



# The Kiwanis Club of Williamsburg

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# Kiwanogram

**March 30, 2011**

## Meeting Location

Williamsburg Lodge-Tidewater Room

## This Week's Program

Semir Sam Osmanagic, Explorer  
Discovering the Bosnian Pyramids

## Menu

Pressed Cuban Sandwich w/Orange  
Roasted Pork, Shaved Ham, Chipotle Mayo  
and Melted Provolone on Crusty Bread

## Upcoming Speakers/Topic

April 6-David Cash/Haiti Earthquake  
April 13-Kristy Plourde/Preparedness

## Invocation Song Leader

Rick Lodwick Martha Madeira

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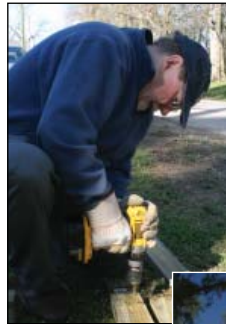
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**ONE-DAY!**



This coming Saturday, April 2, is the Big Day, what Kiwanis is all about: Service! It's our annual One-Day service event, when we will once again go to one of our favorite facilities to help them make it even better for our annual Shrimp Feast: The James City County 4-H Center.

We'll work from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. doing a variety of jobs, including exterior and interior painting, assembling the air gun range structure, attaching sun protection for sandboxes, building benches around trees, constructing an element for the ropes course, light outdoor pickup and cleaning, installing of digital thermostats, installing ladders on bunk beds, and more!

For those who can't attend Saturday for one reason or another, please consider giving a monetary gift. All dollars will go toward materials for the above projects. We will have a collection bucket at the head table today. Checks or cash are accepted. Make checks to Jamestown 4-H Club or Kiwanis Club of Williamsburg.

To volunteer, please contact Kevin Walsh at 871-3231 or by e-mail at [drwalsh@walshfamilychiro.com](mailto:drwalsh@walshfamilychiro.com).

See you at the Center!

Kiwanis International is a global organization of members of every age who are dedicated to changing the world, one child and one community at a time.

## Today's Speaker: Dr. Semir Sam Osmanagich

Semir Sam Osmanagich is a Bosnian-born resident of Houston who is an author, researcher and businessman. He has discovered ancient pyramidal complex in Visoko, Bosnia-Herzegovina, which consists of five colossal stone structures in the shape of the pyramid with an extensive pre-historic underground tunnel network.

He established the non-profit Archaeological Park: Bosnian Pyramid of the Sun Foundation to pursue the excavation and geo-archaeological work. The First International Scientific Conference about Bosnian Valley of the Pyramids was held in Sarajevo in 2008 with 55 leading experts from Egypt, Russia, China, Poland, Saudi Arabia, United Kingdom, Croatia, Austria, Montenegro and Bosnia giving full support Osmanagich's efforts and recommending establishment of the Center for Pyramid Studies in Bosnia.

Osmanagich also is an owner and president of the manufacturing company Met Company Inc. and holding company Met Holding Group, LLP in Houston.

Osmanagich authored and narrated a 12-episode documentary "Search for Lost Civilization" for the state Bosnian television in 2007 which was based on his book: "Civilizations Before the Official History" (2005) and filmed in Peru, Bolivia, Easter Island, Costa Rica, Mexico, United Kingdom, France, Germany, Malta, Egypt, Jordan and Lebanon.



Dr. Osmanagich lectures extensively and promotes the Bosnian Valley of the Pyramids Project the world over. The daily newspaper *San* from Sarajevo awarded Osmanagich the title "Man of the Year 2007 in Bosnia-Herzegovina" for his research project. He has been admitted as a Foreign Member of the Russian Academy of Natural Sciences from Moscow, one of the most respected scientific institutions in the world.

Osmanagich earned his doctorate in sociology of history at the University of Sarajevo. His thesis was on Mayan civilization. He is in Virginia to conduct a series of lectures emphasizing his latest research and his most recent findings, as well as his most recent book, "Pyramids Around the World."

## Kiwanonotes

### Next Interclub With Tabb April 5

Our next interclub opportunity will be Tuesday, April 5, with the Tabb Club at 6:30 p.m., at Andrea's Italian Restaurant, 1730 George Washington Mem. Hwy. (U.S. 17). To get there, take I-64 to exit 256B, Victory Blvd. (Rte. 171E), to U.S. 17, then turn right, go 0.8 mi. to Coventry Blvd., U-turn and north 0.1 mile on right).

We will meet at the CVS Pharmacy, Rte. 199 and Jamestown Road, at 5:45 p.m. to car pool. Please email Brian Estes at [gbestes@cox.net](mailto:gbestes@cox.net) by March 30 or see him at a meeting if you plan to attend. Since the meeting room is small, there will be no guests, please.



### Aktion Club Car Wash April 30

The Aktion Club will hold its 6th annual car wash fundraiser on Saturday, April 30, from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Exxon station on the corner of Richmond

Road and Lightfoot Road.

Club Members voted to this year to split the proceeds between the ARC and the Heritage Humane Society.

## Welcome New Members

### Mike Hartnett

Mike works at Franklin American Mortgage as the branch manager. He is married to his wife, Andrea, and the couple have three children: Hunter, 17, who attends Jamestown High School; Trevor, 14, who attends Hornsby Middle School, and Sarah, 10, who goes to Mataoka Elementary.



Hartnett

He moved to Williamsburg in 2005 after living in York County. He is active in coaching in the World Association of Adult Recreation. His hobbies include mountain biking, hiking, and running.

### Patricia Strup

Pat is originally from Bryan, Ohio, where she was the daughter of two business owners. She went on the work at Wendy's International as a district manager. When she arrived in Williamsburg in 2006, she took a part-time position at Halos Marketing Group.



Strup

Now fulltime, Pat has clients all over the U.S. She helps them with web development, search engine optimization, e-marketing, newsletters, and social media.

Pat has worked with many non-profit organizations to help them grow, giving them the ability to help more members of the community. She states that she is very excited about the opportunity to work with her fellow Kiwanians for the betterment of the community.

## Let's Help Scott Represent Our Club Well In Indianapolis

*(The following is from Scott Zimmerman.)*

In two weeks I will travel to Indianapolis, Indiana, to participate in a training program for Kiwanis International Foundation District Chairs. District Chairs from around the globe will attend this training. As a part of our team building program we will all participate in a service project. We will present children's books and personal hygiene items to the children of a third grade class at a large Indianapolis public school.

I will need the following items to take with me for 8-9 year olds: socks, undergarments, toothpaste, toothbrushes, soap, shampoo, and children's books.

Help me represent our club and our District by helping these young children in need. Bring these items to our meeting the next two weeks or contact me directly and I will pick them up.

Thank you in advance for your help!



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