

What's Happening with the Back-Pack Program???????

By: Jim Rahm, December 13, 2007

December 13, 2007 was the official start of the pilot program to see if the backpack idea is feasible. Daryl Bertholet and I delivered to June Shirey ten crates (milk crates), a two week supply of food, to AIM High School at 10:45AM. We were just in time to have them given out to the eight needy students over the Christmas Holliday. To hear from the students we met, they told us how much they appreciated this gesture from the Tillicum and the Food Bank. It was an extremely gratifying experience. Daryl and I both had the same reaction to this experience and I wish all the Tillicum could have shared this with us. One of the eight students was invited by Daryl to shop at the Food Bank that day, her needs are great since there is an infant involved in this situation, she was able to get a ride to the Food Bank and within three hours this student was off the back pack program and into the Food Bank system.



The whole program has gone surprisingly smooth so far, we had one small problem getting a meal pack for these young adults at an acceptable price. We quickly figured out a gift card from Top Foods would do the job at a third of the cost until we can locate a cost effective source.

We asked June to have eight, nine counting the infant, students to evaluate the program over the holiday and pass the information back to us when they return to school. If this program has worked for them and is feasible for us I strongly recommend we move into the next stage. How far do we go into the next phase? Well that would be up to the Board but we know there is the need for about 30 total students at AIM alone. The more I see, I am sure Wally was right about the need to feed the school children in our community when school is out. I also believe when June does her evaluation of the program the other schools will look at this as a plus and we will find many more kids in need.

After all isn't that what Kiwanis is all about **"to serve the children of the world one child and one community at a time"**?

Welcome back, Bob!

John Bruce, December 3, 2007

Congratulations to Jack King for convincing Bob Fisher to come back to our club. The induction ceremony was conducted by our resident Lt. Governor, Wally Walsh. I know Bob will make a great member because I saw him as a hard working volunteer at the Food Bank a few weeks ago. As president, I give Bob a warm welcome to Tillicum!



Quote of the Day

All right everyone, line up alphabetically according to your height
Casey Stengel

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 you observe. Also any articles for the newsletter are gladly accepted.

Thank you!

2007 Christmas Celebration at Tillicum

John Bruce, December 10, 2007

The Tillicum Kiwanis Club held their Christmas party on December 10th. Santa in the person of Dallas Van Dyke from the Snohomish Club was there handing out gifts. The Everett Golden K had an Interclub present that day including Larry Alsbury who gave us a great program of music. We would like to thank Larry's wife, Molly, who put together and donated a beautiful Christmas basket that was part of our weekly drawing and was promptly won by Jim Rahm. It was a fun time for everyone.



Interclubs

January	Marilyn Jones
February	Melody Beckdolt
March	Frank Spaetig
April	Stan Jones
May	Howard Averill
June	Richard Jarratt
July	Paul Howe
August	Jack King
September	Sonia Rahm

Programs

January	Art Langdon
February	Bob Heirman
March	Sonia Rahm
April	Cliff Bailey
May	Gary Maxfield
June	David Pesznecker
July	Frank Spaetig
August	Laurel Elmer
September	Doris Wentworth

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A LOOK BACK ON 2007.

GREAT JOB TILLICUM! by Jim Rahm



Jan. 2007 Lt. Governor Stan Jones
Division Council Meeting.



Feb. 2007 the Stanwood-Camano Interclub wound up in the Angel of the Winds



March 2007 Zone Conference



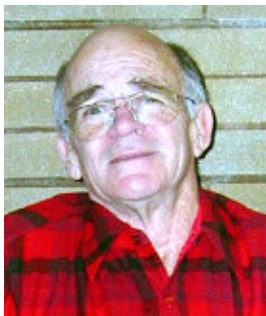
April 2007 the MS Walk



May 2007 the Post Office Food Drive



May 2007 The Dux Awards'



June 2007 Sam becomes the top
BBQ ticket seller.



July 2007 John sautés up to serve
at the grand opening of Top Foods



July 2007 The biggest BBQ yet



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The King Fish cooked them well

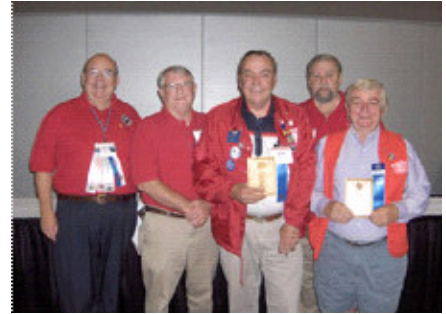
A LOOK BACK ON 2007. (continued)



Aug. 2007, Who could forget this program?



Aug. 2007 "we have money" Wally sworn in as Lt. Governor at the PNW convention.



Aug. 2007 Tillicum Webmasters Jim & John recognized for work for the D-22



Aug. 2007 Sonia recognized for her work on the 2005-2006 the Governors



Sept. 2007 Congratulations, Division 22 Lt. Governor Wally.



Sep. 2007 John Deil Leaves office; John Bruce enters office. Thanks John D. good job! We know you will do well John B.



Oct. 2007 Paul becomes a member of Tillicum



Oct. 2007 Spaghetti Feed



Oct. 2007 Joint Spaghetti Feed.



Oct. 2007 Pat & Laurel become Tillicum members.



Nov. 2007 Doris turns ?? but Doris does it all, she worked Jan. thru Dec 2007



Dec. 2007 Christmas Food Bank delivery

A LOOK BACK ON 2007. (continued)

			
Great show by Larry at our Christmas party	English gentleman at Christmas party is Wally	Santa and his elf at the party	Santa's on his way, Ho Ho Ho!!!

I was not able to photo all the great work that members of the Tillicum accomplished in 2007. Let's mention just some of those other things that I did not get to photo. In June, the Kids Fishing Derby along with the Sportsman's club, all the members who work the Visitors Center, endless hours at the Food Bank, activities at the Boys & Girls Club, Jack & Sonia reading to the kids, the dictionary program, Delta in August, Wally doing all the printing for almost everyone, Melody at the Senior Center along with others, who can forget Doris and all she does for Snohomish, and all the other things each Tillicum member does on their own without fanfare but makes a difference. Thank you, Tillicum! I am proud to be in the company of each and every one of you... Jim

January 2008

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		1 New Years Day 	2	3	4	5 8:30am Senior Brkfst
6 Joined 2003 John Diel	7 10:00am Club Meeting	8	9	10 Birthday Paul Howe 	11	12
13	14 MLKing Jr Day 10:00am Club Meeting	15	16	17	18	19
20	21 8:30am Board mtg 10:00am Club Meeting	22 Joined 2001 Cliff Bailey	23	24	25	26
27	28 10:00am Club Meeting	29	30	31		

Profiles: celebrating 20 years of women in Kiwanis

Another profile of amazing Kiwanis women (from Kiwanis International Website):-

Pam Weaver: Kiwanis Club of Hilltop Columbus, Columbus Ohio

Age: 65 **Number of Children:** 2

Occupation: Retired business owner of Furnace Co.—and from a top-10 fashion house in London where she made clothes for the Royal Family.

Year Joined Kiwanis: 1995

Current Kiwanis Positions: Chair for club newsletter, community service, PR, agriculture and conservation, and photography. Typesets the club's annual directory and serves on the Hilltop Kiwanis Club Cabin Foundation Inc. committee.

Previous Kiwanis Position: Club president

Other community activities/accomplishments: Citizens Police Academy Alumni Association; volunteers at the police academy; Community Recreation Council board.

Favorite quote: “My mother always said: ‘When you do a job, do it well enough to sign your name to it, and be proud of whatever you do.’”

Include Annual Club Gift campaign in New Year’s resolutions

From: Kiwanis International Website

If you’re among those who traditionally ring in the New Year by pledging to eat less and exercise more, here’s a healthier resolution to add to your list: Make the world a better place for children by encouraging your club to contribute to the Kiwanis International Foundation’s Annual Club Gift campaign.

The campaign, which runs from October 1 through September 30, is the Foundation’s primary source of unrestricted income. Participating Kiwanis clubs are encouraged to contribute at a giving level of US\$5 per person, with contributions used to meet the needs of children worldwide through disaster relief, project grants, district grants, and scholarships.

“We count on the support of all Kiwanis clubs to provide grants and scholarships,” notes Gregg Puls, manager of Annual Giving. “We hope they will make the International Foundation part of their charitable plans for the year.”

This past year’s campaign set a new record for dollars raised—\$798,165, surpassing the previous year’s record of \$737,390

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