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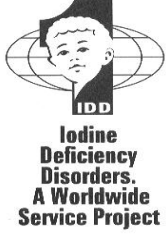
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**KIWANIS CLUB OF COUNTRYSIDE, CLEARWATER meets every Tuesday at 7:30 am for Breakfast at EVE'S FAMILY RESTAURANT, 3150 TAMPA RD (WOODLANDS SQUARE) OLDSMAR**

Kiwanis Club of Countryside, Clearwater Newsletter  
 The View from Countryside  
 Post Office Box 1855  
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**MIDNIGHT RUN ONE-MILE AWARDS:**

Male	Time	Age	City	Female	Time	Age	City
1.	4:55	21	Ft Lewis, WA	1.	6:18	18	Dunedin
2.	5:05	48	Clearwater	2.	6:26	20	Clearwater
3.	5:12	21	Orlando	3.	6:37	36	Brandon
4.	5:14	29	San Bruno, CA	4.	6:48	18	Seminole
5.	5:25	19	Dunedin	5.	6:59	19	Clearwater

**Kiwanis Club of Countryside, Clearwater**  
**The View from Countryside**  
**The Florida District**  **Division 12**

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**Calendar**

**UPCOMING KIWANIS EVENTS**  
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Board of Directors  
 Tuesday, July 15, 7 pm  
**DICK LUCE** residence  
 2976 Buxton Ct, Clwtr

**Tuesday, July 15**



Metro Crime Prevention of Florida  
**DOUG DUNCAN**  
 Fraud and Scams

**Tuesday, July 22**



ChocolateSystem.Com  
**ATTILA HEVESTY**  
 Healthy effects of dark chocolate

**Tuesday, July 29**



Business Meeting  
 Committee Meetings  
 Magazine & Canned Food Collection

**Tuesday, August 5**



**RON NELSON**  
 Foundation for Fiscal Reform

**Tuesday, August 12**



**STEVE PASTERNAK**  
 Lighting in these tough economic times

Public Relations Chair **TOM DuLANEY** does wrap-up of 29th Annual Kiwanis Morton Plant Mease Midnight Run held on July 3rd and 4th, 2008, at breakfast meeting of Tuesday, July 8th:



**TOM DuLANEY**

"Another, the 29th to be specific, Kiwanis Morton Plant Mease Midnight Run is in the books. There was a record turnout with a total of 1,825 participants consisting of 998 pre-registered and 827 race night registrants. Out of those numbers were 315 doing the one-mile run/walk, 1,060 doing the 5K run and 450 doing the 10K run. The official results are posted on [www.coolrunning.com](http://www.coolrunning.com).

"Once again, yeoman work came from **JOE GARRISON** and his trusty sidekick, **DAVE**, who inputs all the race particulars in the computer, **The HARDIN boys, GEORGE and HENRY**, and the vast amount of volunteers. Representing our club in the one-mile Run/Walk were **MARION SPENGLER** and **TOM DuLANEY**. Also seen in the One-Mile venue was Lt. Gov. **LOU REMZ**.

"**JOE GARRISON** tells us that the sponsor plaques and t-shirts will be available within a couple of weeks. In spite of the rain that fell prior to the races which caused "power outages" with the luminaries, overall it turned out to be a good night. Not only was there record numbers but the race proceeds should exceed the half million dollar mark for this race and the previous 28 Midnight Runs. Thanks to all who have made this possible."





DICK LUCE

THE MEETING LAST WEEK: 7/8 - Attendance, members 17, guests 1. President **DICK LUCE** chaired the meeting. Club raffle winner: 7/8 - **MARION SPENGLER**, 7/1 - **SARAH BYARS**. Cash collections: 7/8 - Happy Dollar - \$15.00, Raffle - \$10.00



DIXIE HARDIN and WENDY HOY AT THE MIDNIGHT RUN



DICK & JEN LUCE and SHIRLEY SUMNER AT THE MIDNIGHT RUN

UPCOMING KIWANIS EVENTS

Florida District Convention  
August 21-24, 2008  
Jacksonville, Florida

Officer/Director Installation  
Olive Garden Restaurant  
Tuesday, September 30, 6:00 pm

Countryside Kiwanis Christmas Party  
Countryside Country Club  
Thursday, December 4, 6:00 pm

Dear Kiwanians:

1. What a fabulous Kiwanis-Morton Plant Mease evening!!! Over "Half Million" total raised for the folks in our communities!!!
2. A new largest number of runners—1,825.
3. I want to thank everyone for the great effort; **JOE GARRISON** and his assistant, **DAVID**, for all the work during the 6 month period - also **HENRY HARDIN**.
4. Thanks to the Dunedin Club for registration; to Countryside for the work on the course and food line.
5. Special huge thanks for the luminary placing and lighting crew - especially because of the 1 and 1/4 inch rain and wind that put water in every luminary and blew about 20 into the street. Over 24 lighters were used to light wet wicks and finally they used candles with many burned fingers.
6. Thanks for all who helped set-up and clean-up!!!
7. Special thanks to **GEORGE, JR.**, and truck and **ETHAN BESTON** family and truck for many hours of service. **GEORGE, JR.**, even spent a couple hours next morning while we were all sleeping to finish cleaning up bottles, candles and returning containers to Publix and cleaning up the trucks.
8. Also a special thanks to **STEVE** and Committee for keeping water and Gatorade provided for the runners. We had over 1,100 5K coming thru at almost one time. I know all their backs and shoulders were hurting the next day. I can't mention everyone, but everyone did a fantastic job. Many thanks to all - **GEORGE HARDIN**, Midnight Run Co-Chair  
P.S. It is beautiful and cool up here in the mountains. See you in September.

Suggestions to improve Mid-Night Run discussed at break-fast meeting of 7/8/2008:



1. **Water Stop:** a) needed more volunteers b) needed more garbage bags for cleanup c) uneven distribution of water
2. **Water/Gatorade for runners in parking lot:** a) ran out of both, many 10K runners had to do without (bad scene) b) need to purchase more packages of Gatorade since it keeps c) need more drink coolers for both water and Gatorade.
3. **Perhaps an additional water stop strategically located for longer distance runners.**
4. **Luminaries: Lay these on their side until time to light to avoid possible rain. Need more sand. Needed better synchronization of timers**
6. **No walkie talkies available when problems occurred.**
7. **Need more VISIBLE mile markers.**
8. **T-shirts didn't reflect July 4th. No red/white/blue colors. Sponsors squeezed on back of shirt. Logo was non-descript. Need more small t-shirts.**
9. **#'s 1 and 2 above reported in previous years. Apparently follow-up has been ignored.**



LOTS OF HELP AT THE DUNEDIN KIWANIS REGISTRATION TABLES



315 RUNNERS TOOK PART IN THE 1-MILE FUN RACE/WALK

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<b>GREATER CLEARWATER COUNTRYSIDE CLEARWATER DUNEDIN</b>	St Matthias, 2751 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
<b>GREATER WEST PASCO LARGO/MID PINELLAS PALM HARBOR</b>	Beef O'Brady's Restaurant, Route 19 and Floramar Ave Largo Community Center, 54 - 4th Street, Largo Tiffany's Restaurant, 35000 US 19 No., Palm Harbor	TH 6:00 P FR 7:30 A TU 7:30 A
<b>SAFETY HARBOR SPRINGTIME CITY TARPON SPRINGS</b>	Paradise Restaurant, 443 Main Street, Safety Harbor Clearwater Country Club, 525 Betty Lane, Clearwater Clubhouse at Cypress Run Golf Club, 2669 St. Andrews Blvd	WE 7:30A TH 6:00F WE 6:30 P, 1st&3rd

**COUNTRYSIDE, CLEARWATER KIWANIS CLUB COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS 2007-2008**

<b>CLUB ADMINISTRATION COMMUNITY SERVICE CLEARWATER FREE CLINIC STREET CLEANUP PAUL B. STEPHENS KID'S DAY SENIOR OLYMPICS OTHER SERVICE</b>	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 UHRENEK
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