



Monday May 4, 2009

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"Informed Kiwanians are Effective Kiwanians"

MAY 2009 PROGRAMS

- MAY 4:** Keith Roberts, District 3 Kiwanis Lt Governor
- MAY 11:** Anne Davis, New projects at Healthy Start
- MAY 18:** TBA
- MAY 25:** **NO MEETING, MEMORIAL DAY**

JUNE 2009 PROGRAMS

- JUNE 1:** TBA
- JUNE 8:** TBA
- JUNE 15:** TBA
- JUNE 22:** TBA
- JUNE 29:** TBA

MONTHLY PROGRAM COORDINATORS

MAY: Dottie Hinkle

JUNE: Bill Whitney

JULY: TBD

THINK ABOUT IT!!

- No man's life, liberty, or property is safe while the legislature is in session. — Mark Twain
- The only difference between a tax man and a taxidermist is that the taxidermist leaves the skin. — Mark Twain
- The inherent vice of capitalism is the unequal sharing of blessings. The inherent blessing of socialism is the equal sharing of misery. —Winston Churchill

CHARTERING KIWANIS KIDS AT RUEDIGER —

Photo at left shows Fred Williams issuing the official charter to Kiwanis Kids (K-Kids) at Ruediger Elementary assembly on 28 April. CCKC sponsors the Ruediger Kiwanis Kids. Mrs Yolanda Barnes is their Advisor.

KIWANIS KIDS PRESENTING "PENNY HARVEST" CHECKS.

Photo at left shows Ruediger Kiwanis Kids holding Penny Harvest check to be presented to CCKC for purchase of Miracle League uniforms/equipment. Fred accepts below left. Check to ECHO Director also presented in photo below, and one to the Animal Shelter.

CCKC PRESIDENT'S CORNER PREZ SEZ

Okay, we've passed the mid-point in our 50th year and you all have done a great job. **On March 31, we were halfway to our goal of 50 members by August 31**, so we are on target. However, now the hard part begins. **We need at least 8 more new faces** to light up our weekly meetings like all our newest members do. Not only that, but we are losing Marcy and it may take two or three to take her place, so the target is growing larger.

Only three of our eight "4=1" Membership Teams have brought in new members. Everyone, **talk to your prospects** and bring them to our meetings or service activities. We all know the summer months are the slowest so let's get our new friends on board before July. I keep hearing **rumors about old members returning.** We would **love to have them back and active.** If you know any of these "lost sheep" personally, talk to them and let them know all the good things we are doing today at CCKC. I know we can reach our goal if we all work at it. Increased numbers will allow us to do so much more for Leon County and Tallahassee. Remember, service to kids and community is our mission.

Fred H. Williams, 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.

Dana Dowling	5/3
Ben Graybar	5/5
Jim Davis	5/11
Dwight Davis	5/12
John Ryan	5/16

Birthdays con't

Jenna Simms 5/26

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Ed Joyce 5/20
Ultimately the bond of all companionship, whether in marriage or in friendship is conversation. —Oscar Wilde

KIWANIS MEMBERSHIP

John Ryan 5/7/07
Judy & Larry Chambers 5/7/07
Fred Williams 5/20/65
Dwight Davis 5/23/94
Service to others is the rent you pay for your room here on earth." —Muhammad Ali

Club Weekly Greeters

MAY: JOHN RYAN
JUNE: DONNA WELLS

MEMBERSHIP DRIVE UPDATE

STARTING TOTAL MEMBERS: 34
50 BY 50 GOAL: 50
CURRENT TOTAL MEMBERS: 42
STILL NEED: 8

CCKC MEMORABILIA: Please bring to Fred Williams all CCKC photos, memorabilia, documents, etc that illuminate the 50 years of CCKC existence and service to Tallahassee area. These will be used during the 50th Anniversary celebration 31 August 2009.

WELCOME VISITORS/GUESTS!!

20 APRIL: Barbara Springthorpe was Judy Equel's guest, Luisa Gillander, Bruce's wife visited as did Bob Yerg, guest of Ed Joyce and John Woodberry, Mary Dale Joyce's brother from Seattle.
27 APRIL: John Stott, a former CCKC member, was the guest of Bill Rogers and Sheryl Jennings was the guest Bob Henderson and she is a **prospective member**

IMPORTANT MAY DATES

MAY 6-12: NATIONAL NURSES WEEK
MAY 10: MOTHERS DAY
MAY 16: ARMED FORCES DAY
MAY 16: CCKC JULY 4 PARTY-GOODBYE TO MARCY!
MAY 25: MEMORIAL DAY
MAY 26: APPLES FOR TEACHERS
MAY 30: HANDICAP RAMP BUILDING

NEW MEMBER INDUCTION CEREMONY

was conducted by President Fred Williams at the 20 April meeting for Lewis Johnson and Eddie Williams. Pins and certificates were presented to the new members. **WELCOME LEWIS AND EDDIE!!** Another induction ceremony will be held at the 4 May meeting for Ken Ellis.

CCKC NEW MEMBER ORIENTATION

was held on 29 April for Eddie Williams and Janet Morgan at the home of Bob Henderson and Donna Wells. Training was conducted by Bob, and Donna provided her usual gourmet goodies. Kiwanis polo shirts were issued. Also attending were **President Fred Williams and Larry and Judy Chambers, co-chairs of the Membership Services Committee.** Janet was assigned to the Children and Youth Services Committee and Eddie was put on the Administration and Club Meeting Committee. Orientation also will be held soon for **Lewis Johnson and Ken Ellis.**

GET WELL SOON!! Ed Joyce is having mobility problems and may miss a few meetings and his wife **Mary Dale** is recovering from surgery. We wish them both speedy recovery and hope to see them very soon.

KIWANIS IMAGE: Members are encouraged to **wear Kiwanis apparel and/or Kiwanis pins** with pride to public functions to promote Kiwanis' presence and role in the community and to assist in recruiting new members.
BE PROUD! BE ACTIVE! PROMOTE KIWANIS!

"JULY 4TH" PARTY— CCKC will celebrate July 4th on **May 16** (never on July 4th!!) and, sadly, say goodbye to **Marcy Waller and family** as they depart for Michigan. Party will be held at **3:00PM** at **Larry and Faith Spalding's**, 2256 Cobb Drive, Golden Eagle. Meat and drinks will be provided, but **we need large potato salads, large baked beans, large coleslaw, bags of potato chips and any other specialties** you wish to bring. **Judy Chambers** is coordinating member-provided food dishes. Contact her at 983-2905.

CCKC CARE AND SHARE PARTNERSHIP: Get to know each other, support each other, help each other and work to establish a mutual bond of caring with club members. Following are club pairings designed to facilitate the care and share partnership:

Ev Anderson & Dottie Hinkle
Tim Atkinson & Judy Chambers
Larry Chambers & Dale Pottorff
Dwight Davis & Don Lanham
Dick Dowdy & Hilmar Skagfield
Dana Dowling & Kim Ortloff
Tom Duggar & Jim Davis
Howard Eisenman & Ben Graybar
Bruce Gillander & John Wells

Bob Henderson & Bill Whitney
David Johnson & Lewis Johnson
Ed Joyce & Ken Ellis
Jim Ledbetter & Donna Wells
Howard Pardue & Tom King
Rose Patterson & Jenna Simms
Bill Rogers & Jan Morgan
John Ryan & Judy Equels
Joe Sanders & Fred Williams

Larry Spalding & Eddie Williams
Robbie Sharp & Marcy Waller
Jim Wylie & John DeLoach





SERVICE AND FUND-RAISING INFORMATION



SERVICE OPPORTUNITIES

Pop Top Tabs and Hotel Freebies — Place pop top ca tabs and any Hotel freebies (soap, lotion, mouthwash, etc.) in the container in the storage cabinet for distribution to Ronald McDonald House. **POC: Bob Henderson**

Handicap Ramp Building—**30 May, 8:00AM, Joe Sanders and Hugh Waller** w/Ability First will be constructing a ramp; location TBA.

Apples for Teachers—On **26 May** apples will be presented to teachers at Ruediger Elementary and Rickards High by CCKC, Kiwanis Kids and Key Clubbers. **POC: Fred Williams**

FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITIES

USED CELL PHONE AND PRINTER INK CARTRIDGES — Save your used printer ink cartridges and old cell phones. CCKC is collecting them as a fund-raiser. **POC: Jim Wylie**

SOFTBALL TOURNAMENT — CCKC BOD approved a proposal by **Jenna Simms** for a softball tournament in June-July.

VIDALIA ONIONS — ONION SALES ARE STILL ONGOING. Turn in money to Danna ASAP. **POC: Donna Wells**

CCKC **MEALS ON WHEELS** ROSTER - ROUTE 65

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 11:00. Earlier is better! **Remember we have to deliver the meals no later than 12:30 to meet Federal guidelines.**

April 22	John Ryan	421-353	May 13	Dwight Davis	617-2881
April 29	Bill Whitney	385-5000	May 20	Ben Graybar	205-5168
May 6	Rose Patterson/Jenna Simms	414-8869	BACK-UP	Fred Williams	245-5932



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



Kiwanis International Convention

“The ... opportunity to attend the 94th Annual international convention will be **June 25-28, 2008, Nashville, TN**, at the [Nashville Convention Center](#). Registration forms may be found in your February 2009 Kiwanis magazine and at www.kiwanis.org. *Let's make this year's convention a CCKC club event —Let's all go!!*



2008—2009 CCKC Officers and Board of Directors

President: Dr. Fred H. Williams
President - Elect: Larry Chambers
Vice President: Ben Graybar
Immediate Past President: Rose Patterson
Secretary/Treasurer: Bob Henderson
Board of Directors:
 Marcy Waller, Tom King, David Johnson,
 Robbie Sharp, Tom Duggar
Florida Kiwanis Foundation Trustee #3: Larry Spalding

CCKC slate of new 2009-10 officers were approved on 20 April and **training** will be conducted 8:30AM-4:30PM, **13 June** by **Bob Henderson and Donna Wells** at the Fellowship Baptist Church.

The **CCKC BOARD of DIRECTORS** last met on 6 Apr 2009. The **next meeting is May 4**. 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.*

2008-2009 Kiwanis International

President: Don Canaday

Website: <http://www.kiwanis.org>

2008—2009 Florida District of Kiwanis

District Governor: David A. Liddell, Jr.

Governor-Elect: Donna T. Parton

Website: http://www.floridakiwanis.com/index_.htm

2008—2009 Division 3

Lt. Governor: Keith Roberts

Immediate Past President: Al Eppinger

Secretary: Chuck Walter

Division 3 Theme: We Serve Children

Encompasses 12 clubs in Gadsden, Leon, Jefferson, Madison and Taylor Counties

Website: <http://www.killearnkiwanis.org/divisiii.html>

DIVISION 3 COUNCIL QUARTERLY MEETING

Quarterly meetings are held on the second Monday of each quarter. **Next Division meeting will be 13 Jul 2009** at Fellowship Baptist Church at 7PM, Fellowship Hall, 3705 North Monroe. **Members are encouraged to attend International, District and Division meetings and conventions.**

KIWANIS HISTORY . . . the year was 1953

The largest International Convention to date attracted 11,532 delegates to Madison Square Garden in New York. A pre-New York Convention story noted pitcher Whitey Ford began playing baseball in a Kiwanis boys' league. Donald T. Forsythe, a printer and publisher, was elected President. He said, "The Atomic Age has presented us with new and fearsome problems....I believe we Kiwanians have a powerful voice in shaping our destiny. We must continue to accept the responsibility of leadership that has been accorded us."

—[The Kiwanis Legacy](#) and Annual Highlights of Kiwanis International



Current Capital City Kiwanis Club Service Projects

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 north east of I-10.

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.

Ronald McDonald House Pop-Top Tabs/Toiletries: Soda, beer and juice can pop-tops and hotel freebies such as soap, shampoo, etc. are collected at meetings and donated to Ronald McDonald House to help support travelling families of seriously ill or injured children in hospitals.

Meals-on-Wheels: Each week a club member(s) delivers meals from Elder Care Services to about 10 clients on Route G5.

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.

Bethany Apartments Support: CCKC supports children of homeless families in temporary housing at Bethany Apartments, including funding, clothing, kitchen utensils, furniture, playground cleanup and maintenance.

Bethany Apartments Back-to-School Support: Club gives school supplies and backpacks to school-age kids in August.

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.

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.

Santa Calls: CCKC mans telephones at Christmas to answer requests to Santa from children ages 2-5.

Kids School Dictionaries: The club annually provides dictionaries to all 3rd graders at Ruediger Elementary thru the Division 3 Kiwanis Dictionary Project, which provides funding to purchase dictionaries for kids at Tallahassee elementary schools.

Ruediger Elementary Terrific Kids Program: CCKC sponsors recognition and mentoring of outstanding pupils ages 6-11.

Kids Voting: During general elections, CCKC mans a booth at a selected precinct to help educate kids on the election process.

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.

Ralph Davis House: Club stocks food shelves in January and cleans/maintains this Southern Scholarship House in September.

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.

Salvation Army Sharing Tree: Members man 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.

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.

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.

Soldier Care Packages: CCKC periodically sends several packages/backpacks with personal care items to deployed US combat troops.

Special Kids Blood Bank: CCKC volunteers donate blood to the Southeastern Community Blood Bank on Riggins Road to support kids with special needs.

Apples for Teachers: CCKC, Kiwanis Kids and Key Clubs recognize teachers at Ruediger and Rickards for their service with apples twice/year.

Current Capital City Kiwanis Club Fund-Raising Projects

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.

Miracle League: A special Division 3 project in which CCKC joins other Kiwanis Clubs, Florida Disabled Outdoor Association (FDOA), government agencies, business and private organizations, and individuals in a major fund-raising effort to support an athletic field for disabled kids at Messer Field. Kiwanis coordinates the project under the leadership of CCKC's Jim Wylie.

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.

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.

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.

Used Cell Phones and Printer Ink Cartridges: These items are collected at club meetings and turned in to businesses that pay cash for them.

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.

