

## How can you help?

Every year our local Civic Groups work diligently to make our communities stronger and better! While Civic groups have been doing this for years, in the case of Kiwanis, for over 100 years, membership continues to dwindle.

PLEASE consider your membership in these worthwhile organizations! Without them YOUR community will NOT be as strong and YOUR children and YOUR family will have FEWER opportunities.

Contact John Sigwart, Club Secretary for more information.: 920.946.0215 or [jsigwart@att.net](mailto:jsigwart@att.net)

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### What is Week of the Young Child?

The Week of the Young Child is an annual celebration sponsored by the National Association for the Education of Young Children (NAEYC), the world's largest early childhood education association with over 100,000 members and a network of nearly 450 local, state, and regional Affiliates.

The purpose of the Week of the Young Child is to focus public attention on the needs of young children and their families and to recognize the early childhood programs and services that meet those needs.

NAEYC first established the Week of the Young Child in 1971, recognizing that the early childhood years (birth through age 8) lay the foundation for children's success in school and later life. The Week of the Young Child is a time to plan how we—as citizens of a community, of a state, and of a nation—will better meet the needs of all young children and their families.

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KIWANIS helps kids around the world. Local clubs look out for our communities and the International organization takes on large-scale challenges, such as fighting disease and poverty. We are generous with our time. We are creative with our ideas. We are passionate about making a difference. And we have fun along the way.

For more than a century, Kiwanis has created opportunities for children to be curious, safe and healthy regardless of the community in which they live. When you give a child the chance to learn, experience, dream, grow, succeed and thrive, **great things can happen.**

*Are you ready to help create communities that let all children thrive, prosper and grow? Join our club! The kids are counting on you.*

*Our club meets the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month at Firehouse Restaurant in Saukville, WI Contact John Sigwart for more information or to join us @ 920.946.0215*

**More at: [www.portkiwanis.net](http://www.portkiwanis.net) and on Facebook:—Greater Port Washington Kiwanis Club**

## GREATER PORT WASHINGTON KIWANIS CLUB PRESENTS—



### WEEK OF THE YOUNG CHILD 2018

**Activities are designed for children ages 3-9 and their parents MUST attend and participate with their child(ren).**

***This is a FREE event and no pre-registration is required.***

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**April 16-20, 2018**

*This is our 18th year of bringing free hands-on activities to the children of Port Washington and surrounding areas!*

**Besides Week of the Young Child, some other things our club also does:**

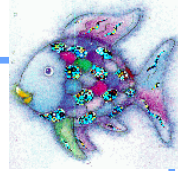
- Provides 3-year-old preschool scholarships to needy families
- Provides senior scholarships to PWHS graduates
- Supports local food pantries
- Sponsors Cub Scout troop 3837
- Provided "seed money" to launch Possibility Playground and now are heading up the "Merry-Go-Fish" campaign to bring an Accessible Wheelchair to the playground
- Supports Character Counts in PWSSD
- Holds a High Honor Banquet for graduating seniors at PWHS
- Supports Ozaukee Family Services
- Supports COPE
- Supports Breakfast program in PWSSD Elementary Schools
- Safety Town for PWSSD incoming Kindergartners.
- Annual "Hippity Hop" Egg Hunt
- Sponsor Badger Boys/Girls

**Monday April 16**— 6:30-7:30

*St. John's XXIII Port Washington (formally St. Peter's Campus-Cafeteria at North end of the building)*

**RAINBOW MERRY-GO-FISH**

Tonight you will be designing and creating your own FISH to resemble the ones being created for auction for the new ACCESSIBLE MERRY-GO-ROUND at Possibility Playground! Other kindness activities are planned as well.



**Tuesday April 17**—6:30-7:30

*Nieder Korn Library*

Ms. Cindy from the Children's Library will be creating a Pirate Themed event, complete with "Treasure Hunting"



**Wednesday April 18-**

*6:30-7:30*

*Lincoln Elementary*

**TOM PEASE!** We are SO excited to bring Tom back to Week of the Young Child! Meet us in the Multipurpose Room (cafeteria) at Lincoln Elementary.



**Thursday April 19**—

6:30-7:30

*Port Washington Fire Station*



We are partnering with the Port Fire Department tonight for tours with the Fire Fighters. We will also have a "tattoo station" and a chance to create a THANK YOU to these important people in our Community.

**Friday April 20**—

6:30-7:30 *Saukville Elementary School*

**"Rock Painting"**



Tonight we will have Lisa, creator of "OZ ROCKS" here to help you design and paint your own decorative/inspirational rocks to keep, hide or share.

Plus, you will be able to create a Fairy House to invite those mystical creatures into your yard!

Every child attending will be able to choose 1 (one) book this week to take home!  
Compliments of the hard working members of our club!