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85 YEARS OF SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY

2006



President's Corner

Carol Lien, President

What a busy start to a great year of Kiwanis service to the community. Poinsettia sales are well underway. Thanks to a suggestion by Charles Shelan the order form is available on our website. He says that emailing

the form has brought him lots of orders. The address is

<http://olympiakiwanis.org>.

If you haven't checked out our website lately please do so. Thanks go to Kurt Kentfield, Jan Britt, and Robyn Moore for faithfully providing updates. Speaking of updates – the committee links need to be updated. I'll be asking for your assistance in getting that accomplished in the next few weeks.

The Communications committee is looking for a coordinator for the Member Directory. We want to be sure we have spouse names, correct email addresses, and other contact information - this is a great opportunity for a newer member to get to know others in the club. We are also looking for folks to write weekly 'program notes' and snap photos for posting on the website. It's easy and a fun way to help out – let me or Jan Britt know if you'd like to be involved. (continued on page 3)

DON'T MISS THESE PROGRAMS!!!

November 13—Kiwanis Family Month—Key Clubs

November 20—Women's History Project with Shanna Stevenson

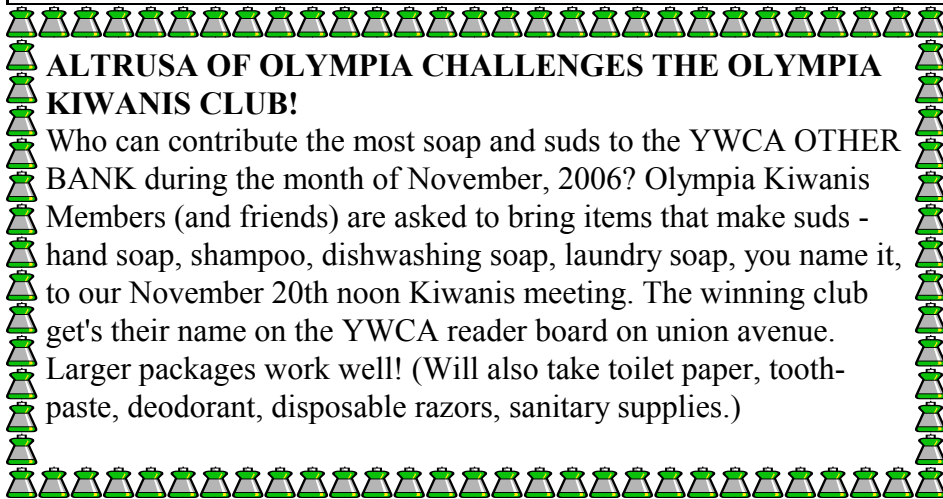
November 27—**HOLIDAY PROGRAM WITH ROTARY AT RED LION**

December 4—World Change for Children

December 11—Alcoholics Anonymous

December 18th—Kiwanis Holiday Social

All programs are tentative.



Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world one child and one community at a time.—*Kiwanis defining statement, adopted October 2004.*

Sometimes I wish I was a BEAR. Everyone would expect me to have hairy legs, excess body fat, and wake up growling!



SOME NOVEMBER and DECEMBER BIRTHDAYS!

November 27	MARK COUEY
November 28	DEREK VALLEY
December 1	JOHN RUMSEY
December 9	WALT HITCHCOCK
December 9	SAM HUNT
December 15	MARC PERRY
December 20	DON LEAF
December 20	DON POWELL
December 29	BOB LIEN
December 30	JOHN KUULA



~ CLUB INFORMATION ~

Officers:

President:

Carol Lien

Board of Directors Meetings:

943-5990 Normally, the first Tuesday of

each month

President Elect: **Bill Moore** 491-47212 at 12 noon at Community Youth Services

Vice President: **Wayne Gruen** 352-9703 conference room—3rd floor—711 State Ave

Secretary/Treas.: **Don Powell** 491-4790 NE

Immediate Past President: **Charley Barron** 491-4748

Board Members: through 2009 Lori Whitney, Tim Timmer, Kathy Thompson

through 2007—Glen Hudson, Holly Detzler

Through 2008—Jan Britt, Terry Kirkpatrick

WEEKLY MEETINGS:

12 noon at TUGBOAT ANNIES—VIEWPOINT ROOM—2100

Carol Lien called the Board Meeting to order at 12:05 p.m. on November 7, 2006, at Community Youth Services conference room. Board Members present were: Charley Barron, Kathy Thompson, Bill Moore, Jan Britt, Tim Timmer, Lori Whitman, Members present were: Derek Valley, Bob Lien, Normal Wallace and Bob Hauth.

1. AGENDA. The agenda for the meeting was reviewed and approved by those present.
2. MINUTES: The minutes of the Board meeting for September, 2006 as published in the Kiwanis Korner were reviewed.

MOTION: Kathy Thompson moved and Charley Barron seconded approval of the minutes. Motion passed.

3. TREASURERS REPORT: The treasurer's report for October, 2006 was reviewed:

All transactions were reviewed and explained if requested.

MOTION: Jan Britt moved and Kathy Thompson seconded acceptance of the October treasurer's report. The motion passed.

4. PRESIDENT'S REPORT:

- Holiday Meetings: Olympia Rotary has indicated they will be happy to have us join them for their Tuesday meetings when holidays happen on Mondays.
- 501C3 –
 - a *Conflict of Interest* policy needs to be adopted by the Board, if we are going to pursue 501C3 status. Bob Hauth volunteered to write a draft for the board to consider at the December meeting.
 - **MOTION:** Jan Britt moved, Kathy Thompson seconded that the Olympia Kiwanis Club pursue seeking federal IRS 501C3 status for all club activities. Motion passed.
- Interclubs: Carol Lien asked that all Board members make an effort to attend interclubs and at least 1 division 38 Council meeting each quarter. For the 2006-2007 Kiwanis year, Division 38 Council meetings will be a South Puget Sound Community College at 7 P.M. the 3rd Wednesday of each month.
- Holiday Open House: Carol is planning a holiday open house in December for all OK members at a time and place to be announced.
- 5. NEW BUSINESS
 - Spiritual Aims and Values (AKA "Shake the Can") major emphasis for 2007. A number of proposals were reviewed and discussed. The Board agreed we would like a program where 1) children are involved and 2) members can also get involved.
 - **MOTION:** Charley Barron moved and Tim Timmer seconded that the 2006-2007 major emphasis for the Spiritual Aims and Values be the South Sound Reading Foundation. Motion passed. Kathy Thompson volunteered to design and replace the can covers.
 - Altrusa Challenge: Jodi Hildreth from Altrusa has challenged a number of service clubs to bring SUDS for the YWCA Other Bank during November.
 - **MOTION:** Charley Barron moved and Jan Britt seconded that we ask club members to bring soaps etc. to the November 20th meeting for donating to the YWCA Other Bank. Motion passed.
- 6. COMMITTEE REPORTS:
 - Membership: Bill Moore advised the committee has met, and would like to compile a folder for new members with the K logo, OK Policies, By laws, auto sticker, name tag, lapel pin, directory, etc.
 - **MOTION:** Charley Barron moved, Kathy Thompson seconded, that the club reimburse Bill Moore for the production of 50 new member packages. Motion passed.
 - Programs: The Program committee met and programs are set through March, 2007. Send program ideas to Sam Hunt.
 - Interclubs: The club had an interclub on November 7th with North

KIWANIS OBJECTIVES

To give primacy to the human and spiritual, rather than the material values of life.

To encourage the daily living of the Golden Rule in all human relationships.

To promote the adoption and application of higher social, business and professional standards.

To develop by precept and example, a more intelligent, aggressive and serviceable citizenship.

To provide, through the club, a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service and to build a better community.

To cooperate in creating and maintaining that sound public opinion and high idealism which make possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism and good will.

Accept, O Lord, our humble thanks for this, our daily bread; and as it adds strength to our bodies, may it give us power to render better service to Thee.



From Table Graces—Prayers of Thanks, Peter Pauper Press



Veterans Day is a great time to educate your children about the history of this holiday and the sacrifice and dedication of our U.S. veterans. So,

how do you celebrate this holiday in a creative and constructive way with your children? Make a thank you card for veterans. Children can give this card to veterans that they know or to veterans who are listed through the local VA medical facility. Ask your children's teacher to invite veterans to their classroom. Veterans can discuss what it's like to serve in the military, and how important it is to observe this holiday. Have your kids make a colorful and fun poster with the names and pictures of relatives who are veterans. Honor our veterans.

Member Info—Update Your Directory

New phone number for Charley Barron: 491-4748



Correct e-mail address for Lori Whitney: Lori@Rants-Group.com



OLYMPIA KIWANIS CLUB	Chairpersons
Membership Growth and Educa-	Carol Lien
Sponsored Youth	Glen Hudson
House Reception and Club Meetings	Kathy Thompson
Human and Spiritu- al Values	Bob Hauth
Community Service	Don Leaf
Major Emphasis	Alex Young
Youth Services	Holly Detzler
Club Meeting Pro- grams	Don Krupp, Sam Hunt
Fundraising / Development	Jon Halvorson
Interclub Relations	Lew Yarborough, Tim Malone
History of O K	Sam Reed
Internal Audit	Max Millsap
Risk Management	Bob Lien, Don Powell
Scholarship Endow- ment	Rick Millar, Walt Hitchcock
Garden	Ed Davis
Website	Kurt Kentfield
Communication Newsletter	Jan Britt

Words that soak into your ears are

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The Program committee met in mid October and have some great speakers lined up for us into March. We will be sharing Tuesday holiday make up meetings with West Olympia Rotary on December 26, January 2, January 16, and February 20 and providing the speaker for most of those meetings.

On Monday November 26 we join all of the local Rotary clubs for a festive lunch at the Red Lion – the Christmas Forest Trees will be on display and a portion of the \$20 lunch fee will go to benefit St. Peter's Foundation. The Olympia High Jazz ensemble will play and our own incomparable Tom Jones will auction poinsettias. Invite your spouse and you'll be bonus points ahead in setting the holiday spirit for your family.

The board met last Tuesday and discussed several proposals for the major emphasis project for this year, also known as 'shake the can'. All of the proposals are worthy – sponsoring a Big Brother/Big Sister 'match' for the year, joining Altrusa in supporting the YMCA 'Other Bank' project, Child Care Action Council's 'Safe Kids Thurston County', and South Sound Reading Foundation's 'Reading in Day Care Centers'. You'll see more about each of these projects and opportunities to volunteer time to them.

'Reading in Day Care Centers' was selected because it is a project that we can partner with our Key Clubs at Olympia and Capital High Schools to accomplish. The funds we collect will go directly into purchasing books for the Key Clubs to use in reading to the Day Care Centers that the Key Clubs adopt. Reading to children from infancy is proven to benefit them and our financial support will give the Key Clubs books to help develop a new generation of bright citizens. By Carol Lien



VISIT THESE CLUBS IN DIVISION 38!

- LACEY SUNSETTERS**
Meets 6:15 PM Thursday Lacey IHOP —
Contact - Dawn Jones 459-2370
- SHELTON KIWANIS**
Meets 12 noon Tuesdays at
Xinh's Restaurant
221 West Railroad, Shelton
Contact: Dell Abelein 426-9545
- NORTH THURSTON KIWANIS**
Meets 7 a.m. Tuesdays at
Hawks Prairie Restaurant
1-5 and Marvin Road, Lacey
Contact: Don Sattleburg 491-2019
- PIONEER COMMUNITY CLUB OF MASON COUNTY**
Meets 7 a.m. Wednesdays at
Spencer Lake Restaurant
E 1111 Pickering Road, Shelton
Contact: Genevieve Ingham 426-0245
- KRISTMAS TOWN KIWANIS**
Meets 7 a.m. Wednesday at
Pine Tree Restaurant
102 S First St., Shelton
Contact: Al Tupper 426-2499
- TUMWATER KIWANIS**
Meets 7 a.m. Thursday at
Nickelby's Restaurant, Tumwater
Contact: Randy Reynolds 943-7008
- WATERFRONT KIWANIS**
Meets 7 a.m. Wednesday
Tumwater Valley, Tumwater
Contact: Robert Coit, 943-4558
- HOOD CANAL KIWANIS**
Meets 6:45 a.m. Thursday
Hoodsport Library

Interclubs are Fun!

Go to an interclub! Get to know our own OK members better, while visiting other Kiwanis Clubs and making more friends.

On November 7th, **Bob Lien, Carol Lien, Derek Valley, Ken Mitchell and Jon Halvorson** visited the North Thurston Kiwanis Club. Once upon a time, the Olympia Kiwanis Club sponsored—i.e. helped to start—the North Thurston Kiwanis club!

Division 38 Council Meeting!

All Kiwanis members are welcome to attend the Division 38 monthly council meetings. The next meeting will be Wednesday, November 15, at 7:00 p.m. at South Puget Sound Community College—Puget Room.

November SUNDAY	2006 MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
12	13—12 Noon—OK Meeting	14	15—7PM Division 38 Meeting SPSCC—Percival Room	16	17	18
19	20—12 Noon OK Meeting-SUDS Challenge!	21—poinsettias delivered! 0700 at Thurston County Fair Grounds	22	23	24	25
26	27—RED LION 12 Noon OK Meeting	28 - poinsettias delivery!	29	30	DECEMBER 1	2
3	4 –Noon OK Meeting	5—OK Board Meeting—Noon, CYS - poinsettias delivery!	6	7	8	9
10	11—12 Noon OK Meeting	12—poinsettias delivery!	13	14	15	16

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- Communications Committee: The committee met and Kurt Kentfield provided information on how the club’s web site works. Carol will ask the Program Committee if the member who arranges the program can take the photo and do the program summary to e-mail to Kurt Kentfield after each program. A volunteer is also needed to manage the club directory and keep it up-to-date.
- Fundraising / Poinsettia Sales: The poinsettia sales are progressing. We now have an order form and poinsettia order e-mail address on the club website. *olykpoinsettia@aol.com* . Board members discussed adding a “sticker” to each poinsettia foil that says: Kiwanis Club of Olympia – Serving the Community for 85 years – *www.olympiakiwanis.org*. Fundraising members will pursue getting such a sticker.

The meeting adjourned at 1:20 p.m.

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