



Kiwanis Club of the Foothills

Club Website: www.foothillskiwanis.org
Meetings: Every Monday at 7:00 a.m. at the Spice of Life Event Center, 5706 Arapahoe Ave., Boulder CO

April 8, 2013

Coming up . . .

4/8/13 – Isabel McDevitt, Bridge House Programs

4/15/13 – Abigail Bach, Climbing the 14ers

4/20/13 – Taste of Downtown Bolder 1-4 pm

4/22/13 – Karen Alfino, STEMgirls

4/29/13 – Lee Shainis, Intercambio Uniting Communities

5/2/13 – 7:00 a.m. Foothills Board Meeting at the “Egg & I” (Basemar

Program Chairpersons:

March – Jim Creasey

April – Mary Schweitzer

May - Open

Snippets from Recent Club Programs

March 25 – Susie Fox, Sweet Dream in a Bag

Susie and her husband, Chuck, provided a presentation on Sweet Dream in a Bag to our club members. The mission of this organization is to provide a gift of new bedding to children in poverty and difficult circumstances they did not choose to be in. Sweet Dream also gives the entire family acceptance, love, encouragement, and hope. Susie started Sweet Dream in 2010 and has donated 1,200 bags to children. She works with 13-14 agencies who identify the needy families. She likes to bring volunteers during distribution so that there is an adult with every child. She needs volunteers to pack the Sweet Dream Bags once a month. On April 30, she will be giving out bags to 30 children at Access Housing in Commerce City. She requested 5-6 volunteers to help her present the bags and to read their personalized booklet. Susie’s other need is \$2,400 for 300 fleece blankets that she orders from New England Fleece Company. Check out Sweet Dream by going to her website at www.sweetdreaminabag.org. Thanks, Susie, for telling us about a wonderful children’s program.



April 1-- Jim Rianoshek, Exec. Director, Attention Homes

Jim presented a program on how Boulder Attention Homes got its start in 1966 with referrals from Boulder and Broomfield Social Services to today where it gets referrals from several sources and in 2012 served 500 kids with 6000 days of care. Eighty-five percent of the homeless or on the street children served are from Boulder. There are two locations: 3080 N. Broadway and the Chase House in south Boulder. Types of care include day care, overnight care, and transitional home care. Many times, children have no parents or parents who do not care. They need food, guidance, and communication with adults in a worry-free environment. Referrals come from schools, street staff, peers, and social services. Attention Homes has been doing upgrades on their facilities and is looking for sponsors at all levels to adopt a room with donations from \$500 to \$6,000. Find out more about their good work at www.attentionhomes.com.



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KIWANIS: Serving the Children of the World

Foothills Kiwanis Board Minutes, April 4, 2013

-- Foothills Secretary Dennis Hubbard

The Board of the Foothills Kiwanis Club met at the Egg and I Restaurant on April 4, 2013. President Pauluhn called the meeting to order at 7:00. Attending were Board members: President Pauluhn, Secretary Hubbard, Bailey, Baumann, Creasey, DeYoung, Mohling and Symes.

Guests: Hassler

TREASURER'S REPORT: March treasurer's report was presented. Motion to approve by Symes, seconded by Baumann. Approved.

SECRETARY'S REPORT: The minutes of the March meeting were presented. A motion to approve by Baumann and seconded by Creasey was made and approved.

--An application for membership was submitted by Lionel Goncalves. A motion was made by Mohling and seconded by Symes for approval. Passed.

GENERAL BUSINESS: Due to business obligations, Bailey wants to become a Limited member of Foothills instead of Regular member. Motion made by Baumann and seconded by Mohling to make the change. Approved.

--Discussion was held regarding the payment of District and International dues for Limited members and proposed honorary members. Clarification of the dues payment will be presented at the next Board meeting along with a proposal for a class of honorary members.

--Hassler reminded the Board that a continuing contract with Spice of Life needs to be signed before September. A motion was made by Baumann and seconded by Mohling to authorize Hassler to sign the contract on behalf of the Club if there is no increase in the price of the meals.

The Foothills Kiwanis Club Board meeting adjourned at 7:35.

Foothills Foundation Board Minutes-April 4, 2013

-- Foothills Secretary Dennis Hubbard

The Board of the Foothills Kiwanis Foundation met at the Egg and I Restaurant on April 4, 2013. President Pauluhn called the meeting to order at 7:45. Attending were: President Pauluhn, Secretary Hubbard, Bailey, Baumann, Creasey, DeYoung, Mohling and Symes.

Guests: Hassler

SECRETARY'S REPORT: A motion to approve the March Foundation minutes was made by Bailey and seconded by Mohling. Passed.

TREASURER'S REPORT: The February Foundation Treasurer's report was presented. Motion made by Symes and seconded by Mohling to approve. Passed.

NEW BUSINESS: A motion was made by Mohling and seconded by Bailey to approve a Donation Review Committee consisting of Hassler, Symes, DeYoung, Schweitzer, Pauluhn and Gilland to review new projects submitted by Club members. New Projects must be submitted by the 20th to the committee to be reviewed and submitted to the Board for approval at its next Board meeting. Passed.

--Discussion was held regarding creating a new Academy Puppy Donation sub-account. Further discussion will be held at the next Board meeting.

--Symes asked for clarification of the Stars of Tomorrow extra funds. Bailey gave an explanation of the disposal of the remaining funds.

--Creasey gave an update on the golf tournament to be held in June.

The Kiwanis Foundation Board Meeting adjourned at 8:19.

Annual Rocky Mountain District Key Club Convention in Lakewood

--Kerry Hassler, Monarch HS Key Club Kiwanis Advisor

On Friday evening, April 5, four Monarch High School Key Club members, Faculty Advisor Reid Walker, and Kiwanis Advisor Kerry Hassler attended the opening session of the 61st Rocky Mountain District's Annual Key Club Convention at the Sheraton Denver West Hotel (Lakewood). The Key Club members who attended were (shown left-to-right in the photo below) Mia Mulvahill and Katie Berohn (2013-2014 Key Club Co-Presidents); Natalie Forman (2012-2013 Key Club Co-President); and Katie Yarnell (2012-2013 Key Club Vice-President). The group enjoyed the opening session program that consisted of introductions of current District Key Club officers and Division Lieutenant Governors, information about the Convention's theme of "DCONFidential", and an inspirational speech by keynote speaker Megan Fate. Her message was about using your life to serve other people as exemplified by the Kiwanis International motto of "Serving the Children of the World". Mia and Katie (Behron) also attended the Saturday and Sunday convention events through Sunday morning. The Monarch HS Key Club received special recognition during the convention for raising \$1250 this school year for "Project Eliminate". We in Foothills Kiwanis should be very proud of the Monarch HS Key Club members that our club supports!

