



Monthly Newsletter

February 2009

Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world one child and one community at a time. Les Bois Kiwanis is a club of the Utah Idaho District of Kiwanis International. Regular meetings are held each Tuesday morning at 7:00 a.m. at the Owyhee Plaza. Board Meetings are held the second Tuesday of each month.

President's Message:

Well the fund raiser is just about done, Flora has been paid in full, the sales tax return is in and all that needs to be finished up is our last bit of collections. Cordell has been providing updates of collections. Please review these and contact clients who still owe money...this is our profit!

We received a nice recognition from the Transportation Dept. for our 18 years of Highway Cleanup. Way to go folks! We are signing up for another cycle and this spring we are going to try to coordinate highway cleanup valley wide with the other Kiwanis clubs in our division as to date. We'll see if we can get some publicity from the media and get the Sheriff to patrol all sites for that day. We are working the Division 6 Lt. Gov., Frankie Marler, on this.

This month is also the Special Olympics World Winter Games here in Boise with Opening Ceremonies on the 7th. I would like to recognize the following people for helping out, Cyndi Kay, Steve Fields, Bill Homan, Gary Dyer and Jack Green. If more of you have volunteered or contributed to the games, please let me know, I think we can count this as a project.

We also received a nice thank you from the Torres family, whom we helped out at Christmas time. I will circulate the thank you card at the next couple of meetings.

We will be welcoming our Lt. Gov. Frankie Marler, on her official visit, the 10th of February. She will also sit in at our Board meeting that same date.

Please remember to bring guests and make welcome our newest member Jim Dorris who was inducted on the 20th of January.

Sincerely, Steve Fields

Program News:

Board Meeting: [February 10th](#)

		<u>Meeting Room</u>
February 3	Dave Petso , Financial Planner and Local Radio Personality <i>"How can we think clearly in this psychotic market?"</i>	Ambassador Room
February 10	Tim & Susan Furness , Psychologists and Relationship Counselors Jefferson Street Counseling Center: <i>"Shi**t Happens"</i>	Ambassador Room
February 17	Dr. Howard Burger , College of Idaho <i>"George Washington, Mediocrity to Greatness"</i> Celebrate President's Day and get to know the Father of Our Country.	Ambassador Room
February 24	Michael Margulies , Cinematographer, <i>"40 Years in Hollywood"</i> If you didn't win an Oscar, you would want to hear Michael talk about life in the movie industry. He is even bringing a movie.	Ambassador Room

TREASURER'S REPORT

January 2009 Balances

General Fund - \$550.90

Dedicated Fund - \$23,925.48

(Note: Dedicated balance does not reflect the payment for Poinsettias.)

**Special Olympics World Winter Games:**

Don't forget that Boise is the host to the Special Olympics World Winter games beginning February 7-14th. All events are free and you are encouraged to go out and support the athletes. There will be teams here from roughly 170 countries – more than were represented at the Salt Lake Olympics; and thousands of athletes. Come see this great organization and your fund raising efforts in action!

OFFICERS & DIRECTORS**2008-9**

President	Steve Fields
President Elect	<i>Available</i>
Vice President	Cyndi Kay
Secretary	Tim Haskell
Treasurer	S. Magette
Past President	Bill Homan
Director (1yr)	John Martin
Director (1yr)	Ron Crow
Director (1yr)	Gary Dyer
Director (2yr)	K. Trefaller
Director (2yr)	Alan Lynch
Director (2yr)	C. Chigbrow

2007-8 COMMITTEES & CHAIRS

Membership Growth:	Ken Trefaller
Club Administration:	Cyndi Kay
Fundraising:	Tim Haskell
Projects & Inter Clubs:	Bill Homan
Sponsored Youth:	Cordell & Cliff Sell
Priority One:	Steve Fields
Highway Clean up:	George Weissbeck
Webmaster:	Allan Lynch
Social Chair:	OPEN

April 11, 2009
Mid-winter conference, Best Western
Burley Idaho

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Happy Birthday!

Terry Amos, Feb. 16th

Anniversaries with Club

Steve Fields, Feb. 5, 1986

