



# Kiwanis Club of the

# FOOTHILLS

Club Website: <http://www.foothillskiwanis.org/>  
Meetings\ Our club is seeking a new location for our club meetings since La Hacienda closed on June 6

Aug 12, 2009

## Coming up . . .

**8/12/09** Iris Lee, "Dreamcatchers" non-profit

**8/13-8/16/09** – Rocky Mountain District

Annual Convention in Nebraska

**8/19/09** Feedback about August 13-16 RMD

Annual Convention by Foothills attendees

**8/26/09** Phuc Tran, Division 11 Key Club

Lieutenant Governor, "July 22-August 8  
Children of Peace Trip to Vietnam"

**9/2/09** Leah Sullivan, FOCUS (Facilitating

Offenders Choosing Uplifting Solutions)

Non-profit organization

**9/3/09** Foothills Board Meeting at 7:00 a.m.

at President Greg's home in Boulder

**9/9/09** Dennis Ebbets, "Space-Based

Telescopes: Hubbell and Others"

### Program Chairperson(s):

August – Diane Magliolo, Kerry Hassler

September – David Petrick

## Snippets of Recent Foothills Programs

### July 27 – Karen Morales, RTD Fast Track

On July 27, Karen spoke to our club about the Regional Transportation District's plans to extend rail service and expand highways in the Denver Metro area. Ms. Morales discussed with club members the proposed expansion of US highway 36 and future light rail service from Boulder to Denver and Longmont. RTD has applied for Federal assistance from the ARRA recovery act. With the addition of addition of Federal funds, RTD hopes that they will be able to complete the proposed changes to the metro area transportation system by 2014. Ms. Morales clarified that if the necessary funding is not raised to complete the proposed projects, then the deadline for the project completion will be extended.



### August 3 -- Ann Noonan, "Substance Abuse Services in Boulder County"

On August 3, Ann Noonan spoke to our club about her work with the Substance abuse Services. Ms. Noonan described her organization's new facilities on Airport Road, which was a major expansion from their previous location. The substance abuse services center works with individuals of all ages ranging from children to adults. The center works with the Boulder county justice system to help give young people options rather than going to jail. Ms. Noonan has lived in the Boulder area for over 27 years and is thankful to have a chance to make a positive difference in the community.



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## **August 6 Foothills Kiwanis Board Meeting Minutes**

-- *Dennis Hubbard, Secretary*

The Kiwanis Club of the Foothills Board of Directors met at Gregg Lefferdink's on August 6, 2009. President Lefferdink called the meeting to order at 7:01 am. 9 members were present.

Board members: President Lefferdink, Secretary Hubbard, Treasurer Girard, Person, Petrick, Rogers, Sprengle, Wood  
Guests: Hassler

MINUTES: July Board minutes were approved as presented.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Girard presented the June and July financials and were approved as presented.

SECRETARY'S REPORT: A letter will be sent from President Lefferdink to member Cramer regarding her attendance. Unless the Board hears differently, Cramer will be dropped from the membership list effective August 1, 2009.

--Petrick asked for a LOA effective August 20 thru November 15, 2009 for work related absence. The LOA was approved.

OLD BUSINESS: Following a vote of Club members, it is recommended to the Board that the new meeting take place at the Spice of Life Event Center at the Flatirons Club effective Wednesday, August 12 at 7 am. It appears that

the Wednesday morning will have two possible member conflicts. The members will be consulted about the change in meeting day. The Club will be under contract until the end of September. The breakfast will cost an additional \$2 a week, or \$24 a quarter. A members' vote will be taken at the regular meeting August 12.

--Person will contact Mohling about his return and active involvement in the Club.

--Representatives to the District Convention on August 14/15 are Hassler, McGehan, and Rogers.

NEW BUSINESS: The Board approved \$400 to Phuc Tran for expenses to attend the opening of a Children of Peace school in Vietnam. Tran is very active in the Key Club at Peak to Peak school and past Lieutenant Governor of the Division. There was one dissenting vote.

--Lefferdink will contact Schweitzer regarding the preparation of a silent auction gift basket at the District Convention.

--A proposal was made to celebrate the Club's 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary at the Officer Installation Dinner in October.

--Lefferdink gave an update on member Markham's health.

--Rogers will contact the district Foundation regarding the \$2200 check to be presented to KPTI at the District Convention.

The Board adjourned at 8:06 am.

## **Gerald Mordhorst Receives Kiwanis International Sustaining Donor Award**

On July 27, President Greg presented to club member Gerald Mordhorst with a Kiwanis International "Sustaining Donor Award" for his ongoing donations that help KI programs to provide help to needy children around the world. Many kudos go to Gerald and other Foothills Kiwanis members who give donations to Kiwanis International.



## **Foothills Kiwanis Meetings on Wednesdays**

Foothills Kiwanis is meeting at 7:00 a.m. on Wednesdays at the Spice of Life Events Center starting on August 12, pending approval of the change from 7:00 a.m. Monday morning meetings by club members during our August 19 meeting. We appreciate your feedback on this change, and look forward to seeing if this move will work as a permanent change for our club.

## **Foothills Kiwanis Club is Turning 40 Years Old!**

Have any memories of your service? Please share them with your fellow members!

## **Rocky Mountain District Convention in Scottsbluff**

The Kiwanis Rocky Mountain District Annual Meeting is this weekend, August 13-16. Best wishes to Kerry Hassler, Fred McGehan, and Dave Rogers who will be attending.