



New Member Orientation – New Club

What is Kiwanis?

Kiwanis is a global community of clubs, members and partners dedicated to improving the lives of children one community at a time.

Why are we here?

To improve the lives through fellowship in service worldwide.

What's in it for me?

- *Improving children's lives*
- *Improve the community and the world*
- *Build friendships*
- *Develop business contacts*

Motto

Serving the children of the world!

Kiwanis International

- Born in 1915
- More than 550,000 members in 80 countries and growing
- Headquartered in Indianapolis, Indiana
- Kiwanis Clubs sponsor nearly 150,000 service projects each year
- Raise more than \$107 million
- Donate more than 6 million hours of service to their communities

Pacific Northwest District – District #22

District Office is located in Gladstone, Oregon

The PNW District is comprised of Washington, Oregon, Idaho, Alaska, Northern California, British Columbia and the Yukon Territory of Canada

District Leader Structure:

- Governor – Melanie Bozak
- Immediate Past Governor – Jerry Deas
- Governor – Elect – Lonnie Johnson
- District Secretary – Ed Luttrell
- District Treasurer – Janelle Lawrence
- Lt. Governor – one for each Division – our LTG is Susan Meyer, Division 63
- Our Club Number is K19945

Kiwanis Club of Western Washington County - Club Structure

President – Lorrie Hutchins

President – Elect – John O’Neill

Secretary – Maria Hafez

Treasurer – Sarah Faulkner

Board Member – Karen O’Neill

Board Member – Nicholas Hafez

Board Member - Virginia Ohlner

Club Meetings & Board Meetings

- Membership Meetings are on the Second and Fourth Wednesday of Every Month
- 5:30pm
- Prime Time Sports Bar; 4450 Pacific Avenue; Forest Grove OR 97116

Club Dues

- \$130.00 annually
- Fiscal year is October 1 to September 30
- Meals are paid by member at each meeting if they wish to eat

Member Expectations

- Attend as many meetings as you can
- Participate in all club service projects and fundraisers
- Display positive Kiwanis pride and practice objectives on a daily basis

Service Projects

International -

The Eliminate Project

- Partnership with UNICEF
- Goal – To eliminate maternal/neonatal tetanus – raise \$110 million by 2015; currently we are in the fulfillment stage of collecting monies pledged
- www.TheEliminateProject.org

District –

- Kiwanis Children's Cancer Program – KCCP
 - Rid the world of cancer
 - Kiwanis Clubs raise money to pay Fellowships for research
 - Three hospitals participate:
 - Seattle Children's Hospital
 - Doernbecher Children's Cancer Program in Portland, OR
 - BC Children's Hospital
- SIGN
 - Started in Richland WA by Dr. Lewis Zirkle
 - SIGN clinics are located in 53 countries with 365 Hospitals and 314,434 patients healed
 - Mission: SIGN gives the injured poor access to fracture surgery by donating orthopedics education and implant systems to surgeons in developing countries.

Club -

This portion of the Orientation is still to be written by the club members!!

Kiwanis Service Leadership programs

K-Kids – grade school

Builders Club – middle school

Key Club – high school

CKI – college

Aktion – adults with disabilities

Classic – you and I!

The Kiwanis Objects

- To give primacy to the human and spiritual rather than to the material value of life
- To encourage the daily living of the Golden Rule in all human relationships
- To promote the adoption and the application of higher social, business, and professional standards
- To develop, by precept and example, more intelligent, aggressive, and serviceable citizenship
- To provide, through Kiwanis Clubs, a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service, and to build better communities
- To cooperate in creating and maintaining that sound public opinion and high idealism, which make possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism, and goodwill.

Welcome to the Kiwanis Club of Western Washington Country