



Richmond Kiwanis News for Jan 2015

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Executive Board for the 2014-2015 year

President John Richardson Pres.- Elect Ron Brohammer

Vice Pres. Don Kerin Treas. Steve Meyer

Sec. Marti Cowherd

Website and lots of help with e-mail news Bill Dooley

Chili/Soup Dinner- Feb. 7, 2015

The lists are made, tickets printed, and signs are hung for the next Chili/Soup dinner. Tickets may be purchased ahead of time from a Kiwanis member or Steve Meyer at the Ray Co. Library for \$5. Admission will be \$7 at the door of the United Christian Presbyterian Church from 11am to 1pm. There will also be delivered meals available. Contact a board member if you need more information.

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HAPPY 2015 FROM PRESIDENT BUTTON

Thursday, January 15, 2015

Dear Kiwanis friends,

Happy 100th Anniversary! You are part of Kiwanis' century-long legacy of serving the children of the world. It is humbling to be part of an organization that is helping countless people around the world. I trust you have the same feeling.

As we celebrate our 100th anniversary in 2015, I invite you to be part of Kiwanis' anniversary gift to the world—a world free of maternal and neonatal tetanus. When I went to Guinea in 2012 to see the progress of The Eliminate Project, a group of mothers gave me faith that elimination of MNT is possible. These 12 women personally knew children and mothers who died from this painful, yet easily preventable disease. These women were dedicated to making sure every woman of childbearing age in their village was vaccinated. Many people in Guinea shared that same commitment.

I hope you will make the same commitment. For just US\$1.80, you can save lives. Will you pledge to [Save a Baby a Day](#)? Will you prevent the death of at least one of the 134 newborns who die every day from this dreadful disease? It's easy and convenient. Most importantly, it will save lives.

Yours in Kiwanis service,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'John', on a white background.

John R. Button, M.D.

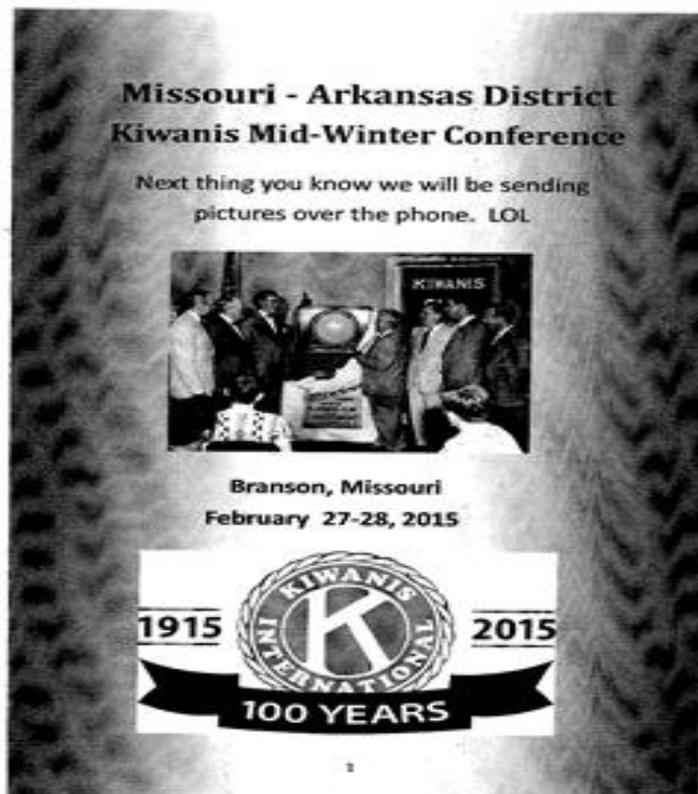
2014-15 President

Contributions are still made through the club budget and Key Club also raises funds!

Lt Gov. Jim Gibson sent the following e-mail

Hi members of Division 3, I send you Greetings from sunny Florida. Sorry to rub it in. Beth and I are here until 31st. After that ,I will be visiting your clubs again. Governor Dan Yates is bugging me about membership,which was down by 3 at last count. He also is anxious to start new clubs. If you have any possibilities in your area ,let me know and I will be glad to work with you. I also urge you to work on increasing your membership, as that is the only way to stay alive and serve your community kids.We also want new Key Clubs and,if you don't have on e now, lets get to work on that. Also, if you haven't sent in your dues, please do so PDQ. Thanks and I look forward to seeing all of you again. P.S. I have been to 2 Kiwanis meetings here in Florida and expect to do another one next week. Kiwanis Clubs are filled with the best people. Yours in Kiwanis,Jim Gibson

Mid-Winter Conference: www.moarkkiwanis.org



Evening Programs

To resume the 4th Tuesday of the month in Feb.
More to come from John Richardson.

Centennial Tour:

The Centennial Tour is Coming!

The 100th anniversary of Kiwanis International is a worldwide celebration---and it's coming to us! President John Button in our district as we kick off 100 years.

APRIL 9-12, 2015

St. Louis, Missouri

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