

CAPITAL CITY



KIWANIS CLUB



Monday January 4, 2010

Club #5153, Division 3, Chartered August 31, 1959
Golden Corral, 1630 North Monroe Street
Tallahassee, Florida 32303
12:00 noon each Monday

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**"Informed Kiwanians are
Effective Kiwanians"**

JANUARY PROGRAMS

JAN 4: Club Business Meeting

JAN 11: Mark Hohmeister, Tallahassee Democrat, "Your Local Newspaper: Still Kicking?"

JAN 18: **NO MEETING-- MLK HOLIDAY**

JAN 25: Kip Carpenter, Remodeling and CAP Contractor, "How Our Homes can Change as We Change"

FEBRUARY PROGRAMS

FEB 1: TBA

FEB 8: TBA

FEB 15: TBA

FEB 22: TBA

MONTHLY PROGRAM COORDINATORS

JAN: Howard Pardue

FEB: Bruce Gillander

MAR: Larry Spalding

**Think About It: "An optimist stays up until midnight to see the new year in. A pessimist stays up to make sure the old year leaves."
~Bill Vaughn**

CCKC GOALS FOR 2010

The following constitute the club goals for this year. They are minimums and we hope to not only achieve each but to exceed them where possible. It will take us all working hard to achieve them.

1. Continue to grow membership over 50 members.
2. Secure at least 10 corporate sponsors and 10 corporate memberships.
3. Sponsor and build a new Kiwanis Club in Bradfordville.
4. Support a club satellite in Franklin County.
5. Conduct interclub meetings in all Division 3 clubs at least once every 6 months.
6. Develop and implement Spiritual Values projects.
7. Zero-base (challenge) existing service and fund-raising projects to improve and expand effectiveness; think out of the box.
8. Publish articles in Kiwanis magazines and local media at least quarterly.
9. Advertise CCKC in movie and TV media.
10. Establish a Builders Club in Griffin Elementary.
11. Establish a Bring Up Grades (BUG) program in Ruediger Elementary School.
12. Revitalize Key Clubs at Rickards and Lincoln High Schools
13. Incorporate Key Clubs into CCKC projects and activities as often as possible.

CCKC PRESIDENT'S CORNER

PREZ SEZ

HAPPY NEW YEAR!! We are heading into 2010 and we should be anticipating another great Kiwanis year of FUN and SERVICE to the Tallahassee area. My slogan for this year is **NEW BEGINNINGS-THE NEXT 50 YEARS!!** Building on the legacy of the first 50 years of our club, which we celebrated in August, and the high standards of club operations and service set by Past President **Fred Williams** last year, I hope that this year will see us challenge our current projects to ensure we are providing maximum service, drop those that don't, and initiate new productive projects to better serve the kids in our community. This is the time we usually make New Years **resolutions**. Governor **Donna Parton** suggests the following: "(1) Strive to live the Objects of Kiwanis; (2) Tell your family, friends, co-workers and all you meet about Kiwanis; (3) Proudly wear your Kiwanis pin and branded apparel; (4) Place a Kiwanis emblem on your vehicle; (5) Work closely with our Service Leadership Programs; (6) Invite SLP's to your club meetings and projects; (7) Plan some high impact Young Children: Priority One projects; and (8) Share your "K" by sponsoring at least 2 new members." To these I would suggest striving to be more active in our club and its projects and to be more effective in serving the children of Tallahassee. Whatever we do, lets have **FUN** and **MAKE A DIFFERENCE!**

**LARRY CHAMBERS
CCKC PRESIDENT.**





CCKC MEMBER AND CLUB INFORMATION
BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES



BIRTHDAYS

Members are encouraged to give a gift equal to their age to the CCKC Foundation or Service Projects.

Eddie Williams Jan 14

"When I was younger, I could remember anything, whether it happened or not."
~Mark Twain

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Fred Williams Jan 30

"It's so great to find that one special person you want to annoy the rest of your life."
~Rita Rudner

KIWANIS MEMBERSHIP

Jim Wylie Jan 1, 1967 43 yrs

Bruce Gillander Jan 4, 1974 36 yrs

"After the verb 'To Love'...'To Help' is the most beautiful verb in the world."
~Bertha Von Suttner

CLUB WEEKLY GREETERS

JAN: JIM WYLIE
FEB: EDDIE WILLIAMS

WELCOME VISITORS/GUESTS!!

DEC 14: Eddie Hendry, guest of Ben Graybar, visited today.
DEC 21: Cleve White, prospective member from Northside club, visited with us today.
DEC 28: John Hinkle, Dottie's husband, was our guest today.

IMPORTANT JANUARY DATES

JAN: CCKC DIAPER DRIVE MONTH
JAN 15: Icelandic Night
JAN 18: Martin Luther King Day

ICELANDIC NIGHT this year is scheduled for **Friday 15 January, 7PM**, at the home of **Hilmar and Kristen Skagfield**. This night is an annual celebration of our sponsorship of the first Kiwanis club in Iceland in 1964. It is a wonderful celebration and a highly anticipated event in our club. Remember, all new members must have a photo wearing the authentic Viking helmet!



SCENES FROM 2009

Events from the end of 2009 including Football Parking, Alternative Christmas Market, Hospice Sharing Tree and Bethany Kids Christmas Party with Rickards Key Clubbers and FSU football players assisting.





SERVICE AND FUND-RAISING INFORMATION



SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Pop Top Tabs and Hotel Freebies — Place pop top can tabs and any Hotel freebies in the container in the storage cabinet for distribution to Ronald McDonald House. **POC: Bob Henderson**

Tales for Tots — CCKC will be collecting books for tots ages infant to 5 yrs. Volunteers will be needed to read to kids. **POC: Janet Morgan**

Diaper Drive — CCKC is collecting diapers for Healthy Start during the month of January. We will do this every six-months. Bring them to Jan meetings. **POC — Donna Wells**

FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES

PANCAKE BREAKFAST — Next fundraiser scheduled for 13 February at Applebees on Thomasville Rd



CCKC MEALS ON WHEELS ROSTER - ROUTE G5

Volunteers, if you are unable to deliver the route, try to arrange a swap with another club member or call **Fred Williams**. Please be at **Elder Care Services**, 2518 W. Tennessee St, no later than 11AM. Earlier is better! **Remember we have to deliver the meals no later than 12:30 to meet Federal guidelines.**

Jan 6	Dwight Davis	413-8352	Jan 27	Larry Chambers	893-2905
Jan 13	Ben Graybar	205-5168	BACK-UP	Fred Williams	245-5932
Jan 20	Howard Eisenman	224-0630			



KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL, DISTRICT, DIVISION, CCKC LEADERSHIP, HISTORY AND INFORMATION



The **CCKC BOARD of DIRECTORS** last met on 7 Dec 2009. The **next meeting is 4 Jan 2010**. The board meets on the first Monday of every month, 5:30 P.M. at Margaret Lynn Duggar's office, 1018 Thomasville Road (the rear of the Monticello Office building). Meeting minutes are posted on the CCKC website. **Members are encouraged to attend BOD meetings.**

DIVISION 3 COUNCIL QUARTERLY MEETING
 Quarterly meetings are held on the second Monday of each quarter. **Next Division meeting will be 11 January 2009** at Fellowship Baptist Church at 7PM, Fellowship Hall, 3705 North Monroe. **Members are encouraged to attend** District meetings. Website: <http://www.killlearnkiwanis.org/divisiii.html>

2009—2010 CCKC Officers and Board of Directors

- President:* Larry Chambers
- President - Elect:* Ben Graybar
- Vice President:* Bill Whitney
- Immediate Past President:* Dr Fred Williams
- Treasurer:* Joe Sanders;
- Secretary:* Donna Wells
- Board of Directors:*
- 2008-2010: , Tom King, Tom Duggar, David Johnson
- 2009-2011: Judy Chambers, Jim Ledbetter, Robbie Sharp, Bill Rogers,
- Florida Foundation Trustee #3:* Larry Spalding

2009-2010 Kiwanis International

- President:* Paul G. Palazzolo
- Website:* <http://www.kiwanis.org>
- 2009—2010 Florida District of Kiwanis**
- District Governor:* Donna Parton. *Governor-Elect:* Sylvester (Syl) Neal
- Website:* <http://www.floridakiwanis.com/index .htm>
- 2009—2010 Division 3**
- Lt. Governor:* Donna Wells (CCKC)
- Lt Governor-Elect:* K. Scott Whitehead (Havana)
- Immediate Past President:* Keith Roberts (Lake Jackson)
- Secretary:* Judy Chambers (CCKC)
- Treasurer:* Bob Henderson (CCKC)
- Division 3 Theme:* We Serve Children

KIWANIS HISTORY . . . the year was 1964
 Kiwanis distributed a radio forum titled "Inquiry" in three 13-week segments. Kiwanis' first membership film, "The Man Who Wears the K," was produced. Japan, Norway, Iceland, Jamaica, the Philippines, and the Netherlands Antilles joined the Kiwanis family of nations. Edward B. Moylan Jr, a real estate developer from Miami was elected President. This was Kiwanis' Golden Anniversary year.

~The Kiwanis Legacy and Annual Highlights of Kiwanis International



Current Capital City Kiwanis Club Service Projects

1. **Roadside Clean-up/Highway Beautification:** Once a quarter, the club goes out for about 2 hours on a weekend to pick up trash along a dedicated two-mile stretch of U.S. 90 about two miles northeast of I-10.
2. **Handicap Ramp Building:** At the request of and in collaboration with Ability First, the club constructs ramps for disabled or senior clients with limited access to their house.
3. **Miracle League:** CCKC, with other Kiwanis Clubs in Division 3, Florida Disabled Outdoors Association, local government agencies, business and private organizations and individuals, supports a special athletic field and activities for disabled kids and adults at Messer Field.
4. **Ronald McDonald House Pop-Top Tabs/Toiletries** Soda, beer and juice can pop-tops and hotel freebies such as soap, shampoo, etc. are collected and donated to Ronald McDonald House to help support traveling families of seriously ill or injured children in hospitals.
5. **Meals-on-Wheels:** Each week a club member(s) delivers meals from Elder Care Services to about 10 clients on Route G5.
6. **ECHO Food Drives and Feed-the-Hungry:** Annually members donate food products for ECHO and once a quarter members provide meal service to the homeless on weekends at First Presbyterian Church.
7. **Bethany Apartments Support:** CCKC supports children of homeless families in temporary housing at Bethany Apartments, including fund- ing, clothing, kitchen utensils, furniture, playground cleanup and maintenance.
8. **Bethany Apartments Back-to-School Support:** Club gives school supplies and backpacks to kids 5-12 years old in August.
9. **Bethany Kids Christmas/Easter Parties:** CCKC, with the Moose Lodge, provides dinner, Christmas stockings and presents with Santa for the kids. CCKC also provides Easter baskets, an egg hunt, and games for the kids at Easter.
10. **Bethany Kids to FSU Circus:** CCKC takes underprivileged kids from homeless families in temporary housing at Bethany Apartments to the annual FSU Circus in April.
11. **Santa Calls:** CCKC mans telephones at Christmas to answer requests to Santa from children ages 2-5.
12. **Kids School Dictionaries:** The club annually provides dictionaries to all 3d graders at Ruediger, Chaires, and Woodville Elementary Schools.
13. **Ruediger Elementary Terrific Kids Program:** CCKC sponsors recognition and mentoring of outstanding pupils ages 6-11.
14. **Kids Voting:** During general elections, CCKC mans a booth at a selected precinct to help educate kids on the election process.
15. **SSF College Scholarships:** The club provides 60% of its profits from Football Parking proceeds to the Southern Scholarship Foundation (SSF) to help provide college scholarships for needy qualified students and funds one student scholarship directly.
16. **FSU School of Music Scholarship:** In 1995 CCKC donated \$10K to FSU Foundation to help fund annual piano scholarships for music students.
17. **Ralph Davis Kiwanis House:** CCKC, with other Kiwanis clubs, stocks food shelves in January and cleans/maintains this Southern Scholarship House in September.
18. **Turn About:** CCKC donates staff time and finances to help defray operating expenses for this private non-profit, family-centered agency providing Child Victim Rapid Response for children who are victims and/or witnesses to violence, and for drug/alcohol rehab for youth and adolescents.
19. **Salvation Army Sharing Tree:** CCKC mans the tree at Governor's Square for a day during Christmas holidays; shoppers pick a name and purchase items needed/wanted by needy children for gifts.
20. **Big Bend Hospice Tree of Remembrance:** Members man the tree for a day, and shoppers donate to purchase an ornament to place on the tree in memory or in honor of a deceased loved one.
21. **Lifeline:** Members volunteer thru Tallahassee Memorial HealthCare Lifeline Services program to install a button-activated emergency services summoning device so those who live alone or have restricted mobility can feel secure in knowing they can summon help when needed.
22. **Soldier Care Packages:** CCKC periodically sends several packages/backpacks with personal care items to deployed US combat troops.
23. **Special Kids Blood Bank:** CCKC volunteers donate blood to the Southeastern Community Blood Bank on Riggins Road to support kids with special needs.
24. **Apples for Teachers:** CCKC, Kiwanis Kids and Key Clubs recognize teachers at Ruediger, Rickards, Lincoln for their service with apples twice/year.
25. **Tales for Tots:** CCKC donates new and "gently loved" books to kids, infants to 5 years old, volunteers to read the books to them, and then gives them the books to keep in order to encourage them to read.
26. **Diaper Drive:** In January and June, CCKC donates diapers to Healthy Start for kids ages infant to 5 years.

Current Capital City Kiwanis Club Fund-Raising Projects

1. **Football Parking:** Members park cars at the Southern Scholarship Foundation (SSF) parking lot on Stadium Drive during home FSU football games. CCKC splits the proceeds with 60% going to SSF to help provide college scholarships to needy kids and 40% to CCKC to support club projects.
2. **Vidalia Onion Sale:** An annual fund-raiser in which CCKC members sell Vidalia Onions from Georgia in various package configurations during the spring and summer to support club projects.
3. **Gourmet Nut Sale:** An annual fund-raiser in which CCKC members sell Gourmet Virginia nuts in a variety of sizes and types of nuts (e.g. peanuts, cashews, chocolate-covered) during Nov-Dec to support club projects.
4. **Pancake Breakfast:** CCKC volunteers cook eggs and pancakes at a local restaurant for breakfast for a modest fee in the first quarter of the year.
5. **Alternative Christmas Market:** An annual fund-raiser in early December in which the club mans a booth at Christ Presbyterian Church on Bannerman Road providing shoppers with items supporting a selected club project, such as the Miracle League, from which they can choose to purchase as donations. Proceeds are donated to the CCKC Foundation.