

October 16, 2024

"Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to improving the world, one child and one community at a time."

Today's Program

Logan Brimm, IT Support at MPL

Last Week

SUPPORTING YOUNG LEARNERS—Karen Fowler, Family Engagement Coordinator for the Weakley County School District, gave a presentation about the PAUSE program at the Oct. 9 meeting of Kiwanis. An expert and source of support for the voluntary Pre-K program teachers and students, Karen was also instrumental in the creation of the PAUSE program and other resources for supporting young learners and their families. She explained the basics of the PAUSE program as follows: **P**ay attention to how much time your child is spending in front of a screen; **A**ssess if you child is meeting developmental milestones; **U**tilize the team of professionals—pediatricians, health department personnel, school teachers, and other specialists—for help; **S**ave smartphones and tablets for learning activities you can do together; and **e**ngage in play that promotes conversation.



Martin Kiwanis Calendar

- Oct. 16 Logan Brimm, IT Support at MPL
- Oct. 23 "Fifth Wednesday" Social at Hawk's Nest
- Oct. 26 "UTM Family Weekend 5K, sponsored by Kiwanis Club of Martin and UTM Campus Recreation Registration opens at 7:15 and event begins at 8:00 on the Elam Center Lawn.
- Oct. 30 Roberta Peacock— Bell Witch Connections to Weakley County
- Nov. 6 Katie Parr — I'm With the Banned (books)!
- Nov. 13 Steve Lemond — State of the Club
- Nov. 20 Katie Parr — Christmas Parade Update
- Nov. 28 Thanksgiving
- Dec. 2 Christmas Parade — Theme: **Winter Wonderland**

October Birthdays

- Joyce Washington.....Oct. 16
- Mary Elizabeth Bell.....Oct. 18

October Anniversaries

- Jamie SummersOct. 19



Key Club retreat at DPA last weekend featured using art therapy to cope with anxiety and stress, new membership initiatives, and officer training. Look carefully and you will see Linda near the balloons. Photos by Kim Simmons.

Active Members

- Anita Airee
- Richa Airee
- Bill Austin
- Mary Elizabeth Bell
- Otha Britton
- Anna Clark
- Jim Clark
- Danelle Fabianich
- Olivia Fernandez
- Wayne Fields
- Ann Gathers
- Bettye Giles
- Vickie Hazlewood
- Steve Lemond
- Linda Luther
- Jennifer Medford
- Mary Morgan
- Katie Parr
- Jayne Parrish
- Roberta Peacock
- Vincent Politte
- Linda Ramsey
- Sara Sieber
- Clinton Smith
- David Sudberry
- Jamie Summers
- Laura Taylor
- Joyce Washington
- Earl Wright

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