

An Invitation To Join Kiwanis

WHAT IS KIWANIS?

Kiwanis is a group of people living and or working in the same neighborhood who want to make a difference.

Kiwanis is a world wide service organization for individuals desiring personal involvement in the leadership and improvement of their communities. As a group, they can achieve what individuals cannot do alone.

Kiwanis is people who come together for fellowship, inspiration, and service. They attend regular weekly meetings for fellowship and inspiration. They perform voluntary community service through group efforts.

OUR PURPOSE

Service to Youth and the Elderly, to Community and Nation.

Our special emphasis is:

Young Children – Priority One

WHAT DOES IT COST?

Our dues are \$94.90 annually. Each member buys their own breakfast and may volunteer to donate a HAPPY \$DOLLAR and tell why they are happy. We hold fund raisers to support our service projects. We require no special uniforms. We provide you with your Kiwanis member pin and your name badge.

HOW MUCH TIME WILL IT TAKE?

We meet Tuesday mornings from 7am to 8am for a meeting during breakfast. The amount of time you'll spend on fund raisers and service projects is up to you.

WHY SHOULD I ATTEND MEETINGS?

During our weekly meetings we invite guest speakers to share about their businesses, upcoming events and other current topics. We also enjoy fellowship with one another.

YOU MENTIONED SERVICE PROJECTS AND COMMUNITY SERVICE.

We are involved in many areas of service to the community and world.

Working with many other Kiwanis clubs, we help support the Mt. Hood Kiwanis Camp which sponsors special programs for the physically and mentally handicapped youth. We also support the Kiwanis Doernbecher Bone Marrow Unit and the Northwest Medical Teams.

We have members who help deliver meals on wheels. Other members work with children in various Kiwanis projects such as Reading is Fundamental and Bring Up Grades, (BUG). We have worked with the Gladstone School District on a fire safety program. We have sponsored local immunization clinics for children at risk. We also sponsor Cub Scout Pack 523 in John Wetten Elementary School. Our club works with the American Red Cross as host six times a year. Each year we provide a scholarship award for one student at Gladstone High School. We have helped local Community programs with the purchase of child safety car seats. Every month on the second Saturday, we serve a pancake breakfast at the Gladstone Senior Center.

HOW DOES ONE JOIN?

Membership is by invitation. This is YOUR invitation to join.

An Invitation Extended Personally to

To join Kiwanis

**Who: The Kiwanis Club of
Gladstone-Oak Grove
Cordially invites You to attend**

What:

on

When:

at

Where:
