

# -----Greater Woodbury Kiwanis -----

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Meeting: 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup>, 5<sup>th</sup> Thursdays at Noon

3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday at 6:30 PM

Jim Meehan: President 2013-2014

Betty Limanni: Secretary 2013-2014

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Happy April Birthday to: Joan Van Note 4/8, and Dora Brown 4/29. Have a great day!  
ENJOY YOUR BIRTHDAY Everyone!!!!

### Programs for April

April 3<sup>rd</sup> – Lunch at Charlie Brown's and Board Meeting to follow

April 10<sup>th</sup> – No lunch meeting Eve: Shad dinner/election of Lt Governor at 6pm at Gia's

April 17<sup>th</sup> – Carol Stahler is the speaker

April 24<sup>th</sup> – Heather Simmons is the speaker



The Terrific Kids schedule for April is as follows:

Thursday, April 17<sup>th</sup> at 8:45AM – West End School

Thursday, April 24<sup>t</sup> at 8:25AM – Woodbury Heights School

Tuesday, April 29<sup>t</sup> at 9:00AM – Evergreen School

Tuesday, April 29<sup>h</sup> at 2:00AM – Walnut Street School

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

Bob Shryock of our local South Jersey Times writer, included an article from our President, Jim Meehan, on our Terrific Kids program. Jim is often asks why Kiwanians work as volunteers working with children. "Someone made a real difference to me (when I was) growing up." That's why our club's "terrific Kids" program has such value. "Terrific Kids focuses on students who may need a little help, many of whom might otherwise receive little encouragement or special recognition," Jim said. "It's designed to help elementary school teachers work 1-on1 with students to improve specific areas of the school experience."

Teachers work in partnership with students would like to improve upon, and goals are established for them to improve upon, and goals are established for them to achieve a level of improvement. Teachers appreciate the opportunity to reach out to all students to offer a bit of additional motivate.

Administrators like the program because an outside community group manages it but allows classroom teachers to handle details like goal-setting. They also appreciate the act that the program recognizes the entire spectrum of students and does not focus on groups who more consistently receive recognition. Our club sponsors Terrific Kids at Evergreen, West End, Walnut and Woodbury Heights schools.

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**Dates to remember:**

- April 5, 2014 – Kiwanis One Day Service Projects with our Kiwanis family clubs
  - April 9 and May 14, 2014 – Brunswick Zone Bowling Alley at 10AM. with St John of God class
  - April 10, 2014 – Shad Dinner at Gia’s Restaurant: see Betty to pay money
  - April 16, 2014 – The Easter Bunny visits the CDC at 10am
  - April 28, 2014 – A Taste of Gloucester County at Auletto’s \$60.00 6pm-8:30pm
  - April 2014 – plant fund raiser sale: see Carol for more details and questions
  - May 3, 2014 – Boys & Girls “Kentucky Derby” fund raiser
  - July 17-20, 2014 – Kiwanis International Convention in Tokyo, Japan
  - August 2014 – Key Club Officers visit
  - August 21-24, 2014 – NJ Kiwanis State Convention at Marriott Hotel, Princeton
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The Aktion Club of Gloucester County continues to meet monthly at Gloucester County College. At their recent meeting in March the members watched a video from Ronald McDonald House in Camden, which explained the mission of RMH and the support they need from volunteers throughout the community. After watching the video the Aktion Club members voted to support RMH through their next service project. They will be collecting rolls of paper towels and individual snack items that will be donated to RMH for the families that stay there. This project will continue through May 16<sup>th</sup>. The group hopes to schedule a trip to RMH to deliver the donations they collect and to take a tour of the facility. See any Aktion Club member or advisor for more information or to make a donation.

The Aktion Club of Gloucester County is looking for new members. Any young adult, age 18-35, living with a disability who wants to provide service to others is encouraged to join. More information about Aktion Club can be found at [www.aktionclub.org](http://www.aktionclub.org). For additional information about joining the Aktion Club of Gloucester County please contact Joan Van Note or George Wagoner of the Kiwanis of Greater Woodbury, or Brenda Powell at The Arc Gloucester, [bpowell@thearcgloucester.org](mailto:bpowell@thearcgloucester.org).

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Carol made a presentation at our March 20<sup>th</sup> meeting about our Second Annual Kiwanis Spring Flower Sale. Michael William Florist & Greenhouse will be providing the flowers for our sale and he is located in West Deptford. Directions to his greenhouse is south on Crown Point Road to NJ Motor Vehicle and make the first left (at Red Bank Inn) onto Fowler Road and the nursery is at the end of the road. She handed out order forms and vouchers and explained this year our customers will be able to choose the variety and colors of the flowers they would like to purchase on pick up day May 3, 2014 from 10 am to 4 pm. We will be selling flats of begonias, impatiens, petunias, vinca, and marigolds in a variety of colors for \$13.00 per flat. Our customers will be able to mix and match varieties and colors to make a flat of 32 plants if they choose. We will also be selling 4 ½ inch potted plants including large geraniums for \$2.00 each and 10” hanging baskets for \$15.00 each. Orders and money are due no later than May 1<sup>st</sup>.

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A trip to Winterthur is coming up on May 9th. Admission and Transportation is \$52.00. The bus will leave the Deptford Municipal building at 9:45am and return 5:00pm. Money is due by May 1st.

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