



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

May 18, 2015

Coming up . . .

5/25/15 6:00 a.m. – Bolder Boulder 10K
Starting-Line Fundraiser (no club meeting)

6/1/15 – Open

6/4/15– 7:00 a.m. Foothills Board meetings
at the Egg & I in Basemar Shopping Center

6/8/15 – Open

Program Chairpersons:

May – Joe Girard

June – Joe Girard

Snippets from Recent Club Programs

May 4 – Joe Falconer, Aerial Data Systems, "Current State of UAV (Drone)Technology, Regulations, and Possibilities"

Joe, a former commercial pilot and longtime aviation fan, talked about Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (UAVs or small “drones”) that are being developed for a variety of business and government purposes. The size of these UAVs range from small helicopter or fixed-wing craft as big as a breadbox weighing less than 5 pounds, to crafts that have a wingspan over 5 feet weighing more than 30 pounds that cost \$400,000. The cameras used on these craft are typically standard products (like Sony) that take photo with density of 24 Mpixels or more, with some using infrared cameras for special purposes such as analyzing farmer crops for nitrogen content. The maximum altitude for UAV flights is 400 feet as set by FAA regulations, with flight times ranging from 20 minutes to hours depending on the UAV application. The State of Colorado is using drones to monitor areas along major highways where rockslides are possible by putting markers on individual rocks, and using weekly UAV flights to detect when these rocks shift. Companies and individuals who wish to use UAVs for some purpose must get approval from the FAA via meeting their Section 333 regulations, and then file flight-plans for UAV flights similar to any private aircraft. Colorado legislators are currently debating how to protect the privacy of citizens where UAV photos are talking photos. For more information, see -- aerialdatasystems.com.



May 11 – Kevin Harner, Rocky Mountain Rescue Group, “Mountain Rescues in Boulder County”

Kevin talked about the rescue activities of the all-volunteer Rocky Mountain Rescue Group that was founded to help rescue hikers and climbers in primarily Boulder County in 1947. The 60 members of the group averages 150-160 rescues each year through 14,000 volunteer hours of service, about half of those rescued being hikers. Their rescue teams usually drive to the rescue locations, but at times they use helicopters from “Flight for Life” or from Buckley Air Force base. The most common rescue sites in Boulder County are the Boulder Flatirons, Eldorado Canyon State Park, and Boulder Canyon, where sometimes they also assist with rescues in Rocky Mountain National Park and in areas near the Continental Divide. The group is contacted to provide assistance from local police 911 operators and the Boulder County Sheriff’s Office. The annual budget for the group is about \$60,000 which comes mostly from state/local government funding. For more info, see -- www.rockymountainrescue.org.



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May 8 Foothills Kiwanis Board Meeting Notes

- *Dennis Hubbard, Foothills Kiwanis Secretary*

The Board of the Foothills Kiwanis Club met at the Egg and I Restaurant on May 7, 2015. President Pauluhn called the meeting to order at 7:00 a.m. Attending were Board members: President Pauluhn, Treasurer Gilland, Secretary Hubbard, Bailey, Mohling, Sprengle, Symes.

Guests: Steve Gilland

SECRETARY'S REPORT: A motion was made and seconded to approve the April minutes. Report approved.

--An membership application from Sheri Michael was presented and approved.

--The email resignation of Dan Stiles was approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT: A motion was made and seconded to approve the April report.

GENERAL BUSINESS: The Board discussed a possible reduction in member dues at the end of the fiscal year. Further discussion will be held at the June Board meeting.

--Discussion was held and a motion was made to cancel the monthly dues of the President. The dues cancellation was expressed as monetary relief for the time served in the position. Passed.

--Discussion was held about providing financial support for the organization, Closing the Gap. Approval was tabled as the Board wants more information about the organization.

--Discussion was held for possible candidates for the President-Elect position. At this time, there are no candidates.

--Gilland led a discussion about charging guests for the meal. A motion was made not to charge the guests. Approved.

--Symes talked with Allison DeYoung about the Club's investments. A motion was made to have a report in January and June regarding the investments. Approved.

The Foothills Kiwanis Club Board meeting adjourned at 7:31.

May 8 Foothills Kiwanis Boulder Foundation Board Meeting Notes - *Dennis Hubbard, Foothills Secretary*

The Board of the Foothills Kiwanis Foundation met at the Egg and I Restaurant on May 7, 2015. President Pauluhn called the meeting to order at 7:33. Attending were: President Pauluhn, Treasurer Gilland, Secretary Hubbard, Bailey, Mohling, Sprengle, Symes.

Guests: Steve Gilland

SECRETARY'S REPORT: A motion was made and seconded the April minutes be approved. Report passed.

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

--A motion was made to approve the Dog Project's Treasurer's report. Passed.

NEW BUSINESS: Four \$1,000 scholarships were approved for the following students: Reagan Courtemanche. Peak to Peak HS; Anne Cox, Nederland HS; Nick Inslee, Centaurus HS; and Morgan Brenda, Centaurus HS.

--A motion was made to make a \$200 donation as speaker recognition for Closing the Gap organization. Approved.

--It was noted that a \$2,000 donation was given to Attention Homes in March. The amount was previously approved as a

budget item. Club member Rich Plumridge plans to attend Attention Homes event in May.

--A request was made for \$150 Easter matching fund and \$150 donation for summer camp to show support for the Kiev Kiwanis Club. The request was tabled as the budget needs to be revisited.

--Mohling reported that \$7,800 has been committed for the golf tournament. Not all has been collected.

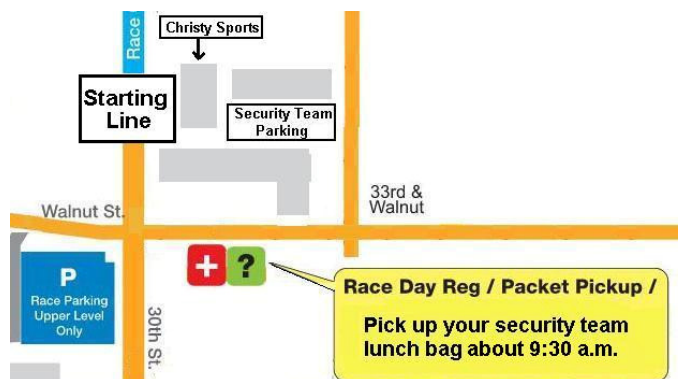
--Gilland and McMullen are presenting a service dog seminar on May 16. A motion was made to approve the seminar as a club project. Passed.

The Kiwanis Foundation Board Meeting adjourned at 8:02.

Bolder Boulder 10K Starting-Line Fundraiser

-- *Bob Mohling, Starting-Line Project Coordinator*

Thanks for volunteering to help start the 37th annual 2015 Bolder Boulder 10K Race on Monday, May 25th. Currently, we have 14 members from our Kiwanis Club and six from the Monarch Key Club. Volunteers need to arrive at the starting line at **6:00 a.m.** on May 25, and stay until all runners/walkers have been started about 9:30 a.m. Please meet at the volunteer check-in tent on the east side of 30th Street north of Walnut where you'll receive additional instructions. (Note: Parking is available on behind the Christy Sports store as shown on the map below.) You must wear the Bolder Boulder Security T-shirt planned for distribution this morning by Fred Fusilier, our starting-line supervisor. Remember: Be prepared for the weather and use sun-screen since you'll be outdoors until all runners/walkers have been started.



Update for June 15 Foothills "Dog Days" Benefit Golf Tourney -- *Bob Mohling, Golf Tourney Committee*

Funds from golfer registrations and sponsors are coming in for the tournament. As of last week, we have \$6555 paid and \$8075 committed. Ten golf foursomes have either paid or are committed to play. A signup sheet to help on tournament day is available for all club members to help. Let the golf committee know if you can suggest golfers, sponsors, and/or donors for the silent auction. Thanks for your help!