

Tillicum Tabloid

Kiwanis Club of Snohomish Tillicum



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It's been a HOOT!

I have thoroughly enjoyed being your President for this last year. We had some good times while getting all we had to do done well and on time. We left our house in financial order for our new President John Diel and charge him with the responsibility of keeping the Tillicum Legend alive and well. All was not easy during my term, I did not accomplish all I set out to do, too much to finish in one short year. Passing of so many members cut deep in our hearts. Lose of some very good new and old members due to moving or sickness did not help our spirits. So we must keep on moving forward recruiting new members to become part of the Tillicum family, to keep the club alive, and to ensure the legend lives on in our community.

Let's remember some of the good times of 2005-2006; now here is the top ten in my non forgettable memories:

Number 10: Bob Heirman (the house chairman) forgetting we meet on Holidays Monday while the seniors meets in the same hall. After calling Bob he shows up in his waders and set up the house; he was going fishing with Ralph and Ralph is waiting for him.

9: Hanging our 4' X 8' BBQ sign on the City's speed limit sign post at The Boys & Girls Club with John Bruce "ah let's do it, they won't notice it!". I cackled for two weeks and the City never saw it.

8: Conspiring with Brian Brunhaver, President of the Snohomish Club, to tell Rod & Stan two Past Lt. Governors we were going the make our joint picnic an interclub. Both Stan & Rod went ballistic saying we did have no bell or flags and this was a fun event. So Wally got a bell and a CLEAN pair of his under shorts and we rang the bell. I think both Rod and Stan almost had a heart attack in protest.

7: Setting the date for the Spaghetti feed. Not getting a date after asking Downtown members a few times, knowing the downtown President was the next Chamber President, when asked the date at a Chamber meeting I thought for a second and asked when homecoming was. Then I set the date they gave Oct, 6th for the Chamber calendar. Within a few days I had all kinds of email and calls saying we can't be ready that fast or we are not going to be here or we can't get tickets printed that fast. October, 20th is the new date we set; sorry Snohomish group Oct 20th comes fast but we have a date for the event.

6: Art Poier coming to a meeting late after I introduced a guess who was a potential new member, Art sat down, I want and got him up, walk him over to Katy our guest, introducing Art to her. Art said to her "You must have a lot of time on your hands to want to join this group" - that's Art.

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Quote of the Day

The first half of our lives is ruined by our parents, and the second half by our children.

— Clarence Darrow

MEETING TIME:

Mondays 10:00 AM

St. Michael Catholic Church
1512 Pine Avenue
Snohomish, WA

Please give John Bruce, Jim Rahm or Wally Walsh any corrections to these lists you observe need to be made. Also any articles for the newsletter are gladly accepted.

Thank you!



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- 5: The dissertation with Stan about my pronunciation of word Tillicum during one of our meetings.
- 4: Changing the Tillicum setting arrangements, Stan told me so "Don't DO IT".
- 3: Changing from Doughnuts at our meetings to Muffins, Sam quitting if we don't get Doughnuts back, taking a vote at the meeting, now we have both.
- 2: Art Langdon ringing the bell to start the meeting, when I was late in doing so; no one new what to do.

And the **number 1** of the fun memories is:-

Going on an interclub at Stanwood with Jack King and Bill Blake!

Yes it's been a hoot, it's been a great ride, I have been asked would I do it again, and the answer is **you bet** I would! I love this Tillicum club even if I pronounce it with a New York accent "Tillicom". It's not really the club, it's you the members I love so much, thank you for putting up with me this past year as your President; good luck to John in 2006-2007, thank you to the other two club officers Sonia and Wally and God bless all of you.

Thanks

Jim Rahm

Past Tillicum President

New Member Inducted into Tillicum

John Bruce, September 22nd 2006

Jean Atchley, sponsored by President Jim Rahm was welcomed as a our newest member of the Kiwanis Club of Snohomish Tillicum. She was introduced at our Installation and Awards Ceremony and inducted as a new member by Larry Merwin and Jim Rahm. Congratulations and Good Luck, Jean, may you enjoy many years of service to the community through our club!!



2005-2006 Committee Chairpersons

Club Meeting:	Bob Heirman
Community Service/Ferguson Cr:	Cliff Bailey
Senior Center	Bob Heirman
Adopt-a-Park	Bill Blake
Battery Sales	John Diel
Sportsman Club	Bob Heirman
Chamber of Commerce	Wally Walsh
Public Liaison to City, County, State	Cliff Bailey
Feed the Hungry in Snohomish	Wally/Cliff
Preservation of Tillicum History	Bob Heirman
Food Bank	Beth Greenlee
Finance:	Wally Walsh
Human & Spiritual Values:	Doris Wentworth
Membership Growth & Education & New members:	Art Langdon
Newsletter Website & Publications:	John Bruce
Youth Services/Mentoring/Scholarships	
Young Children Priority One:	Doris Wentworth
Salmon BBQ/Silent Auction:	Jack King
Absent, Fallen Members	Stan Jones

October Programs

- October 2** Lya Bagley, Newly founded Snohomish Park Foundation
- October 9** John Cartmell, Nutritionist
- October 16** Liz Loomis, Reflection on Public service
- October 23** Linda Paz, Matthew House
- October 30** Rebecca Loney, Snohomish Library

Remember we Have Batteries!!

Daylight savings time ends in October and the Holiday season (Bah Humbug!) is approaching, so remember to stock up on batteries from John Diel!



Kla Ha Ya Days Parade Grand Marshall

John Bruce, September 19th, 2006

Back on July 22nd of this year, our own Dibe Peters was chosen to lead the Kla Ha Ya Days parade as the Grand Marshall - an honor well deserved considering his service to this community. As usual he gave it his all. He has been seen in this parade in previous years as a member of the Snohomish Sauerkraut band. In the car riding along with Dibe is his wife, looks like they are having fun in that 1969(?) Olds Delta 88.



Structure review enters new phase

From Kiwanis International website, August 30, 2006

In the fall of 2004, Kiwanis International began a project studying the structure of its organization and how it could better support clubs and the service they perform. The program's goal is to make Kiwanis International a rewarding experience for volunteers throughout the world by providing the best service to our members through the most efficient means possible. With that end in mind, a Special Committee on Structure was appointed. It met several times over the past year to deliberate on the various issues surrounding Kiwanis International's structure. That committee submitted its final report this past June 28 to the International Board.

Kiwanis International is now ready for the next step in this project.

"We need your help," says International President Steve Siemens.

"The committee's report and exhibits are posted on this Web site. Please take the time to read this material thoroughly. The International Board is not recommending any changes at this point. We simply want to begin a dialogue with you, the member, and receive as much thoughtful input as possible before going any further. Toward that end, the International Board has organized four committees to further study the topics contained in the Special Committee's report. Soon, your International Board Counselors will be attending all of the district conventions taking place over the next few months. Please use this opportunity to voice your opinion, ask questions, and let us know your thoughts on these issues.

"At our International Convention this year, our House of Delegates adopted a formal resolution that will shape our future and the future of the children and communities we serve for years to come. We are committed to growing one million members strong by our 100th anniversary. You are invited to share your thoughts via e-mail at "<http://www.kiwanis.org/contact/contact.asp?e=structure>" on the web. (This page contains a document that you can file electronically with Kiwanis International).

For your reference, review the Structure Committee documents by accessing to the following web address <http://www.kiwanis.org/resources/structure.asp>.

(If anyone needs help or instruction on web access or use, please contact Jim Rahm or John Bruce)

Installation of Officers and Awards Ceremonies at St Michael's

John Bruce, September 22nd 2006

Once again, Wally Walsh was Master of Ceremonies for the two Snohomish Kiwanis clubs representing 80 years of service to the city of Snohomish. They held their joint potluck dinner at St Michaels to install their respective 2006-2007 Officers and to present awards to their members for service during the 2005-2006 year.

Tillicum President Jim Rahm handed out the following awards for the year: Perfect attendance: Stan Jones, Jack King, Bill Blake. Outstanding support for the Year: Donna and Wally Walsh. Exemplary Kiwanis Member of the Year: Doris Wentworth. Club Officer of the year: Sonia Rahm. Past President of the Year: Art Langdon. Member of the Year: John Bruce.

Outgoing Lt Governor Larry Merwin installed Stan Jones as the new Division 22 Lt Governor. The meeting at that point was turned over to Stan who then installed our 2006-2007 Officers: Treasurer Wally Walsh, Secretary Sonia Rahm, Vice President Jim McAllister, President Elect John Bruce, President John Diel and Board of Directors: 2006-07 Bill Blake, Art Langdon, Art Poier, 2006-08 Jack King, Gary Maxfield, Uli Pierson, 2006-09 (new) Melody Beckdolt, Bob Heirman.

Similar ceremonies were presented by the Snohomish Kiwanis as each club alternated throughout the evening. Brian Brunhaver will lead the club for another year as President. Roy Fritch, member of the Snohomish club and honorary member of Tillicum, received his annual award for perfect attendance, this time it was for 52 years.

The Officers of the Snohomish High School Key club were present this year, they were introduced by Stacy Brunhaver their advisor from the Snohomish Kiwanis club. The girls in turn introduced their parents. This was something new for this event and the girls were very helpful during the setup and cleanup and were greatly appreciated.



October 2006

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2 10:00am Club Meeting	3	4	5	6 ☉	7
8	9 10:00am Club Meeting Columbus Day	10	11	12	13 ☾ Birthday Stanley Innes	14
15	16 8:30am Board mtg. 10:00am Club Meeting	17	18	19	20 6:00pm Spaghetti Feed 	21 ●
22	23 10:00am Club Meeting Birthday Marilyn Jones	24	25	26	27 Birthday Doris Wentworth 	28 Birthday Del Aldredge
29 ☾ Daylight Savings Ends	30 10:00am Club Meeting	31 Halloween 				



Kiwanis Club of Snohomish Tillicum

OFFICERS

President

John Diel 425-397-8283

Past President

Jim Rahm 360-568-3590

President Elect

John Bruce 360-691-0467

Vice President

James McAllister 360-563-9293

Secretary

Sonia Rahm 360-568-3590

Treasurer

Wally Walsh 360-568-5936

Co Treasurer

Donna Walsh 360-568-5936

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

2006-2007

Bill Blake 360-569-7810

Art Langdon 425-334-8258

Art Poier 360-629-5337

2006-2008

Jack King 360-668-7024

Gary Maxfield 425-397-9733

Uli Pierson 360-568-8647

2006-2009

Melody Beckdolt

Bob Heirman 360-568-4083

2006-2007

PNW Division 22

Lt. Governor

Stan Jones

Pacific Northwest District

Governor

Lori Bryant

**Kiwanis International
International President**

Nelson Tucker

Immediate Past President

Steve Siemens

REMINDER

Executive Board Meeting:

BATTERIES For Sale:

FOOD BANK Donations:

Glasses for SOS Program:

REMINDER

8:30AM, October 16th, 2006

Contact John Diel at 425-397-8283

First Monday of the Month

Bring them to the club by first week in October

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