

# **Checklist for evaluating club newsletters**

## **Overall Appearance**

Overall pleasing design

Proper masthead with club name used

Kiwanis logos used

Compliance of logos and colors used with Kiwanis Brand Guide

Color used in photos and/or logos

Positive content versus negative

### **Data Requirements**

Address of club, phone number, web address or social media sites

Officers' names

Location and time of meetings, speakers listed for meetings

Calendar of future club events and/or projects

Listing of members with perfect attendance

Inter-clubs announced

Board meeting time and date

#### **Kiwanis News and Articles**

New member applications and/or bios

Article about recent club project

Article about current or future club project

Photo taken during project

Division news or council meetings announced or discussed

District news or convention announced or discussed

International project or convention announced

Sponsored youth article

Report(s) by committee chairs

#### **Newsletter Distribution**

Monthly (Mailed or sent via email) 2 points
2 per month (Mailed or sent via email) 3 points
Weekly (Mailed or sent via email) 4 points
Monthly (Distributed at meetings) 1 point
2 per month (Distributed at meetings) 2 points
Weekly (Distributed at meetings) 3 points

#### **Bonus**

Use of members' names in articles
President's or Secretary's article
Fun items (Happy can, etc.)
Report by Public Relations Chair
How to obtain meeting "make-ups" article or listing
Announcement of actual attendance at club meetings