

Kiwanis Club of Columbine

Weekly Newsletter for September 18, 2024

This Week's Topic Fraud Prevention "Let's Talk Fraud"

Pledge: Mary Rome Invocation: Lane Andrew

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



Sept 20 Ken & Peggy Sweet

Sept 22 Frank Novatski

Sept 24 Will Knoblauch

Upcoming Club Programs

Sept 25	Installation Officers	Kristy Tolan -Lt Gov Div 5
Oct 02	Jessica Jones	What the Tech.
Oct 09	Rick Sutton	Student of the Month
Oct 16	Ken Sweet	Presidential Visions
Oct 23	Lance Willians	Prin – Ken Caryl MS

Future Club Events and Service Projects

Sept 17	Tue	Satellite Club – George
Sept 19	Thu	Sharing with Sheridan - Ferris
Sept 21	Sat	Kiwanis Pancake Breakfast – Will / Geri
Sept 22	Sun	Second Wind Fund – Jim R
Sept 23	Mon	Kiwanis Blood Drive – Tom D
Sept 24	Tue	Kiwanis After Dark Old Chicago 5:00 PM
Sept 28-29		Kiwanis leadership training - Ken
Sept 30	Mon	Project Cure
Oct 04-05		F&S Write Stuff Packing

Nourish Meals on Wheels

Sept 18	Wed	Terri & Cleve McKinney
Sept 19	Thu	Will Knoblauch & Ron Routh
Sept 20	Fri	Abe Baltazar & Logan MacMillan
Sept 23	Mon	Mary Rome & Ferris Forar
Sept 25	Wed	Terri & Cleve McKinney
Sept 26	Thu	Gene & Chris Clark
Sept 27	Fri	Janet Woodhull & Nancy Bierman
Sept 30	Mon	Ken Sweet / Erin Hachfort /Sandy Legge?

Club Officers:

President	Will Knoblauch
President Elect	Tom McEwen
Secretary	Abe Baltazar
Treasurer	Ruthann Moomy
Past President	Tom Powis

Directors:

2022-2024: Susan Markley, Jerry Clayton & Scott Storey

2023-2025: Jim Roos, Logan MacMillan, Ferris Forar

Past Governor	Dawn Ignatius
District Governor	Ann Stelling
District Governor-Elect	Kathy Williams
District Treasurer	Jim Ignatius
Division 5 Lt. Governor	Kristy Tolan
Executive Director/Secretary	Josephine Young

Membership Dues are \$42.00 per month including meeting breakfasts.

Guest and Interclub Breakfasts are \$11.00 each, payable to the Treasurer.

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Send your articles to the co-editors, Ken Sweet or Jim Foley, at

news@columbinekiwanis.org

New Membership Contacts:

Dave Devanney or Ken Sweet

info@columbinekiwanis.org

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Attendance Last Meeting

At our meeting on Sept 11

Total attendance: 39

At our satellite group meeting Sept 03

Total attendance:07

Wednesday Meeting in person

6:45 Social, 7:00 Meeting

4G's Restaurant

5950 S Platte Canyon Rd, Littleton, CO 80123

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Link for signups and reporting hours

[Project Signup Sheets](#)

Club Internet Site: www.columbinekiwanis.org

RMD Internet Site: <https://k24.site.kiwanis.org/>

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Columbine Kiwanis You Tube - <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCmLiXFeAF2tycnLwJTfd3w>

Club Email Address info@ColumbineKiwanis.org

Columbine Kiwanis, PO Box 620243 Littleton, CO 80162

Club Facebook site <http://www.facebook.com/ColumbineKiwanis>

Blood Donations

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 23

9:00 A.M. - 1:00 P.M.

RIVERWALK CLUBHOUSE

2751 W RIVERWALK CIRCLE, LITTLETON

To schedule your blood donation, please visit donors.vitalant.org and search using Blood Drive Code: 5068 or select the link below:

<https://donors.vitalant.org/dwp/portal/dwa/appointment/guest/phl/ti/meSlotsExtr?token=ivmMbU%2FVYEQqkEYtc3fahC4afDKOufnF6PhkUqCYaCQ%3D>



Do you have extra magazines?

I wondered if any members had old magazines that they wanted to get rid of. I use them when I homeschool my kids for arts, geography, and history lessons. It could be magazines of any type or from any year. Also wondering if any members had old bicycles, they wanted to get rid of. Nothing fancy is needed. We recently bought a new bike for my oldest son and it was stolen. So, we want to get him and his siblings some used bikes that won't be a target. - Lane

ProjectCURE

Monday, September 30 at 9:30am to Noon. Carpooling is available at 9am from 4Gs parking lot.

Satellite Group

Hi, Kiwanians -The Satellite Group will meet next Tuesday, **September 17th at 12:30 PM** at the Columbine Library. Our guest speaker will be Joel Cuthbert, with a review of property tax, including the senior exemption. - Charlie Boyer

SWS

On a warm and sunny Thursday, we served 198 families (670 neighbors). - Stephanie

Newsletter Help

Jim Foley and I have been co-editors of the Columbine Kiwanis Newsletter for 10 years. We need help. I am proud of the newsletter, but we need some new ideas.

We do get articles from many of our members but could use more help.

I would like someone to take over the newsletter editor. I would provide as much overlap as you want. I find that I am not as careful with my editing and too many errors are creeping in. I think it is due to climate change.

Advantages:

1. You get to ask a lot of questions.
2. You can take pictures at any events.
3. It helps keep up with what is happening.

Let me know if you are interested in helping. - Ken

The Write Stuff

Link to signup:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/4090B4BAFAE2FA1FF2-51340165-2024>

We will be packing the supplies on **October 4, 5** on Otto's driveway. Shifts will be from **9-12 and 1-4 on Friday**, then just **9-12 on Saturday** if needed. The Otto's Address is 1035 S. Butler Way, Lakewood, CO.

When you contact your schools, you can let them know what we will be delivering in January.

Pre-K, Kindergarten - crayons, 5 pencils, 2 glue sticks
Grades 1, 2 - crayons, 5 pencils, 2 glue sticks, 1 headphone
Grades 3, 6 - colored pencils, 5 pencils, 2 glue sticks, 1 headphone

This year we are doing 14 schools - 3 new ones! Can one of your clubs pick up Westgate and Foothills? Please let Barb and I know so we don't contact them twice.

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Kiwanis Division Notes

- The Write Stuff packing day will be Oct 4-5.
- Key Leader is Sept 27-29 in Casper, WY at the Lyons Cam
- Estes Park at the YMCA camp
- September 28-29 is the Rocky Mountain Board Meetings. September 28 AM will be the 2023-2024 board meeting with Ann Stilling. From 1:00 - 2:15 will be Club Coach Training. Club membership chairs, Club Leadership and future Kiwanis Leaders are encouraged to attend. From 2:30 - 4:00 will be Crating your Membership Plan workshop to board and any interested Kiwanis member.

Second Wind Fund

Kiwanians as a reminder, the Second Wind Fund will be holding their annual Run/Walk Fundraiser at Clement Park Sept 22. Columbine Kiwanians have been volunteering to help direct cars for many years and we look forward to helping prevent teen suicide again this year. Please sign up to volunteer. We usually meet at 7 am and are done by 11 or 12. They usually feed us too!

For more information contact Jim Roos



Kiwanis Training Opportunity

You've been invited!

All membership Chairs, Club officers, and interested Club members are invited to attend.

Saturday, September 28 from 1:00-4:00pm

Workshops will be held at Red Rocks Community College, in the Grays/Torreys conference rooms: 13300 W 6th Ave, Lakewood, CO 80228

1:00-2:15: Club Coach Training

Learn how to help your club develop long-term goals for service and membership, while helping to monitor member engagement.

2:15- 2:30: Break

2:30-4:00: Creating Your Membership Plan

Develop a systematic approach to recruiting and retaining members.

Key Leader Program

The upcoming Key Leader training will be held at Estes Park - YMCA of the Rockies camp, during **October 4-6, 2024**. The excellent training will only Cost \$50 per participant. The Kiwanis Rocky Mountain District covers the other costs, from donations & grants. The high school participants do not need to be Key Club members to attend. Please encourage students to sign up.

If you need more information about this event let me know and I will forward the flyer to you. – Ken

Mouth Watering!!!

Pancake Breakfast Update

Presales by the numbers:

- 95 tickets sold
- 9 ads sold
- 13 product and gift card donors
- Total presales dollars \$2,000



- **THIS SATURDAY IS OUR BIG EVENT!!** Please sign up to volunteer if you are available and haven't signed up yet – or just show up and we will put you to work! If you can't volunteer, please come and join us for the fun – There will be a lot happening besides the breakfast. Bring your kids and grandkids and enjoy the fun. Hopefully the weather will cooperate.
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- This is your last chance to buy tickets before the event – reach out to Will Knoblauch if you want any tickets.
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- **OUR EVENT DAY WALK THROUGH REHEARSAL IS THIS WEDNESDAY IMMEDIATELY AFTER OUR REGULAR MEETING AT 4GS. PLEASE ATTEND THE MEETING AND STAY FOR THE REHEARSAL RIGHT AFTER (about 30 minutes)**

@Columbine_Kiwanis_Breakfast



venmo

If you, or someone you are working with wants to pay for tickets or a placement ad using Venmo this QRC makes it pretty easy. If asked for a numeric code use 4917. We also accept old school payment methods of cash and check.