his benefactors?"

- Saint Basil

"The greatest fear dogs know is the fear that you will not come back."

- Stanley Coren

Upcoming Speakers/Events

Oct 26 - John Baer, "How to Protect Your Home's Title...For Free!"

Nov 2 - Joe Bennett - Jenna Harris from Sheltering Wings

Nov 9 - District Gov Mekey McAllen club visit

Nov 16 - NO REGULAR MEETING, Board meeting ONLY

Nov 23 - NO MEETING - THANKSGIVING EVE

Nov 30 - Rocky Turner

Dec 7 - Brian Culp

Dec 14 - Brad DuBois

Dec 21 - Jan Baer

Jan 4 - Donnie Emerson

Jan 11 - Max Hank

Club Meeting Attendance

Plainfield (3417)

Monthly Attendance Detail

September 01, 2022 through September 30, 2022

Member Name	Sep 7 2022	Sep 14 2022	Sep 28 2022	%
Ament, Susan Beth	Yes	M	Yes	100
Baer, Janet S	Yes	Yes	Yes	100
Baer, John M	Yes	Yes	Yes	100
Balzano, Candace				0
Bennett, Joseph D	Yes	Yes	Yes	100
Booher, Tom				0
Burks, Diane Arnold	Yes	M	Yes	100
Carter, Royce	Yes	Yes	Yes	100
Culp, Brian N	Yes	Yes	Yes	100
DuBois, Brad	Yes	Yes	Yes	100
Emerson, Donnie	Yes	M		66.7
Hank, Max C	M	Yes	Yes	100
Kinnamon, Daniel L	M	Yes	Yes	100
Klinger, Andrew				0
Lewis, Selina J				0
Olinger, Scott	Yes	Yes	Yes	100
Poray, Reann		Yes		33.3
Rash, Ryan Allen		Yes		33.3
Sichting, Sherry D	Yes	Yes	Yes	100
Turner, Dean F Jr.			Yes	33.3
Williams, David J				0

LEGEND: Y or Yes=Attended, X=Excused Absence, M=Make-Up



UPCOMING SPEAKER ASSIGNMENTS

Please carefully examine the schedule below and let Max Hank know who you have obtained as a speaker for your date.

Aug 3 Candace Balzano	Dec 14 Brad DuBois
Aug 10 Max Hank	Dec 21 Jan Baer
Aug 17 Andrew Klinger	Jan 4 Donnie Emerson
Aug 24 Selina Lewis	Jan 11 Max Hank
Aug 31 Montie Manning	Jan 25 Daniel Kinnamon
Sep 7 Scott Olinger	Feb 1 Andrew Klinger
Sep 14 Ryan Rash	Feb 8 Selina Lewis
Sep 28 Sherry Sichting	Feb 15 Scott Olinger
Oct 5 Rocky Turner	Feb 22 Ryan Rash
Oct 12 David Williams	Mar 1 Sherry Sichting
Oct 19 Susan Ament	Mar 8 Reann Poray
Oct 26 John Baer	Mar 22 Rocky Turner
Nov 2 Joe Bennett	Mar 29 David Williams
Nov 9 N/A - DG Visit	Apr 5 Susan Ament
Nov 30 Diane Burks	Apr 12 John Baer
Dec 7 Brian Culp	Apr 19 Candace Balzano

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!
OCTOBER

Daniel Kinnamon - Oct 9
Diane Burks - Oct 13

Little Free Library Maintenance Schedule

Oct 5-11 Royce Carter
Oct 12-18 Joe Bennett
Oct 19-25 Max Hank
Oct 26-Nov 1 Sherry Sichting
Nov 2-8 Brad DuBois
Nov 9-15 Joe Bennett
Nov 16-22 Max Hank
Nov 23-29 Brian Culp
Nov 30-Dec 6 Royce Carter

Please check supply, refill as needed.
Report any damage to Joe Bennett.
Books are available at the Library.

SPEED BUMP



Committees and Chairs

Bulletin: Max Hank

Finance: Joe Bennett

Foundation: John Baer

Fundraising : Selina Lewis

Golf Outing: John Baer, Brad Dubois

Crew Car Wash: Sherry Sichting

Membership: Daniel Kinnamon

Orientation: John Baer & Diane Burks

Programs: Ryan Rash & Max Hank

PR & Website: John Baer

Quaker Day Parade & Picnic: TBD

Service Committees: Royce Carter

Literacy/LFL: Joe Bennett

Teacher of the Year: Max Hank

Youth: Diane Burks

Interact and RYLA: Diane Burks

Scholarships: Max Hank

Straight-A Salute: Sherry Sichting

The Imagination & Idea Labs: Diane Burks

4-Way Test

OF THE THINGS WE THINK, SAY AND DO

1. IS IT THE TRUTH?
2. IS IT FAIR TO ALL CONCERNED?
3. WILL IT BUILD GOODWILL AND BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
4. WILL IT BE BENEFICIAL TO ALL CONCERNED?
- (5. IS IT FUN?)

2023 Plainfield Community School Corporation Teachers of the Year



Nathan Ellis, 2023 Middle/High School Teacher of the Year & Karisa Schwanekamp, 2023 Elementary School Teacher of the Year



Teacher of the Year winners Nathan and Karisa with Rotarians from L-R, Laura DelVecchio, Brad DuBois, Royce Carter, Beth Shepperd, Jan Baer, Scott Olinger, John Baer, Joe Bennett, Diane Burks, & Max Hank

During a competitive interview process this past May, in which your club participated, Karisa Schwanekamp, a 4th Grade Teacher from Guilford Elementary, was selected as the Plainfield Schools Elementary Teacher of the Year. In that same competition, Nathan Ellis, a Teacher at Plainfield Community Middle School, was selected as the Middle/High School Teacher of the Year. On Wednesday, October 19, your Rotary club continued a long-standing tradition, along with the Town of Plainfield and the Plainfield Community School Corporation, in honoring our town's 2023 Teachers of the Year. The winners will be remembered in perpetuity with trees planted in their names in Friendship Gardens. They were also presented with small gifts and plaques from Rotary celebrating their accomplishments.

These two teachers take pride in making sure that the learning in their classrooms is exciting, engaging, and innovative. Mr. Ellis starts every class with a competition, which ensures that students are attentive from the beginning of the class period. With his "Flavor of Friday" experience, he ensures that students are able to try food and drink from all over the world. Students are given opportunities to try something new each Friday, knowing that if they succeed, their names will be added to his wall in perpetuity. This makes for an experience that students have been known to talk about for years afterward.

Mrs. Schwanekamp challenges her students to look around their worlds to find problems and solutions. She has partnered with 'Learning Possible,' where her students researched careers, paired up, used their career skills and solved a real-world problem, such as saving the sea turtles, hunger issues for the elderly, an educational game for the blind, and homelessness for families. Her students took 3 of the 6 top places in the competition! Her continual quest to involve her students in nationwide encounters creates a love of global citizenship that her students will take with them forever.

Classroom instruction and impact is a significant part of the Teacher of the Year consideration, but community service is also a large component. Mr. Ellis is the assistant athletic director at PCMS, where he founded the PCMS Unified Track and Unified Basketball Teams. These teams give our special education students the chance to compete at a middle-school level against other local schools. Mrs. Schwanekamp's students have twice organized the Heart and Sole Shoe Drive, a shoe drive to benefit Changing Footprints. In 2022, the drive collected 646 pairs of shoes to be redistributed or repurposed, instead of ending up in a landfill.

Congratulations to Karisa and Nathan and good luck to them as they represent Plainfield Schools in the Indiana Teacher of the Year competition!