



TECUMSEH KIWANIS DISPATCH

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Meeting every Wednesday at 6:30p.m. in the Tecumseh United Methodist Church

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KIWANIS is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world
one child and one community at a time.

POSTMASTER RETIRES...OR DOES SHE

Tecumseh Kiwanis President **Elaine Toland** officially retired from her duties as Postmaster of the Tecumseh Post Office. **Elaine**, will take on the new title of author. She has written two children's books, one of which will be published soon. Elaine plans to do book tours and signings, introducing children to her books. We wish her great success in her next career.

COMMON LAW BECOMES OFFICIAL

Georgia Sirridge attended so many club meetings, and activities with husband **Tom**, that **Pres. Elaine** dubbed her our common law member. Now **Georgia** has official become our newest club member. **Georgia** is married to club member **Tom Sirridge** and together they have two grown children and four grandchildren. **Georgia** likes boating, camping, hiking, bicycling, and spending time with her grandchildren. We welcome Georgia into our club and look forward to serving with her.

INTER CLUB REPORT

Bob Remington, who is doing a fine job as Inter Club Chairman, reports that we had two inter clubs during the month of January:

Jan. 14 at North Topeka, Herb, Bob R. and former Lt. Gov. Steve Wiechman attended.

Jan. 22 at South West, Larry, Dian and Bob R. attended.

Fellowshipping, networking, and sharing information are important benefits of attending inter clubs. I encourage all club members to attend at least one interclub during the year

TECUMSEH KIWANIS FACTS

1. 73% members are male, 7% members are female.
2. Average attendance: 19 members per week
3. Remaining original charter members: Dewey, Bob Pollom., Jack, Herb and Mert

SEPTEMBER 26, 2009 10AM-3PM

TECUMSEH HERITAGE DAY



Sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of Tecumseh

OBJECTS OF KIWANIS

The six permanent Objects of Kiwanis International were approved by Kiwanis club delegates at the 1924 Convention in Denver, Colorado. Through the succeeding decades, they have remained unchanged.

- ◆ To give primacy to the human and spiritual rather than to the material values of life.
- ◆ To encourage the daily living of the Golden Rule in all human relationships.
- ◆ To promote the adoption and the application of higher social, business, and professional standards.
- ◆ To develop, by precept and example, a more intelligent, aggressive, and serviceable citizenship.
- ◆ To provide, through Kiwanis clubs, a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service, and to build better communities.
- ◆ To cooperate in creating and maintaining that sound public opinion and high idealism which make possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism, and goodwill.



Lead your life so you wouldn't be ashamed to sell the family parrot to the town gossip. Mark Twain



