

Indiana District of Kiwanis Speaker's Bureau

Welcome to the Indiana District of Kiwanis Speaker's Bureau. The Speaker's Bureau is a listing of individuals and organizations across Indiana that expressed interest in speaking to Kiwanis Clubs. The organizations and individuals listed on the Speaker's Bureau are in no way endorsed by the Indiana District of Kiwanis or Kiwanis International.

Clubs may use the listing at their discretion to locate speakers for meetings. Clubs should use the information provided to personally contact the individual or organization to make arrangements.

Individuals or organizations wishing to be listed on the Speaker's Bureau should provide the following information via email to the Indiana District Kiwanis Office at indkiw@indkiw.org.

1. Who to contact and by what method
2. Individual and/or company being represented
3. A single sentence or phrase for the topic of the presentation
4. Which areas of the state the speaker is available
5. A four to five sentence description of the presentation

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American Red Cross – Southern Indiana Chapter

Topic: American Red Cross 101

The American Red Cross would like to share with you all the amazing things that we do in your local communities. We have five core service areas that we would like to educate you on as well as share with you our five year National Home Fire Preparedness Campaign. Our presentation goal is to educate you about us, provide you tidbits on how you can be better prepared when disaster strikes, and how you can give back through your local American Red Cross. Contact Sherri Miller at 812-471-7200 or sherri.miller2@redcross.org

Brooke's Place

Topic: Brooke's Place for Grieving Young People

Brooke's Place provides support and services to grieving children and families in the belief that hope for tomorrow begins today. Services include support groups for children, teens, and young adults and their parents. Contact Kristen Frank at 317-705-9650 or kristenfrank@brookesplace.org

Bureau of Motor Vehicles - Indiana

Topic: Discuss the challenges the BMV is facing renewing 2.4 million driver's licenses in 2012.

Description: The BMV is facing a challenge in maintaining high levels of customer service, while increasing driver's license transactions eight-fold over 2011. Half of Indiana residents driver's licenses expire in 2012 because of Indiana's compliance with the federal REAL ID Act. Scott will review the innovative steps the BMV is taking to ensure that customer service and visit times are maintained despite the influx of customers. Speaker: BMV Commissioner Scott Waddell Contact: Dennis Rosebrough 317-233-5323 or drosebrough@bmv.in.gov

CareGivers, Inc.

Topic: Home Health and Private Duty Services

Presentation on home health and what services are offered in the home. Private duty services and what services are offered. We provide these services in Marion and surrounding counties and Monroe and surrounding counties. The network of insurance providers that caregivers are contracted with and the hospital systems we are contracted with to provide home health services.

Contact: Stacey Tracy, Regional Director of Marketing at stracy@caregivershealth.com

Tim Shurr

Topic: Re-Inventing Business: The Art of Strategic Relationships (12/2010)

The economy is constantly changing and so is the way people do business. To remain profitable and competitive, companies and organizations must move away from a *transactional mentality* and towards creating sustainable relationships, where decisions are based upon improving the "customer experience." This program outlines 7 transformational leadership strategies for creating dynamic relationships. Programs are complimentary if club is located within 30 miles of Indianapolis. Contact:

Tim Shurr at 219-384-7645 or Tim@ShurrSuccess.com

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Champions of Indiana

Topic: Canine Companions for Independence (12/2010)

Champions of Indiana supports Canine Companions for Independence, a national nonprofit that trains and places service dogs for the disabled and hearing impaired so they can lead more independent lives. Contact Dan O'Brien at 317-251-8813 or dobrien@mcleodusa.net

Coalition for Homelessness Intervention and Prevention (CHIP)

Topic: Education and Awareness of Homelessness in Indianapolis

Michael is with the CHIP, an agency mobilizing the community to work together toward ending homelessness. They are the lead entity in the implementation of Indianapolis' Blueprint to End Homelessness, the city's ten-year strategic plan to end homelessness. Contact Michael Hurst at 317.472.7633, ext. 209 or mhurst@chipindy.org

Greg Wright

Topic: Is Your Office a CRIME SCENE? (12/2010)

The Association of Certified Fraud Examiners would like to speak about fraud in the workplace. Did you know approximately 30% of business go bankrupt as a result of fraud? What is the profile of a white-collar fraudster? How to identify your organization's fraudster. What are inexpensive first lines of defense against internal fraud? Contact: Greg Wright at 317-908-4899 or cfegreg@att.net

Domestic Violence

Topic: Domestic Violence and Early Release of Violent Offenders (01/2013)

My program is very dear to my heart, as our daughter was murdered and the one who was sentenced for the crime was released from prison five and half years after sentencing. I am a Kiwanian from the Kiwanis Club of Logansport Cass County. My wife and I are working to get legislation passed to make important changes to our judicial system. Contact: Don Strasser at 574-721-8856 or dondstrass@aol.com

Families First

Topic: Families First-Counseling, Education & Support (12/2011)

Families First has been supporting families in central Indiana since our founding in 1835. Serving a six-county area, we are a critical resource for families and individuals during life's challenges and changes. We work to preserve and strengthen families through our counseling, support and education services. Contact Jessica Bonnell – 317-644-7232 or jessicab@familiesfirstindiana.org

Family Prison Visit Ministry

Topic: Family Transportation to visit prisoners

The Family Prison Visit Ministry is an Indianapolis -based ministry that takes family members to visit inmates all over Indiana. The reason is family visits dramatically reduce the number of return visits to prison. They will discuss volunteer opportunities to be an occasional driver for the organization's vehicle to make visits possible more frequently for families. Contact Terry Ingram at 317-431-0550 or terry@ingramindy.com

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Susan Day

Topic: Fairbanks Treatment Facility (12/2010)

Fairbanks provides confidential and individualized alcohol and drug treatment and recovery programs for men, women, adolescents and their families. Services include: assessment, detoxification, inpatient and outpatient treatment, recovery management, supportive residential living, community education and tobacco cessation. Fairbanks also offers Hope Academy, a recovery high school and La Verna Lodge, extended residential treatment for men. Fairbanks is the oldest independent treatment center in America, providing treatment and recovery programs for chemical dependency since 1945. Contact Susan Day at 317-572-9401 or sday@fairbanksd.org

Ed L. DeWitt

Topic: Navigating the new world of finance and real estate from credit criteria to valuations and products.

Today's headlines reflected from the experience of thirty years in mortgage origination and security trading. Behind the political rhetoric and the media hype a view from the frontline that reveals and explains the mystery in the crisis. Ed DeWitt 317-973-4137 or ed@thedewittgroup.com

Jon Clark, CFP Financial Enhancement Group, LLC

Topic: The Credit Crunch, Demographics, and the Economy

Fellow Kiwanian Jon Clark, a Certified Financial Planner, will provide Kiwanis members with an informative and entertaining presentation on the effect that demographics have had and will have on the United States economy, give a basic primer to the Credit Crunch of 2008, and discuss current economic events in plain English. With offices in Lafayette, Anderson, and Marion, Jon is willing to speak at any Kiwanis meeting in the following divisions: *Arrowhead, Johnny Appleseed, Land of Lakes, Sagamore, Sycamore North, Sycamore South, Wabash Valley, and Wapahani*. Contact **Jon Clark** at 765-668-3208 or jclark@yourlifeafterwork.com. Website: www.yourlifeafterwork.com.

Gleaner's Food Bank

Topic: Ways to Partner with Gleaners

Learn more about Gleaners and their mission to "lead the fight against hunger."

Contact Steve Benway, Community Engagement Coordinator at 317-925-0191 or sbenway@gleaners.org

RBC Wealth Management

Topic: Global Tactical Asset Allocation

The speaker will be Keith Stucker from RBC Wealth Management.

Description: Why tactical asset allocation is better than a buy and hold strategy also, the current state of the stock and bond market. What are the current conditions of the U.S. economy and the global economy? What is our opinion on gold and gold stocks? Contact: Greg Thompson at 317- 810-2168 or greg.r.thompson@rbc.com

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Hartman Inventory LLC

Topic: Why do you need a personal property inventory?

When people face the unexpected burglary, fire or natural disaster, they find it impossible to remember everything they own. Thus, if you can't file a thorough insurance claim, you will in all likelihood fail to be adequately compensated for your loss. Other reasons for an inventory include estate planning and settlement, having supporting documentation for uninsured losses reported on Income Tax Returns... and many more! You'll learn how to create your own inventory Contact Cindy Hartman at 317-501-6818 or Cindy@HartmanInventory.com

HealthSource of Indianapolis

Topic: Chiropractic Practices

Dr. Fortunato would like to speak on behalf of HealthSource of Indianapolis on the topic of health and chiropractic care. The presentation speaks about preventative steps that can be taken, and chiropractic care in general. Contact: Damon Nix at 317-257-2225 or hsindianapolis@healthsourcechiro.com

A Harvest of Health Nutrition & Wellness Center

Topic: Learn effective natural methods to achieve personal/family health and wellness.

Jerry Rauch, a traditional Doctor of Naturopathy and National Speaker, offers a variety of presentations on how to address important wellness issues like Obesity, Brain Health, Immunity, Cardiovascular Health, Core Nutrition and more. He provides a proactive rather than reactive approach to health. This common sense approach doesn't just address the symptoms of poor health, but instead, probes the root issues that are foundational to successfully achieving and maintaining adult and childhood wellness. Contact: Jerry Rauch at 1-260-824-1600 or jerry@aharvestofhealth.com

Ken Oguss, Professional Storyteller and Oral Historian.

Topic: How To Design, Record and Preserve Life Stories Through Oral History Interviews.

Recorded interviews can be a rich source of history for families, communities and organizations. This presentation is designed to help you conduct successful, useful interviews; what questions to ask, how to use digital recorders and what to do with the recordings afterward. The stories we tell about the significant events in our lives are precious. Learn how you and your club can preserve oral histories for future generations. Ken Oguss, MLS, is the Digital Audio Engineer and Editor for the Life Stories Project, <http://lifestoriesproject.net> - Contact: Ken Oguss 317-938-8743, TVOA@AOL.COM

Brian Fedje - Board Member, HOBY Indiana

Topic: HOBY Seminars in Indiana

Brian will coordinate to send a speaker to your club to discuss the HOBY seminar and how your club can support the program. Contact Brian Fedje at 317-823-6750 or bfedje@hobyindiana.org

JDRF – Indiana State Chapter

Topic: Type 1 Diabetes

JDRF is the leading diabetes foundation funding T1D research. JDRF's goal is to progressively remove the impact of T1D from people's lives until we achieve a world without T1D. JDRF collaborates with a wide spectrum of partners and is the only organization with the scientific resources, regulatory influence, and a working plan to better treat, prevent, and eventually cure T1D. JDRF is currently sponsoring \$530 million in scientific research in 17 countries. In 2012 alone, JDRF provided more than \$110 million to T1D research. The Indiana State Chapter hosts fundraising events across the state (Walks, Gala, Outreach

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Events), always requiring volunteers. Contact Amy Schomacker, Outreach Coordinator, at 317-308-4928 or aschomacker@jdrf.org

Rick Garrett – Laughing Sober

Topic: Laughing Sober: One man's journey

Rick Garrett, 2015 Hoosier Comedy Award Winner, debuted his Laughing Sober program at the 2015 Indy Fringe festival to great reviews. From his childhood, which included a series of foster homes, through overcoming a learning disability and graduating High School, College, and Seminary, and his battle with alcoholism and addiction, Rick explores the causes of addiction, and the options for recovery. This is a very frank discussion of subjects such as abuse, neglect, and addiction. It offers the hope that no matter what your background, one has options for recovery and success in life. Contact Rick at 317-213-1193 or RickGarrettComedy@gmail.com

Homework Watcher

Topic: Streamlining Communication Between Teachers and Parents

The Homework Watcher allows teachers to communicate directly with parents regarding class schedule, homework assignments, or any other important message. Several area schools are already using this product and it's quick and easy to use. Contact Jeff Clark at 317-536-5060 or jeffclark@homeworkwatcher.com

Hoosier Heartland Resource Conservation and Development Council

Topic: Invasive Plants Damaging Indiana's Future

A silent enemy is creeping across the landscape in Indiana. Invasive plants are spreading like wildfire and jeopardizing agricultural and forestry productivity and the natural habitat for native trees, wildlife and especially fruit, vegetable and other crop pollinators. An invasive plant is one that has the ability to thrive and spread outside its natural range. Experts estimate the economic damage caused by invasive plants to exceed 40 billion dollars annually. Three multi-county Resource Conservation and Development Councils along with 27 west central Indiana Soil and Water Conservation Districts have the goal of helping homeowners and other landowners and managers win the battle against invasive plants. Contact Bob Eddleman at 317-271-4413, 317-439-0827 (cell) or by email at bobedleman@sbcglobal.net to arrange informational programs.

Hoosier Lottery

Topic: How the Lottery Benefits Indiana

The Hoosier Lottery has six regional offices around the state (South Bend, Gary, Fort Wayne, Terre Haute, Evansville, and Jeffersonville) as well as the Hoosier Lottery Headquarters in Indianapolis, and each is staffed with speakers that could share with your club the many benefits our lottery provides. Contact at 317-264-4852 or broberts@hoosierlottery.com

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Tim Shurr

Topic: Hypnosis Shows for FUNdraising! (12/2010)

Indy's top hypnotist will reveal how he gets ordinary people to do *extraordinary* things on stage and how *you're* non-profit organization can raise funds and awareness with his shows. Businesses can also benefit from understanding how to influence customers and employees quickly and ethically! Programs are complimentary if club is located within 30 miles of Indianapolis. Contact: Tim Shurr 219-384-7645 or

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Indiana Landmarks (12/2010)

Topics: Historic Preservation & Architecture in Indiana

Great Landmarks of Indiana

Architectural Styles in Indiana

Stories Buildings Tell

Indiana Landmarks, the largest statewide preservation group in the U.S., revitalizes communities, reconnects us to our heritage, and saves meaningful places. Whether your club is interested in architecture, history, hard-hitting preservation, or armchair tours of Indiana's great landmarks, Indiana Landmarks can deliver an educational and entertaining illustrated talk. Programs range from 20 minutes to one hour and can be tailored to fit the interests of your group. Choose from any of the topics listed above or any others. With regional offices in Evansville, Jeffersonville, Aurora, Cambridge city, Wabash, South Bend, Hobart, Terre Haute and Indianapolis, they have a staff person close to you. Contact Suzanne Stanis at 1-800-450-4534 or sstanis@indianalandmarks.org

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Don Steffy

Topic: The Indianapolis Children's Choir

Recently named Executive Director, Don Steffy, will share his vision for the internationally renowned Indianapolis Children's Choir. Learn about the ICC's programs, concerts, outreach, and view part of the Emmy-nominated documentary about the Choir, "In Endless Song." Don is a dynamic speaker and has been a leader in the Indianapolis arts community for nearly 11 years. To learn more about him, visit their website and check out the ENCORE May 2007 newsletter. Contact the Indianapolis Children's Choir at 317-940-8072 or info@icchoir.org

Rick Myers - Indy's Inquisitive Kids, Inc.

Topic: Indy's Inquisitive Kids Newsletter

Indy's Inquisitive Kids, published by Inquisitive Kids, Inc., a public charity, is a free, monthly publication - circulation is now at 40,000 - delivered to metro-Indianapolis 3rd-, 4th-, and 5th-graders; not only does it get them excited about reading, it helps teachers implement the Indiana Academic Standards. Contact Rick at 317-566-0525 or 317-557-1111 (cell) or GOGOSOX1959@msn.com

Anne McGraw, Major Gifts Manager-Indiana University-South Bend

Topic: Fundraising campaign in support of need for digital technology for a new clinical teaching space and community clinic (dental services) for the underserved of the community.

Geographic Region: South Bend, Mishawaka, Granger and 15 mile radius

Presentation includes Vice Chancellor for Public Affairs, Dean of Health Sciences, Director of the IU South Bend Dental Hygiene program, and member of the campus Advancement team. We are raising awareness for the need for philanthropy in support of the new Dental Education Wing of the Arts & Education Building on the campus of IU South Bend. This is a space that is geared for clinical training of dental hygiene students in the baccalaureate degree program. The space also acts as a community clinic which offers dental services to the underserved of our community. Program includes an 8-minute DVD describing this important campus fundraising effort.

Contact: Anne McGraw Major Gifts Manager- Indiana University South Bend

Phone: 574.520.4801 or E-Mail: admccraw@iusb.edu

Indiana Youth Institute - Speaker: Bill Stanczykiewicz, President & CEO

Topic: "What all Kids Need Most" (10/12/12)

Geographic Region: Entire state

The president & CEO of the Indiana Youth Institute, Bill Stanczykiewicz, will present a snapshot of how youth are fairing in your community. He will provide insights on IYI initiatives to boost high school graduation rates, increase the number of mentoring relationships across Indiana, and promote career and college planning for children and their parents. In addition, Bill can discuss how IYI builds the capacity of Indiana's youth workers and youth-serving agencies to ensure kids have access to high-quality programs that can play a vital role in children growing into happy, healthy, and productive adults. Contact: Lisa Morphew, Executive Coordinator at 317-396-2711 or lmorphew@iyi.org

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Jameson Camp

Topic: Purpose and History of Jameson Camp (12/2012)

Jameson Camp is a unique 501(c)3 organization that specializes in serving children who are referred because of minor social and emotional challenges such as autism, attention deficit disorders, and is the only camp in Indiana that offers a special camp session for children impacted by HIV/AIDS. In addition to summer camp programming, Jameson Camp also provides: youth leadership training; outdoor education to campers and local school groups, and; team-building and a Challenge Course to include a climbing tower, high ropes, and a zip line. We welcome the opportunity to share with the Indiana District of Kiwanis International more about who we serve, what we offer and the impact Jameson Camp is having on the lives of young Hoosiers. Contact: Yvonne Matlock, Development Director at 317-241-2661 x 12 or Yvonne@jamesoncamp.org

Jim Hemmelgarn - Business & Community Liaison, Atterbury Job Corps Center

Topic: Job Corps (12/2010)

Jim would like to share with as many people as possible how effectively their tax dollars are being used for this excellent program for 16-24 year old. They are training young people for entry level jobs for Indiana businesses, many in construction related trades in security, health care, culinary and various office areas. Locations include Atterbury and Indianapolis.

Contact Jim Hemmelgarn at 812-314-6090 ogovhemmelgarn.jim@jobcorps.org

C. Bruce Flanagan

Topic: It's Not About You It's About Them Job Search Today

My presentation gives a typical day for an unemployed person who is making a concerted effort to find a new position. A job search is a project not an event and how to communicate that with your family. An example how an employed person or retired person can best communicate with, support and help an unemployed person in their job search. How you can help with networking and the proper way to network with both companies and individuals. Contact: C. Bruce Flanagan 317-289-8933 or bruce.flanagan@lejunlimited.com

Larry Davis

Topic: "It's Your Life! Take Charge! Be Happy!"

I would be pleased to offer this exciting presentation to clubs in Indiana, IL. or KY. If the club is within say, 30-40 miles of Evansville, IN, the program would be complimentary. The presentation will leave your members encouraged and give a fresh view to look at life and the possibility that they can personally take charge and make every day a better happier, less stressful day. This information is inspirational and potentially life-changing. Program explanation: Anyone can learn how to create their own happier, less stressful day with the right information. Give me 30 - 45 minutes and I'll show you and your club members the 7 greatest secrets to a happier stress free life....that most people will never know! Why search for happiness, when you can learn to create your own! Company: People Magic Seminars. Contact Larry at peoplemagic@insightbb.com

Anne Majewski - Community Relations Coordinator, Lutheran Child & Family Services

Topic: Various

Anne will coordinate a speaker from LCFS to speak on topics such as anger management, child abuse, family dysfunction, autism, effective parenting, stress management, adoption and much more.

Contact Anne at 317-359-5467 x338 or amajewski@lutheranfamily.org

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Mental Health America of Greater Indianapolis

Topic: General Mental Health (12/2010)

Mental Health America of Greater Indianapolis is Indianapolis' leading nonprofit dedicated to helping ALL people live mentally healthier lives. Mental Health America represents a growing movement of Americans who promote mental wellness for the health and well-being of the nation - everyday and in times of crisis. Contact Amy Tobias at 317-251-7575 or Atobias@mhaindy.net

Dorothy Drummond

Topic: Middle East Conflict

Author, Holy Land, Who's Land? Modern Dilemma, Ancient Roots, Drummond is has spoken widely on the Israeli/Palestinian conflict. Her take on the subject is this: Both peoples have deep-seated reasons for the positions they take, and we Americans – heavily involved as we are in the peace process – need to understand those reasons. Contact: Dorothy Drummond 812-299-3760 or dorothydrummond@indstate.edu

Jami Begole

Topic: Operation Hometown Outreach

Operation Hometown Outreach is a Soybean Check-off Dollar program designed to educate the public on the importance of safe and healthy food for Americans through a network of local speakers. The program focuses on Modern Agriculture production practices, new technologies and the positive impact of animal agriculture on Indiana businesses as well as to local and state economies. These farm business owners and Ag experts speak on an all-volunteer basis. The typical presentation is about 15 minutes. However, it can be modified based on time constraints. We generally leave time for questions, because most groups LOVE to spend time delving into something the speaker touched on... Contact Jami at 309-339-0927 or jami@foodintegrity.org

The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society

Topic: Pennies for Patients (12/2010)

The Pennies for Patients program is a community service project and fundraiser benefiting the Society's mission, conducted in Indiana schools, K-12. Clicking on the link above you may register or find out more about signing up a school. Schools raise funds in honor of local "heroes" which are children that have been diagnosed with a blood cancer. The unique thing about the program is kids are helping kids, because leukemia is the number one disease killer of children under 20. Contact Elissa Cici, Campaign Manager at 317-726-2270, 800-846-7764 or Elissa.cici@lls.org

Indiana Petroleum Marketers and Convenience Store Association

Topic: Educational information regarding gasoline prices. (04/2011)

The presentation focuses on current gas prices, how prices are set and the impact the price of crude has on local convenience stores. This informative seminar clarifies many gas price myths and will educate and entertain any crowd. Contact: Scott Imus, Executive Director; 317-633-4662 or simus@ipca.org

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Maria Steiner - Central Indiana Land Trust, Inc

Topic: Preserving Nature in the Heart of Indiana

The Central Indiana Land Trust (CILTI) is an organization dedicated to preserving natural areas for the benefit of present and future generations through the ownership and management of Nature Preserves. Our presentation highlights the beautiful properties that we own and manage in Central Indiana through a PowerPoint presentation of colorful photos. The presentation is 30-45 minutes in length and offers various ways to get involved. Visit our website at www.cilti.org for more information about our organization. Contact Maria Steiner at 317-631-5263 msteiner@cilti.org

Judd Green - Indiana Association of Professional Investigators

Topic: Private Investigation

Judd is a retired undercover police narcotics detective who is now a private investigator. He also conducts training for the Indiana Association of Professional Investigators, a [professional organization of about 70 private investigators around Indiana](#). [Members of his organization will share with Kiwanians what private investigators do](#). Contact Judd Green at 317-780-1800 or consultgreen@aol.com

Joseph Veger-Prudential Annuities

Topic: Destination: Retirement Income Helping you create guaranteed income that lasts a life.

What's the one thing we all need to retire comfortably? If you answered money, you are partially right. But accumulating the money you need requires something even more essential – a plan. You need a strategy for growing your retirement savings and turning it into income that can last a lifetime. At Prudential Annuities, we call this vital planning period "The Retirement Red Zone," a time when careful preparation and prudent action is essential. Contact: Joseph Veger - 317-607-6612 or joseph.veger@prudential.com

Gretchen Bertolet

Topic: We're Bringing Purdue To You!

The Purdue Speakers Bureau can connect Kiwanis Clubs across Indiana with top faculty scholars and staff to engage club members in dialogue about relevant, important topics of the day. The Bureau is there to assist you in building informative, entertaining, and enlightening programs with speakers and subjects aimed at your members' interest and the issues that affect us all. "Hot" topics of the day include advanced manufacturing, biomedical engineering, economic development, food production and attracting high tech business.

Contact Purdue Speakers Bureau at 765-494-9318 or speakers@purdue.edu

Diana Lazzell

Topic: Radiology & Imaging Sciences

Indiana University School of Medicine Department of Radiology & Imaging Sciences gladly provides lecturers for organizations around Indiana. They are available to speak on a variety of subjects, from women's health to professionalism.

With the largest group of radiologists in the state, the IUSM Radiology Speakers Bureau imparts knowledge and experience that you can't find elsewhere, including case studies and lectures on a wide range of topics, including:

- Pediatric Conditions
- Women's Health
- Cancer

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- Neuroscience
- Vascular Disease
- Trauma
- Professionalism

Once you have identified topic(s) of interest, we invite you to contact Diana Lazzell, Coordinator of the IUSM Radiology Speakers Bureau, at dlazzell@iupui.edu or 317-715-6389. Thank you for your time and consideration!

Amy Lemen - ALL In One Marketing

Topic: How Social Media is Changing Brand Building For Businesses

A brand is not just a logo. It is an asset that resides in the mind of your customer. Brands used to be built through traditional marketing efforts and one way communication from the business to the customer. Today, with the rise of social media, conversations are taking place between businesses and their customers. These conversations are changing the way customers think of brands. Amy Lemen, President of ALL In One Marketing can provide some insights on how businesses should begin to engage their customers in conversations to build stronger brands. Amy is available to speak to clubs in the greater Indianapolis area. Contact Amy at Amy@ALLInOneMarketingUSA.com

Tim Shurr

Topic: Are YOU Sabotaging Your Success? (12/2010)

America's expert on self-sabotage will reveal the 9 most common mental sabotages that keep people stuck in a rut and how to avoid them! Learn the latest cutting edge strategies for improving health, creating passionate relationships, building wealth, overcoming procrastination, and more! Programs are complimentary if club is located within 30 miles of Indianapolis. Contact: Tim Shurr 219-384-7645 or Tim@ShurrSuccess.com

Sustainable Indiana 2016

Topic: Hoosier Heroes of Climate Change: What Hoosiers are doing for our children and their future. (04/2014)

This presentation features a variety of successful models for coping with the effects of current and future climate disruptions. Included in the program is an opportunity for club members to assess and compile their personal actions that may lead to a Bicentennial Green Legacy Club award.

Sustainable Indiana 2016 is a project officially endorsed by the Indiana Bicentennial Commission dedicated to improving Indiana's sustainability as a bicentennial legacy. Please visit our website at sustainableindiana2016.org to learn more about our work. Sustainable Indiana 2016 has volunteer coordinators in every part of Indiana who are ready and willing to meet with Kiwanis clubs. Contact Kiwanian John Gibson (member of the Robin Run Golden K Kiwanis Club in Indianapolis) or Judy Voss at the SI 2016 state office to schedule a presentation: 317-295-9630, info@sustainableindiana2016.org.

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H&R Block

Topic: Tax Filing Tips and New Tax Laws

This program will provide Kiwanis members with answers to their tax questions and information on the latest tax issues. Their Community Speakers Bureau can arrange for a tax professional to speak to any local Kiwanis group, customizing a presentation to cover members' particular areas of interest.

Consider scheduling an H&R Block tax professional to present year-end tax planning advice (November/December), a discussion of recent tax changes and filing tips (January/February/March) or tax issues for students, parents, investors or retirees (anytime). Question and Answer sessions are always included with any presentation. Contact Clare Scales at 317-201-4932 or clare.scales@hrblaock.com

Trusted Mentors

Topic: Mentoring to Prevent Homelessness

Learn about how Trusted Mentors, an Indianapolis initiative, matches volunteer mentors with adults at risk of homelessness and re-entering after prison. Learn both mentoring tips and how mentors help change lives. Contact: Jeri Warner, Executive Director at Trusted Mentors at 317-985-5041 info@trustedmentors.org

West Central Indiana Cooperative Weed Management Area

Topic: Invasive Plants Damage Native Ecosystems

A silent enemy is creeping across the landscape in Indiana. Invasive plants are spreading like wildfire and jeopardizing the natural habitat for trees, pollinators, song birds and other wildlife as well as causing significant economic damage. Since these plants are in a new environment, free from the natural predators, they can out compete and displace native plants. Song birds are especially suffering because native insects are not adapted to the invasive plants and the food supply for birds is limited. This presentation identifies the significant damages being wrought and discusses plant identification and control. Program is available within 100 miles of Indianapolis. Contact Bob Eddleman at 317-271-4413 or bobedleman@sbcglobal.net.

Emily Munson, Ms. Wheelchair Indiana

Topic: Wheel Be Ready: Emergency Preparedness in the Disability Community

Emily Munson, Ms. Wheelchair Indiana, 2009 is 24 years old, an Indianapolis resident and proud Hoosier. She currently attends Indiana University, Indianapolis where she is completing her juris doctorate and Master's degree in Philosophy.

She hopes to pursue a career in international disability rights law, which she has incorporated elements of into her platform "Wheel Be Ready: Emergency Preparedness in the Disability Community."

Emily has spinal muscular atrophy and uses a power wheelchair. In her spare time, she plays power soccer and enjoys writing and traveling. Her speech on emergency preparedness is an eye opening and potentially policy-changing look at what happens to those who are dependent upon others to help them in times of emergency without adequate planning. But more than that, her presence as a speaker at your club will help to build bridges between the disabled and able-bodied community and promote the needs of the disabled in our communities across the state. Please contact: Emil at emunson@iupui.edu

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Youth for Understanding

Topic: Youth for Understanding Exchange Student Program (01/2013)

My wife and I volunteer with this volunteer based exchange program for High School students. There are 15-18 students that travel to the US or for US students to travel to one of about 70 countries for the Exchange Experience. I am a member of the Kiwanis Club of Logansport Cass County. Contact: Don Strasser at 574-721-8856 or dondstrass@aol.com