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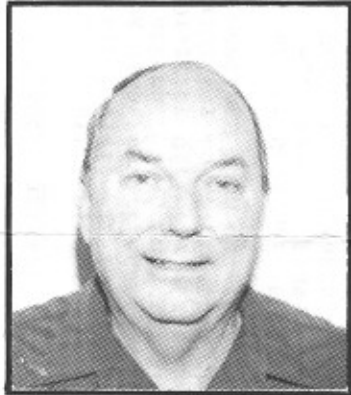
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A KIWANIS CONCERN



## PRESIDENT'S VIEW

Sept 8, 1989

Fellow Kiwanians ...as the year winds down and our new officers and committee chairmen begin to plan the new year, I want to thank everyone for your support. No president or chairman can do it alone. It takes input and manpower from everyone to make things happen.

Many of us have forgotten the intensity and excitement of putting on a run. Rick deserves support from all of us. Don't wait to be called, volunteer now!

The full club voted to assist the Junior Woman's Club in their "October Fest" to be held at Buxton Farm on October 28 th. This will consist of Parking, running older children's games, (including \$125 donation for game rental), set up, and clean up. The Juniors are planning a full blown family-oriented event complete with food and dancing indians, politicians, and hot air (baloons that is). Full club support is needed for this CHESTER event.

I want to encourage you to attend the program on September 20th on the history of the flag, to be given by former Governor Emil Rasa of the Silver Spring, Md club. This is one you do not want to miss. Feel free to bring friends or prospective members.

And of course, don't forget to sign up for the end of the year banquet the following week at Ft. Lee.

RUSS

THANKS GREG!  
NICE NEWSLETTER LAST WEEK.

PHIL

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sep 12 - INTERCLUB  
Petersburg Luncheon  
1 PM Holiday Inn at I-95  
Contact: Rex Dykes

Sep 13 - ROUNDTABLE  
NO REGULAR MEETING  
For attendance credit  
Call PHIL CROW  
748-9631  
in order that we may  
enjoy:

JAMES RIVER CRUISE AND SHRIMP  
FEAST  
ON THE PRISTINE MISTRESS

Wednesday September 13th  
6:30 PM  
Hopewell Boat Pier

Sep 20 - INTERCLUB  
Petersburg Breakfast  
7:15 AM Kings BBQ  
Emil Rassa Past Dist Gov  
Contact: Rex Dykes

Sep 20 - REGULAR MEETING  
"History of the Flag"  
Presented by Past Dist Gov  
Emil Rasa. Bring a guest!

Sep 27 - INTERCLUB  
Colonial Heights Luncheon  
12:30 King's BBQ  
Contact: Rex Dykes

Sep 27 - INSTALLATION DINNER  
Ft Lee Officer's Club  
The Davis Room  
6:30 - 8:30  
Prime Rib \$14 each or  
Chicken Cordon Bleu \$11.  
Contact: Rick Dodson.

Sep 28 - DETENTION HOME  
6:00 PM at the front door.

Sep 29 - TERRIFIC KIDS PROGRAM  
Kick off at Curtis. This  
Program will be started at  
C C Wells this year as  
well. Every Kiwanian will  
get the opportunity to  
participate in this pro-  
gram which seeks to reward  
children for improvemnet  
at all levels of talent.

Looking Forward:

Jan 21 75th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION  
Ft. Lee

Feb 2-4 MIDWINTERS CONFERENCE  
Rockville Maryland

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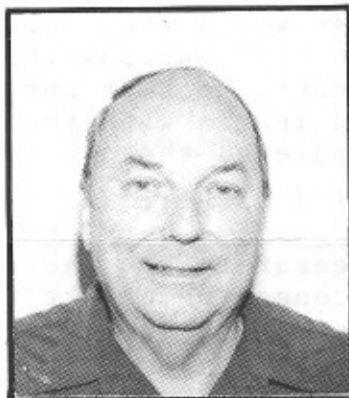
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## PRESIDENT'S VIEW

September 27, 1989

### FAREWELL ADDRESS

I wish to thank the entire club membership for their co-operation throughout my term. The Kiwanis organization tends to over train prospective officers. By the time you get to be president, you are ready to go. Then they kick you out to lead volunteers who didn't plan on doing all the things you have planned. That is where you rely on support from the membership. And you really came through.

At the year's end it is the President's duty (with the help of the Secretary) to prepare the Annual Report. You have the option of writing about one major program or five smaller projects. This year, I was able to list ten projects undertaken by the club. What we have found is that one year's major emphasis program has been so successful that we continue with it throughout the years. This was true of the Detention Home and looks like the trend will continue with the Terrific Kids Program. I would especially like to thank my committee chairmen for their help in making this an excellent year.

Together under President Dave's guidance the club will continue to have a positive impact on our community.

RUSS

### DAVE'S MESSAGE

The program says I am to make a closing statement. I see it as an opening. An opening of a new

(over)

### announcements

- Oct 4 BOARD MEETING
- Oct 11 KIRK COX  
Aren't you curious about who Kirk is, where all those kids in red T-shirts come from, and what he has to say?

### IMPORTANT DATES

- Oct 28 OCTOBERFEST  
JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB  
Parking and games.
- Nov 8 KIWANIS CLUB OF CHESTER  
10K RACE AT POCAHONTAS S.P.
- Dec 6 CHRISTMAS PARTY  
Bellwood Officer's Club
- Dec 20 STAG PARTY  
Joe Hillier's Office
- Jan 21 75th KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL  
ANNIVERSARY PARTY  
Ft Lee Officer's Club
- Feb 2-4 CAPITAL DISTRICT  
MIDWINTER'S CONFERENCE  
ROCKVILLE, MD
- Feb 24 TRASHCAKE DAY
- Mar 3 INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT'S  
VISIT - RICHMOND, VA  
MARIOTT
- May 9 SPRING FLING

### TERRIFIC KIDS PROGRAM

Look for your schedule in the mail! Every member will have an opportunity to participate in this rewarding program. If you cannot attend, please make arrangements to have someone take your place.

### GET WELL SOON

Our thoughts and prayers for a speedy recovery go out to Allen Wolfe who is recovering from surgery.

PRESIDENT'S VIEW  
(continued)

year for our club. A year of new opportunities to live up to the theme "encourage excellence". We are starting the year out right with the expansion of the Terrific Kids program to C. C. Wells. Each member is encouraged to build within the club as well. Each member has the responsibility of bringing in one new member during the year.

Together with the strength of our old membership and the new ideas of our new membership, we can join together to convert drive into action

DAVE

AN EX-GOVERNOR'S VIEW

They have served us well - Many thanks! Lt. Governor Rex "retired" three officers of our club at the Installation of Officers Banquet, who we all owe a debit of gratitude for the service.

First, President Russ Brown. Russ took this responsibility on short notice. He prepared himself well, attended all available training sessions and conventions in the District

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He led us well in his own relaxed way, always the "good humor man". The club had a good year under his leadership. We look forward to many more years of this man's involvement in our club.

Secondly, Phil Collier. Phil was kind enough to take the job of club secretary at a time when it seemed that no one else would step forward. Phi always did the best job possible in a very precise manner. He kept our records in good order and leaves with the satisfaction that he completed the job well done.

Third is Bill Nabors - a quiet man who has done a very conscientious job as our treasurer these past few years. He made a concerted effort to keep our financial house in good order and succeeded.

Again, Many thanks to Russ, Phil, and Bill

JOE

SPIRITUAL AIMS

It is always useful at this time of year, when we are so full of our accomplishments, to remember that there is so much more to do. Use these next few weeks as Dave presents his goals for the new year, to reflect on how you can help. Not just the club, but our community.

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