



WILD ROSE K-NEWS

Wild Rose Kiwanis - PO Box 138 - Wild Rose, WI 54984

Save the Date - What's On Tap for Our Club

- \Tue, Aug 4 Welcome Ashley Podoll from SYNC & Family Business Meeting
- Wed, Aug 12 Interclub Visit to Ripon Early Birds
- Tue, Aug 18 Speaker from Guardians of the Children, well-known non-profit motorcycle organization
- Tue, Aug 18 Join Berlin Kiwanis for Berlin Farmers & Artists Market (anytime between 4-7 PM)
- Tue, Aug 25 8:00 AM - Board Meeting
- Tue, Aug 25 5 PM - Kiwanis Potluck Gathering in Roberts Park

Oh, What a Beautiful Morning

by Gordon MacRae

There's a bright, golden haze on the meadow
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Sunflowers as high as an elephant's eye
And it looks like it's climbing clear up to the sky
Oh, what a beautiful mornin'
Oh, what a beautiful day
I've got a beautiful feelin'
Everything's goin' my way



AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

Jennifer Koepl Aug 1

Polly Bigler Aug 3

Jan Klicka Aug 9

Kent Barnard Aug 19

Kiwanis Notes to Self



Proof the best things in life are free.

- ♥ Sunrises
- ♥ Sunsets
- ♥ Hugs
- ♥ Conversations
- ♥ Love
- ♥ Waking up
- ♥ Nature
- ♥ Laughter



Who's On-Deck for snacks?

Aug 4 Donna Hoffman

Aug 18 Diane Pinter

Sept 1 Ruth Caves

Sept 15 Sue Zuege

Oct 6 Dawn Wright



the Kiwanis® POSSIBILITY PROJECT



Every Kiwanian joins our organization for one simple reason—to improve the lives of children. Whether we're building playgrounds, supporting literacy, mentoring students, or providing meals for families, our service begins at the local level. But through the Kiwanis Children's Fund, we also have the opportunity to extend our impact far beyond our own communities.

That opportunity is called The Kiwanis Possibility Project.

The Possibility Project is the first global fundraising campaign dedicated exclusively to supporting Kiwanis clubs and the children they serve. Its ambitious goal is to raise US\$25 million by September 2028, providing enough funding to positively impact the lives of 10 million children around the world. Remarkably, the Children's Fund estimates that just US\$2.25 can help address the needs of one child through grants and programs supported by the fund.

The need has never been greater. Around the world, children face hunger, struggle with literacy, lack access to educational opportunities, and often need caring mentors to help them realize their potential. Kiwanis clubs are already responding to these challenges every day, but requests for assistance continue to grow. The Possibility Project ensures that more clubs have the resources they need to launch new service projects, expand existing programs, and respond to emerging needs in their communities.

One of the greatest strengths of the Kiwanis Children's Fund is that it transforms donations into action.

Through grants, the fund supports projects that improve children's health and nutrition, promote literacy and education, develop future leaders through Service Leadership Programs, and provide opportunities for children to thrive regardless of where they live. Every gift helps extend the reach of Kiwanis service.

The campaign also reminds us of the incredible power of our global Kiwanis family. Nearly 180,000 Kiwanis members in 85 countries share the same commitment to serving children. Imagine the impact if every member and every club contributed in a meaningful way. Together, our collective generosity can create opportunities that no single club could accomplish alone.

Clubs can participate in many ways. Some choose to make annual gifts from their treasury, while others organize community fundraisers or encourage individual member donations. Larger commitments can even earn recognition as an Impact Club, celebrating clubs that make an extraordinary investment in the future of children.

The Possibility Project isn't simply about raising dollars—it's about raising hope. Every contribution, regardless of size, helps provide children with healthier lives, stronger educational opportunities, and brighter futures. It is a reminder that when Kiwanians work together, possibilities become realities.

As we continue serving our own communities, let's also remember the children whose lives can be transformed through the Kiwanis Children's Fund. Together, we can make the impossible possible—one child, one project, and one act of generosity at a time.

Did you know?

- Goal: Raise \$25 million by September 2028.
- Impact: Improve the lives of 10 million children.
- Reach: Supports Kiwanis service in 85 countries.
- Purpose: Funds grants that help clubs expand service to children through health, education, literacy, and leadership initiatives.



"Possibility begins the moment someone chooses to believe in a child. Every gift, every act of service, and every Kiwanian helps turn possibility into opportunity."