



Kiwanis News

October, November, December, 2013

A quarterly newsletter for the Branson Tri-Lakes Kiwanis

Birthdays

Rick CastillonOct. 1
 Bill Mecke.....Nov. 3
 Julie Lindstrom.....Nov. 7
 Adrienne SmithNov. 30
 Cory RossDec. 8
 Bob HevelDec. 14
 Doug Lay.....Dec. 31

Club Anniversaries

Cory RossOct., '05

Dates to Remember

Board Meeting
 1st Tuesday of Each Month
 Following Regular Meeting

Club Officers

Cory Ross President
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 Adrienne SmithPres.-Elect
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 Julie Lindstrom..... Treasurer
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Board Members

Bob Hevel.....('14)
 James Little('14)
 Shane Walton('14)
 Lynne Campbell.....('15)
 Pam Druffel('15)
 Tammy Panter.....('15)

New Year

2012 – 2013 was a great year for the Branson Tri-Lakes Kiwanis Club and I want to take this opportunity to thank Meghan for her great service and leadership.

Thanks to each of you for this opportunity to serve in the role of President. I am very excited for this upcoming year and hope you all are as well. The officers and directors are working hard to make sure 2013 – 2014 is a great year for our club by planning fund-raisers and service projects that continue to meet the needs of children in our community.

Here's to a successful and fun upcoming year!



Cory

Pregnancy Lifeline donation



We presented a \$3,000 check to our second quarter service partner, Pregnancy Lifeline on July 9th. Pictured from left to right: Meghan Connell, Tammy Panter, Bob Hevel, Cory Ross, Adrienne Smith, Shirley Mullins from Pregnancy Lifeline, Rick Castillon, Pete Breting, Pam Druffel, Shane Walton and Bill Mecke.

Tri-Lakes Child Advocacy Center



Our 3rd Quarter Service Partner, Melinda Ingram from Tri-Lakes Child Advocacy Center came and spoke at our August 20th meeting to discuss what they do. They normally see 150-200 children per year and only have 3 employees.

2013 Service Partners

1st Quarter

**Gift
of
Hope**

3rd Quarter

**Lakes Area
Child
Advocacy Center**

2nd Quarter
**Pregnancy
Lifeline**

4th Quarter
Adopt-A-Family
(Love INC)

Packin' Backpacks



On Tuesday, September 24 we assembled at the Branson High School to pack more than 400 backpacks for the first time this year. Thanks to Meghan Connell, Pam Druffel, Noelle Gass, Bob Hevel, Julie Lindstrom, James Little, Tammy Panter, Cory Ross and Adrienne Smith.

Mini Golf Tournament



On Thursday, August 22nd, we held our 2nd annual Mini-Golf Tournament. We had 13 teams participate plus 4 Corporate Sponsors and seven Hole Sponsors. We netted around \$1,500 for the Tri-Lakes Child Advocacy Center.

Annual Banquet



2013-14 Board Members: Bob Hevel, Lynne Campbell, James Little, Shane Walton, Tammy Panter and Pam Druffel.



Cory Ross presents outgoing President Meghan Connell with a plaque of appreciation.



Jim Briscoe swears in Cory Ross as the 2013-14 President.



2013-14 Officers: President Cory Ross, President-Elect Adrienne Smith, Treasurer Julie Lindstrom and Secretary Roger Frieze.



Rick Castillon and Noelle Gass were the new members during 2012-13.



Doug Lay & Pam Druffel, along with Sarah Hammons, are the outgoing Board members.

On Thursday, September 26, we held our Annual Meeting at Bob & Peachie Hevel's house. With each member bringing a dish, we enjoyed a potluck meal before proceeding with the business of the evening of recognizing those who have served during the past year and also new members, officers and directors. Thanks to everyone (**especially Peachie**) for a great evening!

Annual Banquet



Adrienne Smith didn't have anyone to hug after being sworn in so she did the job herself.



Doug Lay & Pam Druffel share a special moment after being recognized as outgoing Board members.



Pam Druffel felt sorry for Adrienne and stepped up to hug her.



Peachie and Bob Hevel were kind enough to open their home to us for the Annual Meeting.

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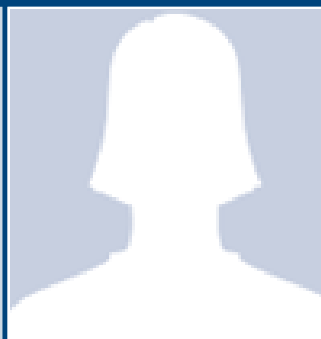
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T.B.D.
*Apparently they are just waiting
for you to invite them to join our
club.*