JULY ISSUE







Great **Opportunities** Abound Let's use them For the greater good

What's going on?

The heat of July leaves us wanting for a cool vacation at the beach or in the mountains. While you are there think about visiting a Kiwanis Club in the vicinity. They are everywhere! So, what's happening around here? Your Board just approved 5 grants to organizations that are continuing to help children in our area. We also have 3 upcoming service project opportunities on the horizon:

- 1. On Saturday, Aug 5th from 9am 12pm we will be cooking hot dogs & hamburgers for the Boys and Girls Club back to school supply give away at Daffin Park.
- 2. Sometime in August we will be traveling to Tallahassee to help fill the backpacks that we've collected blankets for to help Foster Children.
- 3. In October, we'll be cooking again for the Downs Association at their "Buddy Walk" to celebrate and empower those with special needs.
- 4. Our Annual Banquet is set for Sept. 28th at Capt. Anderson's. A time of celebration!

How do we define Kiwanis?....."Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to improving the world one child and one community at a time"



The *heartbeat* of the Kiwanis Club of Panama City



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A new SLP on the horizon??

Cary Hanson is working diligently with Ron Boyce and the Principal of the Maritime Academy (formerly PCMI) to establish a new Key Club. What a great addition to our Kiwanis Family!

DCON - CLE – SLP oh my!

We use a lot of acronyms in Kiwanis, but they all have great meanings.

DCON is our District Convention which is coming up Aug 17 - 20 in Orlando. Everyone is invited to attend.

CLE is our Club Leadership Education workshop scheduled for July 15th. This is a learning session for our incoming club leaders. Interested in learning more about Kiwanis? See Keith.

SLP is our Service Leadership Programs in the schools. K-Kids, Builders Club, Key Club, Circle K, and Aktion Club.



July Anniversaries

5th – Eric & Melanie Spoon 9th – Dave & Jennifer Hornkohl 16th – Cindy & Colin Wade

21st – Mike & Vera Reiter

July Birthdays

9th– Jodi Cowling 9th– Donna Golden 9th– Eric Spoon 13th– Mike Dickey

14th– Larry Perry

16th– Nick Sorrento

18th– Vicky Salata

28th – Arthur Hooks

31st Allara Gutcher



Focus on Membership

For the past couple of months, we haven't had any new member applications, why? A large portion of our upcoming leadership education will be devoted to membership, because without members, we cannot serve our children. So, let's all make this final quarter of our year a great membership drive. Ask someone to join in the fun and fellowship while serving our community. Let them know why YOU Joined.

Quote of the Month

"Patriotism consists not in waving the flag, but striving that our country shall be righteous as well as strong." - James Bryce



Rumor:

Kiwanis is not a networking organization.

Reality:

Kiwanis attracts volunteers from all walks of life. If you need a lawyer, realtor, banker, teacher, plumber, mechanic, chances are, your Kiwanis Club or District has someone who can help you.

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Kiwanis Calendar of Events

Opportunities to Serve

Share the fun and Invite a Guest!

	<u>July 2023</u>		<u>August 2023</u>
4 th	- Independence Day	2 nd	- Club Meeting Lori Allen – GC Advocacy Center
5 th	- Club Meeting The Galls – Patriotic Theme	4 th	- Meals on Wheels Todd Brister & Brian Hinton
7 th	- Meals on Wheels Todd Brister & Brian Hinton	5 th	- Boys & Girls Club Back to School Project
12 th	- Club Meeting Carolyn Modawell - Buddy Walk	9 th	- Club Meeting Tim Fontaine -Paper Mill History I
14 th	- Meals on Wheels Doug Smith & Jake Cook	11 th	- Meals on Wheels Bob Daffin & Dave Burris
15 th	- Club Leadership Education Division 1 & 2	16 th	- Club Meeting Tim Fontaine -Paper Mill History II
17 th	- Club Satellite Meeting 5:30 pm	17 – 2	20 th - FL District Convention Orlando
19 th	- Club Meeting Starlett Massey – Cultural Hub PC	18 th	- Meals on Wheels Doug Smith & Jake Cook
21 st	- Meals on Wheels Jill Blue Reich & Bonnie Blue	21 st	- Club Satellite Meeting 5:30 pm
25 th	- Board Meeting Via Zoom 5:30 pm	23 rd	- Club Meeting Program TBA
26 th	- Club Meeting Program TBA	25 th	- Meals on Wheels Doug Huntsucker & Allara Gutcher
28 th	- Meals on Wheels Myron Guilford & Steve Stoff	29 th	- Board Meeting Via Zoom 5:30 pm
		30 th	- Club Meeting

Program TBA



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