



Kiwanis Club of Mukilteo

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**Meets Tuesdays
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Golf Club • Mukilteo
May 3, Nov 1 meet at
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Washington Pilots Association – Paine Chapter and Snohomish County Airport – Paine Field Invite You to General Aviation Day



Saturday, May 21st. 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
**This event is for everyone, with lots of fun,
food and activities for all ages.**

16th annual event! Admission is free.
What's new this year??

More war birds!
Flying Heritage Collection
Historic Flight Foundation Open House,
Cascade War birds

More music! More food! [Kiwaniis BBQ](#) [Come See Us!](#)

Free Young Eagles flights ages 8-17
Museum of Flight Flying Gizmo Show

Calendar of Events

May

- 2 Key Club, Mariner HS, 2:10 PM
- 3 Program Meeting, HPGC, 7:30 AM
- 4 Key Club, Kamiak HS, 2:10 PM
- 7 **Camp Killoqua – Service Project**
- 9 Key Club, Mariner HS, 2:20 PM
- 10 Program Meeting, HPGC, 7:30 AM
Joel Bervell, Hugs for Ghana
- 11 Key Club, Kamiak HS, 2:10 PM
- 12 Builders Club, Olympic View MS, 7:30 AM
- 15 **Cocoon House, 5 PM**
- 16 Key Club, Mariner HS, 2:10 PM
- 17 Program Meeting, HPGC, 7:30 AM
Mary Fears, Habitat for Humanity, SnoCo
- 18 Key Club, Kamiak HS, 2:10 PM
- 19 **Mukilteo Chamber Meeting, 7:30 AM**
- 19 **Division Meeting, Marysville**
- 21 **General Aviation Day, Paine Field**
- 23 Key Club, Mariner HS, 2:10 PM
- 24 General Meeting, HPGC, 7:30 AM
Tyrone McMorris, Casino Road Ministries
- 25 Key Club, Kamiak HS, 2:10 PM
- 26 Builders Club, Olympic View MS, 7:30 AM
- 26 Kiwanis Board Meeting, 7:30 AM, Muk Y
- 30 **TankFest – Flying Heritage Collection**
- 31 Kiwanis Meeting, HPGC, 7:30 AM

Upcoming Events

June 26
Mukilteo Chamber Car Show

July 7 – 10
Kiwanis National Convention

July 30
Lynnwood Kiwanis Charity Golf Tournament
1:30 PM at the Nile Country Club

August 2
National Night Out

August 13
Kiwanis Night at Everett Aqua Sox



Cocoon House Chefs

May 15 – Daphne & Beth



May Birthdays

Dan Harbeck	May 4
Doug Peterson	May 25
Keri Jensen	May 26

Kiwanis Club of Mukilteo will be there...



FLYING HERITAGE COLLECTION'S TANKFEST NORTHWEST

MEMORIAL DAY
MAY 30, 2011 | 10-5 PM

Bring the family to this colorful display of historic military vehicles and weaponry.

You'll be floored by the rat-a-tat of FHC's Flak anti-aircraft and anti-tank guns (firing at 11AM), be wowed by the Puget Sound Military Vehicle Collector's Club parade (11AM), and thrill to the main event: our Russian T-35/85 tank and German Jagdpanzer 38(t) tank (driving and firing at 1 PM).

Top off the event with delicious offerings from Papa Murphy's Pizza, Sturgis Kettle Corn,

Kiwanis BBQ, and DR Espresso Coffee.

Come to TankFest Northwest, rain or shine, and see how exciting history can be!

Free Admission for Veterans!

Address: 3407 109th St, Everett

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



"If we have no peace, it is because we have forgotten that we belong to each other." - Mother Teresa

Who belongs to me? I thought about this recently when listening to Father Greg Boyle speak about his work with gang members and ex-convicts. Father Boyle started Homeboy Industries in the Los Angeles area in 1988 to provide jobs and a sense of self-worth to those on the fringes of society. He took gang members -- with little education and a history of poor choices -- and showed the world that they have worth, that they can contribute. Today, Homeboy has expanded to include a bakery, cafe, printing press, and tattoo removal services. You can find more info here: <http://www.homeboy-industries.org/>.

Father Boyle started his speech with the quotation from Mother Teresa: "If we have no peace, it is because we have forgotten that we belong to each other." To him, every soul -- violent, drug-addicted, damaged -- is his to care for. His message to us was unequivocal: All kids are our kids. All people are our people. Once we understand that, and look to ourselves for solutions to our problems, then we will be on the path to peace.

So I ask myself: who belongs to me? Is it my wife and son? My co-workers and staff? My neighbor's kids? How far does my responsibility go? Father Greg's doesn't stop at familial, social, or geographic borders. He sees everyone he meets as a fellow soul, one to whom he feels kinship.

As we enter into Spring and the world is beginning a new, I ask you to consider that **we belong to each other**. Not only as Kiwanians, Mukilteans, or Washingtonians. Not only as volunteers or community leaders. But, simply, as humans sharing this world at the same time.

See you on Tuesday,

Cory



**50/50
Jack Pot**

**Won By
Beth Kerwin**



2010 Kiwanis Night at the Everett AquaSox

Game Date: Saturday, August 13,
vs. Tri- Cities at 7:05 PM

Pricing: Only \$20 Special group pricing -
Upper Box Seat

An All-You-Can Eat BBQ before the
game 5:30 PM

Special Recognition for each group on
the Video Board

Fireworks Show after the Game

Pricing: \$9 Special Group pricing
Upper Box Seat in the section of
your club.

Email: conkledar@gmail.com if you would like
to join the group or watch for sign up at
meeting.

Have you invited someone to Kiwanis lately?



April Student of the Month Donny Luu

Although Donny is only a freshman at Kamiak, as you'll soon learn he didn't waste any time getting involved, and has played a "Key" role in the success of this year's club service projects. Only one week into his high school experience you may remember Donny helping us at the Salmon Bake. Next he lent a hand to collect both food and money for the Mukilteo Food Bank, and then he kept his service hat on to help collect and count Kamiak's record year for UNICEF. Donny worked hard at the

Pancake Breakfast doing pretty much anything that he was asked to do, all with that winning smile of his. Most recently, he enjoyed learning how to plant a garden, while working hard at the Kiwanis One Day project at the Mukilteo Community Garden. If you show up next week at Papa Murphy's, there's no doubt you'll see Donny happily washing cars to raise money for the Kamiak Key Club.

It's no wonder that Frank Nickerson, English 1 Honors teacher writes, *"Donny is an extremely upbeat and friendly student. He's one of the most polite kids I've ever had. He is an active class participant always adding insightful analysis. Whether during discussion, individual, or group work, he's an excellent role model for other students."*

French 1 teacher, Irina Kourilenko adds, *"I am so happy for Donny! He is a great, kind, helpful, humble person who gets along well with everybody. His peers absolutely love him, I am sure the teachers adore him as well. Donny is one of the rare students who stays after class every day to help me to organize my materials and desks in the classroom if necessary. He also says bye and wishes me a good day after every single class. These are all small things, but they make my day!"*

Donny has not only proven to be successful in service but in the classroom as well. He maintains a 3.96 GPA and his class standing is 15 out of 550. He projects to take 15 Honors and/or AP classes by the time he graduates. As an excellent student he shares his knowledge by tutoring both in the Libraries Study Zone and as an Academic Coach for several hours each week.

"Donny Luu is truly both scholar ... and gentleman! With his remarkable academic talents combined with his willingness to help others ... everyone (and I mean EVERYONE) benefits! Donny is kind, inquisitive, respectful, diligent, intelligent, and SO ethical! The world awaits this young man ... I suspect he will be the kind that "walks with Kings, yet maintains his common touch." writes, Linnea O'Brien, Advanced Geometry teacher.

Brian Steves, Intermediate Orchestra adds, *"Donny Luu is a mature young man, and a responsible member of the ninth grade orchestra. He works to master his parts and readily accepts constructive comments. Donny went "above and beyond by playing both a quartet and a duet for our regional ensemble festival. I am very much looking forward to working with Donny in Orchestra for three more years!"*

The Kamiak Key Club is fortunate as well to have Donny as a member for three more years. He has already proven to be such a generous server, and we look forward to seeing where those developing leadership qualities will take him in the future.

Club Happenings



The Kiwanis Club of Mukilteo and its partnering Kamiak Key Club volunteered at the Mukilteo Garden of Saturday, April 2nd. They helped MCG volunteers clean up the space around the garden in preparation for the Mukilteo Garden and Quilt Tour in Saturday, July 16th. The MCG is one of the gardens on tour.

Kiwanis Volunteers included: Cory Armstrong-Hoss; Lynette Gardiner, Daphne Gellhaus, Tom Hawley, Howard Phillips, Paul Salas, Tim Taylor, Darbi and Jon VanGerpen.

Key Club volunteers included: Jennifer Kim, Donny Luu, Carol Park, Jinha Park, Shrinivas Ramanah, Elisa Tan, Rachel Varner, Erika Yi.



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