



Changing Times

Changing the World Through Service, Friendship & Fun
Be Our Guest



Kiwanis
SOUTHEAST METRO DENVER

Kiwanis SEMD Newsletter – Spring 2026

NEXT MEETING DATE TBD

2025-2026 *Kiwanis Club of Southeast Metro Denver*

<i>Melissa Schupp</i>	<i>President</i>
<i>Gail Coombs</i>	<i>Immediate Past President,</i>
<i>Dave Rich</i>	<i>President -Elect</i>
<i>Jack Forhan</i>	<i>Treasurer</i>
<i>Lizzie Coombs</i>	<i>Secretary</i>
<i>Keith Schupp</i>	<i>Director</i>
<i>Lizzie Coombs</i>	<i>Director</i>
<i>Mary Forhan</i>	<i>Newsletter</i>
<i>Mary Forhan</i>	<i>Club History</i>

Committee Heads

Pints & Pinots – 2nd Wind Fundraiser
Gail & Lizzie Coombs – Tentative Postponement to 2026
Colorado Feeding Kids
Dave Rich, Gail Coombs
Sweet Dream in a Bag
Shavon Forte
Kiwanis One Day – Gail Coombs
Website - Melissa Schupp
Parker Days – Mel & Keith Schupp,
Ronald McDonald House – Jim Terpstra,
Melissa Schupp

Websites

KiwanisInternational <http://Kiwanis.org>

Kiwanis Rocky Mountain District
<https://www.rmdkiwanis.com/>

Kiwanis DTC and SEMD
Kiwansisemd.org

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Together we can change the world, one child and one community at a time.



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President’s Message

Hope everyone is enjoying the start of summer!

Our club kicked off the summer season in May by serving a Saturday morning breakfast at the Ronald McDonald House. We tried something new this time—biscuits and gravy—and it was a huge success! We’ll be making it again on **July 11**.

On **August 22**, our club is scheduled to prepare and serve dinner at the Denver Children's Home. If you would like to volunteer, please reach out to me. We'd love to have your help.

In June, we raised funds for the club at the annual Parker Days celebration. It was another fun event and a great opportunity to connect with our community.

If you know of any volunteer opportunities you'd like our club to consider participating in, please bring them to the Board's attention. We're always looking for meaningful ways to serve our community.

Thank you for all you do, and enjoy the rest of your summer!

Mel

Ronald McDonald House Breakfast



Volunteers are the heartbeat of our Houses, and during Volunteer Appreciation Week we celebrated the incredible community that shows up for families when they need it most. Whether they're cooking, organizing, assisting families or simply offering a warm smile, their presence helps create a true home away from home.

Last year, **3,698** volunteers contributed **26,148** hours, prepared **45,988** nourishing meals and provided more than **\$1,012,974** in service value.

Parker Days





\$47.31 Amount received from King Scoopers Cards used in Community Rewards. Sign up if you haven't already. See below.

If you have a King Scoopers Card - select Kiwanis Southeast Metro Denver Club Community Rewards recipient

How to do this:

Go to the Kings Scoopers app on your phone.

Click on the three red lines on the upper right corner.

Select Rewards.

Select Community Rewards.

Search for Kiwanis Southeast Metro Denver Club

Save it.

\$80 accrued in 4th quarter 2023 -More people involved means more earnings for the club!



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