



Kiwaniis

Wilsonville

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DID YOU KNOW?

Kiwaniis Membership:

- About 8,000 clubs in 96 countries
- More than 260,000 adult members
- Approximately 320,000 youth

Kiwaniis Service:

Each year, clubs -

- Sponsor nearly 150,000 service projects.
- Raise more than \$107 million.

**Kiwaniis
Mission:
To serve
children
of the
world.**

A Message from Your President!



Donna Bane, 2010 President

Wilsonville Kiwanis is a service club that supports local youth organizations and events in Wilsonville through volunteer and fundraising efforts of the members.

We are a young and growing club and welcome new members who are interested in activities that focus on the well being of our youngsters

New in 2010, the Kiwanis Club of Wilsonville will be sending out a quarterly newsletter to keep you up-to-date with our current projects, participation opportunities, and news.

As a supporting business, you will see how your sponsorship dollars go to

as well as speaker programs to broaden our own understanding of our community in general.

Our members are men and women who work for local businesses, government, educational or nonprofit organizations, are self-employed or are actively retired. Because our members are working professionals and/or active community volunteers with limited time, we target our energies on a few select projects and a minimum of meetings.

Our key projects for 2010 are the Annual Kiwanis Kids Fun Run in July and the forthcoming new Science Adventure for elementary

work to improve the lives of children all over the Wilsonville area.

As a volunteer, you will be able to get detailed information about volunteer opportunities throughout the year, including the annual Fun Run event, fundraisers, and community service

and middle school students, presented by the Oregon Health Career Center and the Wilsonville Public Library. See related articles in this newsletter and on our website for more details.

We regularly meet on the 2nd and 4th Wednesdays of each month: the first meeting is a service and business meeting, and the second is a luncheon meeting with presentations by local thought leaders. See the Calendar section for more details.

Contact any officer or member for further information regarding membership or club activities. Also, please visit our new website at:

projects. We also want to keep you informed on other Kiwanis project, so that you may consider becoming a member in the future.

These newsletters will also be found on our newly updated website in the coming weeks.

www.WilsonvilleKiwaniis.org

New Kiwanis Newsletter for 2010!

Four in Cooperation



Tents and canopies are necessities for community events during our hot summer months. Volunteers for Wilsonville nonprofits that present such special events have struggled for years with aging and inadequate tents that are difficult to set up and expensive to rent.

To the rescue, four local organizations that offer outdoor community events created a canopy co-op, to pool canopy resources, managing the inventory of canopies and make them

available to other nonprofits in Wilsonville. The City of Wilsonville provided the funding.

With a generous award of a \$7,880 grant from the City of Wilsonville Community Services Grant, Four in Cooperation will soon have a new supply of pop-up tents and high quality canopies. The four organizations in the coop are the Wilsonville Fun in the Park, Kiwanis Kids Fun Run, Festival of the arts and Chamber of Commerce's Fall Food-Fest. The Visitor

Information Center, via the Wilsonville Chamber will handle reservations and rental arrangements. Rental income will be used for additional acquisitions and maintenance.

The collaborative effort between four major local nonprofit organizations and the City of Wilsonville will provide the community a collection of attractive coverings for its outdoor events – just in time for the summer of 2010.

Thank you!



Kiwanis Outreach Program



Inza R. Wood Middle School

Proceeds from the annual Kiwanis Kids Fun Run are returned to the community as grants to support local youth programs and help young people participate in youth activities.

Most recently, the Kiwanis Outreach Program donated: \$500 to Wood Middle School to purchase composition notebooks for math and science students. The notebooks contain graph paper for the students to create their own texts as they take notes, make calculations and diagram examples in

math and science classes. Every student needs one but with the current economy, many families cannot afford to buy them and the School District is no longer able to supply them for students. The donation will ensure that every Wood Middle School student will have this important resource.

\$2,120 was awarded to Oregon Health Career Center to help support the Science Adventure Program, a joint effort with the Wilsonville Public Library that will offer science experiences for

local children during the summer. The purpose is to keep children engaged in learning during the summer months. The City of Wilsonville awarded a matching Community Services Opportunity Grant of \$2,120 for the program as well.

Please see the Kiwanis website for more details on Science Adventure and information about the Kiwanis Outreach Program, at: www.WilsonvilleKiwanis.org

Kiwanis Welcomes It's Newest Members



The Kiwanis Club of Wilsonville welcomes four new members in April 2010:

- Carey Bruce, Vice President of Production at Road's End Films
- Terry Gillett, Loan Officer at Home Savings of America
- Brandi Hereford, Membership & Events Director at the Wilsonville Chamber of Commerce
- Justin Morris, Relationship Manager at Keybank

Our new members have jumped right in to help the club! Carey & Brandi are on the Communication Committee, which includes designing and implementing a new Wilsonville Kiwanis Website and Quarterly Newsletter. Justin has been responsible for arranging sales point and volunteers for our annual Kiwanis Doernbecher Mustang Raffle. All have been attending meetings, giving great input, and volunteering for future events. Please help us in welcoming our newest members!

Fun Run Receives a City Grant

Wilsonville City Councilor Steve Hurst presents community services tourism matching grant award to Wilsonville Kiwanis president Donna Bane at the city council meeting March 15.

The \$4,000 grant was awarded to support the 2010 Wilsonville Kiwanis Fun Run, which will occur on July 31, 2010.

The Community Services Tourism Matching grant is intended to aid organizations that produce projects that promote local business and tourism and for festivals and special events for the benefit of the Wilsonville community.

Funds are made available from the City of Wilsonville transient room taxes assessed to hotels,

motels and bed and breakfasts for guests in the City of Wilsonville.

Funding is available once each fiscal year with applications made available in December, and deadline in February.

Other grants were awarded to:

- Wilsonville Chamber of Commerce
- Wilsonville Celebration Days
- Wilsonville Arts & Culture Council
- Rotary Club of Wilsonville



Donna Bane, 2010 Kiwanis President & Steve Hurst, Wilsonville City Councilor



Gearing Up for Fun Run 2010



The Fun Run is coming, the Fun Run is coming! Save the date: July 31st at Wilsonville's Wood Middle School.

The Annual Kiwanis Kids Fun Run is our primary community effort. The run is for pre-K youngsters through 8th grade students (but older brothers and sisters, moms and dads, aunts and uncles and grandmas and grandpas are welcome to run with their little ones, too). Heats are run by grade and gender. Special needs runners are

highly encouraged to participate and may either run with other kids their age or may choose to participate in the Special Needs heat – or both.

Last year 530 runners participated and more are expected this year. It is the only community-wide non-competitive sporting event in Wilsonville designed to make every kid who participates a winner.

The Fun Run is also the major fundraiser for the Wilsonville

Kiwanis Club. Net proceeds from the event are returned to the community as grants awarded through the Kiwanis Outreach Program. Our goal this year is to raise at least \$10,000 to support youth programs and activity financial aid in Wilsonville.

Detailed information regarding the Fun Run and the Outreach Program are available on the Kiwanis website.

Kiwanis Youngest Members

JUST THE FACTS

- Key Club has approx. 250,000 members
- There are approx. 5,000 high school clubs
- Key Club is represented in 30 countries



Key Club International is the oldest and largest service program for high school students. It is a student-led organization that teaches leadership through service to others.

As members of the Kiwanis International family, Key Club members build themselves as they build their schools and communities.

How Key Club Works

Key Club International is a self-governing organization that elects its own officers, determines its own service activities and establishes its own dues structure.

Key Club International is an organization comprised of individual Key Clubs and is funded by nominal dues paid by every member. Its officers are high

school leaders, who are elected by the members at district and international conventions.

Structure

INTERNATIONAL

Key Club International encompasses all clubs within the group's 33 organized districts and in countries that are not included in any specific district. Key Club International is led by the International Board, which is comprised of the International president, International vice president and 11 international trustees, all students and active Key Club members.

DISTRICT

A district is normally defined by state or nation and tends to match a similar Kiwanis district. Each district is chaired by a governor, who is elected by

delegates at the annual district convention.

DIVISION

Each district is divided into territories called divisions, which are made up of various clubs. Each division has a lieutenant governor, a student leader who carries out the district's policies and provides support to the clubs.

CLUB

Key Clubs are established in a high school or equivalent institution. A community-based club also may be chartered. Elected officers are president, one or more vice presidents, secretary, treasurer, editor and one director from each class.

For more information about the Wilsonville High School Key Club, visit our website.

Kiwanis Calendar of Events

Day	Date	Time	Event	Location
Wed	April 14	Noon-1:00 pm	Meeting - Service/Business (bring your own lunch)	Library – Rose Room
Wed	April 28	11:45 – 1:00 pm	Meeting - Guest Speaker (catered lunch), Special Agent Mike Kummerman, FBI, Portland	Library – Rose Room
Wed	May 12	Noon – 1:00 pm	Meeting - Service/Business (bring your own lunch)	Library – Rose Room
Wed	May 26	11:45 – 1:00 pm	Meeting - Guest Speaker (catered lunch) Speaker TBA	Library – Rose Room
Wed	June 9	Noon – 1:00 pm	Meeting - Service/Business (bring your own lunch)	Library – Rose Room
Fri	June 18	7:30 – 9:00 am	Wilsonville Chamber of Commerce “The Morning Spark” AM networking event	Library – Oak Room
Wed	June 23	11:45 – 1:00 pm	Meeting - Guest Speaker (catered lunch) Speaker TBA	Library – Rose Room
Sat	July 10	10:00 am	7 th Annual Kids Fun Run	Wood Middle School
	Summer		Science Adventure	Library

2009-2010 Officer Team

President - Donna Bane, 503-694-1477

Secretary - Frank Lilly, 503-694-6173

Treasurer - Gary Wappes, 503-682-1300 x 104

Communication Chair - Brandi Hereford, 503-682-0411

Fun Run Chair - Jay Puppato, 503-582-8181

Key Club Advisor - Jen Tinker (Wilsonville High School), 503-673-7638

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