

# Kiwanis Club of Cheyenne

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# TELSTAR

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Meetings are Thursday, Noon at the Radisson Cheyenne

## February 9, 2017

### Upcoming Programs

Feb 16 Mayor Marian Orr  
Feb 23 National Jewish Health  
March 2 Brian Kozak, Chief of Police & Officer Kevin Malatesta  
March 9 Business Mtg.

### Upcoming Events

Feb 14 – Friday Food Bag Filling 5:15PM  
March 3-5, 2017 Mid-Year Conference – Fort Collins, CO  
April 29 – Division Stars of Tomorrow at the Civic Center  
May 9 - Membership Drive at the warehouse 5:30  
July 13-16, 2017 102<sup>nd</sup> Annual Convention – Paris  
Aug 3-6, 2017 – District Convention – Cheyenne, WY

### Birthdays

#### February

|                         |                           |
|-------------------------|---------------------------|
| Feb 1 – Pam Crochet     | Feb 15 – Don Hollingshead |
| Feb 3 – Dale Kjack      | Feb 15 – Brenda Birkle    |
| Feb 3 – David Bumann    | Feb 16 – Gene Burchett    |
| Feb 4 – Justin Gorman   | Feb 16 – Dixie Roberts    |
| Feb 5 – Tony Ross       | Feb 16 – Aaron Courtney   |
| Feb 11 – Kim Lovett     | Feb 18 – Richard Russell  |
| Feb 11 – Danette Torres | Feb 18 – Jay Poulignot    |
| Feb 13 – Rob Dickerson  | Feb 19 – Chuck Chapman    |
| Feb 14 – Dave Norman    | Feb 22 – Erin Benskin     |
| Feb 14 – Jim Coomes     | Feb 22 – Jack Firestone   |
| Feb 14 – Rod Hottle     | Feb 25 – Kevin Browne     |
|                         | Feb 25 – Jane Montoya     |

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## Lunch Menu

### February 16

Hot Turkey Sandwich  
Mashed Potatoes, Gravy,  
Cranberry Sauce

### February 23

Carved Roast Beef  
Coconut Tilapia, Roasted Red  
Potatoes, Vegetable Blend

### March 2

Meat Loaf  
Mashed Potatoes, Brown  
Gravy, Carrots

### March 9

Beef Tips and Noodles  
Squash, Zucchini and  
Tomatoes

### March 16

Corned Beef and Cabbage  
Butter Parsley Potatoes,  
Carrots

Chuck Seniawski's guest was **Matt Leibrich**, Office Manager at Spradley Barr.

Senator Esquibel's guest was **Cynthia Cloud**, WY State Auditor

## Happy Birthdays



Happy Birthday Justin Gorman

## Announcements



President Dan Kirby announced:

There are printed copies of the Telstar by the suggestion box.

The **Salvation Army** thanked Kiwanis for "Ringing the Bell" during the Kettle Campaign. **Lauri Osborns effort were commended.** Money raised was \$109,310.88. \$4,040.90 was raised by Kiwanians. Kiwanis also helped 250 local families have a Merry Christmas.

## MID YEAR CONFERENCE

Hilton Hotel, Ft. Collins  
March 3-5, 2017

**Ok Kiwanians...lets go support TIM SHEPPARD and our Cheyenne Kiwanis Club.**

**Our very own TIM SHEPPARD will announce his candidacy for District Governor.**

\*\*\*We may also need people to hand out brochures.

An anonymous donor will pay \$20.00 per registration for any Cheyenne Kiwanian who wants to attend this conference. Regular price \$75.00 but with the anonymous donation of \$20 per registration **your total is only \$55.00**

### Agenda

- Friday Night Social
- Saturday morning speaker Zac Fangman, 2013-14 RMD Key Club Governor
- Saturday Interclub Luncheon  
Keynote Speaker Jane Erickson, 2016-17 Kiwanis International President.
- **Saturday choose from 20 forums**
- Training for club officers
- Annual District Awards Dinner

### TO REGISTER

To register go to the **Rocky Mountain Kiwanis Website**. The Mid Year conference is listed and there is a blue **REGISTER HERE** tab posted.

**Laura Munari** says...

I am attending the mid winter conference in Fort Collins March 3-5 and have a room if there are any other ladies that are going to go. Get ahold of Laura if you want to ride together. 634-6621

**THANK YOU**  
**Anonymous donor**

**Kiwanis Lunch Meeting** will be at the Depot on the following dates:

(121 W 15<sup>th</sup> Street)

March 16

April 4

April 20

May 18 and

June 6

## Prayers

In our Prayers: Any Kiwanian in need.

## Number of Lunch Attendees

**Jan 19** - 131 people , 118 members, 5 senior members, 8 guests

**Jan 26** - 158 people, 130 members, 7 senior members, 21 guests

**Feb 2** - 135 people, 124 members, 2 senior and 9 guests

**Feb 9** - TBA

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## Friday Food Bag

**THANK YOU** Paul Bellotti, Marg Brand, Mike Dixon, Mike Dowling [and Bev], Kent Drake, Richard Grant, Vic Lisek, Denise Newell, Dave Norman [and Marilyn], **JIM O'CONNOR**, Darwin Pace, Dixie Roberts, Tom Roberts, Tim Sheppard, and Paul Stenback, as well as Ed, Pete, and Leeds, for helping unpack Friday Food Bag food on Saturday, February 4th.

There is only ONE filling in February, on February 14th

## Happy Dollars



**Brooke Rameriz** is happy that **Sheriff Danny Glick** attended and represented Cheyenne at the National Sheriffs Association Conference at the White House.

**Justin Gorman** announced a reminder that all members can give the birthday check as a donation to the foundation. Jane Eikbush started this tradition.



**Tom Cole** announced had a scan and the doctors told him he had three spots. **Biopsy's All negative**

## Program



**Hannah Lensch** with Boys and Girls Club introduced our speaker **Micheal Martinez Montano, 2017 Youth of the Year.**



Michael will be competing in the Wyoming Youth of the Year Competition on Monday.

**Induction of New Members by Pat Ashworth and President Dan Kirby**



**Tony Covello**, Business Relationship Manager at Wells Fargo - sponsored by Mark Parsons and Aaron Courtney.



**Colleen Hologa**, Business Associate with Wells Fargo – Sponsored by Mark Parsons and Aaron Courtney.



**John Kirby**, Magic City Enterprises – Sponsored by Bob and Dan Kirby



**Amber Still**, Marketing and Communications guru, United Way – Sponsored by Claire Snyder and Pat Ashworth.



**Judith Myers**, Judy Myers Photography. Sponsored by Haiden Fertig and Chuck Tyler.



**Deanne Vogel**, Financial Manager at WY Army Ntl Guard – Sponsored by Tim Sheppard and Kim Lovett.

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**David Smith**, owner of 911 Roofing Solutions – Sponsored by Claire Snyder and Laura Munari.



**Daryl Jackson**, Food Program Manager for WY Army Ntl Guard – Sponsored by Tim Sheppard and Bob Anderson



**Scott "Schef" Scheffey**, Field Rep with WY Dept of Revenue – Sponsored by Tim Sheppard and Kim Lovett



**Jennifer Lake**, Escrow Agent with Summit Title – Sponsored by Robin Mosely and Lisa Trimble



**David Cheatham**, Chief & Command Service Director for US Navy – Sponsored by Jim Marshall and Tom Roberts



**Rob Elder**, Finance Manager for Spradley Barr Motors – Sponsored by Bob Kirby and Jane Eickbush



**Jake Johnson**, President of Harold F. Johnson Masonry – Sponsored by Gene Burchette and Phil Van Horn



**Brittany Wings**, Branch Manager for Premier Home Mortgage – Sponsored by Madoka Grenvik and Sheri Bremer



**Nancy Scheffey**, Lead Defense Travel Administrator for WY Army Ntl Guard – Sponsored by Tim Sheppard and Kim Lovett

**15 New Members.  
Great Job Cheyenne Kiwanians!!**

## **Business Report:**

**Board meeting last Tuesday**

**Treasures report by Lauri Osborne**

Administrative Budget - \$37,662.68

Community Service Budget \$29,275.17

Total: \$66,937.85

Casper is not able to host the **District Convention August 3-6, 2017**. The Cheyenne Kiwanis Board has decided Cheyenne would host the Convention here in Cheyenne. Thanks to Lisa Maney at Visit Cheyenne offering assistance.

**The Solar Eclipse August 21, 2017** Kiwanis Club will have a booth to sell food as a **fund raiser**. We are going to sell breakfast and lunch. Stay tuned for announcements about committees.

Marty Tom and Tim scoped a site out.

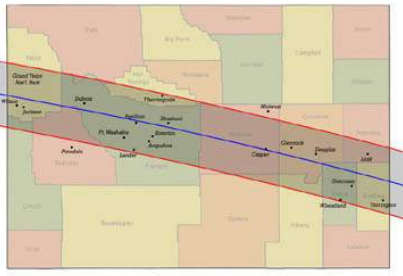
**Set up would be Saturday, Aug 19<sup>th</sup>.**

**Serving food Sunday, Aug 20<sup>th</sup> and Monday, Aug 21<sup>st</sup>.**

We will receive help from Wheatland Club, Cowboy Challenge Ranch and others Jim Ottos will transport equipment. We stand to make approx. \$13,000 plus. 150,000 people Plus projected attendance.

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The shadow can be seen at the following locations and times.

Pavillion at 11:38

Shoshoni and Riverton at 11:39

**Casper 11:42 - Center line passes through Casper.**

Douglas, Glendo, Thermopolis, Lusk and Torrington round out the list of larger towns that experience viewing

## Laura Munari membership report.

2 resignations.

4 leave of absence.

18 new members

Total of 288 Members.

**Brian Lenell community service report.** Youth Basketball tournament has request a donation. Board approved to sponsor.

Pancake Breakfast: Brian announced that Kiwanis is going to negotiate for more funds to take care of equipment from the Indian Committee.

The youth hockey tournament that Kiwanis sponsored \$500 too was cancelled. The Board voted to let them keep the \$500 for club needs.

Facility report: broken urinal at Club was fixed. And hot seat has been fixed.

## Stars of Tomorrow

Dear Fellow Kiwanians:

The 2017 Stars of Tomorrow show was held Saturday night for the 63rd year and was another huge success. We had 20 talented acts competing for the coveted

"Best of Show " traveling cup. The show was put on by a team of Kiwanis volunteers as the production takes a large effort requiring many man hours and commitment days to complete. I would personally like to thank the following members who dedicated their time and talents to the show's success:

Dave Niemann, Lorrell Walter, Rod Hottle, Deb Hottle, Deb LaFaso, Mary Brown, Carol Holland, Pat McGuire, Dwight Hicks, Juana Hicks ( Dwight's daughter), Kendall Roberts, Erica Tonso, Hank Derr, Rod Brand, Marjorie Brand, Lauri Osborn , RC Mead, Larry Seitz, John Lynch, Danette Torres, Brooke Ramirez, Sandee Wamboldt, Joe Burgess, Chris Niemann

In addition, I would like to **thanks the corporate sponsors for their continual support along with all of those who bought advertisement space in the program.** This year's winners will be performing their acts at an upcoming luncheon so if you missed the show, you may get a chance to see these talented youth.

We are also honored to be selected to host the Division 13 show, which will be held **Saturday, April 29th** at the Civic Center. The winners of this show will then move onto the Rocky Mountain District competition. Volunteer opportunities will be available for this production as well.

## Photos of Stars of Tomorrow

*curtesy of Rod Brand.*



**Stars of Tomorrow  
Winners and Judges**



**Elementary 1<sup>st</sup> Place, Best in Show  
Elementary  
and**

**People's Choice Award**

Bobby & Owen Mathews, & Andra & Allie Wagner



**Elementary  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place,  
Trona Kay  
Bates**



**Elementary  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place,  
Lorianna  
Walter**



**Jr. High  
1<sup>st</sup> Place  
and  
Best in  
Show  
Jr. High,  
Emma  
Mickelson**

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Jr. High  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place,  
Emberlynn  
Niemann



Sr. High  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place,  
Andy Lane



Central Key Club Selling Tickets

Jr. High  
3<sup>rd</sup> Place,  
Kambrie  
White



Lorrell  
Walter  
&  
David  
Bumann  
with  
Best in  
Show,  
Emma  
Mickelson



## Update Your Information

Please notify **John Barnes** (638-3763) of any changes to your employment, phone numbers, or retirement so the club directory may be updated with your current information. Thank you.

Please send Telstar information to **Lisa Maney** at [lisa@cheyenne.org](mailto:lisa@cheyenne.org)

**Thank you Rod Brand** for providing the Telstar pictures.



Sr. High  
1<sup>st</sup> Place,  
and  
Best in  
Show  
Sr High  
Morgan  
O'Neill



**Best in Show**  
Jr. High 1<sup>st</sup>, Sr. High 1<sup>st</sup> and  
Elementary 1<sup>st</sup>

## The Pig



There was \$35.00 in the pig and **Aaron Bentley** was present to win. **Congrats!!!**

Sr. High  
2<sup>nd</sup> Place,  
Madison  
Schuler



Erica, Dave, Kendall

**THANK YOU**  
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Dixie M. Roberts



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