



Colebrook Kiwanian



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Meetings: Kiwanis-Tuesday 7:15a.m.at The Wilderness Restaurant, 181 Main Street, Colebrook, NH 03576
Board Meetings - Last Monday of the month at 7:00PM - Monadnock Village Community Room
Key Club: Canaan-Wed. at 7:30AM, Colebrook - Wed. at 7:00PM, Pittsburg - every other Wed. at 1:50PM. Builders Club: Canaan Wed. at 7:30AM, Errol - 1st & 3rd Tuesdays at 12:30PM

Guests: Dec. 29: Julie Moran
January 5: Potential Members Julie Moran, Bill Laramee and Paula Woods

Key Club: Colebrook - Dec. 29: Him
Jan. 5: Ethan and Heather

Interclub to Berlin Kiwanis Christmas Party

Five members of Colebrook Kiwanis attended the Berlin Kiwanis Christmas Party. Entertainment was provided by Patrick Ross, Colebrook members Roland C., Brad B. and others. A delicious meal was served and a good time was had by all.

Stay Warm North

Program Director Julie Moran gave an informative talk about the Stay Warm North program. Stay Warm North is a new program to the area helping to provide assistance with weatherization. Applicants have the option of having the program do the winterization or receiving the materials and doing the work themselves.

The goal of the program is to assist 130 North Country homes. To date 30 homes have been winterized by the program workers. Materials for an additional 90 homes were given out and the recipients did the work themselves. Stay Warm North is funded by a Tillotson Grant and is open to residents of New Hampshire and Vermont. Applications must be in by January 18, 2010. For more information e-mail Julie Moran at: connect777@hughes.net.

CPR Training

UCVH is hosting a CPR Training on Wednesday, January 20th at 6:00 P.M. The cost to each participant is \$20.00. The class is limited to 15 people. At this time, there are five slots open. The course is open to anyone. For more information contact Roland C. at: rolandcotnoir@hotmail.com or 237-4994.

Independence Day Celebration

Members of the Board of Directors voted to schedule the Independence Day festivities for July 3rd. July 4th falls on a Sunday this year and the federal holiday is scheduled for Monday, July 5th. It was felt that having the parade on Sunday would interfere with church services. Also taken into consideration was the federal holiday. Those traveling would either be leaving immediately before or after the parade. The July 3rd festivities would offer possibility of more activities for the 3-day weekend.

The Mitten Tree

Mitten Tree Chairman Earl "Bunny" Bunnell reports that the tree has been taken down. The letter to the editor in the News & Sentinel was a great success. Earl has several boxes of mittens at his home. He is looking for help with distribution of the remaining mittens. Please contact him at 802-277-5706.

Tree Of Love

Tree of Love Chairman Donald Dickson reports that the club grossed \$630 from the Tree of Love project. A \$100 was donated to the Colebrook Public Library to cover the cost of electricity used and the remainder of the donation being a gift.

Errol Builders Club

A thank you note was received from the Errol Builders Club. Cookies leftover from the Coos County Nursing Hospital were donated to the Errol Builders for a Cookie Sale. The Builders Club raised \$100 from the cookie sale. Proceeds went to help the club's "Support A Soldier" project.

A Note From the Editor

As members have probably noticed, our Calendar of Events seems to be growing by leaps and bounds! Now included in our Calendar of Events are most of the fund raising events for the upcoming year. Most events listed have dates and times. Other information will be added as the information becomes available. If members or committee chairpersons have other information or events they wish added, please contact me at: meep11958@gmail.com.

Calendar of Events

January	Dinner Auction. Wine & Cheese tasting to follow. Date to be announced. Scratch-A-While Raffle ticket sales begin. Super Bowl Grid ticket sales begin. Moosely Information begins.
January 11	Kiwanis Weekly Meeting. 7:15 A.M. at the Wilderness Restaurant.
January 19	Kiwanis Weekly Meeting. 7:15 A.M. at the Wilderness Restaurant.
January 20	CPR Training. The course at UCVH begins at 6:00 P.M.
January 25	Board of Directors Meeting. Monadnock Village Community Room.
January 26	Kiwanis Weekly Meeting. 7:15 A.M. at the Wilderness Restaurant.
February 6	Vintage Snow Machine Races at Northern Tire.
February 2010	Blood Drive at the Congregational Church 12-5. Date to be announced.
February 13 & 14	Winter Carnival 1 st Annual Open Bocce Tournament. Colebrook Country Club. Dinner to follow.
February 13	Dog Sled Races. Location to be announced.
February 20, 2010	Interclub to Kiwanis/Monarchs Night. Game time 7:00 P.M.
March 5-7, 2010	Mid-Winter Training Conference. Crowne Plaza, Worcester MA
March 19	Adult Spelling Bee. Colebrook Gym.
May 5	Cinco do Mayo. Wednesday at the Colebrook Country Club
May	Annual Mud Run at Northern Tire
June 24-27, 2010	95 th Kiwanis International Convention-Las Vegas NE
July 3	Independence Day Parade. Independence Day Chicken BBQ. Colebrook Academy Lawn at Noon
July 17	Golf Tournament. Colebrook Country Club.
August	Sugar On Snow in Canaan. Fireworks in Stewartstown. Stewartstown Day Moose Festival & Chicken BBQ. Stay Warm Raffle ticket sales begin.
July 7-10, 2011	96 th Kiwanis International Convention, Geneva, Switzerland
July 27-July 1, 2012	97 th Kiwanis International Convention- New Orleans
June 26-30, 2013	98 th Kiwanis International Convention-Vancouver, BC

January Birthdays

Sam Bird	January 1
Robert Congdon	January 5
Denis Gilbert	January 7
Wayne Urso	January 9
Stephen Brooks	January 15
MaryAnn Gilbert	January 19

January Inductions

Robert Mills	11 years
Linda Porecca	7 years
Renee Marchessault	6 Years
Justin Falconer	3 years

Kiwanis Links

Colebrook Kiwanis: www.colebrook-kiwanis.org
Kiwanis New England District: www.homestead.com/newenglandkiwanis
Kiwanis International: www.kiwanis.org

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