

Kiwanis Club of Columbine

Weekly Newsletter for September 13, 2017

This Week's Topic is
"Advocacy & Unity thru Humor" Eric Golub
Greeter: Doug Blackler
Next Week's Greeter: Elwanda Gille

Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to improving the world one child and one community at a time.

Meets Wednesdays at 7:00 a.m. at: Four G's Restaurant 5950 S Platte Canyon Rd., Littleton, CO. 80128 303-730-4650

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President - Jim Foley
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Membership Dues are \$38.00 per month including meeting breakfasts. Guest and Interclub Breakfasts are \$8.50 each, payable to the Treasurer.

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New Membership Contacts:

Ken Sweet or Larry Foos at info@columbinekiwanis.org
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Sept 13 Rick & Patty Blanco
Sept 20 Ken & Peggy Sweet

Sept 13 Cleve McKinney
Sept 17 Les Burns

Upcoming Club Programs (p=projector)

Sept 20	Chris Weiss	"Second Wind Fund"
Sept 27		Induction of New Club Officers
Oct 04		Social Time
Oct 11	Paige Brophy	"Outdoor Lab Foundation" (p)
Oct 18	Sue Counterman	"Dealing in Hope" (p)
Oct 25	Deputy DA Gary Dawson	"Forensics DNA" (p)
Nov 01	TBA	
Nov 08	Larry, Bill P., Dean	"Let's Hear from Our Vets"

Future Club Events and Service Projects

Sept 16 Sat	Arapahoe Philharmonic	Jim R.
Sept 19 Tue	Ronald McDonald House	- aBe
Sept 20 Wed	Fort Logan Tour	- Riggs
Sept 23 Sat	Now I lay me down to Sleep	- Brian
Sept 30 Sat	Action Center Great Junk Sale cleanup	aBe
Oct 7 Sat	Second Wind Parking	- Jim Roos
Oct 24 Tue	Bessie's Hope visit	/ Susan / Kerry

Meals on Wheels

Sept 11 Mon	Ken Sweet and Nancy Bierman
Sept 12 Tue	Riggs and Bobbi Smith
Sept 13 Wed	Cleve and Terri McKinney
Sept 18 Mon	Les Burns and Jack Gibson
Sept 20 Wed	Cleve and Terri McKinney
Sept 22 Fri	Russ Jackson and Ron Routh
Sept 25 Mon	Ruthann Moomy and Sandra Legge
Sept 26 Tue	Jerry and Jan Clayton
Sept 27 Wed	Cleve and Terri McKinney

See Bill Duddleson for Foundation Tickets and Jim Foley for King Soopers Reloadable Cards



Welcome Fred Russell
He has joined our club and will be inducted in a few weeks. Thank you Mike Tanner for introducing him to the club.

Thank you letters:

Nice thank you letter from Littleton Advent Hospital for the "goodie bags". These bags are given to families of emergency room patients. Sandy Thank you for heading up this program.

Columbine Hills Elementary School

Another thank you from Columbine Hills Elementary for help at the BBQ. They said they could not have done it without the help.

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Arapahoe Philharmonic Sept 16

Summer is almost over and a new concert season is upon us. Our help is needed once more. When you volunteer you get to enjoy the Arapahoe Philharmonic conducted by Maestro Devin Patrick Hughes. It will be held at The Aspen Academy.

Second Wind Walk –Parking Oct 7



We will be helping with parking at the Second Wind walk again this year.

There is a new volunteer sign-up sheet going around for the Second Wind Fund Walk/Run fundraiser October 7th. We need volunteers for parking at this event. We should be done by Noon or earlier. Please help support this teen suicide prevention program. Jim Roos

NOTE: it is the same time as our Action Center Food bank. We will need help to support both.

Action Center Food Rescue – Oct 7

Next Action Center Food Bank is Oct 7. This is the same time as the Second Wind Parking. We need to support both.

Last week we had 8 Kiwanians; aBe, Tom, Ken, Jerry, Bill M., Russ, and Karen plus our regular volunteer Sharon. Scout leader Jon was there with 4 scouts, and another parent. We had a good team. Xcel had a day of volunteering and worked on a lot of other Action Center projects. Several of them worked with us, they were a big help. They did a lot of “deep cleaning” that we never have time for.

Bessie's Hope Visit



We had another great visit to Cherrelynn Healthcare Center through Bessie's Hope on Wednesday, September 6th. Our group of 11, a mix of Kiwanis and

Columbine United Church members (and a dog!) visited with the residents. We sang songs, danced and spent time getting to know the men and women living in the facility. Many of these people never have visitors and they look forward to the times when groups arrive facilitated by Bessie's Hope. Our next visit is scheduled for Tuesday, October 24th from 1:30-3pm. We will have sign-ups available at Kiwanis meetings and at CUC. Please email Kerry Barker at kerbarker17@hotmail.com if you have questions or are interested in joining us! Kerry

Action Center Clean UP



The Action Center is having a “Beautiful Junk Sale” at the Jeffco Fairgrounds on

September 29 & 30th. They have requested that Members, Family and Friends of The Columbine Kiwanis Club help them with the clean-up following the Sale. We will be folding, stacking and loading portable chairs and tables. We would be required at the fairgrounds on Saturday at 3:30 and must be out of the fairgrounds by 6:30. aBe

Now I Lay Me Down To Sleep, Remembrance Walk Sept 23, Clement Park.

“The NILMDTS Remembrance Walk, “Our Journey Together” is for parents, family members, and friends to come together to remember a precious baby who has died due to miscarriage, stillbirth, SIDS, neonatal or any type of pregnancy or infant loss.

It is an opportunity to bring honor to our babies and healing to our hearts. The Remembrance Walk also ensures future support to families who will sadly walk in our shoes one day.”

www.nowilaymedowntosleep.org

The board meeting to support this worthwhile cause which was proposed by Brian Counterman. This event is being supported by the **South Metro Denver Chamber Volunteer Group** South Metro Chamber of Commerce, we are looking for Kiwanis members to help with the walk logistics.

Event Day Prep (able to lift 25 lbs) 6:30 – 10:00 am
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Event Day Tear Down –10:30am – 1:00 pm

Information and on-line signup at <http://web.bestchamber.com/events/Chamber-SERVES-Volunteer-Day-1431/details>. You can also sign up at a meeting or on our club on line signup.

Brian
Nuts and Bolts Party



Thanks for those that stayed after the meeting and assembled Nuts and Bolts. We sell these at the DMV, it is one of our biggest fund raisers - \$1200 / year.

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