

MEETING SCHEDULE

Regular meetings are Fridays at NOON, at the Powerhouse Event Center, 621 S. 17th St. Phone 433-0197

January 4, 2008 Regular Meeting

Speaker: Bill VonTagen, Atty Gen Office
Topic: End of Life
Greeters: G. Schaffer, K. Seideman, W. Seideman
Ticket Sales/Raffle Prize: B. Dunbar
Invocation: D. Irish

January 11, 2008 Regular Meeting

Speaker: Peggy Farnworth, Id. Partnering
Topic: Long Term Care
Greeters: R. Setzke, T. Sigmont, R. Sotto
Ticket Sales/Raffle Prize: N. Dunbar
Invocation: T. Bowers

January 18, 2008 Regular Meeting

Speaker: BluePrint Boise
Topic: Boise Comprehensive Plan
Greeters: J. Souza, T. Steelman, E. Stoneman
Ticket Sales/Raffle Prize: S. Duncanson
Invocation: J. Reynolds

January 25, 2008 Regular Meeting

Speaker: Cathy McDougal
Topic: AARP
Greeters: T. Sutton, R. Thurber, D. Tish
Ticket Sales/Raffle Prize: D. Durham
Invocation: R. Aldridge

February 1, 2008 Regular Meeting

Speaker: Irene Deely
Topic: Women of Steel Art Gallery
Greeters: R. Tway, M. Vail, W. Weathered
Ticket Sales/Raffle Prize: B. Elliott
Invocation: E. Bennett

Quotes:



“Each new day is a blank page in the diary of your life. The secret of success is in turning that diary into the best story you possibly can.” —Douglas Pagels

MEMBER BIRTHDAYS



Rod Doughty	1/1
Richard Himberger	1/9
Ted Sigmont	1/9
Amos Garrison	1/16
Jae Hallett	1/21
Jim Jackson	1/23
Earl Reynolds	1/27
Robert Aldridge	1/30
Nancy Halliwell	1/30
Charlene Quade	1/30
Laura Bowers	1/31

*Upcoming Projects

Jan 19th—Sr. luncheon.
Feb—BBBS Bowl-a-thon.
Various Dates to volunteer.
Feb 9th—Kiwanis Night at Idaho Stampede

Board Meetings:

Red Lion Downtowner
1800 W. Fairview Ave.
Noon, In the Newsroom
Wed., January 2nd
Wed., January 16th

President's Message



HAPPY NEW YEAR! Yes it is now 2008 and we are on the go as always. In December 2007 we did one of the most rewarding projects, Ringing the Bell for Salvation Army. Capital City Kiwanis helps more people with this project than I realized with only a little individual and Club time. While I was bell ringing, the Salvation Army informed me that the Kiwanis Family gets more donations during their bell ringing time than at any other time of the year. Special thanks to John Collias, who came out again this year at age 86 to continue his streak of 40+ consecutive years. It still amazes me how much can be done with such a great group of people. Keep up the good work everyone.

To all Capital City Kiwanians, HAVE YOU SEEN A NEED? If you have seen a need for a project I would like to hear about it. Capital City Kiwanis has had some great projects in the past such as the Green Belt. We are asked for money to support many good projects but we would like to find one that we could do more in the form of manpower than just send money. Give it some thought and let's talk.

Saturday, Feb. 9 is the 2nd annual Kiwanis Night at the Stampede. Here is a great opportunity to get good seats with good prices and share it with other Kiwanians in the area.

--President Norm

NEW MEMBER HIGHLIGHT: **Jennifer Leininger**—raised in Meridian; Attended Meridian High and graduated from Mountain View High where she participated in cross country, track, dance, Key Club and Amnesty Int'l. During high school, worked with developmentally disabled children in an after school program to teach them life skills. Attended BSU for two years, but currently taking a break to help support her husband Chris while he finishes his degree in Drafting. They were married in July of 2006. They enjoy camping, dirt biking and playing with their German Shorthair, Dakota. Currently, Jennifer is working for the Red Cross where she helps organize CPR and First Aid classes for the community. She will be taking a class to become a Red Cross Instructor in early December. Jennifer plans to go back and finish her degree at Boise State University and use that to find a job in the Healthcare field.

Don Thurber — Raised in south Florida swimming, fishing, catching weird animals, and exploring swamps. In high school was on the football team, played recreational tennis and spent many hours at the beach. Graduated from the U. of Florida in 1965 and joined the Peace Corps, teaching biology in a Philippine High school. Taught biology in Florida before entering Washington State Univ. where I met my wife, and was married in 1970. Worked for 6 years with the BLM. Then took accounting classes at BSU, passed the CPA exam, and worked for Reynolds and Stanton. Took a position with the Dept. of Justice working with bankruptcy. A former member of Capital City Kiwanis, my recent retirement enabled me to rejoin. Has one son and has lived at the same address since 1978. In younger days spent much of our time back-packing. Now more into foreign travel. —More to the right—>

Board Notes:

Membership: (Oct 1, 2007—112 Members)

Adds: Dan Looney—sponsor Wes Seideman

Deletes: None

Total Current Membership: 116 (+4 for yr)

Through 12/19 meeting:

- Treasurer Frank financial report. All strong.
- Sent \$2500 to Assistance League Clothe-A-Child. Almost \$3000 more has been pledged by members. Total contribution will be largest we have given.
- Club donation of \$5 per member was given to Kiwanis Int'l Foundation and UT-ID Foundation.
- Discussing a Builders Club at Les Bois JH.
- Club Charter and new club banner were presented to Pioneer K Kids Club.
- 20 Members participated in Salvation Army bell ringing.
- Discussed possible larger scale project. Revisited statue project at airport which board approved in prior years but has not taken off. Jeremy to visit with Kelly O'neil who originally proposed.

Inter Clubs!

- **Monday, Jan 14th, Noon, Gem State, Holiday Inn**
- **Tuesday, Jan 15th, Noon, Kuna, Ben's Quick Wok**
- **Thursday, Jan 24th, 7am, Daybreakers, JB's Meridian**

Call Elizabeth Stoneman to sign up or for more info
at 888-1416 or estoneman@fmsb.com

Brooke Linville (Thurber) – Born in Boise in 1982; grew up in Virginia Beach, Virginia. Graduated from George Washington University and moved to Manhattan for a year before returning to Boise, where I had spent most of my summers since childhood. I met my husband, and we were married in October 2006 at the Powerhouse. We have an energetic dog that literally runs our lives and a cat. I currently work as an Education Specialist as well as tutor kids of all ages who have ADHD and learning disabilities. I'm also in Graduate School (full-time) at Boise State pursuing my M.A. in Special Education. I once enjoyed reading, scrap-booking, quilting, and road trips—I hope time permits that again sometime soon!