



# Kiwaniis®

## GREEN RIVER KIWANIS

Green River Kiwanis meets Wednesday mornings at 7:30 a.m. at American Red Cross, 29 S. Stockwell Rd., Evansville, IN

[Greenriverkiwanis.org](http://Greenriverkiwanis.org)

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October 30, 2019

Today's speaker was Jessica Scaffano with Touch, Inc., along with director Sandy Feltz. This organization, believing that "no cancer patient should go without basic living needs," provides limited financial assistance for non-medical needs.



TOUCH—transportation, out of pocket, utilities, child-care, housing—these are the services for which eligible cancer patients can receive \$150 in benefit for up to 12 months. Touch does not pay credit card bills—it pays bills directly or provides gift cards. It's 100% volunteer, and 95% of all monies raised go directly to patients needs. Over the last 10 years they've helped 420+ patients with \$625,000. These patients must live in either Vanderburgh or Warrick counties. Fundraisers include a Trivia night at ONB downtown, with dinner by Acropolis, on January 18, 2020. Tickets are \$30 or \$35 at the door—doors open and silent auction at 5:00, dinner at 6:00, and trivia at 7:00. Apparently

competition is fierce! The Diamond Galleria will host a Beauty, Bubles, and Bourbon event in Fall 2020, and of course, you can donate directly, provide in kind



donations, and/or serve on the board. The website is [www.touchindiana.org](http://www.touchindiana.org), and the organization is also on Facebook.

**Bill Elgin** told us that it's once again time to think about **poinsettia** sales!! This year we'll have a new vendor, from Indianapolis. The pricing structure will be a bit different—plants are still \$12 each, but there will no longer be discounts for volume sales. Colors are pink, red, and/or white. Boxes this year are also bigger—they hold 8 plants instead of 4. The pick-up location will be at Christ Church UCC at 3601 Washington Ave., across the street from the Ronald McDonald House. You can pick up your plants these Fridays: December 6, 13, or 20, from 8-12, or Saturdays: December 7 and 14, from 8-10. There will be no other special deliveries this year.

This is our biggest fundraiser for all our projects, so GRKiwanians are encouraged to sell as many plants as possible, or make a monetary donation of at least \$25.



### GRK Officers /Staff

President	Jack Arney
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Newsletter Editor	Mona Meyer
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Special Olympics bowling  
 November 2  
 2 shifts: 8:00 and 1:00  
**YOU MUST BRING YOUR ID**

GRK board meeting will be held November 8, at 7:00 a.m. at Crossroads Christian Church.

Next week's speaker will be from the Hadi Shrine.

Upcoming meetings:

Nov. 13 meet at Harrison HS in atrium

Nov. 20 Soccer awards—full breakfast available

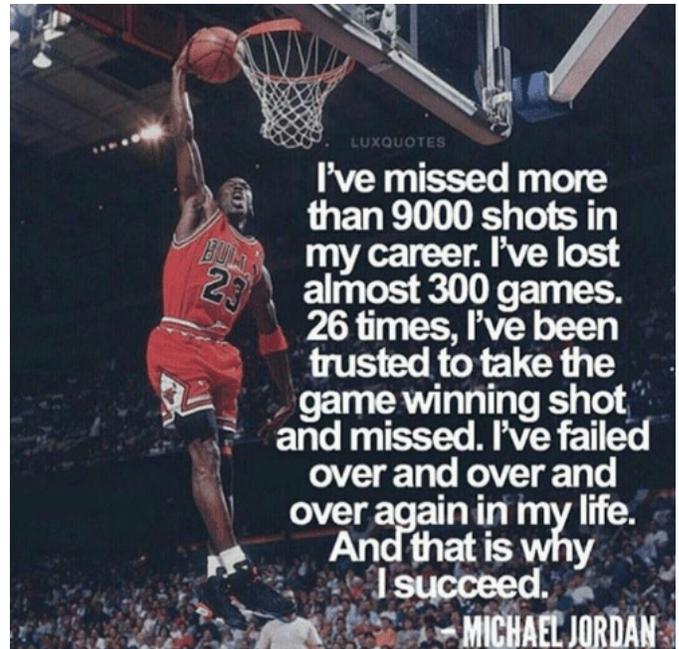
Dinner night out November 21—China Bistro  
 Price TBA

Harrison's Key Club still needs donations of dry goods and drivers to help deliver their Thanksgiving baskets. Deliveries will be made November 25. See **Debbie Kassenbrock** if you can help.

Thought of the week, courtesy of **Dan Oates**:



The event will be held at 2504 Lynch Rd. from 4—7 on Nov. 2. The cost is \$30 or \$35 at the door. In addition to gourmet mac and cheese, craft beer will also be available for tasting and purchase.



GRKiwanians are invited to shop at the Columbia Sportswear Employee Store from November 1st - November 24th. The store is in Henderson at 2480 U.S. Hwy. 41 N—where the old Walmart was. **Amy Fehn** e-mailed everyone an invitation (I got mine Tuesday, Oct. 29) with all the necessary information. You **MUST** have the 3 items **Amy** listed in the e-mail with you to gain admittance. If you did not receive this e-mail, contact **Amy**.



