Serving the Children of the World | June 21, 2025



Captured Moment from This Past Week...



Members of the Tualatin and Tigard Kiwanis Clubs Worked Together to Assemble "Birthday Bags" in a Tualatin Member's Backyard

In the past couple of weeks, the Tigard Kiwanis collaborated with the Tualatin Kiwanis and a State Farm agency on a project to create "Birthday Bags" for children of families served by the Foundation for Tigard Tualatin Schools. Not only did some of our members help assemble 100 bags, but our club Board voted to spend up to \$150 for supplies to put into the bags. The bags included such items as a cake mix, a foil cake pan, frosting, a can of Sprite (to replace eggs & oil in the cake), candles, balloons, napkins, plates, cups and more! The bags will be available for families who have children under the age of 18 and who are served by the Packed with Pride program.



A Calendar of This Coming Week's Activities

June 21 - 28

Sunday	• Tigard Balloon Festival work in Beer Garden for FTTS
Monday	
Tuesday	• Hillsboro Tuesday Night Market at 4:45 p.m.
Wednesday	• Board meeting at the Deibert's at 7:00 p.m.
Thursday	
Friday	
Saturday	 Key Club Bake Sale at Kohl's in Sherwood from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. (2-hour shifts) Tigard Pride Festival clean up at 1:30 p.m.

Plan ahead for these special opportunities next week:

- Sunday, June 29th Sunday Parkways in NE Cully at 9:00 a.m.
- Tuesday, July 1st Hillsboro Tuesday Night Market at 4:45 p.m.
- Wednesday, July 2nd Lunchtime meeting at Murrayhill Taphouse at 11:45 a.m.

Packed with Pride is closed this week!

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 More about the Birthday Bags project - With the money authorized by our Board, we bought all the frosting, and the cake pans for this project! Below is a picture of the note that was placed in every Birthday Bag.

Light & Fluffy Cake Without Egg or Oil

To have a Birthday Cake that is fluffy without the need for egg or oil, replace all of the wet ingredients (water, egg, & oil) with the contents of the can of soda included in your bag, and cook as directed.

The contents of your Birthday Bag have been donated by – Packed With Pride Food Pantry, Tualatin Kiwanis Club, Tigard Kiwanis Club, and Jennifer May, State Farm Insurance Agent.

- Thank you to the three of our members who have signed up to work Friday,
 Saturday and Sunday of this weekend at the Tigard Balloon Festival. They will
 be performing tasks in the Beer Garden, with the intent of having their work
 payment funneled into the Foundation for the Tigard Tualatin Schools.
- Please don't forget the "Community Call to Action" sent out by the Mt. Hood
 Kiwanis Camp. A message was emailed to all members yesterday. They are
 asking for Kiwanis member pledges to raise the final amount of money needed
 to build a new dormitory. There are pledge suggestions for over 5 years, or
 members can give a one-time gift of whatever amount they wish. Members
 should also have received a packet, mailed to their home address.



Dorm facilities, once built, will increase camp capacity by 50%!

- Two members are already heading to Hillsboro on June 24th to be alcohol monitors for their Tuesday Night Market. If you would like to join them for the evening, please let Sue and George know. You may be able to get a ride there! Sue will sign you up using the Hillsboro Kiwanis online process, and George is graciously driving that evening!
- There is a Board meeting at the Deibert's home at 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday!
- Please contact Sue if you are willing to chaperone the Sherwood Key Club Bake Sale happening on the morning of Saturday, June 28th. Assistance is needed in 2-hour shifts from 9 a.m. until 1:00 p.m. It is being held in the parking lot of Kohl's in Sherwood.
- If you wish to be added to the list of those helping with the Tigard Pride Parade and Festival, on Saturday, June 28th, please let George know. Our tasks will be to do street clean-up after the parade. Start time is now 2p.m.
 Members are meeting at the Tigard Town Square.
- We need as many members as possible to help on June 29th with the Sunday Parkways project. It is occurring in the NE Cully area of Portland. Many of us are planning to carpool there. <u>HERE</u> is the link to sign-up. Don't forget to claim yourself as part of the Kiwanis of Tigard group! When asked for your

- start location, please say "Fernhill Park". If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact Bob Munger.
- Our next meeting is not until Wednesday, July 2nd at Murrayhill Taphouse at 11:45 a.m. We will have a guest presenter, Jessica Love from the Tigard Public Works. This includes Tigard Water Service, Parks & Recreation, Streets, Engineering, and more.
- Our evening meeting on July 9th has been cancelled and, in its place, we will be holding an evening social event on Saturday, July 12th. It will be a potluck at Sue's house... 5080 SW 153rd Ave., Beaverton, starting at 6:00 p.m.
- Speaking of "socials" ... it was decided at last Wednesday's meeting that we will hold a "5th Wednesday of the Month" evening social at Bill's house on July 30th. When there are five Wednesdays in a month, we try to hold a social event on that last Wednesday. If we don't, we go for three weeks without having a meeting, and it just seems too long! Bill has graciously opened his home for us to play "Mexican Dominoes". The evening will start at 6:00 p.m. People are asked to bring an appetizer or a dessert to share with the group. Bill lives in West Linn, so plan for a little bit of a drive to get there! We'll share the address as we get closer to the date.
- If you are an incoming club officer, save July 19th for the Club Leadership Education training. Details for signing-up will be forthcoming as soon as they are released.
- Also, don't forget to help the Tualatin Kiwanis with their Elephant Ears booth at the Sherwood Robin Hood Festival, July 19th. We plan to assist them during both the 3-5 p.m. shift and the 5-7 p.m. shift. Sign up <u>HERE</u>.
- Don't forget to consider thinking about attending this year's Kiwanis District Convention. You should have received an email, yesterday, giving more details about the event. It is a very worthwhile activity to attend, and it energizes members for months afterwards!