



Kiwanis Club of the

FOOTHILLS

Club Website: www.foothillskiwanis.org

Meetings: Monday at 7:00 am at Coal Creek Golf Course,
585 W Dillon Rd, Louisville, CO 80027 (303) 666-7888

May 13, 2019

Coming up . . .

- 5/13/19 – Stephen Jones, How to be a Horror Professor
- 5/20/19 – Hannah Jamsay, Uplift International
- 5/27/19 – Memorial Day Celebration - Bolder Boulder Starting Line at 6 am
- 6/3/19 – Michael Allen, Rocky Mountain Conservancy
- 6/5/19 – Foothills Board of Directors meeting at Coal Creek Golf Course at 7 am
- 6/10/19 – Open
- 6/17/19 – Open
- 6/24/19 – Open
- 7/3/19 – Foothills Board of Directors meeting at Coal Creek Golf Course at 7 am

Program Chairperson:

- April/May – Bob Mohling
- May/June – Steve Hinson
- July, Aug, Sept – Open

Snippets from Recent Club Programs

4/22 & 29 – Dr. Del Tackett, Video: Is Genesis History?

In the video sessions, Dr. Tackett compared two views of history: conventional (defined by natural processes occurring slowly over billions of years) and Genesis (defined by recent, direct actions of God as recorded in the Bible). Many people look at the earth and assume uniform processes acted over long ages to form what we see around us. Yet Mount St. Helens



reveals how major catastrophes can quickly create geological formations. It also shows how eyewitness accounts are necessary to understand what happened in the past. Dr. Tackett thinks that when one looks at the evidence as a whole, starting with the text of Genesis, then moving through the rocks, the fossils, the genetic code, the animals, the stars, the artifacts, and the nature of culture, it is much more reasonable to view the events of Genesis as real history. The video provided an interesting comparison to what we have been taught in school.

5/6/19 – Dean James White, Why We Should Celebrate the Liberal Arts

Jim White is the current Interim Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Colorado Boulder. He joined the faculty in 1989 in Geological Sciences and the Institute of Arctic and Alpine Research. Throughout his career he has strived to combine the social sciences and humanities with the natural sciences to better address issues of humans and the environment. In his presentation, he defined the term “liberal arts” and gave several false narratives of the term. The Greeks believed it should include instruction in grammar, logic, rhetoric, math, and geometry; they wanted educated students and citizens. He is taking his presentation around the state to encourage students to enroll in liberal arts; he has data to show that graduates are in demand and get good salaries. Today employers are looking for critical thinkers with good communication and social skills. Bottom line: students should choose to study what they like!



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2019 Scholarship Application Winners Announced

-- Paul Bailey, Committee Chair

We have five winners for college scholarships. Paul and his committee have made the following selections:

- \$1000 to Camila Avitia of Boulder High to attend University of Colorado Boulder
- \$1000 to Perla Marlene Arciniega of Fairview High to attend Front Range Community College
- \$1000 to Faith Brendefur of Centarus High to attend University of Colorado Boulder
- \$500 to Ashley Haman of Broomfield High to attend University of Southern California or California Polytechnic State University
- \$500 to Achlin Gonzalez of Justice High to attend Bethany College KS

Congratulations to all the students for their hard work! We wish each of them success in the next step of their education.

5/9/19 – Peak to Peak HS Key Club

-- Bob Mohling, Kiwanis Sponsor



Taylor is shown giving presentation on volunteer opportunities for the summer.

About 45 students attended the final Key Club meeting of the current school year. The officers provided a PowerPoint presentation of completed volunteer events, volunteer opportunities for the summer, names of new club officers, requested feedback ideas, and offered membership sign up for 2019-20 school year. The new club officers are:

- President: Tiffany Tran
- VP: Taylor Gallo
- Secretary: Ryan McCallan
- Treasurer: Aiyana Rockwell
- Editor: Michelle Lieng
- Webmaster: Emily Leonard

Aishna Kumari and Sophia Dunkin will be invited to all officer meetings for training since they attended the District Convention. It appears that about five will be attending Wilderness Camp as guests of The Salvation Army; camp date had to be changed to July 15-20. Ms. Medina is taking several students to Morocco in 2020 for service trip. Thanks to all Key Club members and Ms. Medina for a successful year!

5/1/19 Waverly Celebrates Birthday

-- Bob Mohling

About 30 USGS workers, neighbors, and church friends helped Waverly celebrate his 93rd birthday at Morning Star assisted living facility in Boulder. He is recovering from a minor stroke about 4 weeks ago. It was good to meet Frank, his good neighbor, and Jim Dewey, his co-worker at USGS. He asked that I greet all his friends in the club. Happy 93rd, Waverly!



Waverly enjoyed seeing his friends

5/11/19 - Sweet Dream in a Bag Packaging Event

The event is scheduled for Saturday, May 11, 9 am-12 pm, at The Salvation Army Broomfield Center, located at 1080 Brich Street. Capt. Mark is the event champion. This message from Susie and Wayne:

Since the first of the year over 1,000 children have been able to choose their new Sweet Dream Bag and have many, many cozy nights sleep! We are so thankful for all the caseworkers who see the children's bedding needs and are willing to take their own time to set up the Gifting Events. The Pack and Pray volunteers events continues to make plentiful bedding for the Gifting Events. So many faithful volunteers have come to the gifting events, giving their caring and time to the children and their families. The many wonderful donors have made it all possible to purchase new bedding for the children! We are just in awe that Sweet Dream is able to gift so many precious children that need to have their own bedding to sleep well each night and to feel special and cared for. Thank you all for making this possible!!! Sweet Dream has now gifted over 11,500 children!

Upcoming Community Service & Sponsored Youth Events

The Board of Directors has approved the following projects:

- **Bolder Boulder Race: Bandit Control** – Our club and friends will want to volunteer for the 41st running of the BOLDER on Boulder Memorial Day Race. Details to follow. Ask David Petrick to sign you up.