# Kiwanis Klarion – December 19, 2024



Meetings are 1st, 3rd and 4th Thursdays at noon, 2nd Thursday at 5:30pm At the Clarion Inn, Elmira

## Next Meeting - Dec 26 - Round Table

Welcome Table: TBD

# **Program**

Today we packed 40 bags of hats gloves, candy canes, and other goodies for a Christmas Party tomorrow -Dec 20 at the Southside Community Center from 3-4pm. Volunteers are always needed.

We also played 3 games of Bingo. We had a small crowd today so we will hold on to some of the prizes for another day!

Gordy Schuehler was an excellent Bingo caller!

John Keenan won the first game; Peter Johnson won the X and Deb Hobler & Alison Mandel tied for the full card!

Sorry I forgot to take pictures!

#### Officers 2024-2025

President – Mary Schuehler
President ElectVice President – Mark Wayne
Secretary – Alison Mandel
Treasurer – Joe Klaiber
Immediate Past President – Sue Mower

## **Upcoming Programs:**

Dec 26 - Round Table

Jan 2 – Round Table

Jan 9 – Randi Hewitt – Community Foundation

# Here's What else you Missed Today.....

### 50-50:

Peter Johnson won the 50/50 of \$8. Pot is at \$203. He didn't draw the King, so the pot continues to grow!

# **Rays Pay Day:**

John Keenan won the \$53. Next week it will be back to \$5

### **Upcoming Events**

December 20 – Christmas party at the Southside Community Center 3-4pm

December 28 – Winter Carnival – LECOM Center Noon- 6pm

January 26 – Foundation Pancake Breakfast at Applebee's \$10. Tickets are available!

### **Happy Dollars**

**Gordy Schuehler** - Wished everyone a Merry Christmas & for all the events in December

John Keenan – happy he won Rays Pay Day

**Mike Wayne** – happy that the Arctic League reached its goal. Thought he was going to have a easy month of January but now involved with the search for a new President of CCC.

Mike Clark (PP Kiwanis) – happy dollar wishing Sue Mower the best after her shoulder surgery today \*& mentioned that Herman Ovadia from Queens passed away. He & his wife were always in charge if the basket raffles at conventions,

Alison Mandel – for surviving the cold at Wreaths Across America and that Arctic League is down to e last 3 nights of packing! Thank you to everyone who braved the 10 degrees to come to Wreaths Across America last Saturday to place over 6,000 wreaths. It went very quickly and there were a lot of people! Our own Past President Marty Harrigan (1969-70) was one of the veterans honored at the opening ceremony. Pick up day for the Wreaths is on Saturday Jan 18th at 9am.

Volunteers are needed for the Cabin Fever Event at the LECOM Event Center on Saturday Dec 28<sup>th</sup> – shifts are either 12-3 or 3-6. We need 12 volunteers for each shift! We are just supervising the inflatables!



