

The Tillicum Tabloid

The Kiwanis Club of Snohomish Tillicum



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December 2005

2005 Holiday Season

There will be just two regular meetings for the month of December on 12-5 and 12-12 and no board meeting, this is due to the availability of the hall.

The Food Bank needs volunteers on Tuesday 12-20 and Friday 12-23 on the week before Christmas. The hours have been extended to 10:00am through 7:00pm. A sign-up sheet will be passed around so that you can choose the hours you wish to work.

Help out the Snohomish club by visiting the Holiday Light Display at the Snohomish Chalet for the next three weekends on the 9th through the 23rd. Santa will be there and available for pictures.



Holiday Greeting to All

The Rahm Family would like to take this opportunity to wish our special Kiwanis Family a very happy Holiday Season and a healthy and prosperous New Year.

Sometimes we tend to forget what this season is about because it has become so commercial. The season represents to us and followers of other religions, a deep belief in a creator, these people have a chance to pay homage to this creator. It doesn't matter what you choose to call this creator or how you choose to pay homage; what really matters is we all unite together and tell this creator we believe and to ask for peace through out the world. Our family calls the creator God but we also recognize we are all asking the same creator for the same things and sincerely hope these wishes becomes reality in our lifetime.

We just want to extend our best wishes to all faiths, to all our friends and extended family throughout this season.



Happy Holiday to all of you!

Sonia & Jim

MEETING TIME: Mondays 10:00 AM
St. Michael Catholic Church
1512 Pine Avenue Snohomish, WA

Kiwanis Calendar

December 5 Mon 10 am Meeting
 December 12 Mon 10 am Meeting
 December 15 Div 22 council meeting
 December 25 Christmas
 December 31 New Year's Eve

December Programs

December 5 Open Meeting
 December 12 Christmas Singing

Program Committee

December Jim Rahm
 January Bill Blake
 February Bob Heirman
 March Sonia Rahm (Chair)
 April Cliff Bailey
 May Stanley Innes
 June Mary Gardner
 July David Pesznecker
 August Art Langdon
 September Doris Wentworth

2005-2006 Committee Chairpersons

Club Meeting:	Bob Heirman
Community Service/Ferguson Creek:	Cliff Bailey
Senior Center	Bob Heirman
Adopt-a-Park	Bill Blake
Batteries	John Diel
Sportsman Club	Bob Heirman
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Feed the Hungry in Snohomish	Wally/Cliff
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Food Bank	Beth Greenlee
Finance:	Wally Walsh
Human & Spiritual Values:	Doris Wentworth
Membership Growth & Education & New members:	Art Langdon
PR 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

Joined in December

December 16, 1996 Doris Wentworth

December Birthdays

December 12 Art Langdon

December Interclubs

December 15 Thurs 7 pm Div 22 council

Interclub Committee

December Stan Jones
 January Jack King
 February Melody Beckdolt
 March Wally Walsh
 April Cliff Bailey
 May Stan Jones
 June John Bruce
 July Bill Blake (Chair)
 August Jack King
 September Stanley Innes

Quote of the day

"Man did not weave the web of life, he is merely a strand in it. Whatever he does to the web, he does to himself."

Chief Seattle

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!

Office Lights Up for Prematurity Awareness

November 3, 2005—Kiwaniis International website

The Kiwanis International Office in Indianapolis may look a little strange during the month of November. Kiwanis is lighting the offices pink and blue in support of the March of Dimes Prematurity Awareness Campaign.

Log on to the [March of Dimes](#) Web site to find out ways to support the program, including awareness bracelets, car ribbons, and “pink and blue-minarias,” or how to light your home or office pink and blue.

Help spread the word about prematurity today



An Afghani School comes to life

Featured project from the Kiwanis International website

Kiwanian and United States Army First Lieutenant Joe Urban had a mission. Deployed to Afghanistan after the September 11, 2001 World Trade Center attacks, Joe left the comfort of friends and family in Atlanta, Georgia, to join the battle.

But once there, he discovered another mission waiting to be tackled: Rebuilding the ramshackle elementary school in the tiny city of Pol-e-charky, Afghanistan.

Faced with a seemingly insurmountable service project, let alone one in a war zone, Joe did what Kiwanians do best. He rallied support to help the children.

“When we arrived... the school was not even winterized,” Joe said. “It was so cold you could see your breath inside the classrooms. There were no desks or chairs. Lessons were scratched out in dirt.”

Today, after much-needed renovations were completed, the attendance at the Pol-e-charky School has increased from 100 to more than 1,400 boys and girls.

Thanks to Joe’s efforts and generous support from the **Kiwanis Georgia District**, the children now have the supplies, desks, chalkboards, and surroundings they need to learn.

“Kiwanis made a difference in so many lives here,” says Joe. “Our members touched more people than they will ever realize.”



Batteries! Batteries!! Batteries!!! Batteries!!!!

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EX. BOARD MEETING: No Meeting

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FOOD BANK DONATIONS: First Monday of the Month

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