



# Kiwaniis®

CLUB OF PANAMA CITY

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# pulse



The *heartbeat*  
of the Kiwanis  
Club of Panama City

Volunteer Satisfaction **Children** Helping International **Service** Kiwanis  
Networking Fun **Community** Leadership Camaraderie Fundraising Friendship  
Caring Key Club



## The Final S t r e t c h



FL District Governor -Sharon Moody  
 Div. 2 Lt Governor -Brian Hinton  
 FL Foundation Trustee - Keith Forehand  
 Key Club Lt Governor -Lyndon Glover  
**Division Leaders**  
*Leaving a Legacy for the Children*

**Race to the end....**

We are now into the final 2 months of our Kiwanis year and the heat is on (pun intended). We want to finish with a membership increase, so invite someone to join. How about attending the Chamber of Commerce First Friday? A good opportunity to network for Kiwanis.

Right now, President Designate Jake is looking for a few great Kiwanians. Realizing that it takes everyone to make Kiwanis work, we need Committee Chairpersons to keep us headed in the right direction. You joined to help, didn't you? Now is your time to volunteer. Here are some areas you can help: Membership Chairperson, Service Leadership Program Advisor, Fundraising (Christmas Auction, Pancake Days), Service Committees (Human & Spiritual Values, Young Children, Youth Services), Public Relations (Social Media, News), Social Events, and Service Projects (Mardi Golf, COA Fall Festival, Meals on Wheels, Adopt a Precinct) and the list goes on.

**Are you on the Kiwanis Bus?  
If so, get in the right seat!**

**Back to School**

August 10<sup>th</sup> marks the first day of school and soon our 12 Service Leadership Programs will be gearing up for another great year. If you would like to help with one of these programs, let Debbie Armstrong know.

**-Our Impact-**

Service is at the heart of every Kiwanis club. Kiwanis members stage more than 241,000 service projects, devote more than 7.3 million hours of service and raise nearly US\$100 million every year for communities, families and projects. Key Club members pitch in 12 million hours of service each year, and CKI members add another 500,000 hours. Aktion Club members donate another 92,000 hours of service every year to communities. Add it all up and that's more than 19 million hours of service every year. **The average Kiwanian impacts the lives of 106 children.** I'm glad you're a Kiwanian.

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



**August Anniversaries**

11<sup>th</sup> – Gary & Mary Jane Seymour  
 13<sup>th</sup> – Dale & Donna Cronwell

**August Birthdays**

3<sup>rd</sup> – Mary Ellen Pettis  
 16<sup>th</sup> – Stan Peacock  
 18<sup>th</sup> – Stefanie Gall  
 30<sup>th</sup> – Keith Davis

**Focus on Membership**  
 There's Only **3 Ways** to Increase Membership:

1. **Recruit** – Ask someone to join.
2. **Retain** – Let's keep the members we have by checking on those who you haven't seen in a while.
3. **Build New Clubs** – Is there a community that doesn't have a Kiwanis Club?

We need **YOUR** help in keeping our Club strong!

**Rumor:**  
 The best time to recruit new members for Kiwanis is in the spring.

**Reality:**  
 Members can be recruited at any time. Even the long hot days of August. A service event can be the perfect setting for potential members to meet your club and see how you serve kids in your community.

Quote of the Month  
*“Optimism doesn't mean that you are blind to the reality of the situation. It means that you remain motivated to seek a solution to whatever problems arise.”*  
 — The Dalai Lama

**2022 – 2023 Officers / Directors**

**President** Doug Huntsucker  
**Past President** Myron Guilford  
**President Elect** Jake Cook  
**Vice Pres.** Stefanie Gall  
**Secretary** Eric Krebs  
**Treasurer** Keith Forehand

**Directors**  
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**Committee Chairpersons**

**Service**  
 Adopt a Precinct, Fall Festival, Meals on Wheels, Jazz Festival, Salvation Army Bell Ringing.

**Human & Spiritual Values** Jim Huffaker  
 Invocations & Sympathy Cards

**Service Leadership Programs**

Mosley Key Club	Dan Gall
Bay High Key Club	Jake Cook
Bozeman Key Club	Allara Gutcher and Carly Hanson
Arnold Key Club	Steven Stoff
N. Bay Haven Key Club	Jared Doster
Merritt Brown Bldrs	Debbie Armstrong
Tommy Smith K-Kids	Keith Forehand
Northside K-Kids	Todd Brister
Beach K-Kids	Max Daleiden
Parker K-Kids	Dale Cronwell
Chautaugua Aktion Club	Bob Kuchta

**Committee Chairpersons**

**Membership** Stan Peacock

**Fund Raising**

**Pancake Days** Jake Cook  
**Holiday Auction** Chris Mills  
**Mardi Golf** Eric Krebs

**Club Administration**  
**Programs** Doug Smith

**Image**  
**Website** Melissa Brister  
**Facebook** Eric Krebs

**Interclubs**

**Finance** Keith Forehand

**Auditor** Beverly Halley

# Kiwanis Calendar of Events

## *Opportunities to Serve*

*Share the fun and Invite a Guest!*

### August 2023

- 2<sup>nd</sup> - Club Meeting**  
Lori Allen – GC Advocacy Center
- 4<sup>th</sup> - Chamber of Commerce First Friday**
- 4<sup>th</sup> - Meals on Wheels**  
Todd Brister & Brian Hinton
- 5<sup>th</sup> - Boys & Girls Club**  
Back to School Project
- 9<sup>th</sup> - Club Meeting**  
Tem Fontaine -Paper Mill History I
- 11<sup>th</sup> - Meals on Wheels**  
Ed Bell & Myron Guilford
- 16<sup>th</sup> - Club Meeting**  
Tem Fontaine -Paper Mill History II
- 17 – 20<sup>th</sup> - FL District Convention**  
Orlando
- 18<sup>th</sup> - Meals on Wheels**  
Doug Smith & Jake Cook
- 21<sup>st</sup> - Club Satellite Meeting**  
5:30 pm
- 23<sup>rd</sup> - Club Meeting**  
Program TBA
- 25<sup>th</sup> - Meals on Wheels**  
Doug Huntsucker & Allara Gutcher
- 29<sup>th</sup> - Board Meeting**  
Via Zoom 5:30 pm
- 30<sup>th</sup> - Club Meeting**  
Sharon Trainor – Healthy Start Fathers

### September 2023

- 1<sup>st</sup> - Meals on Wheels**  
Bob Daffin & Dave Burris
- 4<sup>th</sup> - Labor Day**
- 6<sup>th</sup> - Club Meeting**  
Program TBA
- 8<sup>th</sup> - Meals on Wheels**  
Ed Bell & Steve Stoff
- 13<sup>th</sup> - Club Meeting**  
Jason Heddon – GC State College
- 15<sup>th</sup> - Meals on Wheels**  
Myron Guilford & Aretha Hall
- 18<sup>th</sup> - Club Satellite Meeting**  
5:30 pm
- 20<sup>th</sup> - Club Meeting**  
Program TBA
- 22<sup>nd</sup> - Meals on Wheels**  
Doug Huntsucker & Allara Gutcher
- 26<sup>th</sup> - Board Meeting**  
Via Zoom 5:30 pm
- 27<sup>th</sup> - No Club Meeting**
- 28<sup>th</sup> - Annual Banquet**  
Capt. Anderson's Restaurant
- 29<sup>th</sup> - Meals on Wheels**  
Todd Brister & Brian Hinton


**End of Kiwanis Year!**



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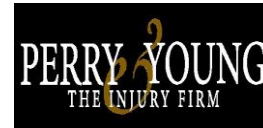
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