



Kiwanis Club of the

Foothills

Club Website: www.foothillskiwanis.org
Meetings: Every Monday at 7:00 a.m. at the Egg & I,
2574 Baseline Rd, Boulder, CO 80303, 303-494-0555

Feb. 20, 2017

Coming up . . .

- 2/20/17 – Doug Yeiser, Foothills United Way
- 2/26/17 – Stars of Tomorrow Youth Talent Show at Gordon Theater of the Dairy Center
- 2/27/17 – Mary Jo Lakhal, Greenwood Wildlife Rehabilitation Center
- 3/2/17 - 7:00 a.m. Foothills Board meeting at the Egg & I in Basemar Shopping Center
- 3/6/17 – Erin Wright, Boulder Ensemble Theatre Company
- 3/13/17 - Cliff Bosley, Bolder Boulder
- 3/20/17 - Alyson Thorne, Thorne Nature Programs
- 3/27/17 – open
- 5/6/17 - Taste of Boulder Fundraiser

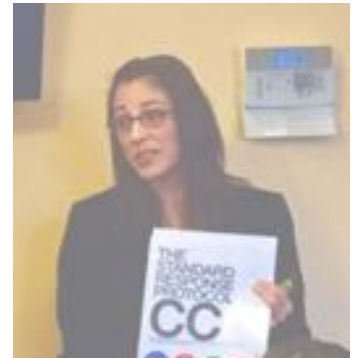
Program Chairpersons:

- February – David Petrick
- March - Dave Rogers
- April - Open

Snippets from Recent Club Programs

February 6 – Sabra Jewell, I Love U Guys Foundation

Sabra, Development Director of “I love u guys Foundation” (ILUGF) spoke about how this organization was started, its mission, and what the organization is currently doing within our communities. ILUGF, unfortunately, was founded as result of a school tragedy within our backyard, Bailey, CO. In late 2006, a lone gunman entered the Platte Canyon HS in Bailey and held hostage 7 girls of which one was killed, Emily Keyes. Before being killed, Emily texted her parents “I love u guys. K?” As a result of losing their child, Ellen & John-Michael Keyes (parents) began leveraging their corporate skills to spearhead children safety discussions with experts in education, law enforcement, emergency management and psychologists to protect children in school. These efforts resulted in the founding of this foundation in late 2006. Two of the foundation’s notable products are: the SRPs (Standard Response Protocol) & SRMs (Standard Reunification Method); the SRP was introduced to schools and first responders in 2009 and is commonly known as the Lockout, Lockdown, Evacuate & Shelter scenarios/actions. These training tools are now within 16,000 schools across North America and over 492K teachers and administrators and 50K Police Officers are now trained on these protocols. The protocols are free to any school, district, department, agency or organization and are downloadable from ILUGF’s website. In 2015, ILUGF had a \$225K budget; how to donate & to find additional information on this organization, please visit their website: http://iloveuguy.org/about_us.html



February 13 – Lea Anne Paskvalich, Temple Grandin School

Lea Anne, Director of Public Relations, spoke to our members about the Temple Grandin School - a five-year old school that serves students with Asperger’s and similar learning profiles. Lea Anne has lived in Boulder since 1998, and got involved in an early intervention with her young son who showed signs of autism. The school provides a supportive, socially engaging educational community for bright students with autism spectrum disorder to recognize and realize their potential. It has a full academic program delivered by highly-qualified content specialist teachers. The staff-student ratio is 1:3 with class sizes of 4-8 students. Thanks, Lea Anne, for an interesting program. More information can be obtained at www.templegrandinschool.org.



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The 65th Annual Stars of Tomorrow Youth Talent Show Set for February 26

-- Paul Bailey, Circle K Club Sponsor

This event will feature actors, dancers, singers and instrumentalists in Classical and Contemporary Performance. The talent show will take place Sunday afternoon, February 26th, 2017 in the Gordon Theater of the Dairy Center for the Arts. It is located at 2590 Walnut Street, Boulder, CO 80302. Sound check 10 am-12 pm, doors open to the Public at 1:15 pm. Performances take place from 1:30 pm-4:30 pm immediately followed by an awards presentation. The general public is invited to attend at no cost, and our club foundation sponsors the event so that there is no cost to participants. More info at <https://sites.google.com/site/boulderstarsoftomorrow/>

Taste of Boulder Fundraiser Scheduled for May 6

-- Rich Plumridge, Project Chairperson

Please reserve Saturday, May 6, 2017 from 1-4 PM for our famous Taste of Boulder (TOB) fundraiser. For those not familiar with TOB, it is one of our major fundraisers. It also helps raise the profile of the Club and is an enjoyable experience for Club members and their friends. In short, we recruit 12-15 restaurants near or on Pearl Street to provide small (and sometimes more than small) samplings of their food to holders of tickets to TOB that the Club sells. The price has been \$15 for many years, except for the partnership with the Boulder Valley Girls Softball organization (BVGS) described below. Pete Sprenkle originated and led the project many years ago and is still helping where he can. It is also a major fundraiser for BVGS, who buys the tickets from the Club for \$5 and sells them for \$15. Joe Girard took on the task last year. Rich Plumridge has agreed to lead the effort this year. Joe and Audrey Girard have graciously agreed to help with the process, particularly the substantial IT, mailing and other operational requirements. The TOB also requires a substantial commitment from a number of Club members to help follow up with calls to the restaurants to induce them to participate. The membership has always been very supportive traditionally. Rich will be calling soon to request the necessary help. As requested, he will endeavor to assign restaurants to those caller volunteers who have called them in the past. Please be proactive and call Rich if you have a good relationship with any of these restaurants that you can help with.

February 9 Foothills Kiwanis Board Minutes

-- Dennis Hubbard, Foothills Kiwanis Secretary

The Board of the Foothills Kiwanis met at the Egg and I on February 9, 2017. President Petrick called the meeting to order at 7:02. Attending were: President Petrick, Treasurer Gilland, Secretary Hubbard, Baumann, Hurst, Plumridge, Rogers.

Guests: None

SECRETARY'S REPORT: The January minutes were approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT: A motion was made and seconded to approve the January Treasurer's report. Passed.

NEW BUSINESS: Discussion was held about the upcoming spring projects: Stars of Tomorrow in February; Taste of Downtown Boulder in May.

--Discussion was held regarding increasing membership. The idea of printing business cards to hand out was suggested. This idea will be presented at the next board meeting.

--District Convention will be March 4/5 in Ft. Collins. Petrick and others are planning to attend.

--Petrick plans to attend the Longmont Kiwanis and wants other Flatiron's members to attend. Petrick will try to arrange for February 22.

The Kiwanis Club Board Meeting adjourned at 7:29.

Dennis Hubbard, Secretary

February 9 Foothills Boulder Foundation Board Minutes -- Dennis Hubbard, Foothills Kiwanis Secretary

The Board of the Foothills Kiwanis Foundation met at the Egg and I on February 9, 2016. President Petrick called the meeting to order at 7:29 am. Attending were Board members: President Petrick, Treasurer Gilland, Secretary Hubbard, Baumann, Hurst, Plumridge, Rogers.

Guests: None

SECRETARY'S REPORT: January minutes were approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT: A motion was made to approve the January Foundation Treasurer and Service Dog Project reports. Passed.

GENERAL BUSINESS: A request was made by Kiwanis District to contribute \$3 per regular member to support the District K-Club activity account. A motion was made and approved for \$60.

--An update was given on the upcoming golf tournament.

Contacting potential sponsors is critical. Club members will match sponsors' contribution.

--A motion was made and approved to accept a new scholarship application. Also approved was a motion to allow the applicant to send the application by regular mail or return the completed application on line.

--A motion was made and approved to give \$75 to four K-Club members to its convention for a total of \$300.

The Foothills Kiwanis Foundation Board meeting adjourned at 7:52.

Dennis Hubbard, Secretary

Upcoming Programs at Broomfield Veterans Memorial Museum

25 February, Lew Roman served with the US Navy during the Vietnam War and was in the Mekong Delta on barges that supported Riverine Operations to interdict movement of North Vietnamese troops and assist US Army units operating in the Delta.

11 March, Colleen Sawyer is a Broomfield resident and previous Coffee and Conversation Speaker ("Letters from WWII: A Love Story"). Her special talk will cover the visit of Mamie Doud Eisenhower to Broomfield to dedicate the opening of the new Broomfield Public Library – now the Broomfield Veterans Memorial Museum.

Thoughts and Prayers for Our Club Members

- To Pete Sprenkle, as he continues to battle bone-marrow cancer at home.
- To Kerry Hassler, as he recovers from eye surgery, undergoing medical testing, and plans for surgery on his second eye