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# Kiwanis Club of Columbine

Weekly Newsletter for March 21, 2018

This Week's Presenter is Andrew Romanoff

Topic "Mental Health in Colorado"

Greeter: Cindy Pickett

Next Week's Greeter: Eve Trumpore

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



No Anniversaries or Birthdays this week

**Upcoming Club Programs (p=projector)**

Apr 04	Julie Rosenthal	"Rocky Vista University"
Apr 11	Mark Hall	"Renewable Energy" (p)
Apr 18	Stan Moore	"Iron, Dynamite and Intrigue" (p)
Apr 25	Jeff Streeter	"Jeffcom 911" (p)
May 02	Diane McClymonds	"Meals on Wheels"
May 09	Dan Almuti, CIMA	"Psychology of Investing" (p)
May 16	Peggy Green	"Timeless Aging: Fitness, Health & Nutrition" (p)

May 23 Social Time

**Future Club Events and Service Projects**

Apr 07	Sat	Action Center Food Bank (aBe / Ken)
Apr 11	Wed	Arapahoe Philharmonic – Children's Concert Jim R.
Apr 13	Fri	Littleton High School IFCS food drive last day (Brian)
Apr 20	Fri	Key Club – Ronald McDonald House (Karen H.)
Apr 20-	Fri	9 Health Fair Setup (Peggy Sweet)
Apr 21-	Sat	9 Health Fair (Peggy Sweet)
Apr 21	Sat	Arapahoe Philharmonic Sinfonietta Jim Ross
Apr 22	Sun	Arapahoe Philharmonic Sinfonietta Jim Ross
Apr 22	Sun	Crop Walk (Ken / looking for leader)
May 03	Tue	Columbine Kiwanis Board meeting – Russ
Jun 28-30		International Kiwanis Convention –Las Vegas
July 04	Wed	Bandimere Jet Cars & Fireworks
July 20-22		Bandimere Mile High Nationals
Aug 09-11		Kiwanis District Convention - Greeley
Aug 19	Sun	Bandimere KBPI Rock & Roll Car Show

**Meals on Wheels**

Mar 28	Wed	Cleve and Linda Tafoya
Apr 02	Mon	Ruthanne Moomy and Sandra Legge
Apr 04	Wed	Cleve and Terri McKinney
Apr 09	Mon	Bill and Barbary Morrissey
Apr 10	Tue	Riggs and Bobbi Smith
Apr 11	Wed	Cleve and Terri McKinney
Apr 13	Fri	Les Burns and Jack Gibson

## IFCS Food Drive for Mother's Day Baskets

Integrated Family Community Services (IFCS) provides basic human services and enrichment programs to low-income family members. IFCS Food drive for the Mother's Day Baskets assists the **Littleton High School Key Club** in their efforts. Bring food or money to Brian; last day is April 13.

## Bessie's Hope

Our next visit to Cherrelyn through Bessie's Hope will be Tuesday, April 10 from 1:45-3:00 pm. We'll see if Carol will be there with her song sheets. I think the residents really enjoy her music. Please let me know if you are able to attend, so I can give Kimberly a rough estimate on how many volunteers to expect. Thanks so much! Contact me or Ken. There is a signup sheet.

Kerry Barker [kerbarker17@hotmail.com](mailto:kerbarker17@hotmail.com)



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

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## Shiloh House Easter Project

We will have a sign-up (paper and online) for suggested items to fill the baskets that Lorri and I will be assembling. We need to have at least 7 baskets.



We will also be putting together a small party box with decaffeinated soda pop, chips, Popcorn, cake mix, frosting mix, brownie mix, cookies, juice, crackers, and anything else you would like to donate. We only have 7 boys so quantities should reflect this.

In addition, we will be passing an envelope around to collect \$150.00 or whatever amount we can provide, for a complete Easter dinner for the Yarrow House. Thanks for your help and caring generosity.- Ron Z.

## CROP Hunger Walk

For nearly half a century, CROP Hunger Walks have ensured that more people worldwide have access to nutritious, sustainable food sources. CROP Hunger Walks help end hunger by raising funds to support local food programs and the international anti-hunger work of Church World Service.

This is Angela Scherling with the Crop Walk Committee. I was wondering if you and your fellow Kiwanis friends would like to volunteer to help with registration this year?



The walk is at Clement Park, the same location as last year, on Sunday, April 22, 2018. Registration starts at 1:00 PM and the Walk starts at 1:30 PM. I will need about five Kiwanis volunteers, if possible, beginning at 12:30 PM, to help get

all the walkers signed in! Please let me know if you and your friends are available to help us this year. Thank you, Angie

**Can we get someone** to take the lead on the Crop Walk? It is a onetime event. It will involve being sure that the signup sheet is out, getting volunteers, only need 5, and coordinating with Crop Walk. I will help with the project. Ken

## Head Start

### Lakewood ECE Program

This Year Belmar Kiwanis is taking the lead on the project but they will need our help. It is a chance to meet and work with other clubs. We will be applying linseed oil at the Lakewood Head Start location on Saturday, May 19, at 9:00 AM.

This was requested by Kathy Ireland, Classroom Coordinator



## Meet Bev Knotwell

Beverly (Bev) Knotwell was born in Lincoln, NE, where her father worked in the Engineering Division of the Nebraska Department of Transportation. Her mother was a school teacher. Bev had one brother, thirteen months older than she. At the beginning of World War II, the family moved to Hastings, NE, where Bev's father worked as an expeditor at the Naval Ammunition Depot. After the War, the family moved back to Ashland, NE, near Lincoln.



Bev graduated from Ashland High School in the Spring of 1958 and continued her education at the University of Nebraska in Lincoln. She majored in elementary education, graduating in 1962. It was a busy time for graduation in Bev's family. Within a three-year period of Bev's graduation, her brother and her mother, who began teaching before a college degree was required, also earned their bachelor's degree.

After graduation Bev began her teaching career at Bear Creek Elementary School in Lakewood, Colorado. During the summer, between her Junior and Senior year at the University of Nebraska, Bev had met and began dating Craig Knotwell, a Business major from Nebraska Wesleyan University. In 1963, Bev returned to Lincoln where she and Craig were married. For the next ten years, while Craig worked in the insurance business with Hartford and State Farm, interrupted with a stint in the Army, Bev continued teaching intermittently at schools in Lincoln, Ralston, and Ogallala, Nebraska.

Bev and Craig have two children. Brad, who was born in 1968 and Curt, born in 1970. Brad is a graduate of University of Pennsylvania with a dual degree in Applied Science and Business from the Wharton School of Business. He currently works for F-5 Networks in Seattle, WA. Curt graduated from Nebraska Wesleyan University and works in the Kitchen Design section of Home Depot in Aurora, CO. Bev has especially fond memories of the years in Grant, NE., between 1982 and 1986 when she and her family spent lots of time boating, swimming, water skiing, and fishing at nearby Lake McConaughy.

In 1982, the family moved to Yuma, Colorado where Craig served as President of 1st State Bank of Yuma. In 1986, the family moved to Littleton. The family lost Craig in 2017 due to congestive heart failure. In December, with the encouragement of Sally Kingman, Bev joined us in the Kiwanis Club of Columbine where she is looking to find a renewed commitment and purpose in providing services to the community. We express our sympathy to Bev for her loss. Craig was an active member of Columbine Kiwanis and is truly missed.

If you like these member interviews thank Bill Morrissey. If you don't like the interviews tell Ken, he asked Bill to do these.

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