



Kiwanis Club of the Foothills

Club Website: www.foothillskiwanis.org
Meetings: Every Monday at 7:00 a.m. at the Spice of Life Event Center, 5706 Arapahoe Ave., Boulder CO

June 20, 2011

Coming up . . .

6/20/11 – Anne Quinby Dyni, “Erie Colorado: A Coal Town Revisited”

6/27/11 – Ray Purinton, “Experiences Living in China”

7/7/11 7:00 a.m. – Foothills Board Mtg.

7/4/11 – Folsom Field 4th of July Foothills Fundraiser (no 7:00 a.m. club meeting)

7/11/11 – Dennis Hubbard, “Scenes from Around-the-World Voyage” (Part 1)

7/18/11 – Dennis Hubbard, “Scenes from Around-the-World Voyage” (Part 2)

7/25/11 – Gary Symes, “April 29 2011 Boulder Children’s Day and Awards”

Program Chairpersons:

July – Fred McGehan

August -- Open

Snippets from Recent Club Programs

6/6/11 -- Tony Arguello, “Ecuador World Teach Commitment”

Tony talked to our club about his commitment to teach English in Ecaudor for two years starting in August, arranged though the “World Teach” non-profit organization (see -- www.worldteach.org) started in 1986 by Harvard studens and now an affiliate of the Harvard Center for International Development. His classes will be held in community centers for mostly adults. Tony will also lead community awareness classes to teach especially kids about dental care, and thos in farming about about growing gardens organically. He is also hoping to set up an “Internet classroom” to allow people in Ecaudor and the U.S. to have a cross-cultural class experience. Tony starts his teaching assignment in August. To get more info, go to -- www.tonyarguello.bbnow.org. Details of his July 9 fundraiser are at [http://dl.dropbox.com/u/31360884/Wine Fundraiser Flyer FINAL.doc](http://dl.dropbox.com/u/31360884/Wine%20Fundraiser%20Flyer%20FINAL.doc)



6/13/11 – Andrew Romanoff, “iDE and Global Poverty”

Andrew talked about the Colorado-based iDE non-profit he recently joined that provides training to needy people in 11 third-world countries to improve their lives through better business practices and using new technologies. Over the past 28 years, iDE has worked with more than 3.8 million familes to improve their combined income by over 1 billion dollars. A majority of the people helped are in agricultural jobs, where iDE helps them improve crop production and use better sales practices. Some of the technologies iDE helps implement are slow-drip irrigation systems, human- and solar-powered water-pumps, and ceramic water filters. iDE also helps local companies by working with them to manufacture these new technologies to lower their costs. Training is done by using a truck with a projection-screen in the truckbed shell, with a story-line about how using new technologies can lead to greater happiness. It’s estimated that 65,000 iDE devices have been bought, creating more than 250,000 jobs in the countries where they’re used. iDE has 325 paid staff members around the world, with 20 of these located in their Lakewood headquarters. In-country ssalaries are set by local iDE managers to attract high-quality employees. For more info, go to -- www.ideorg.org.



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New Foothills Club Members Inducted on June 6

During our Monday, June 6 Foothills meeting, Jerry Gilland and Fred McGehan led the induction ceremony of new club members Leni Buhler, Susan Dickinson, and Karen Mahon. All three will be working with Jerry to train puppies for our club's Service Dog Project. If you've not done so already, introduce yourself and welcome these three new members to our club.



Fred McGehan reads the principles of Kiwanis International to new members Susan, Karen, and Leni



Susan, Karen, and Leni - Welcome to Foothills Kiwanis!

Volunteers Needed for Foothills 4th of July Fireworks Fundraiser for our club's 2010-2011 Project Account

To raise funds for our club's Project Account which are used to provide donations to various organizations (especially those that help kids), each year Foothills Kiwanis volunteers collect donations before and after the 4th of July fireworks celebration at the University of Colorado's Folsom Field. Most of the volunteers stand behind collection booths to receive cash donations from those who attend, while others count cash donations collected. If we can provide 25 volunteers who are club members, relatives, and/or friends, we'll receive \$2500 from the fireworks organizers. Otherwise, for volunteers from other Kiwanis clubs or organizations, they will get part of the \$2500. Please sign up on the sheet passed around during today's club meeting, or contact President Joe directly.

June 14 Flag Day Ceremony Led by Golden Nuggets

On Tuesday, June 14 from 4-5 p.m. at the Carillon facility in Boulder, Foothills Kiwanis members Dave Rogers and Kerry Hassler attended a Flag Day Ceremony organized by the Golden Nuggets Kiwanis Club of Boulder. The program consisted of patriotic songs played on the clarinet by local-area musician Artie Gallo and sung by those in attendance; and the last half was a tribute to our country's flag by Arlene Devore of the Golden Nuggets. It was a great way to honor our flag!



Arlene Devore reads tribute to America on Flag Day

Foothills Kiwanis Reminders

- The 92nd Annual Rocky Mountain District Convention will be held from August 11-14 at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Colorado Springs. On-line registration forms can be found at -- www.rmdkiwanis.com. The cost of convention registration and events will be paid by our club (travel and hotel are not). To avoid a \$10 late fee, register by July 28.
- For the first club meeting of each month, bring either –
 - Snack items, or a grocery coupon for buying snack items, to help Blue Sky Bridge kids in counseling – OR –
 - Bar soap, toothbrush, toothpaste, and other personal care items to help Sister Carmen in-need families that'll be forwarded to these organizations by Woody or another club member. Thanks for your contributions!