Due to some unusual circumstances that delayed the release of the second of three issues of this year’s U & I Kiwanian issues, this is the third of three issues that will be released and will run simultaneously. We will return to the normal distribution frequency as soon as possible. Please also note: It’s anticipated that the April/May 2019 (Issue 4) will be ready soon as well.

A POEM SHARED BY THE ROCKY MOUNTAIN DISTRICT, PAST GOVERNOR, Mary Villalba 2009: Appropriate then and Appropriate now NOBODY ASKED!

Nobody asked, but I thought that I would share a piece of my mind… not that there is all that much left to share.

Nobody asked the speaker at our club to join us the following week and to become a member, so the speaker never came back.

Nobody asked the shy man who stumbled upon the lunch meeting if he would like to join us in the reading we do for Head Start every week, so he didn’t.

Nobody asked the wife of the long-time member who died recently if she would like to be a part of the organization her husband valued so highly, so she sat home alone.

Nobody asked what the new member did for a living, or how many kids she had or what she liked to do when she wasn’t volunteering or working, so she stopped coming.

Nobody asked the man who was so busy with kids, church, work and life, if he wanted to put an umbrella over all of that and join with others who could give him some help, so he kept on doing what he was doing and it never occurred to him that a Kiwanian might help him.

Nobody asked me, but I think we all need to remember…… JUST ASK…. that’s what it’s all about!

If you want to build your clubs remember to ASK. Many of our Kiwanis District Clubs already ASK. Kudos to you! Perhaps this reminder will help all of our Clubs to grow. Growing membership means more folks to serve our Children. Keep up the good works that you do for the Children. Let them know Kiwanis cares. Let them know YOU care.

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Please attach request to e-mail as use one of the following formats: pdf, doc, or excel

UTAH – IDAHO DISTRICT

The Utah-Idaho District came into existence as of December 16 of the same year. By mutual agreement, ratified by the International Board, the panhandle of Idaho consisting of 10 counties north of the Salmon River was added to the Pacific Northwest District in July of 1925. The Utah-Idaho District’s first convention was in Salt Lake City on December 16, 1920.

At that session, Herbert Van Damn, Jr. was elected governor at a convention in his home city. The first club in the district was Salt Lake City, completed October 10, 1918. The second club was Pocatello, Idaho, on August 5, 1920, and the third club was Boise, Idaho on August 10, 1920.

THE KIWANIS MISSION

Kiwanis empowers communities to improve the world by making lasting differences in the lives of children.

THE KIWANIS VISION

Kiwanis will be a positive influence in communities worldwide – so that one day, all children will wake up in communities that believe in them, nurture them and provide the support they need to thrive.

THE OBJECTS OF KIWANIS

The six permanent Objects of Kiwanis International were approved by Kiwanis club delegates at the 1924 Convention in Denver, Colorado. Through the succeeding decades, they have remained unchanged.

Object 1 - To give primacy to the human and spiritual rather than to the material values of life.

Object 2 - To encourage the daily living of the Golden Rule in all human relationships.

Object 3 - To promote the adoption and the application of higher social, business, and professional standards.

Object 4 - To develop, by precept and example, a more intelligent, aggressive, and serviceable citizenship.

Object 5 - To provide, through Kiwanis clubs, a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service, and to build better communities.

Object 6 - To cooperate in creating and maintaining that sound public opinion and high idealism which make possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism, and goodwill.
ROSTER CHANGES

Divisional Changes
Division changes last year needed to be revised. The following changes as detailed in the Board Meeting minutes included in this issue were made: Division 1 – West Valley, The Canyons, Sugar House, Park City & Heber. Division 2 – Tooele, Capitol Hill, Salt Lake City, Bonneville, No Davis County & Layton; Division 3 – Same; Division 4 – Same; Division 5 – Same; Division 6 – Same; Division 7 - Richfield, St. George & Santa Clara; Division 8 - North Utah County, Westlake, Orem, Orem Golden K, Provo, Price, Payson, Spanish Fork & Springville; Division 9 – Same. Bob Gentry and Chad Bunn will co-Lt Govern Division 8, since it is so large.

 Presidents & Secretaries
Division 1
The Canyons
Add K Number: K19944

FUTURE KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL CONVENTIONS

Jun 27–30, 2019 Walt Disney World, FL
June 18-21, 2020 Indianapolis, IN
June 24–27, 2021 Salt Lake City, UT

IMPORTANT DISTRICT DATES

July 20, 2019 District Board Meeting
Location: To Be Determined
August 9 – 11, 2019 2019 District Convention
(100th Annual District Convention), Salt Lake City, UT

Hello Advisors!
The Key Club district held our 65th annual District Convention and Leadership Convention was held in early March. We elected new officers:

Governor Carson Moore - Rocky Mountain High School
Secretary Ryan Yong - Timberline High School
LTG Division 8 - Maren Curtis
LTG Division 9 - Spencer Johnson

We are still looking for ltg's for divisions 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5. If you have any students in mind, please let me or Governor Carson know.

We also set the date for next year's DCLC: Saturday, March 7, 2020, in Ogden, Utah. We will be going to a slightly different format where everything is held on one day. The new board is already working on the agenda for next year and will have more detail on that in the fall.

Please add March 7, 2020, to your Key Club calendars, and thank you for what you do!

Alexis Langerak, District Administrator
Utah-Idaho Key Club
In attendance: Governor Barbara Mullins, Governor-Elect Steven Westphal, Secretary Janet Flinders, Treasurer Steve Fields, Lt Governors:

Div 1 Rick Buchanan, Div 2 Bill Mullins, Div 4 Mark McBride, Div 5 Jim Fields, Div 6 Debi Irish, and Div 8 Bob Gentry.

Excused: Past Governor Larry Hunter, Vice-Governor Chad Bunn, Lt Gov Div 7 Wesley Sine,

Absent: Lt Gov Div 3 George Comber, Lt Gov Div 9 Sammy Rickleman

Guests: Chuck Humphrey, Gordon Lewis, Jim & Sandra Vaughan

Prayer: Bob Gentry

Pledge: Steve Fields

Minutes for January Conference Call Board Meeting to be voted on at next board meeting.

Division Reports (in order of Division, not as reported in board meeting)

Div 1 - Rick Buchanan: New Club is being built “The Canyons”. Was previously called Midvale. They have 15-19 members, but the dues have not been sent in yet. Hopefully in 2-3 weeks.

Div 2 – Bill Mullins: Bonneville is strong and has several past governors. They are up 4 members and meet at Little America in SLC. Capitol Hill has lost numerous members but need to grow.

Layton does lots of service and has 4 to 5 Key Clubs. Even with a few members, they are doing well.

North Davis County Club is doing well but needs more members. Gives coats to school foundation and coats through Wal-Mart for older kids. They meet 2nd and 4th Monday mornings and have at least 4 members from Wal-Mart.

Salt Lake City has lost members and needs to grow

Tooele has 1 governor and 2 past governors. Strong with 26 members.

There will be more growth in Division 2 this year.

Div 3 – No Report

Div 4 – Mark McBride: The division is gearing up for spring activities and fund-raising. They are pushing Corporate Memberships.

Div 5 -- Jim Fields: Highlights of written report. Buhl supports Key Club, Builders Club and K-Kids; donate books for students in conjunction with Easter Egg Hunt; scholarships for Boys and Girls State; Assist Key Club with July 4th fun run; collect aluminum and paper for recycling; and have a July 4th Pancake Breakfast fundraiser.

Burley added a new member in February

Filer has a combined fundraiser golf tournament for Kimberly and Filer Kiwanis Clubs on Monday, May 20th.

Hailey was instrumental in getting one of Hailey’s parks renamed Kiwanis Park because of all the support to the city by Kiwanis family and thanks to a large unrestricted donation through the Idaho Community Foundation to purchase park playground equipment; also collect aluminum cans for recycle.

Jerome is short on members and needs to get some new members.
Kimberly is with Filer for the May 20th golf tournament. A large “K” key was made, which will be passed back and forth from Kiwanis to Key Club, as they attend each other’s meetings.

Rupert had a successful Pickleball tournament fundraiser on March 15-16. Call Wally Studer at 208-431-3604 or Dan Gammon at 208-670-4105 for information on how your club can do this too.

Twin Falls added a new member in February; scholarships for Boys and Girls State; deliver food boxes monthly to home-bound senior citizens for the Twin Falls Senior Center; children’s books are given to the public library in the names of speakers at the Kiwanis Club meetings; OctoberFeast 2019 fundraiser has been set for Wednesday, October 9th.

General News – Div 5 total membership is up 7 for the year. McKay Lundgren, Buhl Kiwanis Club, will become Division 5’s Lt Governor Oct 1, 2019.

Div 6 – Debi Irish: Gem State Boise sponsors 1 Key Club, 2 Builders Clubs, and 1 K-Kids Club. Service projects: Reading at elementary school 2-3 days per week; participated in history day at Lowell Scott Elementary; participated in IHOP National Pancake day as greeters; and participated in walk for Meals on Wheels.

Capital City Boise membership is up one; sponsors 3 Key Clubs, participated in Cabin Fever Reliever; assisted Key club members with convention expenses.

Meridian sponsors 5 Key Clubs, 1 Builders Club and 4 K-Kids Club; member ship is up by 3 and there are now 15 members in the Eagle satellite club; service projects – Cooked meal at Ronald McDonald House and Donated $1,000 to the summer library reading program; the upcoming fundraiser – WingOff is in June.

Eagle satellite club has 15 members and sponsors 1 Key Club; service projects are: assisted with Eagle High senior project – food drive for Eagle Food Bank and Donated $5,000 for scholarships to high school students. Eagle Kiwanis was recognized at West Ada School District Foundation gala. Eagle Kiwanis will be the recipient of fundraising by Eagle Chamber of Commerce golf tournament.

Emmett sponsors one Key Club; membership is up 3; service projects: Easter egg hunt in April, Wings and Wheels car and air show, Chili feed with the Fire Department. Major fundraiser is the Sportsman raffle.

Div 7 – No report

Div 8 – Robert “Bob” Gentry: Has communicated with all clubs in the division. Membership is growing (instead of losing a member, they changed to a corporate membership and now the fire chief is attending and they now have a 24 year old member.

Price has a children’s carnival and gives bicycles to needy children.

Provo and Spanish Fork are both very active

Div 9 – No report.

Governor Barbara showed a circle of children to remind us what we are all about. Janet Flinders presented the December board meeting minutes and discovered that there was a January board meeting. Those minutes will be presented at the next board meeting in May.

Steve Fields presented the financial statement. The District’s finances are ok but there are a few clubs that have not paid dues yet. Denison Bros has not sent a check yet, but is expected soon. The Bond Premium covers the Treasurer. D & O covers everyone else.

Wes Sine, Jim Vaughan and Larry Hunter have not received their life member award yet. Jim Fields moved to give these 3 awards, Steve Westphal seconded.

Discussion: Since the District doesn’t supply the Gong $350, Gavel $48 and engraving $100, these life memberships should be awarded. The money is available.
Go confidently in the direction of your dreams! Live the life you've imagined. As you simplify your life, the laws of the universe will be simpler.

- Henry David Thoreau

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- Sir Winston Churchill

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- Albert Einstein

All human actions have one or more of these seven causes: chance, nature, compulsion, habit, reason, passion, and desire.

- Aristotle

Anyone who stops learning is old, whether twenty or eighty. Anyone who keeps learning stays young. The greatest thing you can do is keep your mind young.

- Mark Twain

All human situations have their inconveniences. We feel those of the present but neither see nor feel those of the future; and hence we often make troublesome changes without amendment, and frequently for the worse.

- Benjamin Franklin

Always aim at complete harmony of thought and word and deed. Always aim at purifying your thoughts and everything will be well.

- Mahatma Gandhi

All our progress is an unfolding, like a vegetable bud. You have first an instinct, then an opinion, then a knowledge as the plant has root, bud, and fruit. Trust the instinct to the end, though you can render no reason.

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The District has a Hosting Plan which includes Bonneville, Pocatello and Key Club. Need to move to a new server and either pay three years up-front for $215.64 or ten years at $718.80. Need to remove Marvin Chamberlain’s name and password off PayPal. Get the monthly fee removed and change to a percentage. Steve Fields will handle this. Steve will teach Janet how to handle PayPal.

Bill Mullins moved to adjourn, and Jim Fields seconded. Vote was unanimous.

YOUR INVITED TO SUPPORT THE KIWANIS CLUB OF THE CANYONS IN THEIR FIRST FUNDRAISER

Kiwanis Club of the Canyons is raising money that will go into the “Jo Ann Seghini Scholarship”. Jo Ann Seghini is a past mayor of the Midvale City Utah and a longtime member of the Midvale Kiwanis Club. This scholarship will be awarded to young women who are going into a male-dominated field of study.

The club will be hosting a Lunafest Film Festival. Midvale City and the Midvale Main Street Theatre are assisting with the event.

Date: Friday, July 12, 2019
Location: Main Street Theatre
7711 S Main St, Midvale, UT
Time: Reception 6:30 pm to 7:30 pm (Includes hors d’oeuvres, chair massages, and maybe a silent auction)
Film Festival 7:30 pm
Cost: $30 to attend the reception and film festival
$20 to attend the film festival only

About Lunafest
LUNA has always believed in the power of women. From the beginning, we knew women had a role to play in shaping the future of the film industry so in 2000, LUNAFEST was born.

LUNAFEST was the first all-women travelling film festival to hit the screens and amplify the voices of strong women everywhere. The first event was small, but hopeful, screening in California. Today, there are screenings in more than 175 cities across the nation where the work of talented women filmmakers is showcased.

Midvale Main Street Theatre is a local community theatre that puts on edgy musical productions, children's theatre shows, and much more!

For more information contact:
Laura Magness, (805) 501-7762, lmagness@midvale.com
Gordon Lewis, (385) 202-9845, gelbowl@comcat.net

YOU CHANGE LIVES
At the Kiwanis Children’s Fund, we're passionate about serving the children of the world. As a Kiwanian, so are you. We're proud to share some of the inspiring projects made possible because of generous members like you:

- In Nepal, some children arrive at school hungry and with nothing to eat. But the Kiwanis Club of Kathmandu City is using a Children’s Fund grant to help provide nutritious lunches to all its students.
- For homeless families who have lived through abuse and trauma, a grant is helping the Tacoma, Washington, Kiwanis Club provide a safe place with a new play structure at a local shelter.
- In Sudan, 91 percent of newborns are vulnerable to brain damage because their mothers haven’t been able to consume enough iodine. In February, the Children’s Fund granted US$200,000 to UNICEF to improve this country’s dangerously low salt iodization levels. Every day, Kiwanians make a difference in children’s lives. Thank you.
IT'S ALMOST TIME FOR SUMMER TRAVEL

Did you know your membership includes benefits to help you travel — for less? Check out these helpful hints as you plan your summer vacations.

- **Kiwanis Travel**: Our partnership with Collette can save you up to US$650 per trip. Collette has 168 tours traveling to 59 countries across all 7 continents.
- **Emergency Assistance Plus**: While you and your family travel, purchase this protection to cover costs your health insurance would not cover, such as medical evacuation. Yearly rates start at US$114. This includes any travel outside your home state for a calendar year.
- **Hilton**: Members can reach Hilton Honors Gold status with the exclusive Fast Pass to Gold program.
- **Avis Budget group**: Take advantage of up to 25 percent off Avis or Budget when renting a vehicle.
- **ProtectAmerica**: While you're away, rest assured your home is protected. Members save at least 20 percent off top-rated home security packages.

Safe travels!
Kiwanis International

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GETTING THE GRANT: FUNDING YOUR MISSION

Did you miss the Kiwanis Children’s Fund webinar about grants? Look on the District Website, www.uiukiwans.org, for the link to view the webinar. The webinar is approximately 30 minutes in length.

Grants are an untapped resource for many clubs and districts. Watch the webinar to learn about the process of applying for grants, from research to writing effective proposals and more. Plus, learn about the Children’s Fund Club Grant program.

And mark your calendar for the next webinar in our series on Thursday, July 25, 2019 at 7 p.m. EST via GoToMeeting. The topic will be “Fundraising 101.” Go to the District Website for the link to RSVP for this webinar.

FULL HOUSE
A single-family home near the heart of Kitchener, Ontario, has a history of serving as a place of refuge. Now, it’s become a home for Syrian refugees, thanks to the efforts of the Kiwanis Club of Kitchener-Waterloo and other organizations.

The story starts in the mid-1980s, when the Kiwanis Club of Kitchener-Waterloo purchased the home as a place for troubled youth who had nowhere else to go. Members partnered with Kitchener’s House of Friendship to offer support and counseling services, and the house became known as the Kiwanis House.

In the early 2000s, the Kiwanis club gifted the entire home to the House of Friendship, but members stayed involved with the house and its programs. When the youth services program no longer was financially sustainable, the home once again needed a purpose, along with numerous renovations.

Enter Reception House Waterloo Region, an organization that works with refugees. Reception House needed a home for a large family. The Kiwanis House had six bedrooms. An agreement was made. House of Friendship turned the home over to Reception House. The Kiwanis Club of Kitchener-Waterloo paid to renovate a bathroom, something a family would appreciate.

Together, the Kiwanis Club of Kitchener-Waterloo, House of Friendship and Reception House welcomed a family of seven who recently had arrived from Syria. Saleh Al Nasser and Awach Ahmad and their five children fled Aleppo in 2012, living in a refugee camp near Beirut for four years before coming to Canada. For the first three months, the family lived in a Howard Johnson hotel, but then Reception House connected them with the Kiwanis House. Now the children have their own bedrooms and return to a comforting home each day after attending school.

“I am so grateful to have an affordable house that gives us the peace of mind that we lost for many years,” Al Nasser says. “I would like to thank everyone who helped me and my family since our arrival in Kitchener. I am looking forward to learning English and helping the community.”

With 20 members, the Kiwanis club is small, but it’s mighty.

Explains member Shelley Des Cotes, “This gives us a chance to find a need and fulfill that need.”

This story originally appeared in the March 2019 issue of Kiwanis magazine.

Karen Perry, secretary of Tooele Kiwanis club has made quilts for the last 6 yrs. All the money from the auction of these quilts helped the Tooele Club achieve the Bronze Level they had committed to for the Eliminate Project.

There are still donation commitments for the MNT project that have not been met. UNICEF has done tremendous work at eliminating MNT in so many countries and is still needing the money promised to them to finish.

Congratulations ... & Kudos to the Kiwanis Clubs who have been able to finish their commitments.

Please send your Club's pictures and ideas to Gordon Lewis so our district can share with your Clubs success and ideas.
Traveling up to Shelly ID for an installation the First Gent and I stopped at Brigham City Kiwanis club and helped paint pumpkins for a family service

YEAR-ROUND LITERACY PROJECT IDEAS

Hello, Kiwanis leaders!

In a recent monthly club report, your club identified that it supports literacy projects. Kiwanis International is in partnership with two organizations that can help your club make a greater impact with its literacy-related efforts.

Penguin Random House offers a book-based program, Read & Lead, that allows kids to explore specific themes – including the environment, bullying prevention, hunger, literacy and influential people – and complete service projects based on those topics. Read & Lead kits start at US$55 and include a curated selection of books, plus ancillary materials to help kids create appropriate service projects.

Scholastic provides a unique opportunity to create a Reading Oasis, a safe, comfortable place for kids to read books. A Reading Oasis includes books, bookshelves, a reading-themed rug and additional products to support reading. Scholastic also partners with Kiwanis to offer book ordering and reading certificates for book fairs and warehouse sales.

Check out Penguin Random House and Scholastic to continue making an impact with literacy in your community.

Thank you for all you do for Kiwanis, your community and the children we serve.

COMMUNICATION TOOLS

Club Email
Regular communication with your club members is vital to keeping them engaged and interested. There are several email providers who make it easy to upload the Kiwanis template, add your words and images and send to your club.

Recommended Email Providers: MailChimp & Constant Contact

Print Materials
We’ve made it easy for your club to let people know about your next event. Use these templates for all your needs, whether you need to tell your membership, find media or business sponsors, or inform the community where to be and when.

Letterhead (https://www.kiwanis.org/docs/default-source/communications-playbook-templates/kiwanis-letterhead.docx)

Event Flyer template (https://www.kiwanis.org/docs/default-source/communications-playbook-templates/event-flyer-template)
SET THESE DATES ASIDE:
August 9,10,11, 2019

What for?
The Utah-Idaho Kiwanis District Convention
Held at the: Crystal Inn Hotel & Suites
230 W 500 S
Salt Lake City, UT.

Joining us will be: The International Vice President, Arthur Riley, and our Western Region Kiwanis International representative.

They will help to provide a variety of amazing, interesting classes. Questions about Kiwanis? They are the ones to give you answers.

And, of course, there will be raffles & door prizes for gift cards, Kiwanis Memorabilia, and other fun prizes.

Come, meet old friends and make new ones. We all have one thing in common, Serving the Children.

Pricing and agenda will be in the next Kiwanian.

F C "Chuck" Humphrey for
Vice Governor of the Utah-Idaho District

Member of Pocatello Kiwanis Club since 1998
Past club president and secretary
Twice was Lieutenant Governor of Division 4
Have served on several UT-ID Kiwanis District committees
Professor Emeritus at Idaho State University (Retired in 2007)
Retired from US Army Reserve (Lt Colonel, Corps of Engineers)
Husband, father, grandfather (Three great grandchildren)

If nominated, I will run! If elected, I will serve!
(Prepared March 2019 by F C Humphrey)

Communication Tools
Photos for clubs and districts
The Kiwanis photo management system is now available for use by clubs and districts. We have uploaded images from the branding campaign and will continue to add new photos as they become available. Kiwanis owns the rights to these images and they can be used in print materials, online and on social media.

To use the photo management system, go to kiwanis.photoshelter.com, then:

• Click on Galleries (upper left corner).
• Click on Public – there are three options: KI Board; KI Past Presidents and Kiwanis International photos for club use.
• Click on Kiwanis International photos for club use, and you will enter the photo gallery.
• Click on the image you want and hit the download button (lower right corner).
• You will be prompted to enter a password: Enter Kiwanis (make sure the "K" is capitalized).
• Select the file type/size you want and it will automatically download to your computer. Choose the file size based on how the photograph will be used. Original size will work best for a larger piece such as a banner; the smaller size will be adequate for use on a social media site or a web page.
## SCHEDULE

All events will be held at the Coronado Springs Resort, unless otherwise specified.

**Tuesday, June 25**

Registration 2-4 p.m.

**Wednesday, June 26**

Registration 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Kiwanis showcase 4-6 p.m.

Free welcome reception open to all attendees. Light snacks, cash bar and entertainment.

Poly’s Patio 7-10 p.m., Ventanas Patio West

Cash bar and entertainment

**Thursday, June 27**

Registration and Kiwanis showcase 8 a.m.-2 p.m.

Complementary pastries and coffee will be served at 8 a.m.

**Jim Collins 10-11 a.m., Coronado Ballroom**

The author of “Good to Great, How the Mighty Fall” and co-author of both “Great by Choice” and “Built to Last,” will address Kiwanians.

**Signature Project Contest Luncheon (ticketed event) 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m., Fiesta Ballroom US$60**

Discover what it takes to become one of the top 10 finalists and find out who won gold, silver and bronze awards in this year’s contest.

**Opening Session 2-4 p.m. Keynote speaker Alex Sheen**

Kiwanis Night at Disney’s Spirit of Aloha Dinner Show at Disney’s Polynesian Resort. (ticketed event)

(transportation provided) 4:45-8 p.m., Polynesian Village Resort US$100

Meal includes choice of soft drinks, beer, wine and sangria. Transportation costs covered. All buses will depart from Coronado Springs at 4:45 p.m.

Poly’s Patio 7-10 p.m., Ventanas Patio West

Cash bar and entertainment

**Friday, June 28**

Registration and Kiwanis showcase 8 a.m.-3 p.m.

Complementary pastries and coffee will be served at 8 a.m.

**Children’s Fund Luncheon (ticketed event) 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m., Fiesta Ballroom US$60**

Includes a meal and a program celebrating the work made possible by generous Kiwanians.

**Business Session 2-4 p.m.**

Kiwanis Night at Planet Hollywood (ticketed event) 7-10 p.m., Planet Hollywood, Disney Springs US$125

(includes transportation, food and drink at Planet Hollywood at Disney Springs)

Includes transportation, a meal, beer, wine and a D.J. Buses will depart from both hotels beginning at 6:30 p.m. and will circle back to the hotels throughout the evening.

Poly’s Patio 7-10 p.m., Ventanas Patio West

Cash bar and entertainment

**Saturday, June 29**

Registration and Kiwanis showcase 8 a.m.-2 p.m.

Complementary pastries and coffee will be served at 8 a.m.

**Dillon Kalkhurst 10-11 a.m., Coronado Ballroom**

The author of “Generation Everyone! - A guide to Generational Harmony at Work, School and home” will address Kiwanians.

**Kiwanis Family Luncheon (Ticketed event) 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m., Fiesta Ballroom US$60**

Enjoy a meal and a program celebrating the Service Leadership Programs. Special guest speakers will include the Key Club and Circle K International Presidents.

**Closing Session 2-4 p.m.**

Kiwanis Children’s Fund Honors Reception, 5-6:30 p.m., Fiesta Ballroom US$75

Enjoy appetizers and a drink while honoring top donors to the Kiwanis Children’s Fund.

**Kiwanis Gala: An Evening with Don Felder (ticketed event) 7:30-10:30 p.m., Coronado Ballroom US$125**

Dinner at 7:30 p.m., concert starts at 9 p.m.

Dinner and show featuring Don Felder, former Eagles band guitarist. A cash bar will be available.

Combo: Purchase both the Friday night event at Planet Hollywood and the Saturday night Kiwanis Gala for the reduced price of US$225.
INSTRUCTIONS
• Use one registration form per Kiwanian. Copies are acceptable.
• Full payment must be made along with submission of the form. Mail checks (made out to “Kiwanis International”) with the registration form. For credit card payments and wire transfers, call +1 (317) 217-6128.
• Register at kiwanis.org/convention or mail this form postmarked no later than Friday, May 24, 2019. After that date, register on site at the Coronado Springs Resort.
• If registering by mail, send this completed form to:
  Convention Registration
  Kiwanis International
  3636 Woodview Trace
  Indianapolis, IN 46268-3196 USA
  Or fax it to +1-317-217-6528.
• Questions? Contact us at memberservices@kiwanis.org.
  Call us at 1-800-549-2647, ext. 411 (toll-free in the U.S. and Canada), or +1-317-875-8755, ext. 411 (worldwide).

CANCELLATION & REFUND POLICIES
• All cancellation requests must be made in writing. (Email is acceptable. Send cancellation notice to registration@kiwanis.org.)
• There is a US$25 per person deduction for cancellations postmarked after Friday, May 24, 2019.
• No refunds will be issued for cancellations after Friday, June 7, 2019.

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☐ I would like to serve as a volunteer sergeant-at-arms. (This does not entitle you to a registration discount.)

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Consider volunteering for the Sergeant-at-Arms Committee. Sergeants-at-arms play an important role by providing logistical assistance and support at all sessions, forums and events. They enjoy a behind-the-scenes role — with plenty of time left over to enjoy other convention activities. Make sure to indicate your wish to be a sergeant-at-arms on your registration form.

Kiwanians from the host district can volunteer with the Host Committee. Members put their regional knowledge to use, performing tasks such as advising Kiwanians about things to do locally and in surrounding areas, staffing the registration desk and more. Members are asked to perform a minimum of three volunteer hours.

NOTE: The Sergeant-At-Arms Committee is separate from the convention Host Committee.
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ELECTIONS
ANNOUNCED CANDIDATES FOR KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL BOARD
To be elected during 2018-19, for terms beginning 2019-20
(as of February 12, 2019)

PRESIDENT: Daniel Vigneron, Howald, Luxembourg
(one one-year term to be elected)

PRESIDENT-ELECT: Arthur N. Riley, Westminster, Maryland, USA
(one one-year term to be elected)

VICE PRESIDENT:
“George” Chu-Ching Chian, Taichung City, Taiwan
Peter J. Mancuso, North Bellmore, New York, USA
(one one-year term to be elected)

TRUSTEES: Six (6) trustee offices will be filled as follows:

• UNITED STATES AND PACIFIC CANADA — Three (3) three-year terms to be elected at the 2019 Kiwanis International convention in Walt Disney World® Resort, Florida, USA (June 27-30, 2019) by delegates from the United States and Pacific Canada Region. Announced candidates are:
  Leigh A. Chagnon, Knoxville, Tennessee, USA
  Gary "Coop" Cooper, Fayetteville, North Carolina, USA
  David W. Hurrelbrink, Kansas City, Kansas, USA
  Cathy Szymanski, Erie, Pennsylvania, USA
• ASIA-PACIFIC REGION —One (1) three-year term to be elected at the Kiwanis Asia-Pacific Convention in Taoyuan, Taiwan (March 7-9, 2019) by delegates from Asia-Pacific. Announced candidate is:
  Cheng Lian Teh, Perak, Malaysia
• EUROPE REGION —One (1) three-year term to be elected at the Kiwanis International-European Federation Convention in Reykjavik, Iceland (May 24-26, 2019) by delegates from Europe. Announced candidates are:
  Gunnstein Björnsson, Sauðárkróki, Iceland
  Martien van der Meer, Naarden, The Netherlands

The At-Large seat does not have a guaranteed trustee seat open for the 2019-20 administrative year.
The Canada and Caribbean Region does not have a guaranteed trustee seat open for the 2019-20 administrative year.

CONTACT: Denise Parker: 1-800-549-2647 x245 or +1-317-217-6245.
Candidates will be announced as they are declared. Candidates' pages will be posted as information is received from the declared candidates. Contact Denise Parker for more information.
Kiwanis clubs in good standing are allowed two representatives in the House of Delegates, along with two alternates. Download the certificate of election of club delegates and alternates to the Kiwanis International convention.
Proposed amendments and resolutions
for consideration at the 104th Annual Kiwanis International Convention
June 28, 2019

Proposed Resolution - Safe Kids
Purpose: This resolution puts into writing something all Kiwanians believe: All children deserve to be safe. This resolution requires no action by Kiwanis International, clubs, or districts, but exemplifies to the world Kiwanis’ unwavering mission of serving the children of the world.

Proposed Amendment 1 - Nondiscrimination Clause
Purpose: To add a nondiscrimination clause to the Kiwanis International bylaws.

Proposed Amendment 2 - Abstention on Trustee Votes
Purpose: To allow delegates to abstain from voting for the complete number of Trustee offices to be filled.

Proposed Amendment 3 - New Requirement for Vice President
Purpose: To require that Kiwanis International Trustees must have at least a one-year absence from the Board before subsequently serving in the offices of Vice President, President-elect, or President.

Proposed Amendment 4 - New Trustee Seat for a Member Under Age 50
Purpose: To establish a new seat on the Kiwanis International Board guaranteed to be held by a person who is age 50 or under at the time of election.

Proposed Amendment 5 - Family Membership Status
Purpose: To permanently adopt a new family membership status that provides a 50 percent discount on Kiwanis International dues and fees for qualifying members. Clubs may utilize this new status, provided the club’s district also first adopts a family membership status (50 percent discount) regarding district dues and fees.

SPEAKERS AND ENTERTAINERS

Dr. Leslie Nwoke
Dr. Nwoke is a physician and executive coach. She is also the founder and CEO of HeartWork Now, the online learning and personal development platform. She believes embracing our emotions is the path to living in our purpose. Dr. Leslie has a diverse background in medicine, global health and nonprofit leadership. She co-founded The Ruby Project, a nonprofit offering mentorship for girls who have experienced trauma, and Making Noise, Inc., an advocacy organization for African sex trafficking survivors.

Dr. Nwoke will be the keynote speaker at the Positional Leadership Training’s Tuesday evening reception. BY INVITATION ONLY, as part of the Positional Leadership Training.

Alex Sheen
Promises still matter and a handshake still means something. That’s the message Alex Sheen will share with attendees at the 2019 Kiwanis International Convention at Walt Disney World Resort in Florida. Sheen is the founder of Because I Said I Would, a nonprofit organization dedicated to the betterment of humanity through promises made and kept. Sheen will share some of his promises kept and encourage and inspire you to make and keep a promise of your own.

Sheen will speak during the Opening Session on June 27.
SPEAKERS AND ENTERTAINERS (Continued)

Jim Collins

“Good to Great” author Jim Collins will open the 2019 Kiwanis International Convention at Walt Disney World Resort® in Florida. Collins has authored or coauthored six books that have sold more than 10 million copies worldwide, including “How the Mighty Fall,” “Great by Choice” and “Built to Last.” Collins has invested more than a quarter century in vigorous research about what makes great companies tick. In 1995, he founded a management laboratory in Boulder, Colorado, where he conducts and engages with CEOs and senior-leadership teams. In addition to his work in the business sector, he has a passion for learning and teaching in the social sectors, including cause-driven nonprofits. In 2017, global media company Forbes selected Collins as one of the 100 Greatest Living Business Minds.

Collins will speak to convention attendees from 10 to 11 a.m. on Thursday, June 27.

Dillon Kalkhurst

Dillon Kalkhurst is the author of the book “Generation Everyone! A Guide to Generational Harmony at Work, School, and Home.” In this interactive Saturday morning session, he will examine differences in generations and explore generational preferences and values. The different generational stereotypes will be discussed, and you will learn to embrace your intergenerational friends, members and family members.

Before becoming an author and speaker he enjoyed an educational marketing and strategic partnerships career, and most recently served as executive director of business development and community development at Scholastic. He founded The Center for Intergenerational Engagement to support the findings in his book. He is a member of the Ormond Beach Kiwanis Club.

Kalkhurst will speak to convention attendees the morning of Saturday, June 29.

Tammy Chang

Dr. Tammy Chang is a health services researcher and practicing family physician with a passion for adolescent health, specifically, breaking the cycle of poverty and poor health among adolescent mothers and their children. Her research is focused on improving access to reproductive health care and promoting healthy pregnancy weight gain among at-risk adolescents through use of technology and social media.

Chang actively mentors numerous high school students, undergraduate students, graduate students, medical students, and post-doctoral fellows to fill the pipeline of future health services researchers.

A former member of Key Club, she will speak during Closing Session about how Key Club affected her life, and how important it is for adults to mentor and guide youth

Justin Willman

Magician and comedian Justin has been seen on the six-episode Netflix series “Magic for Humans with Justin Willman” and recently announced his new residency called “The Magic Show” at the historic Roosevelt Hotel in Los Angeles. He’s also appeared on “The Tonight Show,” “Ellen” and “Conan.” His debut comedy/magic special “Sleight of Mouth” premiered on Comedy Central in 2015 to rave reviews. Willman is also a consultant and writer for film and television productions like “America’s Got Talent,” “The Goldbergs” and Disney’s feature film “Magic Camp.” Willman appeared on stage at the 2013 Kiwanis International Convention in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.

Justin Willman will host the Closing Session of the 2019 Kiwanis International Convention at Walt Disney World® Resort.
SPEAKERS AND ENTERTAINERS (Continued)

Don Felder
Join us for the Kiwanis Gala: An Evening with Don Felder during the 2019 Kiwanis International Convention.
Felder is the renowned former lead guitarist of the Eagles, one of the world's most popular and best-selling bands in history. A member of the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame since 1998, Felder was a member of the Eagles for 27 years, putting his mark on numerous Eagles milestones. Felder originated the music and co-wrote the Eagles’ biggest hit — the iconic “Hotel California” — as well as other fan favorites like “Victim of Love” and “Those Shoes.” He became immediately celebrated for his lyrical, signature guitar work on legendary songs like “Hotel California” and “One of These Nights.”

The Kiwanis Gala includes dinner and entertainment and is scheduled for Saturday evening, June 29.

KIWANIS WAREHOUSE

When Kiwanis clubs plan a service project, Kiwanis Warehouse is an important resource for discounts and buying power. Operated by our partner, DollarDays, this premier online wholesale distributor is a secret weapon for Kiwanis clubs looking for the kind of insider access typically available only to large enterprises.

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TWO TEN FOOTWEAR FOUNDATION

As the only foundation dedicated to employees of the footwear industry, Two Ten Footwear Foundation is a resource for your club's shoe distribution projects. With its national network of wholesale and retail partners, they are in a unique position to offer Kiwanians very low-cost, brand-name sneakers and athletic shoes in support of annual shoe programs. Two Ten has created an easy-to-use online request tool (https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSchaXJz0R4ArDSb2qOWs5r1SRpMHiyMvYDLuoBrJe11Ra79g/viewform?c=0&w=1) for club members to identify the quantities, brands, gender and sizes that match their project needs. Clubs can place requests anytime throughout the year as needs arise.

About: http://www.twoten.org/


CLUB NEWS

Pocatello Kiwanis Club donates check to Pocatello High School to help homeless students

By Pocatello Kiwanis Club
From: Idaho State Journal,
Pocatello – Sunday, March 17 2019

Tim Shurtliff, president of the Pocatello Kiwanis Club, presented a check for $1,000 to Lisa Delonos, principal at Pocatello High School, after a presentation by Chris Dayley a counselor at Pocatello High School about helping students who find themselves homeless.

Pocatello High School students raise about $3,000 each year that supplies shoes, activities fees, and various other needs to these students.

This contribution from the Pocatello Kiwanis Club is to enhance that fund.

Kiwanis motto is “Serving the Children of the World.” Kiwanis’ belief is “improving the world one child at a time.”

Kiwanis’ unwavering mission of serving the children of the world will never change. It is a principle held dear to our members.

Pocatello Kiwanis sponsoring Bringing Up Grades, Hope of America, The Haunted Lab and other organizations that lift and improve children’s lives.

The meet every Tuesday at noon at the Clarion for lunch. If you would like to join, we would like to have you.

NAMPA CLUB

Scott Brock, with IBV, came and spoke to the Kiwanis. Opinion: this group however, may merit some follow up by the Idaho Press. This could be something that more people could benefit from, or be involved in, if they heard and knew more about it. Pictured: Mark Hilty (President), Scott Brock (IBV)

To be able under all circumstances to practice five things constitutes perfect virtue; these five things are gravity, generosity of soul, sincerity, earnestness and kindness.
- Confucius
The Kiwanis Club of Nampa had Jeannine Strohmeyer, representative of the Nampa Family Justice Center (NFJC), speak at their luncheon today. Ms. Strohmeyer described the types of abuse they encounter at the NFJC. Types of abuse can include physical, sexual, psychological/emotional, economic, legal, and spiritual. She also discussed some of the reasons a person may stay in an abusive relationship. Some of the reasons are fear of what the abuser will do if he/she leaves, isolation and lack of resources, lack of support, to one’s feelings and beliefs. Also discussed was recognizing the warning signs of domestic abuse as well as what to do if you suspect someone is being abused. The NFJC provides an array of services to the community and the service facility was actually one of the first in the country like it. The Kiwanis Club of Nampa has provided support to NFJC in the past. If you are interested in helping, or have questions, the NFJC can be contacted at (208) 475-5700.

The Nampa Boys & Girls Club hosted a luncheon for area service clubs. This is an annual meeting that brings together local service clubs that participate in a competition to raise the most money for the Salvation Army during the Bell Ringing/Kettle season. This friendly competition and joint meeting had in years passed been between the Kiwanis and Rotary. This year it was expanded to include the Kiwanis Club of Nampa, Rotary of Nampa, Women’s Century Club, Treasure Valley Kiwanis, Lions Club, and the Exchange Club. The Salvation Army presented a traveling trophy to this year’s fund-raising champions—the Kiwanis Club of Nampa. This is a great collaboration of the local service groups in an effort to support the many community services the Salvation Army provides, and this year’s effort provided nearly $18,000.00, in donations combined.

There was also a special presentation made by the Kiwanis Club of Nampa to Leroy Horne as he was honored with a Lifetime Achievement Award. Leroy has over 42 years of perfect attendance and service to the Club. Canyon County Commissioner Tom Dale was the guest speaker for the event.

Major Michael Halverson, Nampa Salvation Army, spoke to the Nampa Kiwanis during their general membership meeting. The Major discussed the many services that the Salvation Army is providing in our community. He gave an over view of what the Nampa Family Shelter is doing as it will now be housing families through the winter. The shelter will have all 14 rooms full and provide services to entire families, which is the only one in the valley to do so. The shelter also provides breakfast, lunch, and sack meals, to the community Monday through Friday each week. The Corp is currently in the kettle season and Bell Ringers are out. The local civic groups have been invited to ring bells and some have even entered a friendly competition to raise the most funds for the Salvation Army. He also spoke about services that are provided through-out the year—such as after school programs and music programs. Funding and support for the many services and programs the Salvation Army provides is always welcome, and needed, and those interested can reach out to the Nampa Salvation Army (208) 467-6586 or Michael Halverson michael.halverson@usw.salvationarmy.org, directly.

Always forgive your enemies; nothing annoys them so much.
- Oscar Wilde

I am a firm believer in the people. If given the truth, they can be depended upon to meet any national crises. The great point is to bring them the real facts.
- Abraham Lincoln
It was the pleasure of the Kiwanis Club of Nampa to have Matt Davison and Scott McIntosh, Publisher and Editor of the Idaho Press, respectively, speak at their general luncheon on Thursday. They described some of the recent transition of owners and their market. The relationship with the Idaho Statesman, and subsequent separation lead to a strategic decision to intentionally grow the Idaho Press. Davison explained that the circulation of the Idaho Press has grown 31%, a growth rate that has put it among the fastest growing papers in the country. Even with such growth there are still challenges with regard to advertising and content choices that may affect the paper moving forward. Also discussed was the benefit of having a printed paper in the digital age and how it can provide a slower, more enjoyable reading experience. However, the Idaho Press does offer a digital, online subscription for those that prefer. Discussed also was the importance of local reporting and coverage of events from local politics to sports to special interests and more. The Idaho Press maintains a late cut-off time which allows it to report on evening events and breaking stories while still making the early morning deliveries. As one of Nampa’s oldest companies the Idaho Press continues to be an important part of Nampa, Canyon and Ada County, and a critical, relied upon resource for its citizens.

Diane McGeoch, Coordinator of Learning Peace: A Camp for Kids, visited the Kiwanis Club of Nampa recently. Learning Peace: A Camp for Kids is a totally free four-day program for children ages 6 to 13. Its goal is to give children tools that encourage understanding, inspire connection and build sustainable peace. This year the camp will be July 22 – July 25, 2019. It will take place at the Hispanic Cultural Center. For more information go to www.learningpeacenampa.com. The Club presented a check to help this camp and fulfill our commitment to serve the children of our community. Pictured: Diane McGeoch (Coordinator), Mark Hilty (President)

James Brown, Facilities Director of the Nampa Civic Center, spoke to the Kiwanis Club of Nampa on Thursday. James spoke about the history of the Civic Center and some of the changes it has gone through. He discussed the transition of the Civic Center operations from the City to a venue management company, now Sodexo, and some of the benefits that has produced. The Civic Center has been able to reduce costs, operate more efficiently, all while increasing and improving the business and entertainment offerings. He also discussed some of the partnerships with other venues such as the Knitting Factory and production groups as the Music Theatre of Idaho. The Civic Center remains a Nampa asset and continues to be an economic driver as well as serving to promote quality of life to its patrons.

Molly Kaczmarek, Site Manager, of St Luke’s CARES spoke to the Club today. CARES is Children at Risk Evaluation Services that St Luke’s provides as a community service. She explained they do the evaluations of children that have suffered abuse. The children range from infants up to 18 years old. CARES is often the first stop if a child is removed from a home or situation because of a trauma. They provide a safe place for the child and the family during the evaluation – which could take up to 3 hours. St Luke’s is main funding source but does receive some funding from other agencies, the state, and private donors. CARES also collaborates with other organizations and schools, Nampa School District being a large partner. They do outreach and even provide an educational puppet show for 2nd graders.

Pictured: L-R, Matt Davison, Scott McIntosh, Mark Hilty (President), Kenny Wroten (President Elect).

Pictured: Diane McGeoch (Coordinator), Mark Hilty (President)
Clay Long, Assistant Director Nampa School District iCAT (Idaho Career & Technical Education), spoke to the Kiwanis Club of Nampa general membership this week. Mr. Long provided an overview of what the Nampa School District is providing as relates to Career & Technical programs. The mission of the CTE is to deliver high-quality, industry-driven career training to students of the Nampa School District. He provided results realized by the Nampa School District (NSD). To that, 100% of 2017 Capstone students graduated high school and 99.1% on these students went onto post-secondary education or hired related to training. He pointed out that 3,457 high school students enrolled in CTE during the 2016-2017 school year. As 17 out of 20 most in-demand jobs are associated with CTE pathways the 2017 students earned 21,000 work-experience hours. CTE programs vary from AG & Natural Sciences, Business Administration, Engineering Technology, Family Consumer Sciences, Health Professions, and Skilled & Technical Sciences. The Culinary Arts program even boasts a Food Truck, catering and provides an extensive menu.

GEORGE LAVON STOKES
March 16, 1931 – February 18, 2019

George L. Stokes of Orem passed away February 18, 2019 at the age of 87. George was born March 16, 1931 in Tremonton, Utah to Oleen and Fern Austin Stokes. They lived on a farm in Starr’s Ferry, Idaho. George had two brothers, Theron and Gen and a sister, Velva Lee. The family moved to Rockland, Idaho when he was 12 years old. They had a dry farm and some dairy cows and other live stock which kept the boys very busy.

In High School George played all sports and his senior year they moved to Logan where he played football. He graduated from Logan High School in 1949 and attended Utah State Agricultural College.

On January 29, 1952 he married Frances Fullmer and entered into the United States Army for 2 years of service. He returned to Utah State, graduating in 1959 with a degree in Civil Engineering. George and Fran raised their family in Seattle, Los Angeles, Portland Oregon, and Salt Lake City.

George pursued a career in engineering and sales, eventually settling in Orem where he enjoyed a hobby of restoring military vehicles and was engaged in community service. He served as the President of the Orem Golden K Kiwanis club, and was very active in Post 72 of the American Legion., organizing and serving in their Honor Guard. George was a dedicated member of the Utah Chapter of The Military Vehicle Collectors Club and coordinated support for numerous community events and parades across the Wasatch Front. He served for many years on the American Freedom Festival Parade Committee as the military organizer. He was a BYU George Q. Canon honoree in 2005. George continued to restore numerous military vehicles and support community activities until his health issues interfered. He was a devoted member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints, serving in numerous teaching and leadership positions.

He is survived by his wife, 4 children, Laurie Bott, (Evan), Scott Stokes. (Kimberly) Craig Stokes, (Jeanetta) and Paula McDowell (Jim), his brother Glen Stokes of Twin Falls Idaho, 15 grandchildren, and 29 great grandchildren. He is loved and will be greatly missed by family and friends.

Funeral Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, March 2, 2019 at the Heather Ridge Stake Center, 450 E. 2000 N., Orem, UT. Friends may visit with the family from 6-8 p.m. on Friday, March 1 at Sundberg-Opin Mortuary, 495 S. State Street, Orem, UT. Funeral Services will be held at 11 a.m. on Saturday, March 2, 2019 at the Sunset Memorial Mortuary, 450 E. 2000 N., Orem, UT. Friends may visit with the family from 6-8 p.m. on Friday, March 1 at Sundberg-Opin Mortuary, 495 S. State Street, Orem, UT.
SEAN ATKISSON
May 16, 1961 – March 5, 2019

Sean J. Atkisson, age 57, passed away peacefully early on Tuesday morning, March 5, 2019, at Utah Valley Hospital in Provo, Utah with his loving wife, Tawnya, by his side.

He was born May 16, 1961 in Sterling, Colorado, to Berna Mings and Guy Atkisson. He was raised in a loving home by his stepmom, Judy Atkisson, and his dad, Guy, along with his brothers Shane and Shannon and his sister, Kim Fitzsimmons. He received an undergraduate degree from Evergreen State College and two masters’ degrees in family studies from the University of Illinois, after which he worked as a licensed clinical social worker. He married his sweetheart, Tawnya Lynn Curtis on August 5, 1983, to whom he was sealed for eternity on January 14, 1984 in the Atlanta, Georgia Temple.

He was a devoted member of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. He served a 2-year mission in Columbia, South America, and held and magnified many callings in the church including as a bishop, seminary teacher and elders quorum instructor. His love of the Savior was apparent in the way he lived his life. Sean enjoyed spending time with his friends and family, and playing with his grandkids who adored him and affectionately called him “Gimpa.” He was extremely kind, a wonderful listener, and loved by everyone who met him. He was passionate about genealogy. Sean served as a church history missionary for 4 years, working relentlessly on researching the Peter Whitmer family line (a puzzle which we expect by now he has solved!).

He is survived by his wife, Tawnya; his children, Seth (and Jackie) Atkisson, Brianna (and Eric) Nelson, Curtis Atkisson, Hannah (and Sean) Navarro, Saren (and Paul) Davis; his grandchildren, Taylor, Ellie, Maxine, Ruby, Graham, Nora, Jude, Clara, Clark; his mother, Berna Mings; his stepmom, Judy Atkisson; his brothers Shane and Shannon Atkisson; and his sister Kim Fitzsimmons. He was preceded in death by his father, Guy Atkisson.

He was laid to rest at East Lawn Memorial Hills Cemetery in Provo, Utah.

DEE OLDROYD
12/12/1929 - 03/14/2019

Grant D Oldroyd passed away peacefully on March 14, 2019, surrounded by his loving family. Dee was born on December 12, 1929, in Fountain Green, Utah to Elizabeth Chapman and Lee Johnson Oldroyd, the fourth of five children. He graduated from Moroni High School and Stevens-Henager College. He married his sweetheart and devoted eternal companion, Ann Marie Memmott, in the Manti Temple on October 2, 1950. In 1951, he was drafted and served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War. His professional insurance career spanned more than five decades, starting with Curtis & Brandley and retiring from Moreton & Co. Dee was recognized by his peers as Utah Agent of the Year twice. He received numerous awards and accolades and served in various leadership capacities in the industry. For more than 45 years, he was an active member of the Sugarhouse Kiwanis Club, serving as President in 1970-71 and was instrumental in founding the Sugarhouse Boys and Girls Club. Dee had a quiet generosity and blessed the lives of many through his anonymous service. He was a faithful member of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints and served in eight bishoprics. He enjoyed the outdoors, especially hunting, golfing, riding motorcycles and driving his Corvette. Dee and Ann loved to travel together and were fortunate to visit many beautiful and exotic places. More than anything, he loved being with his family: spending time at a favorite ranch, riding motorcycles in the desert and cheering them on at their activities. Attendance at the annual Kiwanis Christmas party and his birthday party were mandatory. His greatest joy was his family and his greatest legacy is his posterity. He is survived by his angel wife, Ann; four children: Kery (Sue), Nanci (Scott Pickett), Lisa (Lynn Pace) and Matt (Jennifer); 16 grandchildren, 14 great grandchildren and his older brother, Glen. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Susan; his parents, his brother “Jay,” and his sisters Lois Christensen and Julia Tidwell. Interment at Wasatch Lawn; Funeral Directors: Larkin Mortuary.
In lieu of flowers, donations may be made by mail or in person to the Southern Utah Veterans Home in Stan's name.

He was preceded in death by his parents, brother Gregg Erastus Snow and his wife Jeanie, and granddaughter, Daniel Hansen and Ruby Hellstrom.

If a man will begin with certainties, he shall end in doubts; but if he will be content to begin with doubts he shall end in certainties.

- Sir Francis Bacon