



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

Jan. 14, 2013

Coming up . . .

1/14/13 – Bob Mohling, "Cambodia Mission Team Projects"

1/21/13 – Capt. Braga, 2012 Salvation Army Bell-Ringing Results

1/28/13 – Alan Jones, Paralyzed Veterans of America

2/4/13 –Erna Maj, Preventing Disease and Improving Health in Tanzania (probable)

2/7/13 – 7:00 a.m. Foothills Board

Meeting at the "Egg & I" (Basemar)

2/11/13 –Wendy Widenbeck, "Hydraulic Fracturing: Understanding the Science"

Program Chairpersons:

January – Bob Mohling

February – Paul Bailey

Snippets from Recent Club Programs

December 17 – Kerry Hassler, "Scenes of Egypt and Views of Egyptians"

Kerry talked about his experiences and showed photos from his visit to Egypt from August 20-29 while working on one of his "Good Samaritan Technologies" non-profit projects to help three protestant churches in Cairo by providing websites and other technical assistance. Among the photos were of (in Alexandria) street scenes, an ancient Roman amphitheater, and Pompei's Pillar; (in Luxor) of the Karnak and Luxor temples, and taking a boat ride on the Nile; and (in and around Cairo) of street scenes, Coptic churches, and the Giza Pyramids and Sphinx. Kerry talked about the current views of Egyptians, with especially women and Coptic Christians being very concerned about the new government formed by President Morsi that may not allow as much personal and religious freedom as was the case under the previous regime. There is a definite potential for yet another revolution in Egypt this year if President Morsi's government is not balanced. In general, all the Egyptians that Kerry met were supportive of and like America.



January 7 - Dan Anglin, "Health Reform Update"

Dan, Anglin, owner/president of Anglin Public Affairs (a Colorado lobbying and political consulting firm) and lobbyist for the Colorado Association of Commerce and Industry, spoke to our club about health-care reform and many issues to be addressed by our state legislature this year. He has been representing Colorado's business community on several areas of public policy for many years. He provides legislative advocacy and political consulting services in agriculture, health care, taxation, transportation firearms, and other general business areas. He sees the federal government taking over many of the jobs that churches and fraternal groups, such as Kiwanis Clubs, handled in the community for many years. Dan has made presentations on what employers can expect from health-care reform across the country. NOTE: For an update on the passage of the 2013 health-care exchange bill by the Colorado legislature (already passed by the Senate), see -- www.denverpost.com/politics/ci_17747868 As stated by Dan in this article, if this bill is passed by the House, "What you're looking at is a cost savings (for small businesses) on the front end immediately." In addition, passage of this bill will provide affordable health care to an estimated 350,000 middle- and low-income families in Colorado to protect them from especially catastrophic medical bills due to serious and/or life-threatening diseases and injury. To read more about the Colorado health-care exchange plan (expected to achieve \$280 million per year in Medicaid savings starting in 2014), go to -- www.colorado.gov/healthreform.



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Annual RMD MidWinter Conference in Longmont

The annual Rocky Mountain District's Midwinter Conference with a theme of "**Heart of Kiwanis Vision**" will be held from February 15 - February 17, 2013 at the Plaza Hotel and Conference Center in Longmont. **The attendance fee of \$40 is entirely covered by our club**, which includes attending all sessions and the Saturday noon Interclub Luncheon. Registration must be done by February 2 to avoid a \$10 late fee. To register on-line, go to -- www.rmdkiwanis.com/public_district/pub_Content.aspx?PageID=708. For information about the RMD MidWinter events and sessions, see the next page. Hopefully our club will have at least four club members attend to qualify as an "Interclub group" and learn about our District's activities and programs.

"42nd Street" Boulder Dinner Theater Social Event

Fifteen Foothills Kiwanis members and their guests will be attending the Boulder Dinner Theater's performance of "42nd Street" on Wednesday, January 23. **Please note that attendees should arrive at 5:30 p.m. to be seated.** Kerry will distribute tickets to those signed up during the January 21 club meeting or at the Theater. Our group will be sitting at four adjacent second-tier tables on the theater's south side. There is one extra ticket available to our group at a cost of \$36.

Foothills Kiwanis Salvation Army Bell-Ringing

From Friday, November 23 through Monday, December 24, volunteers from the Foothills Kiwanis Club, Monarch High School Key Club members, and non-Kiwanians rang a total of **359 hours** collecting a total of **\$16,871.58** in donations, all of which will be used to support the staff and programs of the Boulder County Salvation Army in 2013. Top Foothills bell-ringers were Dave Rogers (25 hours), Kerry Hassler (23 hours), Bob Mohling (21 hours), Mary Schweitzer (15 hours), and Waverly Person (13 hours). From the Golden Nuggets Club, Arlene Devore rang for 17 hours, and top non-Kiwanis bell-ringers were Lynn Dyba (31 hours), Lawrence Hubbard (13 hours), and Hope SteffensNett (13 hours). Captain Isaias Braga of the Boulder County Salvation Army will present our club with their annual Boulder County Bell-Ringing Award when he speaks to our club on Monday, January 21. Thanks to everyone who volunteered their time to achieve these results!

January 2013 Foothills Kiwanis Board Meeting ***-- Dennis Hubbard, Foothills Kiwanis Secretary***

The Board of the Foothills Kiwanis Club met at the Egg and I Restaurant on January 3, 2013. President Pauluhn called the meeting to order at 7:04. Attending were Board members: President Pauluhn, Treasurer DeYoung, Secretary Hubbard, Baumann, Mohling, Schweitzer, Sprenkle and Symes. Guests: Hassler, Bailey, Creasey, Gilland, Girard. TREASURER'S REPORT: December treasurer's report was presented. Motion to approve by Sprenkle, seconded by Symes. Approved. SECRETARY'S REPORT: The minutes of the December meeting were presented. A motion to approve by Mohling and seconded by Baumann was made and approved.

--A membership application for James Creasey was presented to the Board. A motion was made by Mohling and seconded by Girard to approve the application. Motion passed.

--Board resignations were accepted from Schweitzer and Rogers. A motion was made by Sprenkle and seconded by Mohling for Creasey and Bailey to replace Schweitzer and Rogers on the Board. Approved.

NEW BUSINESS: Gilland reported on the dog project. Alex has been selected as the recipient of Dusty, and the transition training for Alex has started. Final delivery of the dog is expected in a few months.

--DeYoung has resigned as Treasurer. Gilland has offered to resume his position as Treasurer dependent on getting help with the dog project. Discussion on this change was tabled until the February Board meeting. If the change occurs in February, DeYoung will remain as a member of the Board. For the time being, DeYoung will continue as Treasurer.

--Hassler reported 15 members have signed up to attend the Boulder Dinner musical presentation on January 23. The Foothills Kiwanis Club Board meeting adjourned at 7:30.

January 2013 Foothills Boulder Foundation Board Meeting ***-- Dennis Hubbard, Foothills Kiwanis Secretary***

The Board of the Foothills Kiwanis Foundation met at the Egg and I Restaurant on January 3, 2013. President Pauluhn called the meeting to order at 7:41. Attending were: President Pauluhn, Treasurer DeYoung, Secretary Hubbard, Baumann, Mohling, Schweitzer, Sprenkle and Symes.

Guests: Gilland, Hassler, Girard, Bailey and Creasey
SECRETARY'S REPORT: A motion to pass the December Foundation minutes was made by Baumann and seconded by DeYoung. Passed.

TREASURER'S REPORT: A motion was made by Baumann and seconded by Sprenkle to approve the December Foothills Kiwanis Foundation financial reports. Passed.

NEW BUSINESS: Gilland reported an American Diabetes Association meeting will be held in February. He suggested the Club have a booth at the meeting. The booth will cost \$700 and a motion was made by Baumann and seconded by Bailey to approve the expenditure from the Foundation. Passed.

-- Morgan Stanley Financial advisor Peter Mangold gave an investment summary presentation of the Boulder Kiwanis Club 501-c3 account before it is transferred to the Foothills Club. A question and answer session was held. Mangold then presented an investment proposal for 2013. A motion was made by Sprenkle and seconded by Baumann to accept the transition of funds to the Foothills Club and the current investment management be retained. The details to officially transfer the investments will be handled by Pauluhn and Mangold at a future date. Passed.

--Bailey gave an update on the Stars of Tomorrow Show March 3 at the Dairy Center. Preparation is ongoing. Ads have been placed on Craigslist and with the Daily Camera. Area schools have also been notified. The funds for the show have already been prepaid. A motion was made by Mohling and seconded by Symes to approve the Show as a Club project. Motion approved.

--Hassler will present an update on the Salvation Army bell ringing during the January 21 club meeting when Captain Braga will give a talk about this past season's campaign. The Kiwanis Foundation Board meeting adjourned at 8:20.