

# Siskiwan

Kiwanis Club of Sisters

June 2014

## June Rocks!

The banner photo above is of Karen Keady's Jukebox that kept the Fire Hall rocking at this year's Antique Sale. Karen and her crew pulled off the best ever Antique Sale fund raiser in its three year history. Read more on Page 6. (Thanks to Dave Huni for the great photo.)

The Antique Sale is the first in our series of Spring events followed closely by the Golf Tournament, Rodeo Parade, Buckaroo Breakfast and Quilt Raffle. All great opportunities to pitch in and help us raise the money that funds our projects.

Scholarship Awards night, May 20 we presented EIGHT deserving Seniors a boost to further their educational pursuits. (see page 9)



Do you know  
where the  
money we  
raise goes?



Almost all the the  
budgeted funds have  
been disbursed for this year.

Here's a list of the wonderful community activities  
we have helped this year. (Items of \$300 or more)

- Art Discovery
- Boy Scouts #139
- Camp Sunrise - Hospice
- Career Opportunity Fund
- Challenge Day
- Circle of Friends
- FAN - Family Access Network
- Glenn Keeran Scholarships
- Health Beginnings - Screenings
- Middle School Special Education
- MTI Dental Van
- Outlaw Black and White Athletics
- Outlaw Martial Arts
- Ronald McDonald House
- SHS Safe Grad Party
- SHS Scholarships
- Sisters Science Club / Science Fair
- SPRD - Scholarships

# From the President



From the Prez. . .

Thanks to all of you who worked so hard on the Golf Tournament. Jeff McDonald is due great praise for his successful efforts. Our next effort is the Buckaroo Breakfast which comes with many pounds of bacon and large appetites. Thanks in advance to those of you who are showing up at 4:00 am to cook and to those performing all the other necessary details of making it a success.

Some thoughts from the Tao Te Ching:

In dwelling, live close to the Earth  
In thinking, be open to new ideas.  
In relationships, be kind.  
In speech tell the truth and keep your word.  
In leading people, demonstrate integrity.  
In daily matters, be competent  
In acting, consider the appropriate time...

If you do not try to prove yourself superior to others,  
You will be beyond approach.

*President Chuck*

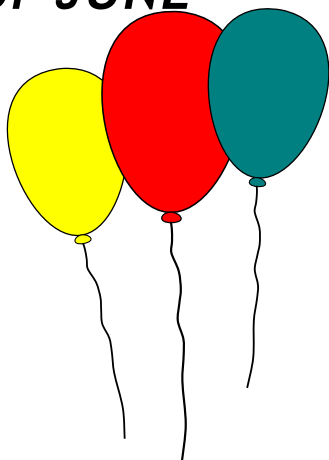
# Members



## ***MILESTONES for JUNE***

### **Birthdays**

2nd – David Roberts  
17th – Naomi Rowe  
21st – Kerry Bott  
23rd – David Hiller  
24th – Dave Cox  
27th – Gary Frazee



### **Wedding Anniversaries**

9th – Gary & DeAnn Frazee 32 years  
13th – Warren & Nancy Seaward, 55 years  
15th – Bill & Cindy Rainey, 46 years

26th - Chuck & Anne Kuzminski, 16 years  
27th - David & Laura Hiller, 43 years  
27th - Roxanne & Patrick Lenahan, 22 years  
28th - Jack McGilvary & Leart Jett, 17 years  
28th - Cal & Marsha Allen, 55 years

### **Club Anniversaries**

2nd– Jerry Taylor - 28 years  
3rd – Tom Kopec – 4 years  
11th – Linda Bafford – 11 years  
12th - Earl Schroeder – 6 years  
29th - Dave Cox – 3 years  
29th - Suzanne Carvlin – 3 years  
29th - Chris Carvlin – 3 years



## **New member Joanne Anttila joins the club.**

Sheryl McLaughlin has sponsored our newest addition to the Club, Joanne Anttila. Joanne and her husband Bill have lived in Sisters since 2007. She works as a full charge bookkeeper and is President of the Board of Directors of her Crossroads Homeowners Association. Their daughter Chelsea is culinary student and quite an amazing baker. Joanne will be a greeter at several of the next few meetings. Please take the time to meet her and make her feel welcome.

Photo by Dave Huni



# Meetings



## Program Speakers Schedule

### June

- 5 - President's Meeting
- 12-Rodeo Queen Brooklyn Nelson
- 19-Diane Goble "Having the Conversation"
- 26-Sarah Wilder - Nutritional Therapy Practitioner

### July

- 3 -President's Meeting
  - 10-Sandy Affonso – Home for Special Needs Adults
  - 17-Jon Renner – Sisters High School Aviation Program
  - 24-Jim Cornelius – Nugget
  - 31-To be determined
- (Thanks to Program Wizard **May Fan** for this great line up of Programs)



**Pat Woollard** leads and interclub to Bend and gets to meet **Bob Shaw** the TV - Weather Guy Forecast was mostly sunny with a chance of interclub. (Photo Pat Woollard)



(Photo by Dave Huni)

**Versie Meyer** tells the club about the great progress Kiwanis International is making on the ELIMINATE Project to eradicate Maternal Neonatal Tetanus on a worldwide basis.

**Carol Stiles** of the Center Foundation gives the club a presentation on the progress her organization has made in dealing with student athlete concussions.



Photo by Dave Huni

# Project News



## Fir Street Park Pavilion

11 people have completed most of the "Brains-on" classroom portion. About half have been Kiwanians and the rest community members. It has been an interesting class going over how to get started with SketchUp and how to take the 3D drawings to a 3D printer. Next week we start the actual construction of the Pavilion.

The picture below shows the concrete forms being set for the steps. (From Kerry Bott)



**Kris Calvin** from Earthwood Timber Frame Homes of Oregon was asking that Kiwanis fund the classroom and workshop for \$2500. When we went to present the check to him and the city he ***gave it back*** to Kiwanis and said he desired to "pay it forward".

**Thank you, Kris !**

**THE BIG DAY, Structure Raising,  
Saturday June 28th**

**TO JOIN IN THE FUN, contact Kerry Bott.**





# Projects



## FOOD BANK RESULTS

May 2014

Families Served-101

Adults-216 Children-89

Food boxes valuing \$16,729

14 Kiwanis volunteers  
serving 138 hours.

11 Community volunteers  
serving 80.5 hours.



## Quilt Raffle Ticket Sales

**Shauna Rocha** has everything rolling along smoothly for our partnership with the Sisters Outdoor Quilt Show to sell raffle ticket for Jean Wells beautiful Star Quilt. In exchange for our labors selling tickets we receive a share of the proceeds which we can apply to our community projects.



**Yoshi Furuya**  
Ticket Sales Wizard

Thank you **Jean Wells** and **Jeanette Pilak** for including us in this event. Contact **Shauna** to volunteer for a shift selling tickets



# Fund Raising



## Antique Show and Sale Saturday, May 24

**Karen Keady** (with a little help from her friends) has performed a one day fund raising miracle. With a budget to raise \$4,000, when the dust settled over \$6,800 was raised. Karen's Sisters Salutes in the Nugget says it well:

The Kiwanis Club of Sisters held their 3rd annual Antiques and Collectibles Sale on Saturday May 24th, and received a host of shoppers from all over Oregon. As the chair of this event, I am privileged to meet most of the folks who donate to this major fund raising effort. There is usually a story about every item, which we can then pass along to a buyer, so that they have a history of the treasure they are taking home.

This year Kiwanis beat the past two years in sales, making this one of our biggest fund raisers of the year. We could not do this without the support of the community, and all of the folks who donated items or shopped and purchased items.

Kiwanis thanks EVERYONE for making this a 3rd year success for us. Every penny we make is donated right back into the Sisters community in the form of college scholarships, career advancements, and other civic projects. Being part of such a caring and giving town is a great reward, but to pass that along to the betterment of others makes our work fun!

KAREN KEADY..Antique Sale Chairperson



Photos by Dave Huni





# Key Club



## Sisters High School Key Club hosts a Breakfast Meeting for all our Kiwanians



President Shea  
reviews the year

Shea - Outstanding  
President



Treasurer Jack pins Treasurer  
Jackson



President Dave pins  
President Brenna



New Officers - Jackson, Brenna,  
Langley, and Jenny



Secretary Jan  
pins Secretary  
Langley



The annual breakfast meeting with the Key Club recognized the outgoing officers, installed new officers and served a great breakfast to all. Thank you Key Club and **Michelle Hammer**. Congratulations on another outstanding year of leadership and community service. And all the best to the new leaders for the upcoming year

Photos Jeff Omodt



# S.H.S. Scholarships



## Eight Outstanding Sisters High School Students Receive Kiwanis Scholarships to Pursue Their Dreams.

### **Devon Calvin** \$1,700

Glenn Keeran Scholarship  
Conservation Biology  
Colorado College or  
St Lawrence Univ. NY

### **Sonja Lund** \$1,000

Kiwanis Scholarship  
Natural Health & Holistic Healing  
St. Olaf College

### **Codie Lagoe** \$1,500

Glenn Keeran Scholarship  
Business/Communications  
Eastern Oregon University

### **Anna Peasley** \$1,000

Kiwanis Scholarship  
Speech Therapy Golden West  
Community College then  
University of Arizona

### **Autumn Saunders** \$1,500

Glenn Keeran Scholarship  
Pre-Med leading to Dermatology MD  
Oregon State or one of 7 others

### **Ian Baldessari** \$1,000

Kiwanis Scholarship  
Journalism  
University of Montana

### **Savannah Spear** \$1,000

Kiwanis Scholarship  
Early Childhood Development  
Oregon State or Montana State

### **Paul Fullhart** \$1,000

Kiwanis Scholarship  
Chemical Engineering,  
Oregon State or one of 5 others

# Odds & Ends



## Linda Cleans Up (twice)

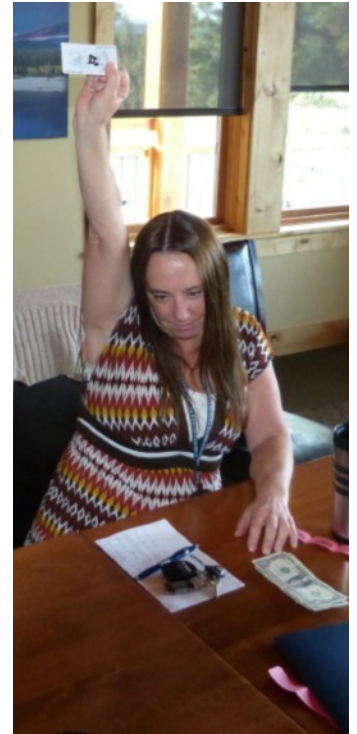
**Linda Bafford** led a team of 14 Kiwanians on the semiannual cleanup of Highway 20 from Sisters to the Rodeo Ground (just in time for the Rodeo, good planning). This year's assortment of treasures along the roadway did not disappoint. They ranged from a few CD's, a \$20 bill, and a c\*\*\*\*m (or as it was politely described by the clean up crew as "an object that might be discussed in a sex education class"). No indication whether they were all found at the same location.



And at a meeting shortly after her "Road Show with Friends" she held the lucky raffle ticket for the customary **\$5.00** prize. Then she drew the sought after JOKER and won another **\$150.**

Shall we call it a CLEAN SWEEP?

Congratulations LINDA !



And the news wouldn't be complete without the Wisdom and comment from our friend BOB



Let's call it the **Bob Grooney** Monthly Moaner -

**Bob** tells us that his doctor has put him on a new medication that he will have to be on for the rest of his life. He's OK with that, but he was a little distressed when he filled the prescription and the bottle said 30 day supply, no refills. Ouch! **Thanks Bob !**



Photos Jeff Omodt





# Join Us

Thursdays at Aspen Lakes Lodge -7:00 Coffee

## **Sisters Kiwanis We Celebrate Service!**

**We invite you to join us for coffee! Thursdays at 7 AM  
Aspen Lakes, Brand 33**

### **Our Sisters Kiwanis Purpose and Mission:**

The 74 members of the Sisters club take pride in a very real impact on our local community. Our club runs the food bank and has a massive food share event during the Christmas holidays. It supports fellow Sisters residents when emergency needs arise. It offers scholarships to many graduating seniors, and awards grants to dozens of organizations that have significant impact on the well-being of children and families.

The club also gives "opportunity grants" to many deserving adults in the community to help them better their position in life. Other service projects include: cleaning Sisters' highways, reading to children, improving our city's parks, sponsoring our scout troops, manning Red Cross blood drives, collecting eye glasses and cell phones, arranging community presentations, maintaining an entrance sign to our city, teaching kids poison awareness and helping screen children for health problems.

**Discover more at:  
[www.SistersKiwanis.org](http://www.SistersKiwanis.org)**

**You can find membership forms and info at:  
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