

# Maryville Kiwanis



## MEETINGS

Tuesdays, Noon  
Green Meadow Country Club, 1700 Louisville Rd., Alcoa, TN 37701

## TYPES OF MEMBERSHIPS

**Personal** Member pays for dues and meals

**Corporate** Company pays for dues and meals. Company designates an employee to attend meetings and participate in club activities. The designate has all rights and privileges of regular membership.

## COST OF MEMBERSHIP

**Dues** \$174/year, paid quarterly  
Dues include Kiwanis International dues (\$52/year)  
Kentucky-Tennessee District dues (\$20/year)  
Maryville Kiwanis dues (\$72/year)  
Liability insurance (\$22/year)  
Subscription to Kiwanis International Magazine (\$8/year)

**Meals** \$15/meal, paid quarterly  
Member pays for lunch whether in attendance or not.

## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION PROCESS

Prospective member completes application.  
Prospective member turns in application with check for \$97 to club secretary.  
Board of Directors votes on membership application.  
New member is notified and scheduled for orientation session.  
New member is inducted at a regular Kiwanis meeting

# Kiwanis Club of Maryville

## What Do We Do?



### SERVICE - FUND RAISING/GIVING

- Imagination Library - Contributed 5,200 books per month to young children birth to five years old in Blount County
- Maryville Kiwanis Leadership Adventure Camp - Operated camp for 30 eighth graders
- Maryville Kiwanis Foundation Golf Tournament
- Pancake Breakfast
- Support Second Harvest school backpack program
- Boys and Girls Clubs
- Boy and Girl Scouts

### HANDS-ON

- Members reading with students in Blount County Elementary Schools
- Yearly Clean-up Day at Boys & Girls Club
- Ringing Bells for Salvation Army at Christmas
- Adopt-A-Highway semi-annual clean up

### MEETINGS/PROGRAMS/MEMBERSHIP

- Weekly meetings feature a variety of informational programs from business, political, sports, and educational leaders, local non-profit agencies, as well as topics of historical and scientific interest.

### SERVICE LEADERSHIP PROGRAMS

- Aktion Club
- Circle K at Maryville College
- Key Clubs at Maryville and Heritage High Schools
- Builders' Clubs at Maryville Junior High, Heritage Middle, and Eagleton Middle, and Montgomery Ridge Intermediate Schools

### FUN/SOCIAL

- Quarterly social event

### DIVISION 5 - KIWANIS KENTUCKY-TENNESSEE DISTRICT PARTICIPATION

- Members attended Kentucky-Tennessee Governor's Banquet
- Members attended Division 5 Prayer Dinner
- Conduct numerous inter-clubs with all 10 Kiwanis Clubs in Division 5
- Members attended the Kentucky-Tennessee District Convention
- Maryville Kiwanis Brochure entered in Kentucky-Tennessee District contest

# Maryville Kiwanis



## 2023 - 2024 Officers

President - Wanda Davis  
President-Elect - Jerry Heiny  
Vice President - Blake Mansfield  
Secretary - Heather Larson  
Treasurer - Julie Miller  
Past President - Tom Coulter

## Board of Directors

Katie Beeler Darrell  
Richardson Kent  
Willoughby Tim  
Thurston  
Carl Van Hoozier  
Linda Ullom  
Bobby Perkinson  
Emily Mantooth  
Tom Antkow

## Service Projects

Imagination Library  
Leadership Adventure Camp (one week every summer for 30 youth)  
Adopt-a-Highway (twice per year)  
Reading for Success (weekly readers)  
Salvation Army Bell Ringing (each December)  
Service Leadership Programs - 3 Key Clubs, 4 Builder's Clubs, Circle K Club, Aktion Club

## Community Programs Served (2023-2024 Budget)

Imagination Library	\$65,000
Leadership Adventure Camp	\$16,800
Second Harvest Backpack Program	\$5000
Boys & Girls Club	\$1000
Books for Blount County Library	\$500
Boy Scouts and Girls Scouts	\$2000
Blount County Youth Court	\$1000
Salvation Army - Relatives Raising Kids	\$1000
CASA	\$1000
Key Club Scholarships	\$3000
Newspapers in Education	\$500
<b>TOTAL COMMUNITY SUPPORT</b>	<b>\$96,800</b>

# Why Join Maryville Kiwanis?



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

## **BEST CLUB IN MARYVILLE**

Maryville Kiwanis is over 100 years old! We helped start the Blount Chamber and the Blount County Library.

## **SPONSOR OF BLOUNT COUNTY IMAGINATION LIBRARY**

We have provided over 750,000 books to the children of Blount County. Every child is eligible to receive a book in the mail every month from birth to age 5. Maryville Kiwanis provides 72% of eligible children with books every year.

## **OPPORTUNITY TO GIVE BACK**

You will have the opportunity to make a difference in the lives of children in this community through your support of and work with Maryville Kiwanis.

## **WEEKLY MEETINGS AND MEALS**

We have weekly meetings and meals at Green Meadow Country, costs Club are included in membership.

## **MEMBER OF BLOUNT COUNTY CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**

We are a member of the Blount Chamber of Commerce and as a member of Maryville Kiwanis you are eligible to attend the Chamber activities when you also agree to support the club while at this activity.

## **NETWORKING**

You will have many opportunities to network with other professionals through our weekly meetings, socials, fundraising activities, and volunteer work in the community.

## **GREAT MEETING PROGRAMS**

Every weekly meeting has a program. You hear poignant speakers with various topics, from comedians to WWII Vets, and local dignitaries to well-known football coaches.

## **SOCIAL OUTINGS**

We have FUN! We enjoy going to local breweries, playing corn hole, attending concerts together, touring local manufacturing firms, visiting local historical sites and much more!

## **MONTHLY MAGAZINE AND NEWSLETTER**

As a member, you will receive a monthly copy of our international magazine and our club newsletter.

## **YOUR LIFE WILL BE TOUCHED**

Zig Ziglar said, "If you help enough people get what they want, you will get what you want." You can't help but become a better person for being a part of a great organization doing great work in our community!

## **MEMBERSHIP COST**

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# JUST THE FACTS

## MOTTO

Serving the children of the world

## MEMBERSHIP

438,087 adult and youth members

183,470 adult members

254,617 youth members

## CLUBS

7,860 adult clubs

7,989 youth clubs

## PROFESSIONAL STAFF

103

## SERVICE

- Each year, the Kiwanis family of clubs devote more than 7.3 million hours to service.
- Kiwanis clubs sponsor adult and youth leadership programs, and conduct more than 241,000 projects.
- Kiwanis clubs raise almost US\$340 million.
- The average Kiwanian impacts the lives of 106 children.

## LOCATIONS

82 nations and geographic areas

## ESTABLISHED

1915

## WEBSITE

kiwanis.org

NOTE: Some numbers are rounded.

## KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL

Dedicated to serving the children of the world, this global volunteer organization annually raises almost US\$340 million and dedicates more than 7.3 million hours to strengthen communities and help children. Through service projects and fundraisers, Kiwanis members improve their communities, make lifelong friendships and, most importantly, help children reach their full potential.

## ADULTS

Kiwanis International offers three types of clubs for adults: Kiwanis, Aktion Club and Circle K International. Kiwanis clubs serve their communities through more than 241,000 service projects each year. Aktion Club is the only community service club for adults with disabilities. It provides members with opportunities to become integrated into their communities while developing initiative and leadership skills. CKI is one of the largest student-led collegiate service organizations, with clubs on college and university campuses in 20 nations and geographic areas.

## YOUTH

Kiwanis offers three clubs for youth: Key Club, Builders Club and K-Kids. Key Club is the oldest and largest service organization for teens and teaches leadership through service to others. Builders Club provides students age 11-14 with opportunities to develop leadership skills, improve self-esteem, increase civic engagement and learn life skills through service. K-Kids gives students ages 6-12 opportunities to work together on service projects, develop leadership potential and create strong moral character.

## PROGRAMS




Kiwanis offers programs for students: Terrific Kids, Bring Up Grades and Key Leader. Terrific Kids and Bring Up Grades, both for students age 6-12, teach children to plan, set goals, work with others and celebrate success. Key Leader is a weekend experiential leadership retreat for teens.





#KidsNeedKiwanis

# KIWANIS STATISTICS

438,087 adult and youth members

Adult clubs		MEMBERS	CLUBS	NATIONS/ GEOGRAPHIC AREAS	AUDIENCE
 <b>Kiwanis</b> <sup>®</sup>	<a href="http://kiwanis.org">kiwanis.org</a>	169,269	6,716	82	Adults
	<a href="http://aktionclub.org">aktionclub.org</a>	5,738	564	13	Adults with disabilities
 Circle K International	<a href="http://circlek.org">circlek.org</a>	8,463	580	20	College and university students

Youth clubs		MEMBERS	CLUBS	NATIONS/ GEOGRAPHIC AREAS	AUDIENCE
<b>KEY CLUB</b> <sup>®</sup>	<a href="http://keyclub.org">keyclub.org</a>	204,917	5,877	45	Students age 14-18
	<a href="http://buildersclub.org">buildersclub.org</a>	26,976	1,124	21	Students age 11-14
	<a href="http://k-kids.org">k-kids.org</a>	22,724	988	23	Students age 6-12

## Kiwanis Children's Fund



The Kiwanis Children's Fund raises money and provides grants that amplify Kiwanians' impact on kids' lives — in clubs' communities and a world away. The Children's Fund provides grants that support the Kiwanis causes: health and nutrition, education and literacy and youth leadership development.

[kiwanischildrensfund.org](http://kiwanischildrensfund.org)

## Programs



Academic achievement and character development recognition programs for students age 6-12. [kiwaniskids.org](http://kiwaniskids.org)

## KEY LEADER<sup>®</sup>

A weekend leadership retreat for teens age 14-18.

[key-leader.org](http://key-leader.org)



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[kiwanis.org](http://kiwanis.org)

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## Kiwanis International

**A global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world one child and one community at a time.** Founded in 1915 and is based in Indianapolis, Indiana. There are about 550,000 men and women in over 16,000 adult and youth Kiwanis clubs working in over 80 nations to meet the needs of their communities and pool their resources to deal with worldwide issues, particularly those affecting children.

## Kiwanis Club of Maryville



The Maryville-Alcoa Kiwanis Club was founded on December 29, 1919. It was the first civic club to be organized in Maryville, Tennessee, and the 190th Kiwanis Club in the world. On March 19, 1920 the club's official charter was accepted with 59 members.

**Kiwanis Club of Maryville** is a member of the Kentucky-Tennessee District, Division 5 with about 100 members, dedicated to serving the community and the needs of our youth.

Members are expected to attend meetings, participate in service projects, community fundraisers, serve on club committees, and recruit prospective new members.

***Kiwanis will benefit you. Join us now!  
Reach out, learn more, get involved.  
Kiwanis is ready to welcome you!***

***It takes great members  
to make a great Kiwanis club.***



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## OBJECTS OF KIWANIS

To give primacy to the human and spiritual rather than to the material values of life.

To encourage our 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 and high idealism, which make possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism and good will.



### FOR MORE INFORMATION

Contact Club Secretary Heather Larson at:

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Maryville, Tn. 37801

Phone: 847-421-7422

Email: [kiwanismaryville.tn@gmail.com](mailto:kiwanismaryville.tn@gmail.com)

Website: [www.maryvilletnkiwanis.org](http://www.maryvilletnkiwanis.org)

Meetings every Tuesday at noon

Green Meadow Country Club

1700 Louisville Rd, Alcoa, Tn. 37701



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## ALL ABOUT

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### Why Should You Join Kiwanis?

As a member Kiwanis will benefit you.

Join to make new friends that will last a lifetime; to have fun and experience good fellowship; to become a better informed citizen thanks to great information shared by guest speakers and other members; to have the opportunity for networking if you are a business person; to help children and families in our community; to change the world; to see the face of a child and realize that without you and Kiwanis Club of Maryville that smile would not be there; to bring fresh energy and ideas to Kiwanis.

***Kiwanis is ready to welcome you!***



**Kiwanis Club of Maryville** holds two annual fundraisers, our Pancake Breakfast and our Tee It Up for the Kids Golf Tournament. Funds from these events and donations from our members and citizens are used in support of the following programs:

Adopt-A-Highway, Amtrykes, Big Brothers/Big Sisters, Blount County Elementary School Libraries, Blount County Public Library, Blount County Youth Court, Bottle Cap Benches, Boys & Girls Club, Builders Clubs, CASA, Circle K Club, Dolly Parton's Imagination Library, Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts, Key Clubs, Kiwanis International Foundation, K-T District Kiwanis Foundation, Leadership Adventure Camp, Newspapers in Education, Read for Success, ReUnite, SalvationArmy, Second Harvest Food Bank Back Pack Program.

**Maryville Kiwanis Foundation** has sponsored Imagination Library in Blount County since 2005. We have raised over \$600,000 and mailed over 625,000 books with the goal of improving youth reading performance by providing a free age appropriate reading book to every young child, age birth to five years old each month. We serve about 5200 young children in Blount County (74% of eligible children). Books are purchased from funds raised by Maryville Kiwanis and the Tennessee Governor's Books from Birth Foundation. at a total yearly cost of over \$100,000.



Children may register at birth at Blount Memorial Hospital on a form provided to all new mothers, at the Blount County Public Library, or online at [www.blountimaginationlibrary.org](http://www.blountimaginationlibrary.org).

Children become better readers if we read to them and encourage them to read more, resulting in better school performance at an earlier age.



## SERVING AS PROUD SPONSORS AND SUPPORTERS



**Leadership Adventure Camp** - Since 2003, the Kiwanis Club of Maryville has brought together promising eighth graders from Blount County middle schools for one week each summer to learn leadership skills from local community leaders and club members. These future leaders experience camp activities such as rock climbing, canoeing, hiking, and archery having fun while they learn the importance of leadership and service.



**Kiwanis Aktion Club** - Kiwanis Club of Maryville is proud to sponsor its own Kiwanis Aktion Club which allows local adults living with disabilities to participate in community service projects, gain leadership skills, to serve their community and become more involved in society while demonstrating their dignity and value as citizens.



**Circle K International** - Maryville College's Circle K Club is sponsored jointly by the Kiwanis Club of Maryville and Alcoa Kiwanis. It is self-governing and elects its own officers, conducts its own meetings, and determines its own service activities. Circle K blends community service and leadership training with the opportunity to meet other college students.



**Key Club International** - Maryville High School and Heritage High School Key Clubs are sponsored by the Kiwanis Club of Maryville. Key Club assists Kiwanis in carrying out its mission to serve the children of the world. Student members of Key Club learn leadership skills while performing acts of service in their communities, such as cleaning up parks, collecting clothing and organizing food drives.



**Kiwanis Builders Club** - The Kiwanis Club of Maryville sponsors Builders Clubs at Eagleton Middle School, Heritage Middle School, Maryville Junior High School and Montgomery Ridge Intermediate School. Builders Clubs are student-led community service organizations that operate under school regulations. The members learn leadership skills through planning and implementing service projects.





# NEW MEMBER INFORMATION FORM

To help us support you, please provide the information below. We have clubs for every age and ability, but to become a member of Kiwanis you must be the legal age of adulthood in the state or country where the club is located.

## Member type\*

- New Kiwanis member  
  Former Kiwanis member  
  Current Kiwanis member  
  Transferring Kiwanis member  
 Honorary Kiwanis member  
  Corporate Kiwanis member  
  Former Service Leadership Program member

Former name (returning member whose name has changed) \_\_\_\_\_

## Why do you want to join? (check all that apply)

- To help kids  
  Community involvement  
  Business networking  
  To make friends  
  Leadership skills  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_

Sponsor name(s) \_\_\_\_\_

## Contact information

Prefix:  Mr.    Mrs.    Ms.    Dr.    Rev.    None    Other \_\_\_\_\_

Full legal name\* \_\_\_\_\_ Preferred \_\_\_\_\_

LAST/FAMILY                      FIRST/GIVEN                      MIDDLE

Preferred mailing address\* \_\_\_\_\_

STREET

\_\_\_\_\_  home  work

CITY                      STATE/PROVINCE                      POSTAL CODE

Phone \_\_\_\_\_  home  work  cell

Email \_\_\_\_\_  home  work

## Background information

Spouse/Partner name \_\_\_\_\_

Number of children at home ages: 0-5 \_\_\_\_\_ 6-12 \_\_\_\_\_ 12-15 \_\_\_\_\_ 15-18 \_\_\_\_\_ 19-21 \_\_\_\_\_

Birthday MO. / DAY / YEAR \_\_\_\_\_ Gender \_\_\_\_\_ Date joining club\* \_\_\_\_\_

Languages spoken \_\_\_\_\_

Corporate boards or community groups you serve with or on \_\_\_\_\_

Philanthropic interests or charities you donate to \_\_\_\_\_

Hobbies you enjoy \_\_\_\_\_

\*REQUIRED

**Primary employment** (check one, most recent employment if unemployed or retired)

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|--|--|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture/Forestry/Fishing    | <input type="checkbox"/> Banking/Finance/Insurance | <input type="checkbox"/> Communications/Media/Marketing   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Construction/Extraction         | <input type="checkbox"/> Education/Training        | <input type="checkbox"/> Government/Public Administration |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Manufacturing                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Legal                     | <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality/Food services        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Healthcare                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Non-Profit                | <input type="checkbox"/> Maintenance                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Real Estate/Property Management | <input type="checkbox"/> Religion                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Science                          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Transportation/Warehousing      | <input type="checkbox"/> Wholesale/Retail          | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____                      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> IT/Tech                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Funeral/Death services    | _____   |

Name of current employer (most recent employer if unemployed or retired) \_\_\_\_\_

**Job classification** (check one)

- |                                       |   |  |
|---------------------------------------|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Elected      | <input type="checkbox"/> Sales                  | <input type="checkbox"/> Freelance/Contract work |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Professional | <input type="checkbox"/> Retired                | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Technical    | <input type="checkbox"/> Partner/Owner          | _____  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Management   | <input type="checkbox"/> Support/Administrative | _____  |

**Highest education attained** (check one)

- |  |   |  |
|--|---|--|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Primary/Grade School    | <input type="checkbox"/> Secondary/High School        | <input type="checkbox"/> Tech/Business School        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Vocational/Trade school | <input type="checkbox"/> Assoc. Degree (2 yrs.)       | <input type="checkbox"/> College/University (4 yrs.) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Masters Degree          | <input type="checkbox"/> Graduate/Professional Degree |  |

Degree(s) earned \_\_\_\_\_

**Skill sets/Training** (check all that apply)

- |  |   |   |
|--|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Professional graphic design | <input type="checkbox"/> Videography/Film | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Relations             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Photography                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Social media     | <input type="checkbox"/> Professional writing/editing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Strategic planning          | <input type="checkbox"/> CPA/Accounting   | <input type="checkbox"/> Fundraising                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Event planning              | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth mentoring  | <input type="checkbox"/> Political experience         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Grant writing               | <input type="checkbox"/> Legal degree     | <input type="checkbox"/> Recruitment                  |

By completing this application for membership, I agree to conform to the bylaws of this club and comply with the obligations of membership as explained to me by my sponsor. In the United States, US\$8 of a member's annual dues and fees is applied to a Kiwanis magazine subscription. Additional membership dues and fees will be charged.

Signature\* \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

*Thanks and welcome!*

