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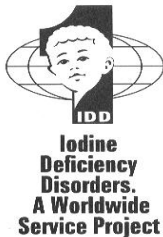
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KIWANIS CLUB OF COUNTRYSIDE, CLEARWATER meets every Tuesday at 7:30 am for Breakfast at EVE'S FAMILY RESTAURANT, 3150 TAMPA RD (WOODLANDS SQUARE) OLDSMAR

Kiwanis Club of Countryside, Clearwater Newsletter
The View from Countryside
Post Office Box 1855
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KIWANIS IN THE NEWS

CLUB GIVES DICTIONARIES. More than 500 third-graders at four Macomb Township elementary schools have new dictionaries, thanks to a project conducted by the **Shelby-Macomb (Michigan) Kiwanis Daybreakers.**

"It was good to see what students have today," said **DON HOOK**, immediate past president, about the visit to the schools. "It was an eye-opener." - The Detroit Free Press
From Kiwanis Magazine, October 2007

(Countryside Kiwanis is not far behind)

Kiwanis Club of Countryside, Clearwater

The View from Countryside

The Florida District



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Calendar

UPCOMING KIWANIS EVENTS
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Tuesday, October 9



Regular Meeting
RUTH M. FANOVICH, RN, LHRM
Care Placement Home Health Agency, Inc.
"Knowing your rights and what to expect"

Tuesday, October 16



Regular Meeting
MARGARET MARTIN
Professional Development Specialist
"Power of your Word"

Tuesday, October 23



Regular Meeting
STEVE BOUTON
Reflex Sympathetic Dystrophy

Tuesday, October 30



Business Meeting
Committee Meetings
Magazine & Canned Food Collection

Wednesday, October 31



Halloween

SARAH BYARS

Immediate Past President
2007-2008



SARAH BYARS

A Farewell Message from your 2006-2007 President...

Serving as President this year has been an incredible experience. Kiwanis International defining statement is: Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world one child and one community at a time. Countryside Kiwanis goes beyond those expectations and has a passion to serve our community as a whole.

Our support to the Clearwater Free Clinic and many other organizations has proven to enhance our club's mission statement...to be "Serving our Community-Making a Difference". The Core Purpose of Kiwanis is to improve lives through fellowship in service worldwide. Countryside Kiwanis lives by those values. It is humbling to be a part of an organization with the passion and drive that our members have.

My goals for the year were to increase membership and the awareness of Kiwanis in our communities. I think we are on the right track in achieving both. Thanks to all of your efforts we have ended the year as a "Distinguished Club". I look forward to continuing an active role as your Membership Chairperson this year and working with Lt. Governor **LOU REMZ** as the Division Membership Chair. Thank you all for making this past year a tremendous success and allowing me the opportunity to serve as your President. Working together we can "make a difference".

Finally, I would like to thank the Board of Directors and Committee Chairs for your leadership and guidance. Best of luck to **DICK LUCE** and next year's Board.

SARAH BYARS



DICK LUCE

THE MEETING LAST WEEK: 10/2 - Attendance, members 19, guests 2. President **DICK LUCE** chaired the meeting. Club raffle winner: 10/2 - **WIL BLANCHETTE**, 9/25 - **DORIS BREINER**. Cash collections: 10/2 - Happy Dollar - \$14.00, Raffle - \$48.00

We are indebted to **CHRIS RIVERS**, our breakfast meeting speaker last week, October 2, for furnishing a summary of his comments: "Through my variety of experience I learned my formula to success is persistence, passion and grace given by God.



CHRIS RIVERS

My more memorable experiences were in the overcoming of gripping fear on the rappelling tower at scout camp, having to run scout camp programs when all of the support left due to illness, learning to walk on a wire by falling off time after time, both-ering my coach and once again overcoming my fear of heights to become a flying trapeze catcher and wading through the difficulties of finding good work with a good company."

CHRIS at age 23, is a Financial Advisor with Waddell & Reed, Financial Advisors, and only recently arrived in Tampa, having grown up in Tallahassee. He is a proud member of the Knights of Columbus and we learn his granddad, **FRANK WALTER RIVERS**, was a Kiwanian in Jacksonville.



HAROLD BATEMAN

We have word from Honorary Countryside Kiwanis Member, **RALPH UPTON**, Col., US Army, Ret, about the passing of **HAROLD M. "DOUBY" BATEMAN**, at age 79. The newspaper notice indicates that **HAROLD** was the Mayor of Newark Valley, New York, for 12 years before moving to Safety Harbor. Further

HAROLD was an accountant who served in the Marine Corps for three years. No mention in the notice of his membership in Kiwanis. **RALPH UPTON** credits **HAROLD** with bringing him into Countryside Kiwanis. A Memorial Service will be held at noon on Monday, October 8, at Heritage United Methodist Church, Clearwater.

Football Raffle



We are indebted to **JEFF & WENDY HOY** for putting up for raffle two tickets for the football game of October 14 between the Tampa Bay Bucs and the Tennessee Titans with a value of \$76.00 each.

It didn't take long for Investment Advisor **STEVE BOUTON** to realize the value taking the prize with a bid of \$100.00. The Administrative Fund was also a winner with a \$40.00 donation by **JEFF & WENDY**.

Gourmet Nut Program REMINDER

Just one month remaining to order gourmet nuts for your holiday gift giving, the deadline is November 6.



Giant 3 1/2 lb. gourmet mixed nuts priced at \$25. Our members are still talking about this bargain from last year.

Gourmet mixed nuts in a beautiful 1 lb. 10 oz. gold metallic tin, with Currier & Ives top, inside a gift box, at \$20.

UPCOMING KIWANIS EVENTS

Division 12 Prayer Breakfast
Wednesday, November 21, 2007
Sunset Grill, Clearwater

Countryside Kiwanis Christmas Party
Countryside Country Club
Thursday, December 6

Countryside Kiwanis Peanut Day
Saturday, February 2, 2008

Florida Kiwanis Governor Visit
Thursday, February 7, 2008

Kid's Zoo Day
Saturday, March 8, 2008

Florida Kiwanis Education Day
Saturday, March 8, 2008

Kiwanis Day at the Ballpark
Saturday, April 5, 2008

Head Start



Our Head Start readers are attempting to read to the children in spite of their small numbers. Some having to read to two classes because of the shortage. And so we have this report from Young Children Priority One Co-Chair **DIXIE HARDIN**:

Clearwater location: **GEORGE & DIXIE HARDIN**, both reading to two classes and **CAROL THOMPSON**.

Sanderlin Center: **DICK & JEN LUCE**.

Isay Gulley Center: **KAREN GREER** and **ELMER LUOMA**. **ELMER** read to two classes this week as he did last week.

MEMBERS, WE NEED HELP !!!!

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DIVISION 12 KIWANIS CLUBS

GREATER CLEARWATER COUNTRYSIDE, CLRWTR DUNEDIN	Sunset Grill, 2328 Sunset Point Road, Clearwater Eve's Family Rest, 3150 Tampa Rd, (Woodlands Sq), Oldsmar Mease Dunedin Hospital, 601 Main Street, Dunedin	TH 7:30 A TU 7:30 A TH 7:30 A
GREATER WEST PASCO LARGO/MID PINELLAS PALM HARBOR	BEEF O'BRADY'S RESTAURANT, Route 19 and Floramar Farmer's Kitchen, 3500 East Bay Drive, Largo Tiffany's Restaurant, 35000 US 19 No. , Palm Harbor	TU 7:15 A FR 7:30 A TU 7:30 A
SAFETY HARBOR SPRINGTIME CITY TARPON SPRINGS	Paradise Restaurant, 443 Main Street, Safety Harbor Long Center, 1501 N. Belcher Road, Clearwater Clubhouse at Cypress Run Golf Club, 2669 St. Andrews Blvd, T/S	WE 7:30A TH 6:00 P WE 6:30 P,1st&3rd

COUNTRYSIDE, CLEARWATER KIWANIS CLUB COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS 2007-2008

CLUB ADMINISTRATION COMMUNITY SERVICE CLEARWATER FREE CLINIC STREET CLEANUP PAUL B. STEPHENS KID'S DAY SENIOR OLYMPICS OTHER SERVICE	BILL GREER, ELMER LUOMA, DAN PALMISANO ELMER LUOMA, Chairperson, DICK LUCE, ED BUNCH STEVE BOUTON, ELMER LUOMA, DICK LUCE, JOHN NELSON ELMER LUOMA and Others GLENN RUEDIGER ELMER LUOMA STU JOLLY, TOM GABLE, JOE UHRINEK
FUNDRAISING MIDNIGHT RUN PEANUT DAY HUMAN & SPIRITUAL VALUES BEREAVEMENT, BUDDY SYSTEM CLUB PROGRAMS INTERCLUB PUBLIC RELATIONS MEMBERSHIP, EDUCATION & RETENTION	GEORGE HARDIN, Chairperson, ED BUNCH, SHIRLEY SUMNER, BILL GREER, DORIS PERKINS BILL GREER, Chairperson, FRANK WARD, DICK LUCE, SHIRLEY SUMNER FRANK WARD, Chairperson EVERYBODY TOM DULANEY, Coordinator, FRANK WARD, WENDY HOY BILL GREER, Chairperson, SHIRLEY SUMNER TOM DULANEY, Chairperson, DAN PALMISANO SARAH BYARS, Chairperson, BILL GREER, GEORGE HARDIN, WENDY HOY, TOM DULANEY, MIKE VANHORENBECK
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