

Local area motivational speaker pays a visit to Kairshea WI

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Motivational speaker and Goderich native Kevin Morrison recently paid a friendly visit to the Lucknow Library to speak to the Kairshea Women's Institute and spread his message of positivity to them. Morrison is also a municipal councillor in Goderich.

"I want to talk to the women today about living their lives with purpose," said Morrison. "I do a lot of travelling within North America and it's kind of nice to be close to home. I live in Goderich and most of my speaking engagements take me south of the border and I always like to get back home. I always like to give back to the local community so talking to small groups is something I really enjoy."

Morrison has presented and appeared in major cities and venues throughout both Canada and the United States, including well known and well established Las Vegas hotels and casinos.

His Facebook page describes himself as having a high-energy and personal approach and

Morrison is also the author of the very popular book "Get Happy, Get Simple". He says the book he wrote in 2003 is "down-to-earth" and an easy to understand method of writing, which helps those who are looking to make positive changes in their lives.

"My book has given me the opportunity to travel throughout North America and really what the whole message of the book is to live a life for what's important and everything else will fall into place," said Morrison.

Morrison said his main reason for coming to talk to the Kairshea WI was to reaffirm the message of leading a positive life. He knows they are a group that already live positive lives and his role is to show them the importance of that message. He also said it's just a nice time together and talk with some nice people. Morrison said he uses a lot of humour at his speaking engagements and said that's just a great way to break the ice.

"I have a rather unique style in my presentation. I like to have fun and they (Kairshea WI) do a lot of good work within the community," said Morrison. "A big part of my message is when you are out there making a difference in the lives of others you make a difference in your own."

For Morrison having positive change in one's life is a personal issue because he said he grew up in a somewhat poor lifestyle and he always wanted to break free from that and make lots of money. However, somewhere along the way making money wasn't something which was making him happy and he decided to give it all up and work in charity.

Morrison said it's the best thing he could have done with his life.

"My goal in life as a young person was to get off the farm and make a fortune because I didn't want to live in poverty my whole life," said Morrison. "I realized there are sacrifices to be made when you take that path and start to build businesses. On the outside looking in I looked successful, but I was miserable. In 2001, I felt the businesses were starting to own me and I wasn't having fun. I sold the businesses and made some real changes and it led me to the wonderful life I lead today."

Ultimately Morrison just wanted to reaffirm his message of leading a good life to the Kairshea group and give them a few laughs along the way. He said talking to groups like this is something that drives and keeps himself motivated on his travels north and south of the border.

"Something tells me that this group here (Kairshea WI) has already got the message because of their community involvement," said Morrison. "I'm just going to have a lot of fun with the group because of the humour I bring to the table. Groups like this are always great to speak to."

For more information about Kevin Morrison go to www.kevin-morrison.com or look for 'Kevin Morrison Fan Club' on Facebook.



Motivational speaker Kevin Morrison



**Kinloss Kairshea invites you to hear
Kevin Morrison, Motivational speaker and
Author of "Get Happy, Get Simple"
His down to earth, tell it like it is approach
is a delight to all who hear him.**

Date: November 17th, 1:00 P:M

**@
Lucknow Town Hall**

Kinloss Kairshea WI

The Kinloss Kairshea WI met at the Town Hall for their Education - Rose program with the opening ode and Mary Stewart Collect. Eleven members answered the rollcall.

The secretary read the minutes of the last meeting and the treasurer's report was given and a motion was made to pay the bills.

The January meeting was discussed and June gave the report from the rally. At 1 p.m. of the meeting friends and other institute members joined the ladies and lunch was served.

Kathy then read a poem "Tree of Life" and introduced the guest speaker Kevin Morrison from Goderich. He is a motivational speaker who speaks all over North America. His inspiring message to everyone was to love ones self, learn something new every day, laugh, have fun, enjoy yourself, let go, forgive and live.

June thanked the speaker and everyone for coming.