



2025-2026 OFFICERS

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Meetings

Meetings are held the 2nd and
4th Tuesday of the month in
the Garden Room, Elks Lodge,
289 Willowdale Dr., Frederick,
MD 21702

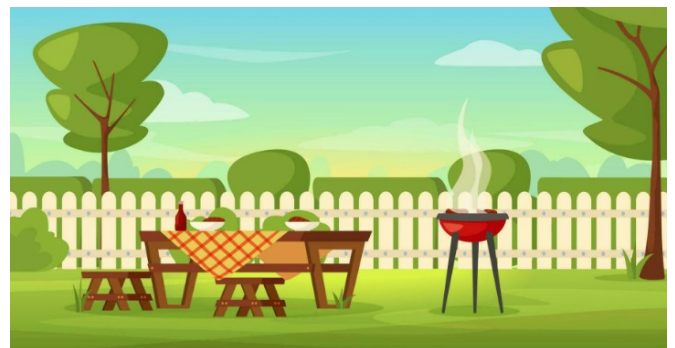


Upcoming Picnic!

Use the below the link to a SignUpGenius for the upcoming
Aug. 4th Club picnic. In the sign up, you may RSVP and sign up
to bring an appetizer/side dish/dessert/beverage!

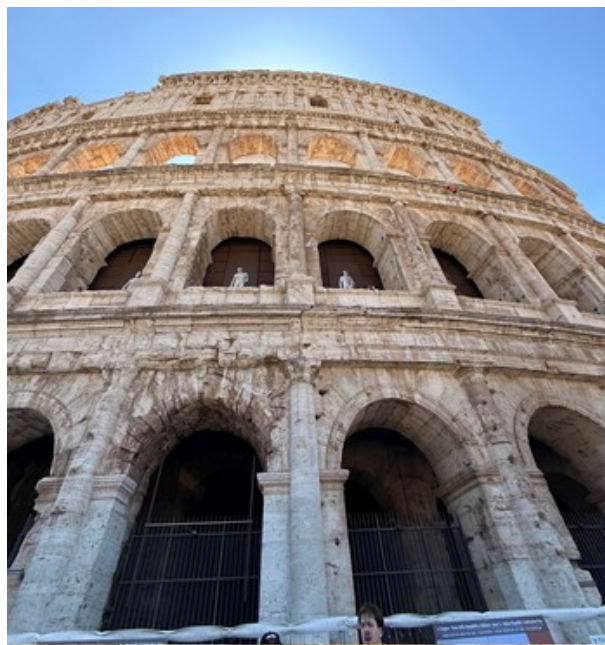
Sign Up here: [www.signupgenius.com/
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Aug 4th, 6PM at Diane Reba's House. Click for map:
[5516 Old National Pike, Frederick, MD](#)



Clara Finds K Plaque in Rome!

Member Clara Levi (formerly Clara Thompson) shared photos of her Florence, Italy wedding including a Kiwanis Club of Frenza plaque!



Coach Dolly Teaching Tennis Again



Left, Coach Dolly Stewart conducts a club-sponsored Inner City Tennis Class. Below, Coach Dolly and club member and activity sponsor Bob Kaufmann pose with the City Kids Tennis participants for 2026.





Richard Cutting
USMC
Essex County NY, Sheriff (Retired)

BLAST FROM THE PAST



Marla Johnson, Spectrum Support Services, was a recent speaker to the Kiwanis Club of Frederick. Mrs. Johnson spoke to the club about Spectrum's services of care, employment, and family support for people with developmental and mental disabilities, and the training that is offered by Spectrum. Frederick Kiwanian Bill Watson is pictured with the speaker.

BLAST FROM THE PAST

Local Student's Eagle Scout Project

Local high school student Jonas Blake-Shaw of Boy Scout Troop 1023 is undertaking an Eagle Scout Project involving one of our club's favorite programs, Sleep in Heavenly Peace. Among other tasks, his project focuses on gathering new sheet goods to accompany new beds being delivered to children that have no beds to sleep in. He recently explained his project to club members who donated new bedding to his project. Below is Jonas speaking to the club and posing with club Pres. Sue Vona and club member Bob Kaufmann along side of a table stacked with donated items.



Give the warmth of your heart to children in need in association with Sleep in Heavenly Peace:

What to donate:
(All donations must be new)

- Twin-size comforters
- Quilts
- Beds-in-a-bag
- Blankets
- Fleece Throws
- Waterproof Mattress Pads
- Pillows
- (as a bonus) Stuffed animals



On the registries below send to the address in Jefferson:

Sleep in Heavenly Peace Amazon Registry

Sleep in Heavenly Peace Walmart Registry





BOD Agenda for June 2, 2026

SECRETARY'S REPORT TREASURER'S REPORT COMMUNITY FOUNDATION UPDATE KEY CLUBS UNFINISHED BUSINESS

- ☐ Audit Approval
- ☐ Middle School Most Improved Student Recognition Dinner Update

BUSINESS

- ☐ Coach Dolly tennis Update
- ☐ The August Board meeting will take place on August 4th @ Diane Reba's @ 5:30 prior to our annual picnic.
 - ☐ Our Picnic will start at 6:00 with food at 6:30. Members are asked to bring a dish to share and a lawn chair. We will need to discuss cost.
 - ☐ Debbie from 4-H will update us on their happenings June 9th.

Member Participation Announcement

Sleep in Heavenly Peace Bed Build will take place June 20th @ 9:00 a.m.
Mission of Mercy Food Truck unload will take place June 22nd 8:00 a.m.
Mark your calendars for our Annual Keys Game July 7th!

FURTHER DISCUSSION ITEMS

ADJOURNMENT

Member Monthly Volunteer Hours: May 2026

by Colette Baker

Here are volunteer hours for the month of May 2026. 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>

Bed Build	2 members	4 hours	30 youth
Middle School Recognition Banquet	6 members	42 hours	16 youth
Assist Seniors	1 member	5 hours	
CTC Beekeeping Mentor	1 member	8 hours	
Cub Pack 285/Boy /Scout Troop 795	1 member	5 hours	
Sensory Friendly Keys Game	1 member	8 hours	250 youth
American Legion Yard Sale	1 member	4.5 hours	
Marine Corps Scholarship Drive	1 member	4 hours	
North Country Honor Flight	1 member	12 hours	28 veterans
Mission of Mercy Food Distribution	1 member	1.5 hours	

Read the June/July *The Capital Kiwanian*!



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Upcoming Birthdays!

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