

### 2nd Annual Dux Awards Given on May 21st

Story by Jim Rahm

Is there anyone who did not enjoy this program, now an annual event, when the Dux awards were presented at our meeting? I know I have enjoyed the last two. Again, the Snohomish School District has produced three deserving recipients this year, a ninth grader from the Freshman campus and two eighth graders, each from Valley View and Centennial Middle Schools.

Knowing from my police days that this age group is at the turning point of their young lives and so often adults criticize that age group for all the mischief they get into, but rarely praise them for what they add to our society.

I think this program is great and I look forward to next year's group of youngsters at our annual Dux awards. Many thanks to Doris for all her hard work on making this award possible in the name of the Tillicum Club.



Brandon Sykes  
8th Grade - \$50.00  
Centennial Middle School



Julie Johnson  
8th Grade - \$50.00  
Valley View Middle School



Richardo Youngblood  
9th Grade - \$100.00  
Freshman Campus

#### Quote of the Day

We didn't lose the game, we just ran out of time!

*Vince Lombardi*

#### 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.

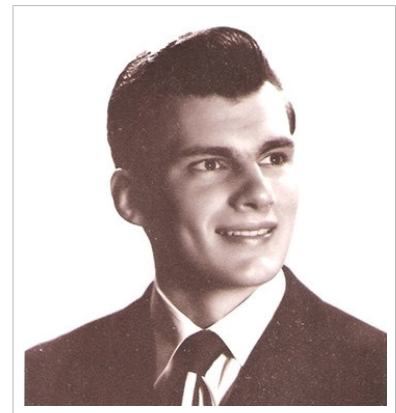
Thank you!



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Who is it?

## Larry Merwin Steps in for Stan Jones

John Bruce, May 17th 2007

Stan Jones attended the May 17th Division Council meeting just long enough for him to announce his resignation and turn over the Lt. Governorship to (or back to) Larry Merwin by returning his pin to Larry. This Larry was caught completely by surprise so without an agenda we spent most of our time reporting on each club accomplishments and plans for the rest of the year. The next meeting will be at Edmonds Seniors / Sno King, and the final meeting at Hill park with Snohomish Tillicum in September



Stan returned this pin to Larry

### 2006-2007 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
Sergeant at arms	Sam Twibell
	Art Langdon

**Remember! We Have Batteries!!**  
Stock up on batteries from John Diel!

### June Programs

<b>June 4</b>	Snohomish Education Foundation
<b>June 11</b>	State Patrol
<b>June 18</b>	Hospice
<b>June 25</b>	P.U.D.

### Programs

<b>June</b>	Gary Maxfield
<b>July</b>	David Pesznecker
<b>August</b>	Art Langdon
<b>September</b>	Doris Wentworth

### Interclubs

Jack King
Bill Blake
Wally Walsh
John Bruce



## CONGRATULATIONS TO MELODY BECKDOLT ON A WELL DESERVED AWARD

*Story-Jim Rahm*

Last month Bob Heirman wrote an article for the Snohomish Tribune about Melody Beckdolt receiving the Snohomish Sportsmen's Club Alvin J. Hereth Memorial Trophy for the club's 2007 outstanding member award on April 16<sup>th</sup> stating "If only we could clone her".

Well I believe Melody to be deserving of a Trophy from many more clubs and organizations throughout Snohomish for the same thing; volunteering to help others in our area. We all know the hard work Mel and the other ladies in this club do, but, Mel takes it farther, the Senior Center, Food Bank, the Snohomish Sportsmen's Club, our own Tillicum Kiwanis Club and on and on. So when you see Melody just take a moment to congratulate her on this award. Thanks Mel for all you have done for the Webmaster/Newsletter Team and the entire Tillicum club.

Jim



*Photo from the Tribune  
left Melody right Bob.*

## 2007 Food Drive by our Letter Carriers

John Bruce, May 12, 2007

Once again, our friendly letter carriers at the USPS picked up non-perishable food packages left at mail boxes by the citizens of Snohomish. We they returned to the PostOffice, they unloaded them, with the help of the Boy Scouts, into large carts that hold 400 - 600 pounds of food, to be then transported to the Food Bank by our truck. Once at the Food Bank, our friendly volunteers, high school students, Tillicum Kiwanis, and whoever unloaded the food into boxes and on the floor. Now that food, all 30,000 pounds of it, has to be segregated for distribution, so lots of volunteers are still needed.



## Kiwanis a Constant in ‘Best Communities for Children’

May 11, 2007 from Kiwanis International Website

Thirty-four of this year’s 100 “Best Communities for Children” cited Kiwanis as one reason they are outstanding. The list was chosen by the [America’s Promise](#) Alliance.

Communities were rated on how well they fulfill the Alliance’s “Five Promises to Children”:

- Caring adults
- Safe places
- A healthy start
- Effective education
- Opportunities to help others

An Alliance research report indicated that to succeed in life, young people must experience at least four of the five. Kiwanis, Key Club, and other Kiwanis-family groups contribute to all five areas, providing opportunities to serve others in school and community. Another factor was raising awareness of young people’s needs, a prime Kiwanis goal.

“The frequent references to Kiwanis in the winning communities’ applications show our clubs are making a difference for children,” says Kiwanis International President Nelson Tucker. “Every Kiwanian can be proud of this result.”

“These winning communities demonstrate the power and potential when leaders from all sectors—including the terrific civic leadership from members of Kiwanis—join forces to provide young people with the support and opportunities that prepare them for success,” adds Marguerite Kondracke, America’s Promise president and CEO.

[Read more](#) about the 100 communities detailed on [americaspromise.org](#)

## Keep Sponsored Youth Active

from Kiwanis International Website

When school’s out for summer, many Circle K clubs become inactive—or cut back on the amount of service provided to communities—because students leave campus for home or jobs.

Kiwanis clubs can help by working with students who do stick around. Here’s what to do:

- Invite Circle K’ers (and other sponsored youth) to meetings.
- Ask a Circle K’er to sit on a planning committee in your Kiwanis club.
- Invite all Circle K’ers, Key Clubbers, Builders, and K-Kids to participate in Kiwanis service projects, fundraisers, and social events.
- Offer assistance to Circle K’ers and Key Clubbers who wish to attend International conventions. Use the one-third rule: Offer to pay one-third of the cost to send a member to convention (one-third is paid by the student, and the other third is paid by the student’s club.)



# June 2007

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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<b>3</b> Joined 2002 Jim Rahm	<b>4</b> 10:00am Club Meeting Birthday Don Ness	<b>5</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>8</b> ☾	<b>9</b>
<b>10</b>	<b>11</b> 10:00am Club Meeting Birthday David Pesznecker	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b> ●	<b>15</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>17</b> Father's Day 	<b>18</b> 8:30am Board mtg 10:00am Club Meeting	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>21</b> Summer Solstice	<b>22</b> ☾	<b>23</b>
<b>24</b>	<b>25</b> 10:00am Club Meeting Birthday John Diel	<b>26</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b> ○

- Jun 2** **Senior Breakfast** 8:30am 10:30am St Michael's
- Jun 2** **Kids Fishing Derby** 7:30am to 1:00pm Hill Park Sportsman club & Tillicum Kiwanis Club
- Jun 22 & 23** **Monroe Kiwanis garage sale** at the Ben Franklin store parking lot
- Jun-Jul** **Edmonds Seniors Kiwanis Annual Berry Sales**, Strawberries Raspberries Blueberries
- Jul 3** **International Convention** San Antonio Texas July 3-7
- Jul 21 & 22** **Snohomish-Tillicum World Famous Annual Salmon Barbecue** Noon to 8:00 pm  
Location: Hill Park, Lake Blackman, Snohomish
- Jul 28** **Lynnwood Kiwanis** Annual Charity Golf Tournament, Nile Golf Course
- Aug 23** **PNW Conference**, Tacoma WA
- Sep 15** **Monroe Kiwanis Annual Golf Tournament**

## Kiwanis Club of Snohomish Tillicum

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### PACIFIC NORTHWEST DISTRICT

#### **Governor**

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### PNW DIVISION 22

#### **Lt. Governor**

Stan Jones

### JUNE REMINDER

Executive Board Meeting:

8:30 am, June 18th

**BATTERIES For Sale:**

Contact John Diel at 425-397-8283

FOOD BANK Donations:

First Monday of the Month

**Glasses for SOS Program:**

Bring them to the club by first week in June



### Our Mailing Address:

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### We are on the web at:

<http://snohomishkiwanis.org/tillicum.htm>  
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