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### Quick Glance

**Kiwanis Program**  
**September 23, 2017**



Senior Meals Drivers

**Meal Delivery Location**  
**Mennonite Church - Hwy 105**  
**Delivery Days**  
**Tues, Wed, Thurs**



**Thanks to Jim Murphy**

**Scribes**

Sept 23  
**Dean Snow**

Sept 30  
**Martha Sill**

Oct 7  
**Tom Van Wormer**

Oct 14  
**Jay Kelley**



**Annual Look Back**

**President RF Smith**

(Slides from today's presentation are available online  
on the member side of the MHKC website)

**Future Program Announcements**

**September 30, 2017**

**Changing of the Guard**

Oct 21  
Frank Wynne

Oct 28  
RF Smith



Thanks to  
Dennis Beasley

### Upcoming Programs

September 30, 2017 **Changing of the Guard**



Thanks Larry Young

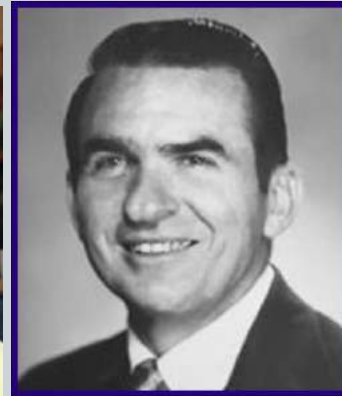
Board of Directors  
2015-2016

## Member Concerns

RF Smith remembered seven members, past and present, who passed during the last year.



Sal Aswad



Dexter Peak



Mark O'Regan



Steve Plank



Board of Directors  
2016-2017

President - RF Smith

President Elect - Barb Broshous

Immediate Past  
President - Rich Strom

Secretary - Mike Luginbuhl

Treasurer/ CFO - Jack Fry

Sergeant-at-Arms - Paul Short

VP - Programs - Larry Young

VP - Memberships - Bob Hayes

VP- Fundraising - Barrie Town



Frank Matthews

K Wayne Claybaugh



Anne Shimek

Larry Young said that these good friends and fellow Kiwnians will live on in our hearts. Missing them causes us to realize the importance of the relationships we share in this Kiwanis Club. We are grateful to have been brought together to share in this work. We are thankful to the men and women that have worked on our projects, with the knowledge that lives have been improved as a result of our efforts. As we review the things done in the past, we pray

VP - Public Relations - Steve Stephenson

VP - Service Leadership Program - Max Williams

VP - Community Service - Cheryl Wangerman

Dir - Bingo & Raffles - Mark Zeiger

Dir - Granting and External Relations - Jim Taylor

Dir - Member Recognition - Ron Mangiarelli

Dir - Plans, Analysis, & Resources - Russ Broshous

Dir - Special Needs - Rich Munsell

this will encourage our hearts as we look forward to the challenges and opportunities of the year to come. Bless our time together this morning, bless RF Smith for his leadership over the last year, and blessings on our group and our fellowship.

RF Smith led the Pledge of Allegiance.



President RF Smith

Called the meeting to order at 8:00 am.

RF's thought of the day from anthropologist Margaret Meade: "Children must be taught how to think, not what to think."

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## GUESTS

Dir - Interclub & Social - Marian  
Taylor

Special Thanks To



Bonnie Nasser for photographs



Tom "Media Master" VanWormer for  
Media Services



Mike Luginbuhl introduced Rob Thompson. Rob is from the local area - his wife teaches High School in District 38. Glad you joined us!

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

Warren Wieland was scheduled to become Director of Special Needs, but has resigned from the club. In his place, Rich Strom has volunteered. Per our bylaws, one week notice after nomination is required. Rich has been nominated by the Board and other nominations are open. A vote will be held next week.





Rich Hicks

K-News Editor

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## MHKC Service Recognition

### Kiwanian of the Year

2016 Larry Young

2015 Mark Zeiger

2014 RF Smith

2013 Tom Nelson

2012 Ron Heard

2011 Bonnie Biggs

2010 Dennis Daugherty

2009 Ed Kinney

2008 Don Johnson

2007 Ted Bauman

2006 Glenn Scott



Our Club's Kiwanian of the Year nomination process was discussed by Larry Young. Information and the nomination form are on our website. Also, nominations are being received for the Distinguished Service Award. This award is given for service over a lengthy period of time. Nominations are being received over the next three weeks.



Benny Nasser exhorted the band members to be ready for the change-of-command next week (i.e. press your uniform, tune your instrument, polish your shoes). Not that it really matters since you can't tell who's who anyway. Benny also said he is heading up programs in the coming year, so let him know if you have a good idea for a presenter.

2005 Dick Durham  
2004 Benny Nasser  
2003 Sharon Williams  
2002 Bill Cook  
2001 Jim Taylor  
2000 Rich Rima  
1999 Rich Lybolt  
1998 Jack Johnson  
1997 Larry Cheatham  
1996 Ed DeValois  
1995 Paul Bacalis  
1994 Jerry Losey  
1993 Denny Myers  
1992 Bill Tope  
1991 Max Williams  
1990 Dick London  
1989 Len Dodson  
1988 Dave Turner  
1987 Charlie Emmons  
1986 Bill Dudman  
1985 George Goddu  
1984 Jim Carroll  
1983 Rev John Snyder



Having felt neglected for a long period of time, the "Frog" is now quickly making the rounds. The latest to be graced by the Frog is Frank Wynne. Frank's most recent problem has been keeping track of birthdays. Last week Frank announced the incorrect date for Sharon Williams' birthday. As a result, she had two birthdays, and is just now getting ready to celebrate the second one. If fed properly, the Frog might stick with Frank for a while.



\*Additional Sertoman of the Year or Kiwanian of the Year designates include: Dexter Peak, JoAnn Peak, Steve Hall - Sunset Sertoma Club, Darlene Loudermilk & Joe Ashby

#### 25 Year Legion of Honor

Rich Sayer  
Don Smart  
Jo Carroll  
Steve Hall

#### 30 Year Legion of Honor

Ed Devalois  
Chuck Dunham  
Jerry Losey  
Max Williams

#### 35 Year Legion of Honor

Ben Bellis  
Bud Sterling

#### 40 Year Legion of Honor

Watt Hill

4th of July Parade is Powered by



RF Smith had several items:

- He said we had a great session with the with the Pikes Peak club last Wednesday at Paninos for lunch. Theirs has been a Kiwanis Club since 1920.
- Results from the Board meeting last week: Approved the Projects List for next year. Approved the 2018 Budget. Approved the purchase of lapel mikes. Approved the beginnings of a Strategic Plan.
- Sharon Williams, who is the incoming Vice President of Public Relations, is going to work on setting up the club display on Tuesday morning at 9:00 am. See Sharon if you can help.

Employing his new routing procedure introduced two weeks ago, Frank Wynne sent around a signup sheet for our next mixer that will be September 29th. The theme this mixer is "Octoberfest." We were advised not to let it get hung up with the signup sheet magnet, Russ Broshous.

Mark Zeiger gave us the results from Bingo last Monday: Profits of \$5,742 with 107 players!





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JJ Tracks

Dave Wittman said we have filled all the Empty Bowls volunteer slots, but feel free to show up wearing your vest and you can be put to work. Bill Kaelin added that this is truly a community charity effort that includes restaurants, potters, silent auction contributors, etc. Bill requested that volunteers that have purchased a ticket wait until 6:30 pm to select a bowl, and non-ticket holders wait until the end. Sponsored by Monument Hills Kiwanis Club, Kiwanis Youth Service Leadership Club and Tri-Lakes Cares, Empty Bowls is one of the largest fundraisers for Tri-Lakes Cares. The event is coming up on Wednesday, Oct 4th from 5 pm to 7:30 pm at Lewis-Palmer High School. Tickets are \$20. Extra cash will buy tickets for the clients of Tri-Lakes Cares.



Max Williams asked that if help is needed from any of the Key Club kids during Empty Bowls, please first ask Max or Tom Nelson for assistance.

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The Wine Seller



It is that time, again, when Kathy Strom will be sending out the Quarterly Dues Statements on October 1st. Payment is due by October 15th. After that date, Second Notices will be sent out. If payment is not received by the end of the month and previous arrangements have not been made with the Treasurer, Jack Fry, a \$10 fine will be assessed. You may pay by check or credit card at the Club meetings. You may also pay more than one quarter in advance. The Asst. Treasurers can tell you what you owe. You may also mail your check to the Club's P.O. Box 102, Monument, CO 80132. Your bank can send a payment to Integrity Bank & Trust: Routing # 107 006 994; Account # 1037498. You are always welcome to pay in advance.



## LOSERS FOOTBALL POOL



Jim Taylor reported that both the NFL Loser Pool and Winner (Sally's Challenge) Pool are down to two thirds of the original entrants. Or as Jim also succinctly put it, we have lost a third of the people who signed up. Brilliant!

## WINNERS FOOTBALL POOL



Glenn Scott said it was an interesting week. Six people were 13 and 3 with the tie-breaker going to Billy-the-Greek Stoner. Rich Hicks was tail-end-Charlie with 5 and 11, and winner of the Sacajawea.

## HAPPY BUCKS



Joe Dague was happy to be back after a long summer. He had \$20 for all the happy bucks he would have contributed had he been at the meetings.



Harry Brandon is happy because right in the middle of his Frog hat it says "Navy" in small print. Harry's second buck was for the benefit of Jim Murphy since Navy has won twice as many games at 2-0 vs. Air Force at 1-1.





Mark Zeiger said his wife Diane and Charlie Ann Hayes from Tri-Lakes Women's Club wanted to thank all the Kiwanians who helped with setup and breakdown for the Harvesting Hope fundraiser last Thursday.



Lynn Severson's happy buck was for the great open house held by The Resource Center on Tuesday night in their new building. Generous donations from Classic Companies, Colarelli Construction and Olive Real Estate Group made buying the new building possible.



Mike McGrath's view of the new PBS Vietnam series was that it was the same left-of-center propaganda that he has been listening to for years. He did not sound that impressed.



Sharon Williams is still happy to celebrating her birthdays thanks to Frank Wynne - one on Friday and the second on the 26th. More parties!



Jack Fry was really happy since his son and his wife are celebrating his son's 40th birthday with a trip to the Caribbean. During this trip Jack and his wife Molly will be in Denver taking care of their granddaughter all week long. They received five emails with extensive childcare instructions: what they are supposed to do, when and where (addresses without directions), school pickup, medical, etc. Jack said it would be a lot of fun...



As a warning to new club members, Paul Short identified Bill Kaelin and Dave Wittman as people to watch out for. Paul said he simply said hello to each of them last week and he now has **two** jobs for Empty Bowls. All he said was hello. Paul had a second buck for Frank Wynne and his funny jokes.

There are two free, easy ways to donate money to the MHKC - **without paying a nickel out of your own pocket**. One is by getting a gift card (available from Mike Wangeman that comes with \$5 credit) for Safeway or Kings Soopers. You can then indefinitely add money to the card. Also, at Amazon.com Smile, you can designate Monument Hill Service Club as

your charity organization and purchase items through Smile. Then Amazon donates .5% of all your purchases to our club.

## BIRTHDAYS



Sporting his new Frog hat, Frank Wynne provided member birthdays for the coming week:  
Sharon Williams (her second birthday)  
Bob Hayes  
Martha Sill

## Progressive Drawing

September 23, 2017

Winner this week is:



Dan Lopez

Kiwanis Progressive Drawing Stats:

Date of drawing: 9/23/17

Chips this drawing: 10

Carry over from last week: \$0

Today's 1/2 ticket sales: \$29

Total for today's drawing: \$29

Amount won & donated back: \$5

Amount won and kept by winner: \$0

Available for next week's drawing: \$29

Chips for next week's drawing: 9

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## Kiwanis Program



September 23, 2017



## Annual Look Back

### President RF Smith

Scribe: Dean Snow

(Slides from today's presentation are available online  
on the member side of the MHKC website)

Our President, RF Smith, gave a very informative presentation on the "Year in Review" for the Monument Hill Kiwanis Club. His focus was on reviewing the state and health of our club - namely where we have been, where we are today, and where we are going.

RF started the presentation by acknowledging and thanking those members who have been instrumental in starting, building and guiding the club during its 43 years of existence. He then proceeded to thank the Saturday Production Crew - those members who come to meetings at 6:30 AM to help setup the facility, and also those who stay after the meeting to help with the cleanup. RF then thanked the 2017 Board of Directors for their leadership over the past 12

months. He also thanked Bonnie Nassar for her outstanding photographs, Tom Van Wormer for ensuring that our presentations go smoothly and Rich Hicks & Bob Evans for editing the news.

Next RF talked about Kiwanis membership. He described why perspective members should join our club, why current members should stay in the club (member retention), and also what we need from our members and why they need to commit to service. RF pointed out that we gained 14 new members over the past 12 months but the club has grown by only four members. Because we only grew by four members in 2017 we can't rest on our laurels but instead we must make recruiting new members a priority.

RF expounded on why he thinks that the Service Leadership Program should be the club's Principle Product. He reminded us that serving the children of the world is the primary Kiwanis mission. RF talked about the different Key Clubs within the Service Leadership Program and about how the role of these clubs is to mentor our youth and provide them opportunities.



### **SLP Clubs**

K-Kids - 6 Elementary School Clubs

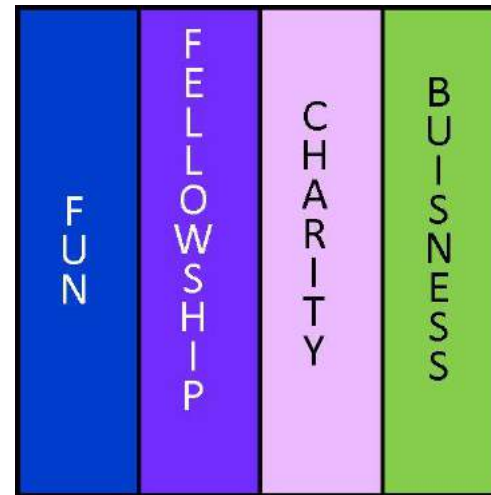
Builders Club - 1 Middle School Club

Key Clubs - 2 High School Clubs

Circle K - 1 Club Pending at UCCS

RF identified the 2017 advisors for the Key Clubs and thanked them for their service to our youth. RF also reviewed some of the activities that our K-kids perform while participating in the Key Clubs and Leadership Program.

Next RF described the Core Values or Characteristics of our club. Fun, Fellowship, Charity, Community Awareness and Discipline as a Business.



**Fun** = ENERGY

**Fellowship** - Take care of each other

**Charity** - Motivated to serve

**Business** - Disciplined 501(c)3

He identified and thanked the new Order of the Frog inductee Frank "birthday boy" Wynne for contributing to the fun and fellowship enjoyed by club members. He talked about the charitable aspects of our organization and how we are responsible for approximately \$500,000 in charity each year. RF also made a point of how our organization needs to continue to work on Community Awareness - such as who we are and what we do, and how a good reputation leads to a desire to belong to the club which helps with recruiting new members.



At a high level RF recounted some of our major initiatives in 2017 including the 4th of July parade, the empty bowl dinner, the bell ringing, the peach sale, the craft fair, bingo and other activities. He reminded us that since we are a business, we must be rock solid and above board with everything. RF talked about how our financial health is good and how well it is managed by Jack Fry and Kathy Strom.



Before closing the presentation, RF expressed his opinions regarding the state of our club. He talked about our mission strengths including therapeutic riding, deaf & blind golf, the soap box derby, our support of the Griffith Center, the Rocky Mountain Youth Leadership, handing out dictionaries to our youth, as well as the other major initiatives previously mentioned. Next he reviewed our mission weaknesses including how we must continue to grow, how we need to tap our potential better, and how our membership is both a strength and vulnerability (as our members grow older). RF examined our mission opportunities including grooming new Project Managers and leaders for our club's efforts; continuing to nurture our relationship with the community; and determining how we can better attract young professionals into our organization. RF assessed our mission's threats and identified Bingo as being one of our biggest threats (if we lose it) because it represents approximately half of our charitable dollars. RF reminded us of how in the past we had fully staffed Bingo support teams, but recently our team members have been stretched thin with some members supporting Bingo every week. RF also expressed concern with our Service Leadership Program because we need members to step up and volunteer to be mentored as new leaders and backup leaders in the Key Clubs. The last risk that RF talked about was the risk to our club if we fail to continue to grow and retain our membership.



In RF's final topic he reiterated to us why we work so hard in our club. He restated that we do it for the kids and for our community in order to build a community that instills our youth with the ideals of values, integrity and service. He reminded us that we do it for ourselves also, so that we can continue to do the things that our community has learned to rely on us for. But most of all, as RF made clear, we do it for our kids - and what we do matters!

***"I'm Proud To Be A Monument Hill Kiwanian"***

**Happy Trails!**

**See you Saturday at:**



**Lewis Palmer D-38 Administration building**

**(a.k.a. Big Red)**

**146 Jefferson Street, Monument, CO 80921.**

**Please use the West or North entrances!**

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