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President's Corner

Happy New Year!

We had an exciting month of December to say the least. We served 20 families in need by wrapping presents at Britta's house and then delivering them. Britta works so hard on this project throughout the year and the families who receive the food donations and gifts for their children are always so grateful. We also participated in Riverside Discovery Center's Wild Lights event on December 21st by hosting milk and cookies with Santa. Kevin Mooney's son-in-law graciously donated his time by playing Santa for us. There was enough interest from the community that we held two readings of the book that each child received in addition to the milk and cookies. We are already looking ahead to December 2026 and how we can grow this event with Riverside Discovery Center into an even bigger event.

Our committees are in full swing ensuring that we reach our Distinguished Club status for this Kiwanis year. The Membership Committee has submitted our membership plan to Kiwanis International. The Crabby Tax Committee is working hard to get us organized for another successful event. This is what we are submitting as our signature project for this Kiwanis year. They will soon be asking for members to sign up to help on April 18th. The Golf Scramble Committee will be meeting soon to begin planning our scholarship event for the Foundation. As we look ahead to Spring, the Playground Committee will be looking at the Kiwanis Playground and making plans as to how we can work together with the City of Scottsbluff to make repairs and improvements. Finally, the Fundraiser/Service Project Committee will compile a current list of all of our events and also to new ideas for how we can expand our work in serving children and their community. I am looking forward to a report from each committee at our next meeting on January 8th. Cinda has planned for Tammy Frye to present about the Scottsbluff County Diversion and family support programs at our January 22nd meeting.

We have so many positive things going on, and we are continuing to look for new ways to be involved. I am excited to continue to serve with all of you in 2026!

May this new year bring blessings to you all,

Angie Aguallo
25-26 President

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JANUARY CALENDAR

				1 Gretchen Foster Club Anniversary	2	3
4	5	6	7	8 Kiwanis Meeting 6pm; updates and committee reports	9	10
11	12	13	14 Shaina Stricker Club Anniversary	15	16	17
18	19 Kiwanis Board Meeting 6pm	20	21	22 Kiwanis Meeting 6pm; Tammy Frye Scb Co. Diversion and family support	23	24
25 Shaina Stricker Birthday	26	27	28	29	30	31

MISSION

Kiwanis helps kids around the world. Local clubs look out for our communities and the international organization takes on large-scale challenges, such as fighting disease and poverty.

HISTORY

Kiwaniacs have a smile so big, you could say it stretches more than a hundred years. What started as a way to bring people together for the greater good has grown into a global network of do-gooders – connected by a love of people and possibilities.



IMPACT

We are creative with our ideas. Whether rolling up our sleeves or opening our wallets, Kiwanians make transformative changes in communities around the world. On average, members of the Kiwanis family host approximately 150,000 service projects and complete more than 19 million service hours a year. Every year, our clubs raise more than US\$100 million to support community causes – in addition to supporting the Kiwanis Children's Fund.

VALUES

We are passionate about making a difference. Helping kids grow and succeed is at the heart of everything we do. But how we do it is just as important. We believe our neighborhoods and our world are best served when people of all ages and different backgrounds work together to share their time and talents.

STRUCTURE

Kiwanis International is organized into clubs, divisions, districts and international. This multi-leveled leadership hierarchy means members are supported by a larger network of leaders who are prepared to help clubs be successful while improving communities.

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