Richmond Kiwanis

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Richmond Kiwanis Officers:
President: Vickie McGinnis
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April 10, 2012 **Kiwanis: " Changing the world one child and one community at a time."** **J. McCarter, Secretary**

Our meeting was called to order at the 19th Hole Restaurant by President Vickie McGinnis with 23 members present. Levan Thurman led the song; Mac Proffitt led the Pledge and John Johnson the Prayer.
Announcements: Our new members**, Brandi Claypole, Nathan Preston** and transfer member, **Phillip Powers** will be inducted next week, April 17th.
City Wide Cleanup is scheduled for April 28th.
Mac Proffitt will be spearheading this year's effort. Mac has suggested that we meet at the UCPC Church Parking lot for duty at 9 am that Saturday morning.
Sergeant Report: Bob Swafford fined the following:
Missed Meeting: Bruce Taylor, Ed Hughes, Alice Neely, Larry Goodloe, Mac Proffitt, Don Kerin and John Johnson.
Last one in: Bob Swafford
Name/Picture in Paper: Vickie McGinnis with Terrific Kids.
Took a Trip: Marti Cowherd to South Dakota, Alice Neely, vacation, Bill Dooley to East for family visit.
Other fines: Mac Proffitt for winning the pot, Bruce Taylor, Nathan Preston for leaving early, Bill Dooley for advertising a High School Event. See the Richmond School homepage for more information.
Today's program speaker was introduced by Chris Brown. Licha Kelley-King, Employment Coordinator for ACESS II headquartered in Gallatin.

Licha Kelley-King with Acess II of Gallatin MO.

disability Resources and Services.

Information and Referral

Access II maintains a comprehensive resource library of both written and video materials on a wide variety of disability related subjects. We also have resources at the regional, state and national level.

- ## Peer Counseling
  Staff and trained volunteers work with others with similar disabilities to explore problem-solving strategies in overcoming barriers in their lives.

- ## Advocacy
  Access II provides two kinds of advocacy: (1) Individual Advocacy – We assist and educate individuals to become self advocates against discrimination, (2) Systemic Advocacy – We participate in activities to make changes in the community, the state, and the nation allowing persons with disabilities to live more independently.

- ## Independent Living Skills Training
  Access II provides training to help people with disabilities gain skills that would enable them to live more independently.

Their mission statement is as follows:

"The mission of Access II ILC is to provide programs and services that encourage and help sustain greater independence for persons with disabilities within our communities."

Our disabled individuals are the largest minority in the world. We are grateful of these services of Access II for those individuals. It just makes the world a better place to live.

Lotto winner for today: "Doc" Marti Cowherd.