



Our mission

Kiwaniis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world, one child and one community at a time.

Send newsletter info, stories, jokes, etc. to:

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DEADLINE is Thursday for the next week's newsletter.

Meetings on Tuesdays 9-10 am
Guests welcome!

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Reporting Community Service Hrs:

If it is easier for you, please report your service hours to Carroll's email: jancar68@comcast.net

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

Jan. 31st. —"Be Our Guest"
An introduction to Kiwanis and Poudre Golden K: Who we are and What we do

Feb. 7—Dr. Pat Byrn—CSU Soils & Crops Dept. —Biotechnology (Byrd Curtis)

Feb. 14—Sherman's March to Goldsboro Dave Hamm

Feb. 21—Meggan Jorgensen, DPT, "It's A Stretch" (Wil S.)

Feb. 28—CDC's Presence in Fort Collins, Leo Weakland (Jim G.)

RANDOM THOUGHTS....

- *Have you ever listened to someone for a while and wondered if "who ties your shoes for you"?
- *Be careful when you follow the masses...sometimes the "Mö" is silent.
- *When you're dead, you don't know it; it's only difficult for others. It's the same way when you're stupid.
- *Sometimes I sit quietly and wonder why I'm not in a mental asylum..then I look around and realize maybe I already am.

The six permanent Objects of Kiwanis International were approved by Kiwanis club delegates at the 1924 International Convention in Denver, Colorado. Through the decades, they have remained unchanged.

- To give primacy to the human and spiritual rather than to the material values of life.
- To encourage the daily living of the Golden Rule in all human relationships.
- To promote the adoption and the application of higher social, business, and professional standards.
- To develop, by precept and example, a more intelligent, aggressive, and serviceable citizenship.
- To provide, through Kiwanis clubs, a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service, and to build better communities.
- To cooperate in creating and maintaining that sound public opinion of high idealism which make possible the increase of righteousness, justice,

CLUB MEETING PRAYER

Jan. 31st Carroll Morony
Feb. 7th Bob Fromme
Feb. 14th Don Edminster
Feb. 21st John Milne
Feb. 28th Ed Rice

BIRTHDAYS

Feb. 6th Bonnie Baird (Roger)

NO ANNIVERSARIES

Singing led by Carroll Morony

LAST WEEK'S MEETING

44 members in attendance
Guests: Bill See (Proj. Smile) who plans on joining us. Milt Thompson's son Randy.

Welfare of Members:

It was good to see Larry Jones back! Jeanie Craft presented Jim Goettl with a special Project Smile award, recognizing his special gift with the kids who are intimidated by the whole process.

KEEP CHECKING THE SIGN-UP SHEETS ON THE TABLES AT THE BACK OF THE ROOM FOR UPCOMING ACTIVITIES.

CLUB COMMITTEES
(chair & co-chair)

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Jim McHugh

COMMUNITY SERVICE
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Bill Fennone

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Rocky Mountain District Kiwanis
Mid-Year Conference
 Hilton Hotel, Fort Collins CO
 March 3 – 5, 2017



MID-YEAR CONFERENCE- A time for celebration, education, entertainment and inspiration.

ENERGIZE YOUR NETWORK - reconnect with longtime Kiwanis friends and meet new ones
Friday Night Social ~ A no host event beginning with a brewery tour at 5:00p.m. sharp. A 90-minute guided stroll around the brewery that incorporates beer sampling. Stay afterwards to socialize in the tasting room or outdoor patio. Food trucks will be available outside to purchase food until 8pm. This event is exclusively for Mid-Year Conference... It is free, but you **MUST BE REGISTERED** for the conference to attend.

ENERGIZE YOUR MIND - hear from inspiring speakers
Saturday Morning Speaker~ TBD
Saturday Interclub Luncheon Keynote Speaker~
 2016-17 Kiwanis International President
 Jane Erickson



ENERGIZE YOUR CLUB - choose from 20 forums on Saturday
Forums are divided into 1 Plan format- Inspiration, Impact, Image and Investment-
 Each club is encouraged to send at least 3 members and to split up participation to gather all of the latest information for your clubs.

ENERGIZE YOUR CLUB LEADERS - training for club officers
Club Secretary & Club Treasurer Forums and Club Leadership Education on Sunday~
 All club officers are welcome to attend CLE; per club bylaws the incoming secretary and president must attend training before taking office.

CELEBRATE OUR ENERGY- annual district awards dinner
District Awards Banquet- Come celebrate all we accomplished in 2015-2016. Afterwards, entertainment will be provided by Fort Collins Stars of Tomorrow runner-up contestants.

GROAN NOW & SAVE YOUR-SELF THE TROUBLE.....

A hungry lion roaming through the jungle came upon 2 men. One was sitting in a tree, reading a book; the other, on the ground, was pounding away on his lap-top. The lion quickly pounced on the man reading the book and devoured him. Even the King of the Jungle knows readers digest and writers cramp.

Two mushrooms walk into a bar. They sit down and order drinks. The bartender says, "We don't serve mushrooms here." "Why not?" says one. "We're fun guy."

A hungry traveler stops at a monastery and is taken to the kitchens. A brother is frying potatoes. "Are you the cook?" the traveler asks. "No, I'm the chip monk."

LOST WORDS OF OUR YOUTH, "Jeepers Creepers! Heavens to Murgatroyd! (IF YOU IDENTIFY WITH ALL OR MOST OF THESE, YOU BELONG IN OUR CLUB!!!)

Lost Words from our childhood: Words gone as fast as the buggy whip!
 The other day a lady said something to her son about driving a Jalopy and he looked at her quizzically and said "What the heck is a Jalopy? Well, I hope you are Hunky Dory after you read this and chuckle.
 Some old expressions that have become obsolete because of the inexorable march of technology: These phrases included "Don't touch that dial," "Carbon copy," "You sound like a broken record" and "Hung out to dry."
 Back in the olden days we had a lot of moxie.
 We'd put on our best bib and tucker to straighten up and fly right.
 Heavens to Betsy!
 Gee whillikers!
 Jumping Jehoshaphat!
 Holy moley!
 We were in like Flynn and living the life of Riley, and even a regular guy couldn't accuse us of being a knuckle-head, a nincompoop or a pill. Not for all the tea in China!
 Back in the olden days, life used to be swell, but when's the last time anything was swell? Swell has gone the way of beehives, pageboys and the D.A. and of spats, knickers, fedoras, poodle skirts, saddle shoes and pedal pushers. Oh, my aching back. Kilroy was here, but he isn't anymore. We wake up from what surely has been just a short nap, and before we can say, well I'll be a monkey's uncle! Or This is a fine kettle of fish! We discover that the words we grew up with, the words that seemed omnipresent, as oxygen, have vanished with scarcely a notice from our tongues and our pens and our keyboards. Poof, go the words of our youth, the words we've left behind We blink, and they're gone. Where have all those phrases gone?

Long gone: Pshaw,
 The milkman did it.
 Hey! It's your nickel.
 Don't forget to pull the chain.
 Knee high to a grasshopper.

Well, Fiddlesticks!
 Going like sixty.
 I'll see you in the funny papers.
 Don't take any wooden nickels.

It turns out there are more of these lost words and expressions than Carter has liver pills.
 This can be disturbing stuff!
 See you later alligator!