



Kiwanis Club of the

Foothills

Club Website: www.foothillskiwanis.org

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

Sept. 10, 2018

Coming up . . .

- 9/10/18 – Foothills Board of Directors meeting at Coal Creek Golf Club
- 9/17/18 – Rudi Baumann, Patagonia Frontiers
- 9/24/18 – Officer/Director Installation & Year in Review with Lt. Gov. Heather McChesney
- 10/1/18 – Kristan Pritz & Clay Shuck, Open Space & Trails in Broomfield
- 10/8/18 – Eva Doyle - author of The Reluctant Leader, "Gettin' Along Lessons from the Homeless Shelter"
- 10/15/18 - Peggy Leech – Boulder League of Women Voters, Political Gerrymandering – Amendments Y&Z
- 10/22/18 – Capt. Mark Czanderna, Red Kettle Program with North Metro Kiwanis Club
- 10/29/18 – Dave Shinneman, "Spotlight on Broomfield - New Development in our Community".

Program Chairpersons:

September – Bob Mohling
October – David Besel

Snippets from Recent Club Programs

August 25 - Pack Away Hunger Event at The Salvation Army



The final results are in for our disaster kit packaging event held August 25 with volunteer partners from Risen Savior, The Salvation Army, Wells Fargo, and our club members and family. We prepared, assembled and packaged 15,522 meals. There were 62 workers that included all ages from grandchildren to grandparents. We had one hiccup when we ran out of dried vegetables and had to wait for a new supply to be delivered from Reunion. We took a pizza break and went back to work upon the delivery of vegetables. Thanks to all who made this event a success!

August 20 – Peak to Peak Key Club Officers Meeting

Dave and Bob attended the officer meeting in Ms. Medina's classroom to plan for the new school year. The new officers and their Faculty Advisor are shown in the photo: President – Tiffany, VP – Taylor, Secretary – Ryan, Treasurer – Jessica, and Editor – Michelle. It was reported that over 50 students want to join Key Club. The District Convention (DCON) for Key Club will be held March 29-31. Tiffany and Jessica told how important DCON was for their education of Key Club. Options for school/community services projects include: Thirst Project, Children of Peace, Sister Carmen, Habitat for Humanity flood restoration in India. Thanks to Ms. Medina for her awesome guidance!



Tiffany, Taylor, Ryan, Jessica, Michelle, and Ms. Medina



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August 30 - Peak to Peak HS Key Club Meeting



Ms. Medina's classroom was filled to capacity

Over 70 students attended the Information meeting for them to learn about requirements and service projects for Key Club. The PowerPoint presentation was put together by the Key Club. So far 87 students have indicated they "want to join Key Club"; dues are required to be paid at the next meeting. It will be interesting to see how many will attend the next meeting. The semester meeting dates at 12:45 pm are: September 13 & 27, October 11 & 25, November 8, and December 6.

Rocky Mountain District Kiwanis Annual Convention August 9-11, 2018

The convention was held at Double Tree by Hilton Hotel & Conference Center, 919 7th Street, Greeley, CO 80631. Our three attendees have provided convention highlight summaries in this and the previous newsletter. These summaries are provided by Dave Rogers and Bob Mohling.



Dave's Summary – Bob, David, and I all attended a "Meet the Candidates" session, two forums, the Interclub Luncheon and the Business Meeting of Saturday's portion of the convention. In addition, we all attended a very interesting and informative forum/demonstration of current drone technology, presented by a local commercial drone operator.

The primary feeling I came away with is that our District leadership is in good hands for the next two years with the elections of Gov. Tim Sheppard of Cheyenne, WY, and Gov. Elect Derek Manley of Scottsbluff, NE. Both are very impressive.

My first Forum was "Let's Grow - Club Advising" led by Gov. Elect Manley. A key "new" point from that session was that we should invite prospective new members to participate

in our projects as a way to interest them, in addition to, or rather than, inviting them to a meeting. At least one club has "Project Members" where individuals that can't attend club meetings pay only club and international dues, much like our "puppy family" Associate Members. Another way to increase project participation would be to do joint projects with other clubs. That would work well with us joining up with the new Broomfield Club, where they have more young (capable) workers and we have more funds available.

A key point from my 2nd forum, "Let's Grow - Membership Matters", led by Jon Mangino, was that a good way to increase club vitality is to get to know our members better. This can be accomplished by having social events with spouses, having a "Kiwanian of the Day" at meetings, play the "Two Truths and a Lie" game, or invite family members to new member or officer inductions.

I have attended many District conferences and conventions and find them both interesting and educational. I urge all members, especially new officers, to attend one if possible. The club pays most expenses.

Bob's Summary

1. Division 11 Meeting Highlights

- Recognition: Lt. Gov. Heather McChesney, Division 11, presented Foothills Club with Distinguished Club Patch
 - Approved \$300 to District Foundation in Heather's name; Key Club convention expenses not used this year.
 - Reminded us that we should send \$3/member for Division dues 2018-19 based on October 1 roster.
 - Balance on hand = \$1,862
- #### ***2. Club Challenge*** – was made by Michelle Hoffner, President, Broomfield North Metro Kiwanis to Foothills Kiwanis to a Red Kettle competition for Salvation Army. They have 15 members and growing.
- #### ***3. Membership, Membership, Membership***
- 200 new clubs at International level so far this administrative year. "Let's Grow" theme for 2018-19 year.
 - Member expectation reminder – each should bring in one new member per year.
 - Satellite Club – offshoot of club usually to accommodate schedules of working members
 - 3-2-1 Club – independent club of young professionals with monthly 3 hrs. of service, 2 hrs. social, and 1 hr. meeting
 - Membership blitz effective, but takes weeks to complete; suggest multiple/year
- #### ***4. Corporate membership*** – allows our club to add local corporation, company or government organization as a member.
- Designate representative who holds membership
 - If member cannot attend, another representative can attend in their place
 - If member takes new job, a new representative takes his/her place
 - Just note corporate membership on the membership application form – just report name changes
- #### ***5. Kiwanis Moments/Happy Dollars*** – consider significant club history moments along with happy dollars to help new members learn traditions and experience of club