

Kiwanis Club of Greater Federal Way

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Club Newsletter for the week of October 30, 2007

2008 Club Officers and Board: **President** ~ Donovan Knight, **President Elect** ~ Wayne Triplett, **Past President** ~ Wayne Moritz, **Treasurer** ~ Beverly Triplett, **Secretary** ~ Don Barrows
Board Members: David Grohs, Ruth Grohs, Donavon Potter, Cindy Raboin, Ernie Sterba

Meeting Place: Our club is currently meeting at Denny's Restaurant located at 2625 S. 320th Street in Federal Way on Tuesday mornings at 7:30 AM. Visitors are always welcome!

Weekly Meeting: Today we had 20 members in attendance. Today was our annual club meeting for the purpose of presenting the “**Annual Club Survey**” to our members along with the **2008 Proposed Budget**. Please take the time this week to finish the survey if you have not already done so. Have questions about the budget? Bring them to next week’s meeting!

Key Club Corner: Another exciting week at the Key Club meeting. So far the Key Clubbers have raised \$176 for UNICEF (United Nations International Children’s Emergency Fund). Are these kids on a roll or what! Reminder, no Key Club meeting October 31st because there will be school conferences held. But Key Clubbers do have two November service projects in which we can participate. These two projects are:

Sock it to the Homeless: The homeless can always use an extra pair of dry socks. Our Key Club is collecting new socks for homeless. Cosco has a dozen socks for just over a dollar a piece. Buy yourself some socks and give half of them to this service project!

Coats for Kids: Each year about this time we receive calls from elementary school counselors telling us of children who are coming to school without coats in this frigid temperature. Key Clubbers are collecting children’s coats (maybe younger brothers and sisters have coats they no longer use) for this project. Why not visit your local thrift store and pick up a child’s coat for a buck or two?

Board Members 2008: President Donovan announced these club members would serve on this year’s board: David Grohs, Ruth Grohs, Donavon Potter, Cindy Raboin, Ernie Sterba

Senior Party #1 for 2008: this event was highly successful. Nine club members participated along with thirty Key Clubbers. Over 100 seniors were present. Senior Center manager, Nathan Brown was present and turned in his application for membership. Welcome, Nathan and we thank you for the service you provide for our seniors!

Kiwanis Facts: I thought I would share some of the printing on this year’s “**Trick or Treat for UNICEF**” boxes. “**Key Club** has committee to raise **\$2 million** for the **Swazi Children Care Project:** an innovative program where community volunteers are trained to provide health services, nutritious meals, and care to **Swaziland’s youngest and most vulnerable children.**” Makes you feel proud to be a Kiwanian!

Mark Your Calendar!

Oct. 31 No Thomas Jefferson Key Club meeting today.

Nov. 06 Thomas Jefferson Key Club in Little Theater at 2:15 PM

Nov. 26 November Divisional Council Meeting, Golden Steer restaurant at 6:00 PM

Dec. 01 Wine Tasting at Castle Bridge Winery in Kent 7:00 to 9:30 PM