Club Secretary & Treasurer Workshop

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Welcome & Purpose

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- Support outgoing & incoming officers
- Share best practices for success
- Highlight key updates (Kiwanis Engage)
- Allow time for your questions





Year-End Responsibilities (Current Officers)



- Submit all reports by Sept. 30
- Treasurer: reconcile accounts, close books
- Prepare financial statement for board
- Pass along records, logins, files

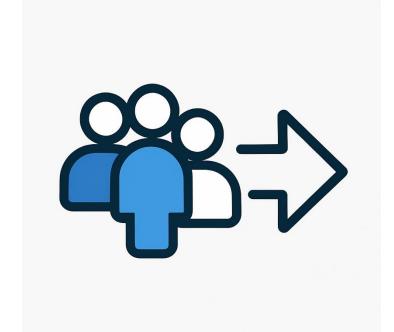




Preparing Incoming Officers

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- Secretary: membership updates, monthly reports, meeting minutes
- Treasurer: dues billing, budget, financial tracking
- Work closely with club president & board
- Start with an October checklist/calendar

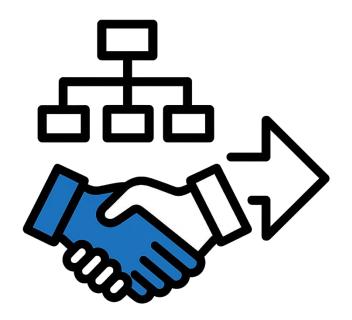




Transition Best Practices



- Outgoing officers share knowledge, contacts, and tools
- Use shared drives/folders for continuity
- Keep instructions simple and documented

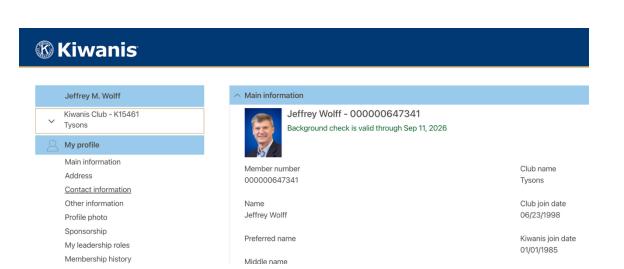




Kiwanis Engage



- Replaced Kiwanis Connect
- Used for: Membership management, officer reporting, dues invoicing, club reports
- Full training covered in separate session
- More features coming in the future





Best Practices for Success

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- Timely reporting = stronger clubs
- Transparency in finances
- Consistent communication with members
- Use templates, checklists, shared calendars
- Build a secretary-treasurer-president team





Common Challenges

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- Missed deadlines → penalties or confusion
- Poor record-keeping → frustration for next officer
- Lack of communication with board
- Not asking for help when needed

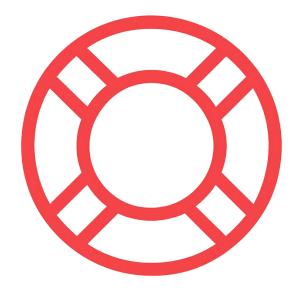




Resources & Support



- Capital District & Kiwanis International resources
- Online guides, templates, and FAQs
- Peer network of fellow officers
- jeffrey.wolff@capitalkiwanis.org





Key Dates to Remember



- Sept. 30 Year-end deadline
- Oct. 1 New officer term begins
- October 10 Member Drop deadline
- Dues billing cycle
- Monthly report due the 10th of each month





Quick Reference Tips



- Keep everything documented
- Meet monthly with club president
- Stay ahead of deadlines
- Ask for help early
- Celebrate small wins!





Open Q&A



- What's on your mind?
- Current officers challenges?
- Incoming officers: what do you need to start strong?





Closing & Thank You



- You are not alone resources are here to help
- Build habits early for smoother service
- Together we strengthen our clubs!

