



Pueblo, Colorado

THE KIWANIS CLUB OF PUEBLO

September 2017

KIWANIS KAKTUS

MEETING WEDNESDAYS AT 11:45 AM
PUEBLO COUNTRY CLUB, 3200 8TH AVENUE

SEPTEMBER
2017

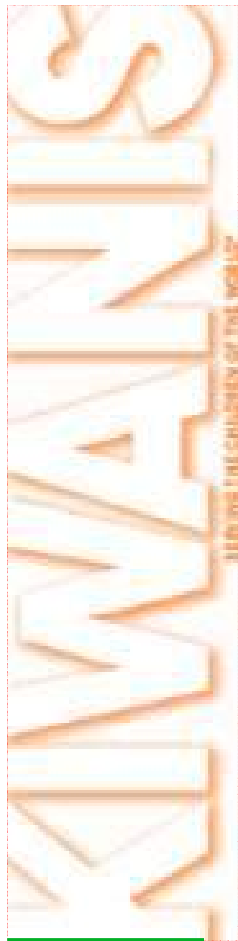


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Thursday,
September 7, 5:30 pm
Shamrock Brewing CO
108 W. 3rd



KIWANIS KORNER

Pack and sort cans at
Care and Share
Tuesday, September 5
Noon till 1:00 pm



Thursday,
September 21, 8 am
Cup and Cork
100 Broadway

Come join us

MEETING BOARD OF DIRECTORS
Wednesday,
September 27,
10:30 am

MEETING FOUNDATION BOARD
Monday,
September 11
11:45 am
Acorn Construction

Sign up today on line or the CMOM Dental program,
October 12-15 www.CMOM.org

September Programs

Nancy Hall
Program Chair

- September 6 Susan Myhre, Instructor Pilot
Doss Aviation
- September 13 Tony Knopp, Factory Manager
Vestas Wind Energy
- September 20 Tracey Walker, Blackhawk Acupuncture
And Herbal Healing
- September 27 Jean Flynn Ray, Volunteer Coordinator
Pueblo Zoo



Recent Programs



Joe Welte
Summit Bricks



Charlene Simms
History of Pueblo



Jack Rink and Paul McPheeters
Pro Pueblo Co



Linda Mitchell
PAWS Animal Rescue



Larry Hegler
Computer
Security

Fred Fleming Coming

One of our favorite programs over many years has been provided by Fred Fleming, a representative of the Denver Broncos.

He will be coming to speak at our meeting October 25 to share some of his fascinating stories about the club.

Some members like to invite family and friends to hear him. We need a count.



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Super-Dooper Scoopers

At the State Fair Parade. And we won. Thanks to Carol Chiarito for some pictures



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- Volunteer
- Provide community awareness
- Make financial contributions
- Donate supplies (e.g., bottled water, food)
- Provide services (e.g., make photocopies)

For COMOM updates, check www.COMOM.org

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Volunteer Hotline = 720.648.0918
Patient Hotline = 720.648.0919

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Southern Colorado Community Foundation

EM Christmas Foundation

9/26/17



**Colorado State Fairgrounds
October 13 and 14, 2017**



Providing free dental care to the hundreds who have need

Our club will be participating as volunteers for four days: October 12 set up, October 13 and 14 program, October 15 tear down.

Our foundation is contributing \$2000 to the project. With our orthodontia program we have a concern for children's teeth,

Important: You must go to their website to register your plans to volunteer.

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



Happy Anniversary to Joe and Linda Welte

Roger and Abigail Weitzel are our newest members.

Roger is retired from Pueblo Community College where he taught pre-engineering courses. Abigail, who is a native of Chihuahua, Mexico, is a CPA.

Welcome New Members



They are in the real estate business buying properties and rehabing them.

They are both accomplished tennis players. Welcome to our club, Roger and Abigail.

JUNIOR LEAGUE PROJECT

Touch A Truck

Touch a Truck serves as the kick-off fundraiser for the League year. Historically the event has brought more than 900 people of all ages to explore and educate themselves among various vehicles, vendor booths and fun, active activities. Children get to put their imagination in gear and go! Kids have the opportunity to get behind the wheel and rub elbows with their hometown heroes, climb on and explore their favorite vehicles including big rigs, fire engines, police cars, construction trucks, tractors and much more. The highlight and fan favorite of the event is the arrival of Colorado Flight for Life! Through a partnership with Kiwanis and EPIC, 400 books (roughly equal to \$1,000) are donated that day. This affordable event (\$3 entry fee) raises money to support community programs, while also being a community impact event.

Who: Children and Family of All Ages

What: Touch and explore service and community vehicles

When: September 16, 2017; 11 am – 3 pm
| Horn Free Hour 11 am – 12 pm

Where: Colorado State Fair Grounds

We will be participating by distributing books to the kids.

Sign up at the next club meeting.



Nancy Hall, our program chair, has purchased children's books to be contributed to school libraries. They will be given in the name of our weekly speakers, who will sign them.

Books For Schools



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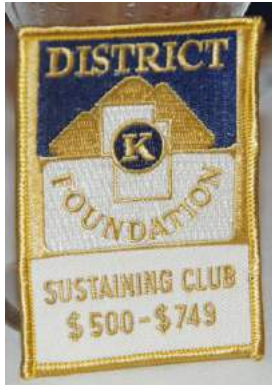
Our affiliate club for special needs persons at Pueblo Diversified Industries, has been very busy. They have produced a cookbook as a money-raisig project. They are on sale for \$10.



They made gift bags for Kidsville, the children's ward at Park View Hospital.

They will be participating in the Harvest Walk on October 14.

And they continue to collect cans.



We contributed over \$500 to the Kiwanis District Foundation and received this patch.

We also donated \$35 from the Happy Dollars to the PAWs program.

BIRTHDAYS

- September 1 Ken Lewis
- September 6 Gordon Racine
- September 8 Joe Welte
- September 10 Edmond Vallejo
- September 11 Joe Folda
- September 15 Nancy Hall
- September 25 Abigail Weitzel
- September 30 Bill Yalotz
Daren Root

Let's Celebrate



JOINED IN SEPTEMBER

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| 1977 | Bill Sheard | 40 years |
| 2004 | Harold Deselms | 13 years |
| 2008 | Jim Barber | 9 years |
| 2013 | Gordon Racine | 4 years |

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Barry Richards is in charge of this program.



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