



Kiwanis
CLUB OF WINTHROP

Morning Humor

When you get to be a certain age, there are two things you definitely don't want to do in the same week...
Upgrade your prescription glasses and buy a full-length mirror!

A man was sitting alone in his office one night when a genie popped up out of his ashtray. "And what will your third wish be?" The man looked at the genie and said, "Huh? How can I be getting a third wish when I haven't had a first or second wish yet?" "You have had two wishes already," the genie said, "but your second wish was for me to put everything back the way it was before you made your first wish. Thus, you remember nothing, because everything is the way it was before you made any wishes. You now have one wish left." "Okay," said the man, "I don't believe this, but what the heck. I've always wanted to understand women. I'd love to know what's going on inside their heads." "Funny," said the genie as it granted his wish and disappeared forever, "That was your first wish, too!"

I have one cup of coffee every morning to start the day off right...
The other ones are to keep me out of jail, help me form sentences, and fuel my razor sharp wit!

An elderly lady was stopped to pull into a parking space when a young man in his new red Mercedes went around her and parked in the space she was waiting for. The little old lady was so upset that she went up to the man and said, "I was going to park there!" The man was a real smart aleck and he said, "That's what you can do when you're young and quick." Well this really upset the lady even more, so she got in her car and backed it up and then she stomped on the gas and plowed right into his Mercedes. The young man ran back to his car and asked, "What did you do that for?" The little old lady smiled and told him, "That's what you can do when you're old and rich!"



Kiwanis Club of Winthrop

Serving the Children of the Methow Valley & Beyond

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Get ready here it comes!



Have you ever been involved in a mid-winter conference? The PNW offers multiple educational tracks in Membership, Leadership and Service/Fundraising by Zoom. Each track will offer five 25-minute breakout sessions so you can experience variety in your learning. The topics offered fit well with President Rick's goals for the year.

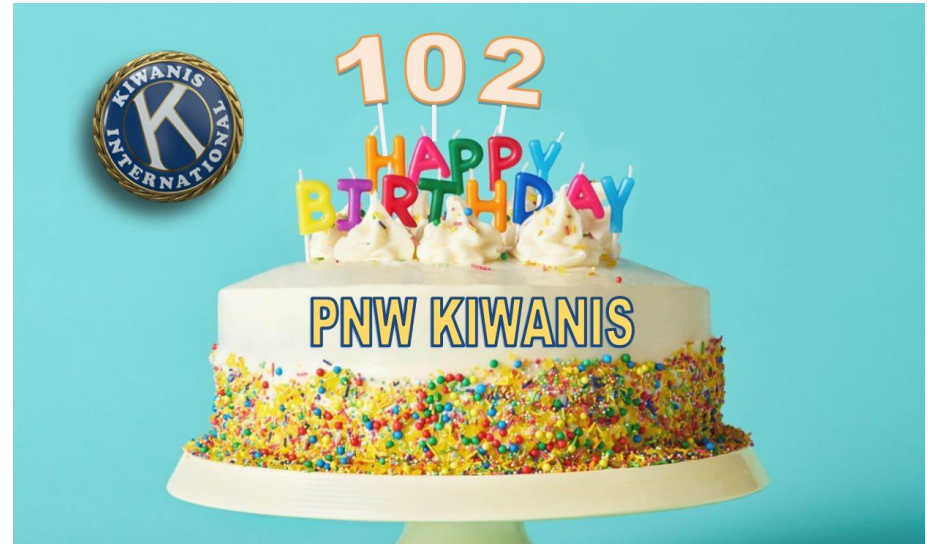


Keynote speaker for the event is Burt West, International Vice President who will serve as the International President in 2022-2023. His intent is to inspire us to be better leaders.



PNW Historian Patrick Ewing will be sharing Kiwanis Moments with attendees. Watch out for a contest.

Past International President Sylvester Neal will speak and the District Board will meet Sunday.
Early Bird Registration Jan 21 - Feb 12 \$30
General Registration Feb 13 – Feb 25 \$35



Last week marked Kiwanis International's 106th Birthday and the PNW's 102nd Birthday. Apparently Don Carlson and Jay Morrison were born in there somewhere also.

Meeting Schedule

Meetings will be by Zoom. Watch for Rick Jone's email on how to connect. Our next meetings will be our Board Meeting on Feb 1st and regular meetings on Feb 2nd and 16th.



Tonasket Ground Hog Dinner

As you can imagine there will be no Dinner for us to visit this upcoming first weekend in February but there will be Ground Hog available for purchase. Every year some pounds of quality pork sausage travel West over the Loup and it can happen this year. A local Butcher shop has provided the safe product for them and if you make the trip to Tonasket Friday Feb 5th from 2-6 pm or Saturday Feb 6th from 10 am to 4 pm you can purchase sausage. Sale location is at the DOL parking lot by Lee Franks. The price is \$3.50 per pound and you can buy by the pound package or in the tubes you are used to. Cash or checks only.



Winthrop Kiwanis has lost another friend this winter. Carol Ann Haugen, widow of long time club member Dave Haugen, died January 1st after a year-long battle with cancer. Carol and Dave retired to the Methow in 1995 after Dave's career as a builder in Bothell. Dave soon joined Kiwanis and the couple took part in everything we did. Dave's skills were valued in many of our building projects and the community has lasting reminders of his creativity. We were sad to see the Haugens move to Wenatchee when health care required it and then Dave passed a couple years ago. RIP Carol.

This week we received a letter from Wyatt Southworth that you all should see. This was a Fund-a-Dream that achieved so much.

Hello Kiwanians!

I am the Construction and Design teacher at Liberty Bell and I want to thank you for the tools and trailer that you funded! With more than 10 years in the construction trades I can say you have supplied us with a wonderful array of tools.

This year has been an interesting year with Covid-19 affecting the lives of students in many ways, some ways seen and many unseen. I have focused the Construction and Design program on construction trades with flexibility and compassion as my guiding philosophy. My goal is to make a safe welcoming space for students to learn and create.

Attached are a few photos of what the students have been up too! You may notice Autumn using the track-saw you procured to make the exact cuts needed to complete her blanket chest. There are also a couple photos of the students working on framing up a 8'x10' shed that we will sell to raise funds for the Construction and Design program (if you know of anyone who would like to purchase a shed, please let me know!).

Again, thank you so much for your support!

**Sincerely,
Wyatt Southworth**





Every time we have teamed with the Methow Valley School District on a project we have met our goal of “Serving the Children”. We are fortunate to have a great group of people to work with at the MVSD.

