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Upcoming Club Social Opportunities

KAD (Kiwanis after Dark Social)

KAD meetings will be on the 2nd and 4th Tuesday of each month. We meet at 5:00 pm at Old Chicago, 3550 So. Wadsworth Blvd., Lakewood, CO.

Upcoming KAD

July	27
Aug	10

Upcoming Social Lunch

We will be meeting on the 1st and 3rd Friday each month at 12:00 pm at 4 G's restaurant. **Upcoming Lunch Meetings**

Aug 20

Weekly Wednesday Meeting 6:45 4G's

(Come early for coffee and to visit) Meeting Agenda 6:30 Meeting prep 6:45 Social 7:00 Meeting 8:00 Adjourn -There will be no buffet breakfast, but we will be provided a breakfast burrito, coffee, and juice.

Link for signup and reporting hours

https://ldrv.ms/u/s!AmqIjCMvcgzqfCuBt2yjo1TblRE? e=JiPNp0

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Kiwanis Club of Columbine

Weekly Newsletter for July 28, 2021

This Week's Presenters are Tom Powis & Will Knoblauch **Topic "Kiwanis International Conference Overview"**

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





July 28 Dean & Alanna Larsen

July 28 Brad Bradbury

Upcoming Club Programs

	Aug 04 Darcey VanWagner "Osher Lifelong Learning Institute (OLLI)" p?			
	Aug 11 "Kiwanis District Meeting Overview"			
	Aug 18 Allison Taggart "Integrated Family Community Services (IFCS)" p			
	Aug 25 Rod Hunley "Genealogy" (p)			
	Future Club Events and Service Projects			
	July 27	Tue	KAD Old Chicago 5:00 – George	
	July 29	Thu	Sheridan Food Pantry	
	July 30	Fri	Kiwanis Interclub Meeting	
	Aug 04	Wed	Action Center Food Bank - Ken/Abe	
Aug 05-08 District Convention Gering, Nebraska		District Convention Gering, Nebraska		
	Aug 10	Tue	KAD Old Chicago 5:00 – George	
	Aug 15		Rock and Roll Car Show - Carl M.	
	Aug 20	Fri	Social Lunch- Ken/Tom M	
	Sept 13	Mon	Kiwanis Blood Drive – Tom D	
	Sep 16	Thu	District Kiwanis Dinner	
	Oct 01-02		Street Outlaws - Carl M.	
	Nourish Meals on Wheels (Please check your availability)			
	July 28	Wed	Terri and Cleve McKinney	
	July 29	Thu	Russ and Jane Jackson	
	Aug 02	Mon	Les & Mary Burns and Sally Kingman	
	Aug 03	Tue	Riggs and Bobbi Smith	
	Aug 04	Wed	Terri and Cleve McKinney	
	Aug 05	Thu	Will Knoblauch and Bill Duddleson	
	Aug 09	Mon	Mike Greunke and Ron Routh	
	Aug 11	Wed	Terri and Cleve McKinney	
	Aug 12	Thu	Rod and Karen Hunley	
	Aug 13	Fri	Russ and Jane Jackson	
	Aug 16	Mon	Jan and Jerry Clayton	
	Aug 17	Tue	Riggs and Bobbi Smith	
	Aug 18	Wed	Terri and Cleve McKinney	
	Aug 19	Thu	Ken Sweet and Jim Foley	
	Aug 23	Mon	Jerry and Jan Clayton	
	Aug 25	Wed	Terri and Cleve McKinney	
	Aug 26	Thu	The Denny Brehm Family	

Robin Scurto Clark Morrell Dominick Breton

Great Start for Bandimere Fundraising

If the preliminary results of the first two fundraising events at Bandimere Speedway are any indicator, this should be a profitable year for this fundraising effort. As a result of the hard work of the members who have volunteered for these first two events this July has the appearance of being a tremendous benefit for the Kiwanis Club of Columbine Foundation.

This is only the beginning, and we have a ways to go yet but the preliminary numbers are impressive. At the Mile High National ("MHN") event this year we received over \$1,850, nearly 50% more that our previous highest amount collected at MHN in 2018. This is a testament to the outstanding and friendly service



provided by our members to the event attendees. The amount of tips receive at the Jet Car/Firework event on July 3rd was not the highest for this event but it was consistent with previous years.

Our commission from Bandimere for these two events will not be known until sometime in August. Typically, nearly one third of our income comes from tips, so this bodes well for our final numbers. We have two more opportunities to put our best foot forward, KBPI Rock n Roll Car Show on August 15 and the Street Outlaws event on October 1 & 2.

Thanks to all who volunteered for all their time and efforts getting this fundraising season off to a successful start!

Carl Mulay

Leawood Food Distribution Thanks

Dear Carolyn and Partners, (that includes us)

Please allow me to thank you all on behalf of the Jeffco Schools Foundation, our schools, and our students. We appreciate your partnership and your support. I have spoken with a number of the summer principals and school staff, and they are all so very grateful for the support for their students and families this summer.

Wishing you all a wonderful rest of your summer!

In partnership and with gratitude, Angela

Angela Baber

Executive Director Jeffco Schools Foundation C: 720-272-0285

Invest in Jeffco Schools Foundation! Sign-Up for the JSF Newsletter!

Sharing with Sheridan

Hello Friends,

I have learned that Sharing with Sheridan (the food bank) needs some extra volunteers this summer, as many of their regulars are going on vacation. They are very thankful for the guys that volunteer in the morning. (You make us proud!)

They would like a few more hands for Distribution, 2:00-5:00, each Thursday. I think Distribution is the most fun part. Please sign up on OneDrive, or you can call me (especially for this week, so I can let them know).

Thank you for your consideration. - Ruthann

Help Wanted

We need helping seting up for the meetings; the banner, the flag, the projector, the screen, plus more. Don't hesitate to ask how you can help. At the end of the meeting we do need help putting thing away.



Action Center School Supplies Packaging and Distribution

This is a fun event which is even better when we do a group. The project takes place at Stevens Elementary on 38th Ave and Teller St. Packing dates are August 2, 3, and 4. I would suggest August 3 which is a Tuesday as a good first choice. The shifts 10:00 to 12:00 Distribution will take place at the same location on August 9, 10, 11 or 13. Again I would suggest Tuesday 8/10 or Friday 8/13 these shifts are already partly full. The shift times for distribution are 8:30 to 12:15. Let me know if you can send a few people. I will sign up over the weekend. I hope to get at least 10 people. Contact Barbara directly or Ken, he will put you in contact with her.

Barb Fuller Main: 303-237-7704 Direct: 720-407-6689 theactioncenter.org

Meeting Sound System

We had problems with our sound system for the last two meetings. 4G's had changed his stereo system and the new setting were not

compatible with our speaker system. Fortunately, we had some member that stepped up and have fixed the problem. The two Toms have it now working, but we will not be sure until we test it at a meeting. - Ken



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Jeffco Early Summer Learning (JESL) Program

Hi JSEL Partners, (that us)

This was a great program coordinated by Action Center, IFCS, and 8 other agencies to bring food to the schools during the summer. Columbine Kiwanis worked with our friends at The Action center and IFCS. It is great to see this groups working together.

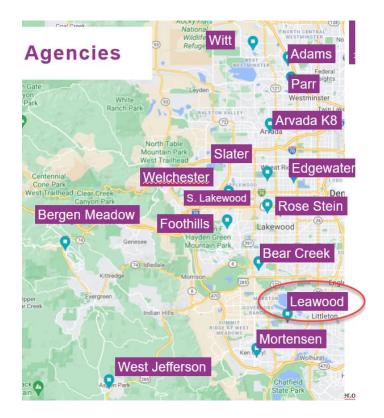
I put together a PowerPoint summary of our efforts and want to make sure I've captured all of your voices before finalizing. I will trim this down to a smaller version for wider distribution to the school district and other agency/community leaders. for our documentation purposes, I've put in a fair amount of detail on lessons learned.

Please let me know if you have additional feedback, observations, benefits, lessons learned etc. that should be included.

Thanks again for all of your amazing help and support!

Carolyn Alexander

Senior Director of Operations Email: <u>calexander@theactioncenter.org</u> Main: 303-237-7704 Direct: 720-407-6689 <u>theactioncenter.org</u>



Head Start School Linseed Oil Program

The Belmar Kiwanis Club with the help of Columbine and Alameda West Kiwanis applied linseed oil to the playground equipment at a Head Start School.



Last Week's Columbine Kiwanis Meeting

Attendance for July 21 was 42 members. Speaker: Gerald Forney (Friendship Force-Spoke about his trip through the Balkans with his wife) Guest: Brian Dillon and Scott Story. Scott and Brian also have

turned in application to become members.

Friendship Force

Gerry gave an interesting presentation base on his train trip; "Balkan Railroad Adventure". He is a member and president of Friendship Force Denver. They take a lot of interesting trips around the world, usually visiting and staying with families.

For more information contact Gerry.



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The Columbine Kiwanis are once again sponsoring the quarterly blood drive on September 13th at the Riverwalk Clubhouse located at 2751 W. Riverwalk Circle.

There are three ways to sign up for the September 13th Blood Drive: ON-LINE:

- 1. Go to www.Vitalant.org
- 2. Click on "Donate Now"
- 3. Click on "MY Location"
- 4. Enter date -09/13/2021
- 5. Click on "GO"
- 6. Click on "Kiwanis of Columbine"
- 7. Click on "See Times"
- 8. Choose and click on the time convenient for you
- 9. Enter your email address and password for Vitalant*
- 10. Click on "Confirm appointment"

*If you do not create an account with Vitalant you will be asked to set one up. If you do Vitalant will notify you when your donation is used.

To improve your experience, you are encouraged to pick a time and sign up before 9/13. You will then receive a questionnaire that morning. To help us to stay on schedule, please complete this before arrival as it expedites the check-in process.

Telephone:

Alterative sign up is to call 303-363-2300. You will be asked where and when you want to sign-up for your donation. Give them this code 0572 and the time you would like to donate.

Walk-ins are always welcome. - Tom Durkin

Lorna Herbaly Memorial

Lorna was a longtime friend of Columbine Kiwanis. She was famous for the pies that she brought to the Christmas party.

Would you please let the Kiwanis club know that Mom's memorial service will be Tue Aug 25 at 10:30 AM at Columbine United Church, 6375 S. Platte Canyon Rd., Littleton, Colorado 80120.

Thank you.

Dave Herbaly Cell 303-916-5412 Email <u>DHerbaly@AOL.com</u>

Kiwanis Inter-Club Meeting

Our club received this email into our general information email inbox, and it relates to a visit by KI President to the RMD. The RSVP info is in the email if you would like to attend. Rod Hunley Kiwanis Club of Columbine

Please share with your club! We'd love to have you join us. July 30 - Noon



Please RSVP here: <u>http://evite.me/hPTCttsV7X</u>

Join us for a Kiwanis Inter-Club meeting with Art Riley, Kiwanis International President during his visit to The Great Rocky Mountain District. Hear from Art on KI initiatives and a District Updated from Governor Bob!

This will be a buffet lunch meeting sponsored by the South Denver Kiwanis Club! We are requesting attendees (& others interested in supporting) make donations to the Rocky Mountain District Foundation.

Donations will be accepted in cash, checks made out to Kiwanis Rocky Mountain District Foundation or via PayPal: paypal.me/SouthDenverKiwanis

2021 District Convention! <u>Registration will open</u> <u>June 14</u> August 5-8 Open to ALL Members



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Action Center - We Need Hygiene Items

We are in need of those everyday items that so many of us take for granted, yet so many of our neighbors in need ask for the most.

Help us restock our shelves by collecting some of our most requested items, such as toilet paper, large diapers (sizes 4-6), shampoo, conditioner, deodorant, razors, toothpaste, feminine hygiene items, bar soap, and more!

We do ask that these items are new and sealed, but we will gladly take hotel, travel, and regular size packages.

You can save time and shop online from our <u>Amazon Smile</u> <u>Wishlist!</u> Double your good when you shop on Amazon Smile and purchase items for the Action Center from our Wishlist!

Or challenge your friends, neighbors, and items to bring these items to your next BBQ, picnic, or community gathering! Sign-up to host a donation drive!

THE ACTION CENTER'S Amazon Wishlist

Kiwanis After Dark -

Our next Kiwanis After Dark Social will be held tomorrow, Tuesday, July 27. As usual, it will start at 5pm at Old Chicago at 3550 S Wadsworth Blvd. Kiwanis members, family, friends, and neighbors are all welcome. Hope to see you there. Get to know your fellow Kianians better, or introduce a friend to our club - it's a great social time.

George Kinzer