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Mankato Diversity Kiwanis Club

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2006 News

December 21, 2006 meeting

After a wonderful meal, served by our own Dan Olson from Hy-Vee, we had great cookie treats (provided by Stewart and Liz Ross) and then the real treat was a fantastic flute performance by David Ross. David treated us to music on multiple flutes that was just enchanting. If you weren't at this meeting, you really missed out! Watch for David to be performing again in the area - he's a real talent.

November 16, 2006 meeting

Our speaker from [Kids Against Hunger](#) did a great presentation. The packaging center at 500 Patterson Ave. is open most days for volunteers to help package food packets. One packet provides multiple meals for a child and only requires boiled water to prepare. We tasted the food - which contains rice, soy and vegetables - and it was quite good. We will be doing a food packaging event on December 9, 2006 and likely will have other group dates in the future. Watch the newa page for more.

November 2, 2006 meeting

Our own member, William Wagner, is a professor of sociology and corrections at MSU. He spoke to us about true knowledge.

October 21, 2006 meeting

Speaker Dr. Friend from MSU's Geography Department gave a very informative talk about Nuclear Waste Production and Storage.

September 7, 2006 meeting

Speakers Natasha and Bethany from Habitat for Humanity explained what Habitat does and how to volunteer. Habitat builds homes, with the sweat equity of owners and the hard work of volunteers.

CLE TRAINING

Calvin and Alison Moultrie, Yvonne Cariveau and Mike Daly attended Leadership training August 31, 2006. along with leaders from Downtown Kiwanis, MSU Kiwanis and the Golden K Club. We hope to do projects with these other clubs

HEADLINES

- ▶ New phone system brings number changes
- ▶ Catch the 4-1-1 on Kiwanis
- ▶ Kiwanis a constant in 'Best Communities for Children'
- ▶ Deadline looms for convention drawing, perks

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in the future!

SMILES BLOCK PARTY

The SMILES Block Party was well attended by Mankato Diversity Kiwanis members.

August 17, 2006 Meeting

A great presentation by Ceci Gassis from the Mankato YWCA about her program - Walking in Two Worlds. She asked for speakers and mentors to assist her clients, recent immigrants to this area needing to learn about our culture and community.



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