

# July 5, 2017

*“Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to improving the world, one child and one community at a time.”*

## Program

Anna Clark — “Spreading the Word: Kiwanis Branding and Publicity”

## Future Programs

July 12, Roberta Peacock — “The 21st Century Library”

## Club News

## Happy Fourth of July!



On Friday, July 7th at dusk, you and your family can enjoy the annual Ambler, PA, Kiwanis Fireworks show at the Wissahickon High School. The fireworks display is part of the annual Kiwanis Carnival that begins on Tuesday, July 4th, and runs through Saturday, July 8th. The fireworks begin around 9 p.m.

**Westview student Samantha Fortner and Key Club Advisor Jessica Hightower** are attending the Key Club International Convention, July 5-9. The convention is in San Antonio.

**What’s the buzz:** Mike Pierce, a Westview graduate, and UTM farm manager and head of th UT Martin Apiary (Bee) Project, gave a presentation at the June 28 meeting of Kiwanis that kept members asking questions for more than 30 minutes after the usual “stop” time for a noon Kiwanis presentation.

# Martin Kiwanis Calendar

- July 5-9 — Key Club International Convention, San Antonio
- July 11 — Board Meeting Weldon Library, noon
- July 22 — Regional Leadership Retreat, Martin, TN
- Sept. 4 — Soybean Festival Talent Show (Key Club)
- Sept. 9 — Kiwanis Soybean Festival 5k
- Oct. 14 — Kiwanis One-Day Book Walk, Harrison field
- May 19 — (2018) 50th Anniversary Gala, Discovery Park

## July Birthdays

- Annie Jones ..... July 14
- Bill Austin ..... July 25

## July Anniversaries

- S.K. Airee ..... July 7
- Christie Ricketts ..... July 24



Sara models the latest fashion in beekeeping while Travis Prather looks on.

Pierce was joined for the program by two knowledgeable UT Martin agriculture majors: Travis Prather from McKenzie, a senior, and Kiersten Bell, from Ohio, a sophomore. All three commented about the project, described the complexity of bees, showed numerous pictures, demonstrated a wide array of beekeeping equipment, including a jacket and hood (modeled in the photo to the left), and deftly handled numerous questions about types of pollen, how different pollens affect the color, clarity, and taste of honey and many more.



Kiersten Bell explains the life cycle of bees.

It was an amazing presentation with numerous unknown (by us) facts about bees. For example, Mike told of examples of 2 truck loads of bees being shipped to California to be used to pollinate almonds but needing 3 to bring them back along with their progeny.

UTM apiary honey will be available in the UTM bookstore this fall.

## Active Members

- SK Airee
- Bill Austin
- Anita Bell
- Mary Elizabeth Bell
- Frank Black
- Evelyn Blythe
- Otha Britton
- David Brodrick
- Frances Bynum
- DeAnna Chappell
- Anna Clark
- Jim Clark
- Orrin Cowley
- Christy Dane
- Danelle Fabianich
- Ann Gathers
- Bettye Giles
- Vickie Hazlewood
- Harry Henderson
- Annie Jones
- Steve Lemond
- Jayne Parrish
- Roberta Peacock
- Keith Pettit
- Linda Ramsey
- Christie Ricketts
- Maddy Rosenbaum
- Sara Sieber
- Clinton Smith
- David Spencer
- David Sudberry
- Jamie Summers
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