



# Kiwanis Club of the

# Foothills

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

Oct. 28, 2013

## Coming up . . .

- 10/28/13** – Jerry Gilland, Our Under Appreciated Friends
- 11/4/13** – Steve Burns, Connecting While Communicating
- 11/7/13 – 7:00 a.m.** Foothills Board Meeting at The Egg & I (Basemar Shopping Center)
- 11/11/13** – Mark Bergeland, Space Programs at Ball
- 11/18/13** – Lt. Isaias Braga, Salvation Army Bell Ringing Program
- 11/25/13** – CU Athletic Dept. Program (tentative)

### Program Chairpersons:

November – Bob  
December – Open

## Snippets from Recent Club Programs

### October 7 – Rudi Baumann, Panama Canal Cruise

Our club member, Rudi, gave a presentation on Sharon and his Panama Canal cruise. His photos gave an up-close look at an engineering marvel with visits to magnificent destinations in the Caribbean and Latin America. They sailed through three sets of locks that float the cruise ship from sea level up to 85 feet and back down again, often with just inches to spare on either side. Rudi indicated that work is in progress on the new and wider set of locks. The new locks recycle the lock water instead of losing millions of gallons of fresh water to the ocean for each ship transit in the current set of locks. Thanks to Rudi for this travel presentation!



### October 14 – Jorge De Santiago, AMISTAD Program

Jorge, Executive Director El Centro Amistad, came to thank our club for the gift of \$5,000 of financial aid to El Centro for ten families that lost everything due to the recent area flood. Many families (120) had to leave their homes. Only two families qualified for FEMA assistance. In some cases, all possessions accumulated over the past ten years were lost due to the flood waters. The money will purchase clothing and items for the children. Jorge reminded us of all the Amistad activities that include: soccer and games, family activities, cooking and dancing. He told us of a Latino family who helped a wealthy Boulder family for three days with moving flood damaged items and house repair. The Hispanic family did not want to accept any funds from the homeowner they helped even though his family lost their own home and many possessions. Jorge convinced the Hispanic family to accept \$600 for their efforts. Thanks to Jorge for all that his organization does in the community!

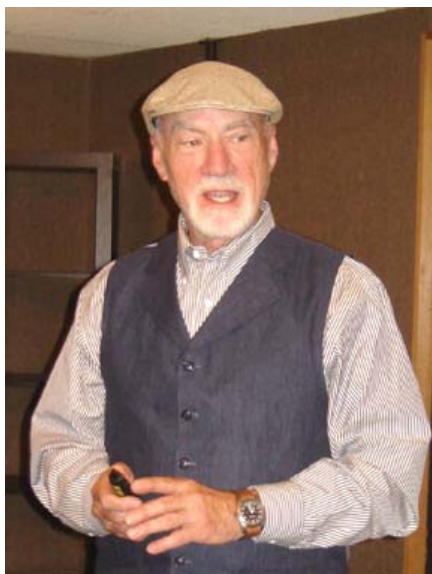


- President**  
Adam Pauluhn
- Past President**  
Gary Symes
- President-Elect**  
(Open)
- Secretary**  
Dennis Hubbard
- Treasurer**  
Jerry Gilland
- Board of Directors**  
Paul Bailey  
Rudi Baumann  
Jim Creasey  
Allison DeYoung  
Bob Mohling  
David Petrick  
Pete Sprenkle

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## **October 21– Michael O’Neill, Tragedies & Accidents**

Michael gave our club members more information about the Switzerland Trail as a follow-up to his July 15 talk on this topic. Located on Sugarloaf Mountain up Four-Mile Canyon, the trail came about in



1883 with the construction of a narrow-gauge “Greeley, Salt Lake & Pacific” railroad to carry gold and silver ore from the mountains to be refined. Michael described three major accidents for the railroad: 1) Avalanche at Big Five Mine at Frances 4/18/1901, 2) Derail at Black Swan Mill 7/5/1915, and 3) 10<sup>th</sup> & Water Street Explosion in Boulder in 1919. The Boulder explosion was set off with a train fire set by disgruntled employees. The train fire set off 2,400 pounds of dynamite in a car setting on a side rail. Three persons were killed and many windows of adjacent buildings were blown out with the shock of the explosion. Thanks, Michael!

## **October 3 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 October 3, 2013. President Pauluhn called the meeting to order at 7:04.

Attending were Board members: President Pauluhn, Treasurer Gilland, Secretary Hubbard, DeYoung, Creasey, Petrick and Sprenkle

Guests: none

SECRETARY’S REPORT: A motion was made to approve the September minutes. Reports approved.

TREASURER’S REPORT: A motion was made to approve the September treasurer’s report. Passed

GENERAL BUSINESS: Discussion was held regarding a new weekly/board meeting place. SOL is no longer feasible due to the recent flood. Creasey will check out a meeting room at Flatirons Hospital. The meals are considerably more expensive at Egg and I as meals need to be ordered off the menu.

Gilland will talk with Egg and I management about a possible reduction in menu prices.

--Gilland tendered his resignation as Club Treasurer effective December 31, 2013. Discussion was held concerning the reasons behind Gilland’s resignation.

## **October 3 Foothills Boulder Foundation Board**

### **Meeting Notes**

*-- Dennis Hubbard, Foothills Kiwanis Secretary*

The Board of the Foothills Kiwanis Foundation met at the Egg and I Restaurant on October 3, 2013. President Pauluhn called the meeting to order at 7:50. Attending were: President Pauluhn, Treasurer Gilland, Secretary Hubbard, DeYoung, Creasey, Petrick and Sprenkle

Guests: None

SECRETARY’S REPORT: A motion was made that the minutes of the September meeting be approved. Report approved.

TREASURER’S REPORT: A motion was made the September Foundation Treasurer’s report be approved. Passed.

NEW BUSINESS: Gilland reported with his December 31, 2013 resignation, that three persons have been contacted to continue the Dog Project. One person is very well qualified and Gilland will continue to work with her to continue the Dog Project.

--A motion was made to give \$5,000 financial aid for 10 families that lost everything due to the flood.

The money would be transferred to El Centro to purchase clothing and items for the children.

Receipts will be given to Foothills for items purchased. No money would be given directly to the families. Motion passed.

--Pauluhn will contact Crayons to Calculators and Sweet Dreams in a Bag for possible further aid to the 10 families.

## **Home, Sweet Kiwanis Home**

*-- Kiwanis Magazine*

Did you know that in its 99 year history, Kiwanis International has had six homes – all but one in Chicago?

1. Webster Building, 327 South LaSalle Street, Chicago
2. Mallers Building, 5 South Wabash Avenue, Chicago
3. Federal Reserve Building, 164 W. Jackson Blvd., Chicago
4. McGraw-Hill Building, 500 N. Michigan Ave., Chicago
5. Kiwanis International Building, 101 E. Erie Street, Chicago
6. Kiwanis International Office, 3636 Woodview Trace, Indianapolis

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