

the official newsletter of the
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Meetings

Regular meetings are held every Tuesday at 12:15pm in the Garden Room, Elks Lodge, 289 Willowdale Dr., Frederick, MD 21702

Congratulations to Most-Improved Students!

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Courtesy photo

Sitting, from left: Barry Johnson II (Walkersville Middle School), Christopher Heron (Monocacy Middle School), Sophie Ohin (Monocacy Valley Montessori School), Jallyah Douglass (Brunswick Middle School), Adleigh Davis (Frederick Classical Charter School), Janet Adams (Crestwood Middle School), Christopher Dewit (Ballenger Creek Middle School). Standing, from left: Anthony Camelotto (Middletown Middle School), Michael Cerda (Windsor Knolls Middle School), Lucas Long (New Market Middle School), Amonte James (Gov. Thomas Johnson Middle School), Levi Salami (Urbana Middle School), John Jefferson (Oakdale Middle School), Colette Baker (Kiwanian). Unable to attend: London Manley (Carroll Creek Montessori School), Logan Free (Thurmont Middle School), and Ukbawi Hmung (West Frederick Middle School).

Kiwanis Club honors most-improved students

FOR THE NEWS-POST

The Kiwanis Club of Frederick recently recognized the most-improved Frederick County middle school students for the 2023-2024

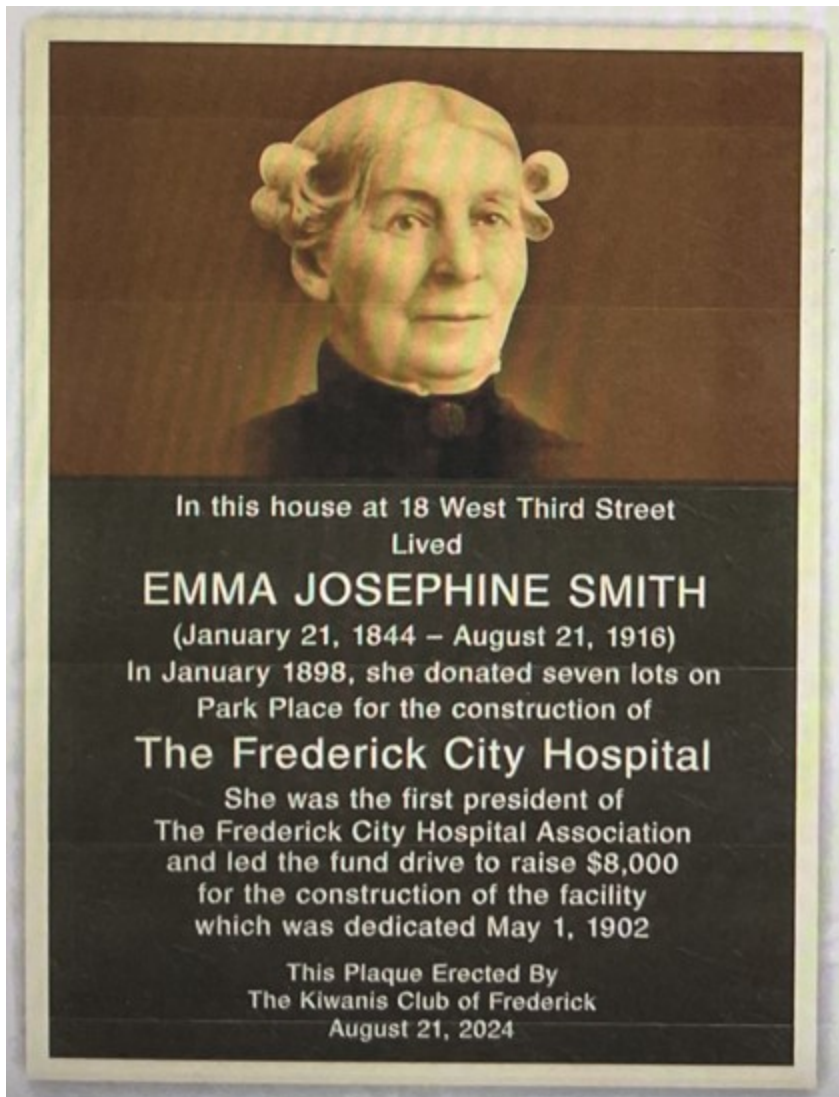
academic year.

Family, friends, teachers, and school administrators joined club members in honoring the students for their improvements in academ-

ics, citizenship, class participation and leadership.

The Kiwanis Club of Frederick has recognized most-improved students since 1990.

Frederick Club Recognizes Historical Figure: Here is what it will look like!



Over the years, numerous plaques have been dedicated to outstanding Frederick residents by the Frederick Kiwanis club. Recently, the board approved recognizing Emma Josephine Smith with a plaque which will be placed on her 3rd St. residence at a dedication ceremony on August 21.

"More than a century ago, Emma Smith had a dream of opening a hospital for her community, and she remained committed to making this vision a reality. Her vision—along with the generosity of the Frederick community—led to Frederick Health being built on a solid foundation of philanthropy. Not only was Emma the first president of the hospital, she generously donated the land on which Frederick Health resides, and she worked tirelessly with her dedicated group of women to raise the \$8,000 needed to open the original hospital. "

Local historian of reknown and former club member, John Ashbury, will be the speaker at our club's June 25th meeting to update us on this special recognition.

Yesterday

Items from the files of

The Frederick News-Post

50 Years Ago

June 20, 1974

Two county youths who found a wallet containing \$253 and returned it to the out of state owner will be honored for their honesty by the Kiwanis Club of Frederick. Tommy Leach, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. S.D. Leach of Woodsboro, and Richard Baugher, 15, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Baugher Sr. of Walkersville, are the two boys.

100 Years Ago

June 11, 1924 Joining in with all of the 1,240 Kiwanis Clubs in the United States and Canada, which will meet simultaneously at the same hour, the Kiwanis Club of Frederick will hold a special meeting on "All Kiwanis Night," June 16, at 8:30 p.m. At this time, the opening session of the eighth annual International Kiwanis Convention will be held in Denver, Colorado. The local club will be represented at the Denver convention by Leslie N. Coblentz, president. annual commencement The exercises of St. Euphemia's Parochial School, Emmitsburg, was held Tuesday morning.

Ashbury updates Club on Smith Plaque Dedication



Local historian and researcher John Ashbury (left) recently updated the club regarding the upcoming dedication of a new plaque at the home of Emma Smith, benefactor to Frederick Health (formerly Frederick Memorial Hospital). Ashbury is shown being presented with a club Challenge Coin as a thank-you gift by Pres. Richard Cutting.

Happy Birthday Lauri!

At a recent meeting, members gathered around to wish Sec. Lauri Cutting a Happy Birthday. (L to R) Bob Kaufmann, Sue Vona, Lauri Cutting, Richard Cutting and Ron Williams.



Exploring Playground Options

The club is exploring options regarding providing funds to build a playground for kids within Frederick County. While still early in the decision making process, the club thought it wise to invite Tim Boyle from Playground Specialists, Inc. of Thurmont to explain various options we might want to consider. Tim has a lot of experience with building such structures within Frederick county and is familiar with the laws and ordinances related there to. Shown right are Pres. Richard Cutting presenting Boyle with a Thank You gift as Ray Ediger looks on.



Richard Cutting Participates in 2024 Run for The Fallen!

Richard Cutting participated in the June 2024 Run for the Fallen on day 3, Utica to Sharon Springs NY. Richard was a member of the Combat Veterans Motorcycle Association who participated as Honor Guard flag bearers at each stop. Each day, runners run relays of 3 or more Miles with flags held high. Overall run is 200 miles in 4 days. Each day is about 50 miles.

At each stop, names of fallen first responder since the war on terror are read. This year that total was over 1300 names. As each name is read, small flags are held high and if present given to family of the fallen. The names are evenly divided over the stops for the 4 days.

This year was particularly trying as only Saturday afternoon was rain and wind free. (See pics on this page and the next.)



(Left) Support vehicle

(Below) Honor and Remember flag.





(Top left) Run participants

(Middle left) Honor and Sacrifice flag.

(Middle right) Ceremony prep

(Bottom) Run begins



Upcoming Events:

Our Annual Kiwanis Picnic is July 23rd and held at PineCliff @ 5:00 – Please sign up for attendees and what you will bring to share [salad or dessert]. Or let Lauri know as soon as possible. There will be a \$5 cost for meat items. Stuff the bus items will be collected at the picnic.

School Supply Ideas: These ideas we sent in your reminder this week. Crayons, Glue sticks Scissors, Rulers, Pencils,

highlighters, Ink pens, Notebook paper, Spiral notebooks, Composition Books, Plastic supply box, Divider Tabs, 3 ring binders

Emma Josephine Smith Plaque *New Information*: There will be a presentation on August 21st @ 10:30 at 18 West Third Street, Frederick. We would like as many Kiwanians to attend this special event and wear their Kiwanis shirt and/or something showing you are a Kiwanis member.

Kiwanis Keys Game will take place August 21st @ 6:00 p.m. Roz has the tickets.

Night Meetings (cleared by the Elks) to begin the 4th Tuesday of each month starting August 27th.

In the Streets will take place September 14th – [There is a sign up sheet with blanks] We need volunteers for 12:-2:00 (2 persons), 2:00 – 4:00 (2 persons) and take down 4:00 – 5:00 (2 persons). If anyone can fill any of the open slots, please let Lauri know.

Installation of Officers Meeting: September 24th, at 6:00 p.m. It will be a dinner meeting at a cost of \$25 each. Choice of Beef, Chicken or Fish entree with potato and vegetable. Dessert provided by the Kiwanis Club.



These topics were recently being discussed by the Club's BOD:

KEY CLUBS – Colette Baker

Gov. Thomas Johnson High

Middletown High

Tuscarora High

Urbana

Walkersville

UNFINISHED BUSINESS

Night Meetings (cleared by the Elks) to begin the 4th Tuesday of each month starting July 23rd. Roz to please notify.

Plaque Update: Motion to ratify the motion to order the Josephine Smith Plaque at the cost of \$1,566.00. Motion was made by Ray E. seconded by Roz N. on May 21, 2024. The date of presenting the plaque is scheduled for August 21st.

In the Streets Discussion

Installation of Officers Meeting: September 24th, a night meeting. Dinner to be announced.

How to get involved with the Soup Kitchen Who do we contact?

NEW BUSINESS

Stuff the Bus donation - \$200 last year

Picnic Update: To be held at Pinecliff, (at no cost) Tuesday, July 23rd, 5:00, bring a dish to share. Meats, plates, cutlery and water will be provided. School supplies will be gathered and of course a Kiwanis Kodak moment.

1. Ball Game – August 21st
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Member Monthly Volunteer Hours: May 2024

by Colette Baker

Here are volunteer hours for the month of May 2024. Be sure to report your monthly hours on the first of each month for the preceding month. Go here to do so:

<https://davidmaloney.com/machform2/embed.php?id=18517>

Middle School Recognition Banquet	4 members	30 hours	16 youth
Assist Seniors	2 members	15 hours	
Bed Build	2 members	8.5 hours	60 youth
CTC Beekeeping Mentor	1 member	12 hours	14 youth



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Upcoming Birthdays!

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