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CLUB OF WESTERN KENOSHA

Dear Potential Member:

It is with great pleasure that we welcome you to our club as a prospective member. We ask that you join us at our weekly lunch meetings to learn about our initiative to make our community a better place. Kiwanis Club of Western Kenosha is a group of volunteers dedicated to providing a better quality of life for area youth, elderly and disadvantaged.

We provide funding and support for many programs including but not limited to: The Shalom Center, The Salvation Army, ELCA, Women and Children's Horizons, music scholarships, food baskets as well as facilities for the handicapped.

The Objects of Kiwanis

- **Object 1** - To give primacy to the human and spiritual rather than to the material values of life.
- **Object 2** - To encourage the daily living of the Golden Rule in all human relationships.
- **Object 3** - To promote the adoption and the application of higher social, business, and professional standards.
- **Object 4** - To develop, by precept and example, a more intelligent, aggressive, and serviceable citizenship.
- **Object 5** - To provide, through Kiwanis clubs, a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service, and to build better communities.
- **Object 6** - To cooperate in creating and maintaining that sound public opinion and high idealism which make possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism, and goodwill.

We hope you feel welcomed as you meet our current membership and prepare to change the lives of others through our organization. We are excited to have you consider joining our mission.

Should you ever have any questions please feel free to contact me or the membership committee to discuss your involvement.

Kind Regards,

Stacey Liebke

The Kiwanis Club of Western Kenosha

Stacey Liebke – Membership Committee

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PROSPECTIVE MEMBERSHIP POLICY:

The following procedures will be followed for the proposal for new membership in the Kiwanis Club of Western Kenosha. Each prospective member must have a current member sponsor them.

- FIRST STEP:** Your name is brought before the club for introduction and included in the weekly bulletin and/or join us for a lunch as a guest.
- You are invited to a lunch meeting to meet the group and learn more about our mission and meet the current members.
- Your name will be on the agenda at the next board meeting to be voted on for membership. If no objection from club members, you will be granted membership – WELCOME!
- FINAL STEP:** Induction of new member will happen at the next lunch where all necessary members are present for ceremony.

WHEN & WHERE ARE LUNCH MEETINGS HELD?

Thursdays at 12:00pm – LOCATION WILL BE COMMUNICATED UPON REQUEST

COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH BEING A MEMBER:

NEW MEMBERSHIP FEE: PRORATED BY MEMBERSHIP ENTRY DATE

- *This fee covers the cost for international fees.*

QUARTERLY DUES: WILL BE COMMUNICATED, PRORATED BY MEMBERSHIP ENTRY DATE

- *This fee covers our local quarterly dues*
- *All dues will be invoiced and are payable by check to Kiwanis Club of Western Kenosha.*



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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:

Some information on the Kiwanis Club of Western Kenosha:

Our club was chartered in 1958 and has raised over \$1,000,000 over the years to fund many worthwhile projects. Some fundraising events that our club has managed are as follows: Youth Baseball Programs, Golf Outings, Food Drives, Wisconsin Marathon, Blooming Bands and Taste of Wisconsin.

Is there a mandatory number of volunteer hours when I become a member?

No, there is not. You donate as much time that your life allows and we will make the most of your generosity. The more you are involved the more connected you will become to our club and thus our community.

What should I expect at a weekly Western Kiwanis lunch meeting?

You will be greeted by the President of the club as well as all of the members. The first 30 minutes consist of friendly conversation, at 12:30 the President brings the meeting to order starting with singing of "My Country tis of Thee", the Pledge of Allegiance and Prayer, followed by general club business where you will be introduced as a guest.

What if I can't attend the Thursday Lunches?

No problem, after you become a member there are other times where our club meets to discuss business. You can attend the monthly board meetings or any of the sub-committee meetings to get information. There is also a weekly Bulletin that is emailed out so those that can't attend the lunch still know what was discussed. If all those don't fit in your schedule we still welcome you to volunteer and assist with any of our fundraisers throughout the year.

What if I know someone that would like to Join Kiwanis Club of Western Kenosha?

Great! Please share their information with the membership committee and we will take it from there! We are always looking to expand our membership. We can only be as successful as our workforce. So the more the merrier. We also offer a 'Corporate Membership' for those that would like to be involved specifically through a business. Further information can be provided upon request.

When I become a member, how do I get involved and join a Committee?

Simple, you find the committee chairperson and ask to be involved. If you are not sure who that is you can speak to the President for that information. You will be provided a list of committees, you can choose to join as many or little as you feel inclined to do.



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PROSPECTIVE MEMBER INTRODUCTION

**To be filled out by sponsoring Kiwanis Member*

To the Board of Directors and members of the Kiwanis Club of Western Kenosha, I take pride in

proposing _____ as a

potential member of the club and have confidence that this individual will become a valuable member.

NOTES: _____

Date: _____ Sponsor Name: _____

SPONSOR SIGNATURE: _____

APPROVAL OF MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

Date: _____ Chairman Signature: _____

Stacey Liebke, to be signed at board meeting

ELECTED TO MEMBERSHIP BY BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Date: _____ Secretary Signature: _____

Dennis Mattioli, to be signed at board meeting



New-member information form

Full name _____ Nickname _____ Gender _____

Home address _____
City _____ State/Province _____ Zip/Postal code _____

Home phone _____ Spouse/Partner name _____

Company name _____ Title _____

Business address _____
City _____ State/Province _____ Zip/Postal Code _____

Business phone _____ Fax number _____ Email address _____

Send Kiwanis mail to: Home Work

If you are a former Kiwanian: Club name _____ Date left (mo/day/yr) _____

Length of membership _____ If you are a life member, life member # _____

Date of birth: _____
(mo/day/yr)

I accept this application for membership and agree to conform to the bylaws of this club and comply with the obligations of membership as explained to me by my sponsor. In the U.S., US \$8 of a member's annual dues and fees is applied to a Kiwanis magazine subscription.

Committee preference

- Club administration
 Community service

Date: _____ Applicant signature: _____
(mo/day/yr)

CHECK ONE BLOCK PER CATEGORY		
PRIMARY EMPLOYMENT	JOB CLASSIFICATION	EDUCATION ATTAINED
Codes 1 <input type="checkbox"/> Banking/Finance 3 <input type="checkbox"/> Communic/Media 5 <input type="checkbox"/> Construction 7 <input type="checkbox"/> Education 9 <input type="checkbox"/> Government 11 <input type="checkbox"/> Legal 13 <input type="checkbox"/> Manufact.(Heavy) 15 <input type="checkbox"/> Manufact.(Light)	Codes 17 <input type="checkbox"/> Medical 19 <input type="checkbox"/> Nonprofit 21 <input type="checkbox"/> Real Estate 23 <input type="checkbox"/> Religion 25 <input type="checkbox"/> Retail 27 <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation 29 <input type="checkbox"/> Wholesale 94 <input type="checkbox"/> Other	Codes N. <input type="checkbox"/> Elected O. <input type="checkbox"/> Management P. <input type="checkbox"/> Partner/Owner Q. <input type="checkbox"/> Professional R. <input type="checkbox"/> Sales S. <input type="checkbox"/> Supervision T. <input type="checkbox"/> Technical V. <input type="checkbox"/> Retired X. <input type="checkbox"/> Other
		A. <input type="checkbox"/> Grade School B. <input type="checkbox"/> High School C. <input type="checkbox"/> Tech. Business School D. <input type="checkbox"/> Assoc. Degree (2 yrs.) E. <input type="checkbox"/> Baccalaureate Degree (4 yrs.) F. <input type="checkbox"/> Master's Degree G. <input type="checkbox"/> Grad. Prof. Degree

Note: For membership statistics only. Kiwanis International does not provide its membership information to third parties.

Receipt

Date _____
(mo/day/yr)

Received of _____ \$ _____ Cash or Check

For _____

Received by _____

New-member sponsor

To the Board of Directors of the Kiwanis Club of _____,

I take pride in proposing _____,

as an active member of the club and have confidence that this individual will become a valuable member.

Date: _____
(mo/day/yr)

Sponsor name: _____

Sponsor signature: _____ Additional club member: _____

Recommended by membership committee

Date: _____
(mo/day/yr)

Chairman signature: _____

Elected to membership by Board of Directors

Date: _____
(mo/day/yr)

Secretary signature: _____