



# Kiwanis®

2018 ACTIVITIES

GRAND JUNCTION

## \$50,000 GIVEN TO LOCAL PROGRAMS



CAMP HOPE



Special Olympics



GJHS COMMUNITY KNOWLEDGE BOWL



Colorado Mesa University



HIGH  
SCHOOL  
KEY  
CLUBS

## BUILDING

A SENSE OF COMMUNITY,  
A SOURCE OF FULFILLMENT,  
A HISTORY OF IMPACT.

## \$38,000 in Academic Scholarships

The Grand Junction Foundation includes generous endowments from past Kiwanis members Red Crawford, Terry Wakefield, Orville Boge and Les Goodding. These funds are dedicated to post-high school scholarships distributed each year. In 2018 Kiwanis awarded scholarships totalling \$38,000.

## 2018 Kiwanis Citizen of the Year



**Sergeant Derek Rosales** was awarded the 2018 Kiwanis Citizen of the Year. He was recognized for his tireless efforts to teach and influence the children of our city in a positive manner. Derek has been a dedicated coach and mentor with the Mesa County Junior Football Association for over 15 years. He is 20 year police veteran for the Grand Junction Police Department and actively participating in children's events such as Shop With A Cop.

# OUR SERVICE PROJECTS MAKE A DIFFERENCE



The Kiwanis Food Drive for Kids Aid in October collected over 135,000 food items.

## THE KIWANIS CLUB SPONSORS SERVICE LEADERSHIP PROGRAMS IN ME- SA COUNTY

- Colorado Mesa University Circle K Club
- Fruita Monument High Key Club
- Palisade High Key Club
- Aktion Club



Circle K members deliver Project Linus blankets to hospitalized children

Our annual Pancake Day & Fun Fest invites non-profit organizations serving children to share information about their services while providing activities for the family.



The widely distributed 2018 Children's Resource Directory was published in October and widely distributed in the community.



The Kiwanis Alert Service Dog Program provides trained dogs for diabetic children.

## 2018 Students of the Month Recognition

### January

Samual Jara – PHS  
Jesse Clark – CHS  
Karlee Tiner – R-5  
Anij Magill – GJHS  
Sarah Fleming – FMHS

### February

Kambrie Smith – PHS  
Aubrey Banks – CHS  
Alex Ceballos – GHS  
Rachel Lively – FHS  
James Uptain – R-5

### March

Ryan Weller – CHS  
Tal Atkins – FMHS.  
Reannon Baskin – PHS  
Jaedyn Acosta – R-5  
Celeste Gutentag – GJHS.

### April

Terra Head – CHS  
Abagale Stone – PHS  
Juan Martinez-Flores – GJHS  
Kyle Przystup – FMHS

### September

Mackenzie Younker – GJHS  
Mikalya Ambriz – CHS  
Dyllon Hoaglund – PHS  
Elias Grijalva – R5  
Kylie Drake – Caprock  
Trey Dickerson – FMHS

### October

April Abigale Stone – PHS  
Terra Head – CHS  
Juan Martinez-Flores – GJHS  
Kyle Przystup – FMHS  
Ulyssa Herrera – R5

### November

Sophia Higgins – CHS  
Bouiey Hin – FMHS  
Kayli Plantiko – GJHS  
Sierra McPherson – Caprock  
Corinne Curtis – PHS  
Mercedes Barrier – R5

### December

Liliana Gonzalez – CHS  
Danielle Welsh – FMHS  
Georgia Swelstad – Caprock  
Luke Williams – GJHS

Dedicated to improving the world one  
child and one community at a time