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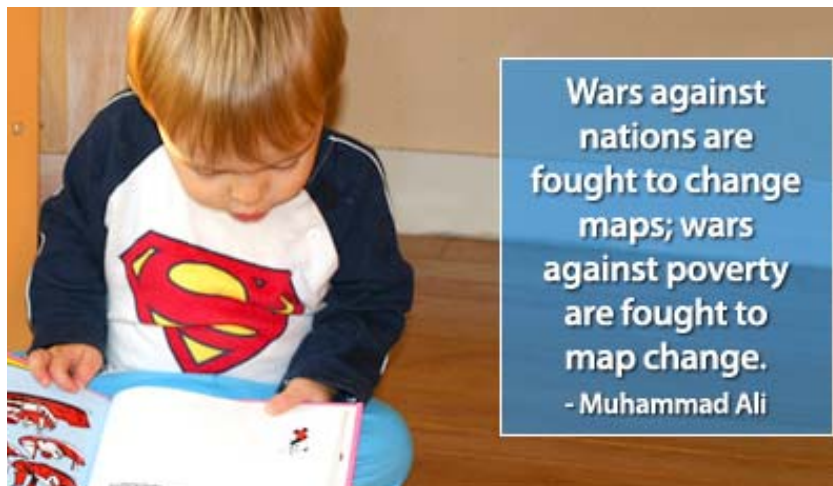
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Our Vision: Carolinas 18,000 Members

Our Goal: To Grow Kiwanis Service

The Objectives:

- Take Clubs from Good to Great
- Enrich the Member's Experience...
Excellent Clubs & Excellent Service!
- Retain Members
- Build and Grow New Clubs



Wars against nations are fought to change maps; wars against poverty are fought to map change.
- Muhammad Ali

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June

26-29

Int'l Convention
Orlando, FL

July

9-13

Key Club Int'l
Convention
Denver, CO

Last Three
Saturdays
Club Leadership
Orientation
Sessions

August

6-9

Circle K
Int'l Convention
Denver, CO

22-24
Kiwanis District
Convention
Winston-Salem

September

12-14

Aktion Club
Conference
Browns Summit, NC

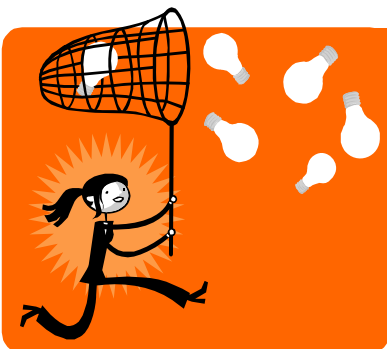
ANGIER KIWANIS TAKES SERVICE TO NEW LEVEL



During the current Kiwanis year, the Angier Club has added a "new twist" to its already full agenda in helping the Angier Community. Each grading period, the club continues to reward the students of Angier Elementary School for their excellence through the Terrific Kids Program, and the BUG (Bringing Up Grades) Program.

For the first time, however, two Kiwanians--Mack McLeod and Jim Futrell--have been asked to teach a science lesson for the leading science students of each classroom for each of the grading periods. This creative step forward in local education was at the request of school principal Ms. Sharon Patterson who is in her first year at Angier Elementary and has made many innovative improvements. The lessons are geared to a higher level than most elementary science lessons, allowing the students to think in scientific terms and principles in formulating answers and goals. The qualified students are allowed to go to the special class once a year which they seem to thoroughly enjoy.

Mr. McLeod is a retired environment specialist formerly of Progress Energy, and Mr. Futrell is a retired science teacher and administrator of the Harnett County School System. The Kiwanians and the Kiwanis Club of Angier are very happy with their increased relationship with the school community and are currently in the process of taking this to an even higher level.



Capturing Your Bright Ideas

The **Winston-Salem** Club has a special program each year where their Service Leadership Programs update them on all their activities for the year.

Kiwanis International Hires Joedy Isert as Public Relations Manager

INDIANAPOLIS—April 30, 2008—Kiwanis International has hired Joedy Isert as Public Relations Manager of the global not-for-profit service organization. In this position, Isert will be responsible for overseeing, developing, and coordinating Kiwanis' public relations initiatives and supporting its global marketing, branding, and communications programs.

"We are really excited to have Joedy as part of our global team," said Carolyn Mosby-Williams, chief marketing officer. "Joedy's prior global corporate and not-for-profit public relations experience is exactly what we need to help promote and publicize the great work that Kiwanis does all around the world."

Isert brings a number of years of experience, most recently as a senior communications associate for Eli Lilly and Company, where he was responsible for global public relations initiatives for Lilly's cardiovascular and acute care therapeutic products, pipeline and programs in Indianapolis. Isert previously served as global director of public relations for Habitat for Humanity International and as a communications director with Kentucky state government. He also has held similar positions in the newspaper, homebuilding, and regulatory industries, and owned a weekly newspaper and consumer/nonprofit communications agency.

Isert is a native of Lexington, Kentucky, and a graduate of the University of Kentucky in Lexington. He holds a degree in journalism.

Club Election Report Available at

www.kiwansiportal.com

Each club should hold their annual club meeting between the first week in April and the second week in May.

Kiwanis International now has the link available on the Monthly Report program for each club secretary to enter the new officers' information. Just click on the monthly report link and the election report link will be on the left-hand side of the page.

Clubs that do not report online will receive a hard copy to complete and return.

For detailed information on club elections, please refer to the Standard Form for Club Bylaws which can be found on the International website, www.kiwanisone.org under Governance and Administration.

Still need help? Feel free to call me at the District Office: 800-739-1827 ext. 0
Leah Moretz
Carolinas District Administrative
Secretary

Builders Club Essay 3rd Place Winner

The assigned topic was to choose one of the Builders Club objectives and write about what it means to you.

Builders Club Objective:

To provide for opportunities for working together in service to school and community

By Ulrika Rohman: Jamestown Middle School

Builders Club has four objectives that describe what our club is all about. Providing opportunities for working together in service to school and community is the objective I believe will help us soar in life. When the Jamestown Middle School Builders Club worked at a therapeutic riding center I learned that working together is very important. Helping our school and community taught me that I really can make a difference in our country and world. Learning to work together will later help us in our careers and partnerships. At Builders Club meetings everyone gets along, and I feel like we are all a family. I believe that the Builders Club provides opportunities for working together in service to school and community.



One Million Members ...

Mark Levin

Want some tips on how to get and keep members for your Kiwanis club? Mark Levin has 101—and he'll share some of them during convention. Levin has more than 30 years of experience in association and not-for-profit organizational management and has authored several well-endorsed books: *Membership Development: 101 Ways to get and Keep Your Members*, *The Gift of Leadership*, *Millennium Membership*, and *Retention Wars: The New Rules of Engagement*.

Going Alone to Orlando?

Email the District Office

(districtoffice@carolinakiwanis.org)

if you are interested in having a roomie!

We can pair you up.

Carolinas District Dinner to be held at Arabian Nights!

Go to

www.carolinakiwanis.org

and click on the Orlando Convention logo for more info.

Click this link for Registration, Schedule, Workshops, Downloads and Visitor Info:

<http://www.kiwanisone.org/MemberResources/Convention/Convention08/index.html>

Take a bus trip to Orlando!

HURRY! BRUCE IS ABOUT TO CANCEL THIS TRIP DUE TO LACK OF PARTICIPANTS! CONTACT HIM THIS WEEK IF YOU PLAN TO GO.

Division 17 is organizing a bus trip from Greenville, NC and back. The group will leave Wednesday, June 25 and will come back Sunday, June 29. Roughly, the cost would be \$125 per person before food and drinks. They need at least 44 people to make this work.

Contact Lt. Governor-Elect Bruce Gray if you're interested!

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KIWANIS DISTRICT CONVENTION AUGUST 22-24 WINSTON-SALEM MARRIOTT

Amendments to the Bylaws must be received by June 23 at 5:00 pm

As stated in the Carolinas District Bylaws:

ARTICLE XX. AMENDMENTS

Section 1. Amendments to these Bylaws, if in conformity with the Bylaws of Kiwanis International, may be adopted by a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the delegates and delegates-at-large voting at any convention. The District Secretary shall receive proposed amendments, which shall be submitted only by a club in good standing or by the District Board of Trustees, at least sixty (60) days prior to the date of the convention. The District Secretary shall send a copy of all proposed amendments to the secretary of each chartered club not less than thirty (30) days prior to the date of the convention.

DISTRICT RESTRUCTURING PLAN

HEARD OF THE DISTRICT RESTRUCTURING PLAN? INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE ON OUR WEBSITE, WWW.CAROLINAKIWANIS.ORG BY CLICKING ON THE DISTRICT REORGANIZATION PLAN LINK AT THE TOP RIGHT-HAND SIDE OF THE PAGE, JUST ABOVE THE ORLANDO CONVENTION LOGO.