

THE BULLETIN



Kiwanis Lakeshore

Tuesday, Dec. 6, 2022

Holiday Party and celebration of Past President Jag.

Dinner 6 p.m. at the Casa Grecque, 7218 Newman Blvd LaSalle. Zoom at 7 p.m.

Word from the President

Dear Kiwanians and Friends,

It is said that the most precious gift you can give is the gift of time. When you give your time, you give a little of yourself and a part of your life to someone else. This can ring especially true as we approach the holiday season.

All our projects require planning on a grand scale, which several members do with great enthusiasm and passion. The children of our community need Kiwanis to improve their lives and create a better world. As we venture into our new projects, I encourage all of you to participate in any way you can.

I know you will soon be taking the time to reflect on the many blessings of your life and the privilege of serving others.

On behalf of the executive and Board of Directors of Kiwanis Lakeshore Montréal, I wish you the very best for the Holiday Season and a bright New Year to you and your families.

Sincerely, Jo-Ann A. Davies

Guest-Speaker- Mike Grenier January 3, 2023

We look forward to welcoming Mike Grenier on January 3rd. Mike is Executive Director of **A Horse Tale Rescue (AHT)**. The AHT Experience program provides equine assisted activities and learning to groups of individuals with mental health, physical or other special needs from community support organizations, learning institutions and select frontline professions.

Birthdays and Anniversaries

George Ferris - Dec 25

Kiwanis anniversaries

Patricia Marshall - Dec 3, 2020

Christian Aubert – Dec 15, 2015

Andy Sarrasin - Dec 12, 1984

Wilhelmus Laarhoven – Dec 14, 1983

Upcoming Speakers – tbd

Current Event: Holiday Nuts and Cakes

“It’s all for the kids”- Ron Della Porta

Ron began working tirelessly on this year’s campaign before September. He has been spearheading this event for several years with great leaders Wim Laarhoven and the late Peter Bedard.

In the last few years Ron has single-handedly taken on the leadership of this most important fundraiser. He gives a big shout-out to the several dedicated Kiwanians who have pitched in marvelously, and continue to do so.

We are continuously seeking more Kiwanians and volunteers to help reach our goal of \$30,000.00! **Kids need Kiwanis**, and with less than 3 weeks to go, let’s all pitch in and make it happen!

Other News & Notes – Kiwanian Karen Kurtz and her daughters will be celebrating 25 years of the Annual Kurtz Toy Drive. In 24 years, the event has distributed over 110,000 toys to children and families in need on both the South Shore and the Island of Montreal!

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