-Greater Woodbury Kiwanis **KRONICLE**

Meeting: 1st, 2nd, 4th, 5th Thursdays at Noon

3rd Thur at 6:30: Charlie Brown's Jim Meehan: President 2014-2015 **Betty Limanni: Secretary 2014-2015** www.kiwaniswoodburynj.com



Chartered 11/15/1923 **NJ District Division 2 Club** December 2014

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December Birthdays: December Birthdays: 12/3-Claire Essig, ENJOY YOUR BIRTHDAY !!!!!

Programs for December

December 4th – Mayor's Breakfast at 7AM at Auletto's \$20.00

December 11th - Board Meeting at Kemble at 1AM

December 11th – Evening meeting at Charlie Brown's – Holiday Party

December 18th - Lunch Meeting Speaker is Dr. Quint Superintendent of Paulsboro

December 25th – No Meeting Enjoy the holiday season with family and friends



The Terrific Kids schedule for December is as follows:

Thursday, December 11th at 8:45AM - West End School

Tuesday, December 16th at 9:00AM - Evergreen School

Tuesday, December 16th at 2:PM - Walnut Street School

Thursday, December 18th at 8:25AM - Woodbury Heights School

Any member who wants to attend on these dates is welcome.

Kathleen O'Connor reports to us on happenings at the Child Development Center. Roxanne Long read to the 6 to 24 month old children at the end of October. Roxanne brought puppets and captivated the children each of whom received a book to take home with them from our Kiwanis Club.

On December 17th Santa Clause aka Stanley El will read to the children and again our club with gift the children with books. All Kiwanians are welcome at 10am at the center. Ho! Ho! Ho!

Claire Essig says on the 12th of November we had 8 St John of God students bowl at the Westbrook Bowling Center. Connie, George and Claire enjoyed themselves.

Pick up for Poinsettias will be Thursday, December 4th and Thursday, December 11th at Morris Graphics.

The coat drive in conjunction with the Aktion Club will take place Nov 1 through Dec 15th. You may drop off new or slightly used coats to Jeff Morris's or bring to our club meeting. Thank you for supporting our coat drive with the Aktion Club.

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Dates to remember:

December 4th - Mayor's breakfast at Auletto's @\$20.00

December 4th and 11th pick up for poinsettias at Morris Graphics

December 11th – Evening meeting (2nd Thurs) Holiday dinner celebration

February --- Spaghetti dinner

February 21, 2015 – Midwinter Conference at Mercer County College

April 11, 2015 - Kiwanis One Day with the Arc Gloucester & our Key Clubs

April 24, 2015 - KI Int'l President John Button's Centennial visit to NY & NJ District

June 25-28, 2015 – KI 100th Anniversary International Convention in Indianapolis, Indiana

August 21-23, 2015 - NJ District Convention at Princeton Marriott Hotel

The YMCA of Gloucester County and the Gloucester County Mayor's Association present The 23rd Mayor's Prayer Breakfast Thursday, December 4 @ 7:00AM at Auletto's Caterers

The Guest speaker is Mark Whitacre

Mark Whitacre is an IVY League Ph.D, and the highest-ranked executive of any Fortune 500 company to become a whistleblower in U.S. history and is responsible for uncovering the ADM price-fixing scandal in the early 1990's. His undercover work with the FBI during the ADM scandal was the inspiration for the major motion picture, "The Informant," starring Matt Damon as Mark Whitacre. The ADM case landed Mark in federal prison for fraud tax evasion.

Drawing from his unique history, Mark provides one-of-a-kind insight into corporate ethics, corporate greed, and the warning signs of a flawed corporate leadership. As Mr. Douglas Burris, Chief of U.S. Federal Probation in the Eastern District of Missouri has stated publicly "The story about Mark Whitacre's redemption and second chance is one of the most inspirational stories of our time."

Since December of 2006, he has been the Chief Operating Officer (COO) and Chief Science Officer at Cypress Systems, Inc. Dr. Whitacre and his wife Ginger, have been married for 35 years and have three grown children. Ginger has been the 'super glue' who held their family together through the years when Mark was a busy Cornell Ph.D. student, to the time Mark spent in federal incarceration.

January 8, 2015 is the President's Auction: Bring your special gift with you!!











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