



From Our Prez. . .

Thanks to club Treasurer, Melani Joyal, last Wednesday for her very interesting Kiwanis education tidbits (“KedBits”) on the total \$\$’s Gig Harbor Kiwanis has raised from its various fundraising efforts over the past 8 years. Will be interesting to see what we can take in (\$\$-wise) from our last two fundraisers for the year; car raffle and golf tournament.

Speaking of numbers, it’s that time of the Kiwanis year when club presidents begin thinking of the points needed to insure their club is recognized for the great work its members have done throughout the year, and are deserving of the designation, “Distinguished Club” in our Division 34, and in the PNW District.

100 points are needed to earn this distinction and the categories are broken down as follows: Service (50 pts available); Leadership Education (40 pts available); Growth (60 pts available). Secretary, Lance Colyar, and I have figured that Gig Harbor Kiwanis is currently at 70 pts. with 30 more points possible for Membership Growth (10), New Member Orientation (10), and a New Service Project (10). We will be

discussing this topic at our next Board meeting and working to get that “Distinguished Club” recognition for all of our hard work this Kiwanis year.

KiwaNotes

Golf Balls?

~John Bare

If you haven’t brought your golf balls, **please do it this week!** Last reminder.....

Golf Committee Meeting

~Bill Fogarty

The Golf Committee will meet immediately after Friday’s Board meeting.

8-1/2 Years’ Fund Raiser Info

(Presented by Melani last week)

Donations (people/grants): \$91,924

Auction: \$70,675 (2 times)

Golf Tourn.: \$52,940 (8 annual)

Sees Candy: \$24,226 (9 annual)

Car Raffle: \$20,473 (2 prior cars)

Star Search: \$18,506 (3 annual)

Fireworks: \$8,580 (6 times)

Cookbook: \$5,180 (ongoing since)

Pet Remembrance: \$1,130 (1 time)

Oktoberfest: \$282 (1 time)

Entertainment Books: \$276 (1 time)

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This Week

- **Wednesday’s Speaker: John Harrington** on the Wilds of Patagonia
- **Friday: Board/Foundation Meeting.** Golf Committee meets directly after a.m. Board meeting

Looking Ahead

- **Aug 10 speaker: Kevin Phelps**, Deputy County Executive, Pierce County
- **Aug 17 speaker: Dr. Marvin Pitts**, WSU Engineering Program, Olympic College
- **Aug 17-18: GearUp**
- **Aug 26: Golf Tournament**
- **Sept 8: Blood Drive, 1-7**
- **For other EVENTS, click**

<http://calendar.mail.vahoo.com/gigharborkiwanis>

Inspiration

- **Aug. 3: Jim Bannon**
- **Aug. 10 OPEN**
- **Aug. 17: Bob Hall**

KEdbit Speakers

- **Aug. 3: Nick Markovich**
- **Aug. 10: Bill Fogarty**
- **Aug. 17: Rich Tucker**
- **Aug 24: Steve Bay**



Project Expenditures

Gear Up for School: \$130,363
 Scholarships: \$41,450
 Community Service: \$31,318
 Bike program (less donations):
 \$13,458
 Key Club: \$11,643
 NW Kiwanis Camp: \$11,119
 CIS & Other: \$8,622
 YCPO: \$7,882
 DI: \$5,100
 Civic Projects: \$4,000

Milestones

**Happy Birthday
 Virdie Gollither
 On July 28th!**



**Happy Birthday
 To Andi Mitchell
 On July 30th!**



**Happy Anniversary to
 Connie Harrington &
 Larry Miller
 On August 1st!**



Deep Thoughts

A GOOD PUN IS ITS OWN REWORD

- * Energizer Bunny arrested - charged with battery.
- * A pessimist's blood type is always b-negative.
- * Practice safe eating - always use condiments.
- * Shotgun wedding: A case of wife or death.
- * I used to work in a blanket factory, but it folded.
- * If electricity comes from electrons... does that mean that morality comes from morons?
- * Marriage is the mourning after the knot before.
- * A hangover is the wrath of grapes.
- * Corduroy pillows are making headlines.
- * Sea captains don't like crew cuts.
- * Does the name Pavlov ring a bell?
- * A successful diet is the triumph of mind over platter.
- * A gossip is someone with a great sense of rumor.
- * Without geometry, life is pointless.

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- * When you dream in color, it's a pigment of your imagination.
- * Reading whilst sunbathing makes you well-red.
- * When two egotists meet, it's an I for an I.