

“BRINGING BUSINESS BACK HOME”

PRESIDENT’S MESSAGE

Greetings to All!

This year will be the **20th Annual Kenmore Holiday Celebration!**

And for our Kenmore Chamber of Commerce members, this is a perfect time to get name recognition out to our local residents at no or very little cost to you. Thousands of people that live in our community and in Akron will come to this festive holiday event. With twenty years of success, this can be a very effective way to give information about your business and the services you offer to these people. This can be accomplished in several ways. If you are located on Kenmore Boulevard, all you need to do is be open from 11 am to 3 pm on Saturday December 1st. If not, then consider renting a table at the Kenmore Masonic Lodge Craft Show, or donate a prize for the Adult Raffle Drawing, held at the evening Tree Lighting Ceremony. Your business will be mentioned during the drawing, listed on the song book given out that evening, and also listed in the next issue of the Kenmore Connection. If interested, please contact me at 330-745-5530 or john@kenmore-komics.com.

Thanks to all who attended our October “Meet & Greet” at *New Beginnings*, 932 Kenmore Boulevard, and to our hosts at *New Beginnings*. And my special thanks to Past President **Dave Culbertson**, who stepped in to MC the meeting for me while I was out of town.

And finally, I want to remind everyone about remembering to contact your fellow members of the KCOC first when you are looking for some goods or services. I have been trying to replace the air conditioners in my building for the past three years, and could not find any that were the same size as what was currently mounted on the side of my building. **Lowery Furnace Co** (663 Flora Avenue here in Kenmore), has been keeping my furnace maintained for decades, and when I mentioned my problem to **Bacel “Scott” Smith**, he said he could find a set for me. And he did, just in time for the hot Summer we had this year (thanks Scott)! Always remember to check out our membership directory first (it was included with the Benefits Booklet we mailed out earlier this year) and support a fellow KCOC member who may be able to help you

Can’t find your KCOC benefits Booklet? Just let me know and I will mail you a new one.

Thanks for listening!

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Save the Date - December 6th Kenmore Chamber of Commerce’s Holiday “Meet & Greet” at *The Rialto Theatre*

There will be no November KCOC “Meet & Greet”. However, the Kenmore Chamber of Commerce will hold a holiday “Meet & Greet” networking event at *The Rialto Theatre*, 1000 Kenmore Boulevard, on Thursday December 6th. This event is sponsored by the Kenmore Chamber of Commerce and *The Rialto Theatre*, and will also include a presentation giving this year’s McCutchen Award to one of our members. More information will be presented in the December KCOC Newsletter.



KBOT FLASHBACK



10 Years Ago - November 2008

- ⌚ Scott Smith, President
- ⌚ Luncheon guest speaker was Brent Hendron from Akron’s Dept. of Economic Development.

15 Years Ago - November 2003

- ⌚ Scott Smith, President
- ⌚ A combined luncheon between the Kenmore, East & South Akron Boards has Lt. Bragg of the Akron Fire Department as guest speaker.

25 Years Ago - November 1993

- ⌚ Ed Abdula, President
- ⌚ Harry Jordan awarded a plaque for “Outstanding and Distinguished Service to the Kenmore Community” by KBOT

30 Years Ago - November 1988

- ⌚ Lee McCutchan, President
- ⌚ Luncheon Meeting called to order by secretary Jasper McCutchan (all other officers out of town), and the Highland Park Elementary School singers presented a program for entertainment.
- ⌚ KBOT, along with the ABOTC, raises money to purchase Haz-Mat testing equipment for the Summit County Hazardous Materials Response Teams.

35 Years Ago - November 1983

- ⌚ Jasper McCutchan, President
- ⌚ The KBOT began the sale of coupon books for the “Prosperity ‘84” fund-raising project.