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The *heartbeat*
of the Kiwanis
Club of Panama City

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



Auld Lang Syne



FL District Governor -Prairy Riehl
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

Only 1 New Year's Resolution Needed:

"I resolve to invite 1 person to join Kiwanis this year."



What the heck does "Auld Lang Syne" mean?

"Auld Lang Syne" was originally a Scottish poem that was later set to music. The phrase "auld lang syne" translates literally to "old long since" in English and means something akin to "times gone by." As we reminisce about the past year, let's look toward the future. The past gives us a road map of where we've been, what we did right or wrong. It's a learning experience that helps us plan to be a better club and to help our community in new ways. So, which way will you look, to the past or future?



What's in Store for 2024?

Imagine our entire Kiwanis family working together to help one more child. Not too much to ask, is it? Planning has begun for our 64th annual Pancake Days which is scheduled for April 11 – 13. It's an election year so we'll be working the polls, and of course supporting our SLP clubs.

Attention Graduating Key Club Seniors!

The Florida Kiwanis Foundation is offering 10 scholarships at \$1,000 each for outstanding service in the Florida District. However, you must attend a Floria University. There's also a scholarship for Kiwanis Family members. Ask Keith for details.

Mardi Golf February 24th @ Pirates Island Fun Day for our SLP Students Sponsors Needed



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"



January Anniversaries

- 4th – Russ & Sally Mathis
- 6th – James & Maria McCalister
- 12th – Alvin Peters & Cecile Scoon
- 20th – Mike Dickey & Peggy Bowen

January Birthdays

- 18th– Sue Webb
- 21st – Russ Mathis

"Life is change. Growth is optional. Choose wisely.

.....Karen Kaiser Clark



Will we grow Kiwanis this year? **It's up to you and me.** We started the year with a few new members but don't stop now. Asking others to join is as simple as saying "want to help me make a difference in the life of a child?"

For all you trivia buffs, let's test your Kiwanis knowledge.

What single act of charity started the No. 1 Kiwanis Club of Detroit into the business of humanitarian ideals?

Quote of the Month

"Whether you think you can, or think you can't, you're right." — Henry Ford

Attend a meeting to find out the answer.

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Kiwanis Calendar of Events

Opportunities to Serve

Share the fun and Invite a Guest!

January 2024 **Happy New Year!**

- 3rd** - **Club Meeting**
“The Good Life” Book Report
- 5th** - **Meals on Wheels**
Doug Huntsucker & Allara Gutcher
- 10th** - **Club Meeting**
Janet Pattison – Bay Co Coastal Newspaper
- 12th** - **Meals on Wheels**
Bob Daffin & Dave Burris
- 15th** - **Club Satellite Meeting**
5:30 pm- The Place Downtown
- 17th** - **Club Meeting**
Ron Sharpe – ARC of the Bay
- 19th** - **Meals on Wheels**
Todd Brister & Brian Hinton
- 24th** - **Club Meeting**
Program TBA
- 26th** - **Meals on Wheels**
Myron Guilford & Aretha Hall
- 30th** - **Board Meeting**
Via Zoom 5:30 pm
- 31st** - **Club Meeting**
Hank Hill – Boys & Girls Club

February 2024


- 2nd** - **Meals on Wheels**
Steve Stoff & Ed Bell
- 7th** - **Club Meeting**
Program TBA
- 9th** - **Meals on Wheels**
Doug Smith & Jake Cook
- 14th** - **Valentine’s Day**
- 14th** - **Club Meeting**
Program TBA
- 16th** - **Meals on Wheels**
Doug Huntsucker & Allara Gutcher
- 19th** - **Club Satellite Meeting**
5:30 pm
- 21st** - **Club Meeting**
Program TBA
- 23rd** - **Meals on Wheels**
Todd Brister & Brian Hinton
- 24th** - **Mardi Golf**
Pirates Island Mini Golf
- 24th** - **FL District Regional Conference**
Tallahassee
- 27th** - **Board Meeting**
Via Zoom 5:30 pm
- 28th** - **Club Meeting**
Program TBA



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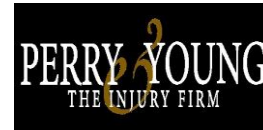
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