## Yes! Enter us in the Kiwanis Corporate Regatta

To register online go to www.wckiwanis.org
Or circle one of the three sponsorship levels and mail the entry
form below and check (by June 1st) to:
(payable to Kiwanis Club of Charleston Foundation) Kiwanis
Club, c/o Paul Spradling, 117 Wildwood Dr., Elkview, WV
25701

Questions?: Call/Text Chad Parker, Kiwanis Club of West Charleston 304-419-1662 (9-5 weekdays) or www.wckiwanis.org



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makes a big Splash for Charity!!

<b>\$2,500 Admiral:</b> 2 model yachts, t-shirt primary recognition (front and back), on-site banner (name/logo) and prospects for event-related publicity.
\$1,000 Commodore: 1 model yacht, t-shirt display recognition (back), on site banner (name/logo), and prospects for event-related publicity.
<b>\$500 Skipper:</b> 1 model yacht, t-shirt group recognition (back), and prospects for event-related publicity.
Company Name (as you wish for it to appear in event publicity)
Contact Name
Street
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Your Children's charity, if you win? (Indicate below)  Kiwanis Club of Charleston Foundation, supporting a dozen youth programs/projects (a 501 (c) (3) non-profit).

The **Kiwanis Corporate Regatta** is an exciting miniature "yacht" race that raises much-needed funds for the **Kanawha County Public Library** and other Kiwanis charities.

Corporate and Civic Leaders battle in elimination heats at this spirited **FestivAll** event, determined to be first to reach the distant shore of the library fountain!!

The 20 competitors use super soaker water guns to power their model yachts across the fountain waters. The winning yacht receives a check for \$1,000, payable to the charity of the skipper's choice (such as the Kiwanis Club of Charleston Foundation).

The most artistic yacht wins a check for \$500, likewise payable the captain's select charity (such as the Kiwanis Club of Charleston Foundation).

The Kiwanis Corporate Regatta launches on Monday, June 12, 2023, 11:30 AM in Davis Park, 301 Capitol St, Charleston, WV and concludes at 1 pm. Corporate employees are encouraged to attend and cheer for their yacht.

The event is open to the public, free of charge. Lunch can be purchased at nearby restaurants or bring your own.



## MOST ARTISTIC YACHT COMPETITION

Put on your creativity hat and win the Most Artistic Yacht competition!! The yachts will be judged by Traci Higginbotham of Art Emporium gallery. The winner receives a check for \$500 payable to the captain's favorite charity, such as the Kiwanis Club of Charleston Foundation. For a smartlooking yacht, recruit a creative employee, your graphic arts person, or a professional artist.

The artistic use of paint, graphics and logo--harmonized by an engaging theme -- can produce a sharp, distinctive company yacht.



## **ABOUT KIWANIS**

Kiwanis International celebrates 108 years of community service in 2023. Beginning in Detroit, Michigan, there are now over 8,000 clubs around the world. The Kiwanis motto is "Serving the Children of the World". Kiwanis includes Key Club, the world's largest leadership development program for high school students.

The Kiwanis Club of West Charleston was founded in 1959. Members come from throughout Charleston, Kanawha City and beyond. We meet Thursdays at noon at a local restaurant in Charleston. Visitors are welcome.

## WHAT THE REGATTA FUNDS

The Kanawha County
Public Library and
Much More



In 2023 the Kiwanis Club of West Charleston plans upwards of \$30,000 in support to the community including over \$15,000 in direct funding and more than \$15,000 in service hours.

Kiwanis Corporate Regatta alone helps raise \$10,000 for numerous Kiwanis Charities, including many organizations that focus on improving the lives of children and their families.

One of the major beneficiaries of the Kiwanis Corporate Regatta is the Kanawha County Public Library. The \$3,500 gift to the library will be earmarked for children. This will enable the library to strengthen its summer reading program for over 2,000 children and teens.

Recently the Kiwanis Club of West Charleston provided funds and/or service for:

- \* Key Clubs (leadership development at Area High Schools).
- \* Mary C. Snow West Side Elementary's Read a Book program.
- \* Clothing shopping spree, clothing 50 children annually.
- \* UNICEF/Kiwanis Eliminate Program to eradicate neonatal tetanus.
- \* Lunches for West Side children participating in YMCA Summer Tennis Sessions.
- \* Edgewood Elementary School K-Kids.
- \* Financial Litercy for Kids.
- \* Lunches for over 2,000 school kids at WV Power Park.
- \* Maintain school clothing closets, for west side elementry schools.
- \* Provide Christmas assistance in local West Side schools.
- \* Feed traveling students from Uganda.
- \* Support the Kiwanis Children's Fund.



