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#### **Attendance Last Meeting**

At our meeting June 04 Total attendance - 44 Guests: 4 Volunteer hours for May: 902 Program Riggs Smith -"Interesting people of Colorado" Thanks for your help with the Blood Drive - Tom

Wednesday Meeting in person 6:45 Social, 7:00 Meeting

4G's Restaurant

5950 S Platte Canvon Rd, Littleton, CO 80123

**Satellite Meeting** Next Meeting: Tuesday, June 17, 12:30 PM Colorado Credit Union building, 10026 W. San Juan Way

Links for signups and reporting hours Scan QR or click on link



**PROJECTS SIGN UP** 

**VOLUNTEER 4HOURS Please report hours** 

## **Kiwanis Club of Columbine**

Weekly Newsletter for June 11, 2025

This Week's Presenter is TBD **Topic: Social & Project Discussions** 

**Pledge: Kathy Athens** 

Invocation:

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





June 11 Hazel & George Kinzer

June 12 Kerry Urbaniak

#### Upcoming Club Programs June 18 TBD

#### Future Club Events and Service Projects

Jun 10	Tue	Kiwanis after Dark - George / Abe 303 Sports Bar 5:00
Jun 12	Thu	Sharing with Sheridan – Ferris
Jun 17	Tue	Satellite Club – Charlie – Colorado Credit Union
Jun 24	Tue	Kiwanis after Dark - George / Abe 303 Sports Bar 5:00
Jun 25-28		International Kiwanis Convention
Jun 30	Mon	Project CURE- George
Jul 01	Tue	Satellite Club – Charlie – Colorado Credit Union
July 3	Thu	Re, White and You – Mike Gruenke
Jul 04	Fri	4th July Party- Mike & Cindy
July 08	Tue	Kiwanis After Dark
		Satellite Club – Charlie – Colorado Credit Union
July 22		Kiwanis After Dark
Aug 15-1	7	District Convention - Ken
Nourish Meals on Wheels (Note – check with master list)		
Jun 11	Wed	Will Knoblauch & Ferris Forar
Jun 12	Thu	Jim Foley and Ken Sweet
Jun 13	Fri	Mel & Julie Roghair
Jun 16	Mon	Gene & Chris Clark
Jun 17	Tue	Riggs & Bobbi Smith
Jun 18	Wed	Rick Sutton & Logan MacMillan
Jun 19	Thu	Scott Story & Ken Sweet
Jun 20	Fri	Janet Woodhull & Nancy Bierman
Jun 23	Mon	Jerry & Jan Clayton
Jun 25	Wed	Steve & Debbie Barnes
Jun 26	Thu	
Jun 27	Fri	Abe Baltazar & ??? (need help)
Jun 30	Mon	Ruthanne Moomy & Mary Rome

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### 4th of July party on the 4th

Mike and Cindy Tanner will be hosting a 4th of July party on Friday the 4th. The fireworks will be shot off on the 4th. Come about 6:00 and stay for the fireworks.

This year bring your own food, eating utensils, and chairs. Mike and Cindy will provide drinks, BUT it is good to bring drinks to share. Mike will provide a large cake for dessert. It is not a potluck this year.

If you choose to, bring a nonperishable item to donate to a local food bank. - Ken



#### Sad News - from Dave Devanney

It is with a heavy heart that I inform you that yesterday I lost the love of life. We went to the hospital for a somewhat risky procedure to biopsy an abnormality in one of Linda's lungs.

During the procedure they began to see significant bleeding that was collecting in her lung.

They were unable to find the source of the bleeding to stop it. They began blood transfusions and other emergency procedures. Eventually her heart stopped and she lost blood to her brain.

Despite many hours of work by her medical team, we finally had to let her go. Our family has begun the grieving process and asks your understanding in the days to come. We will be planning a memorial service at a later date.

For those who wish to honor Linda's memory, please consider a donation to the Friends of the Highlands Ranch Senior Center.

### **Project Cure**



**Red White and You Beer** 

I invite you to sign up for "Red White and You beer serving" at SignUpGenius!. Julu 3 5:00PM-93:PM

Friends and adult family members are eligible. About 30 or more volunteers needed to staff two beer locations. Event includes free concert and fireworks show. NOTE: This is a fundraiser. Parking passes will be provided if desired. Let me know of questions. Mike Greunke. 303-809-4716.

https://www.signupgenius.com/go/5080D4EAEAF2FA1FF2-57067194-redwhite

**NOTE:** this is a separate Sign-on-genius than our normal one.

 VOLUNTEER
 Columbine Kiwanis

 Bed White and You beer
 Serving

 Please review the available slots below and click on the button
 to sign up. Thank you!

 Date: 07/03/2025 (Thu.)
 Time: 5:00pm - 9:30pm MDT

 Location: Clement Park near amphitheater
 Created by: Mike Greunke X

Dave Devanney

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### Sheridan Food Bank

This past Thursday, more of our neighbors were willing to risk being caught in a thunderstorm; we served 184 families (600 neighbors). For the coming week, we can use

- dry pasta
- peanut butter
- jelly

We continue to be well-stocked with plastic bags and egg cartons currently.

Thank you, Stephanie

### Thanks

We have so many things to be grateful for, but do we ever thank people. If you want to thank someone in the newsletter let me know, I will add it here.





This week I want to thank the speaker chairperson.

Please thank her in person or by email. She can use suggestions for speakers. Many of us have had interesting careers, perhaps it would be interesting to the club.

How many in the club have met face to face with Bedouins carrying AK47s. Is there a story there. Ken

## International Kiwanis Convention

The International Kiwanis convention is in Pittsburgh this year. If you plan to go let me know. There will be some important votes. - Ken



# Columbine Kiwanis Meeting Schedule

Regular Meeting Every week Wed 6:45 AM 4G's Restaurant Satellite meeting 1st-3rd Tuesday 12:30 Colorado Credit Union

#### Kiwanis after Dark

2nd and 4th Tuesday 5:00 PM 303 Sports Grill

### 2025 DISTRICT CONVENTION:

**Estimated Cost**: \$225 per member **Date:** August 15-17, 2025 **Location:** Denver Tech Center area

Join us for our biggest Kiwanis event of the year! Connect with fellow members from around the district, celebrate your achievements, and get inspired to serve the children of the world.

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