

Kiwanis

The Manitou Spirit

NEWSLETTER



Club Newsletter for
Meeting of 3/22/2010

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Tonight's Guests: DOUBLE Interclub from Rampart Range Kiwanis Club!

Birthdays: None tonight

Anniversaries: None tonight

<u>From:</u>	<u>Tonight's Happy Dollars for:</u>
Larry W.	Sad he caused Gary to start the meeting late tonight.
Al Ziegler	Tickled to have a double interclub here tonight.
Tom H.	Happy he went to a golf expo and found a new Ping 6-iron for \$1 to replace a lost one from his son's set.
Rich B.	Glad he sold 403 Washington home today (with Chuck's help).
Bob Sweet	1) great food tonight. 2) Amazed that he twisted arms to get 3 here tonight for interclub and wound up with 7!
Craig C.	2010 horseradish is done and will be delivered next week, though he will be gone for Passover. 2) Fun helping daughter buy a new car via Internet.
Ron L.	Sad! He was expectantly waiting for horseradish TONIGHT!
Lou C.	1) sorry Lew A. is having a 101-degree fever, but he still wants the horseradish! 2) Happy for our guests tonight.
Morris D.	He is also sad for making Gary late in starting meeting tonight.
Joe Fournier	Loves this time of the year!
Ernie A.	Happy he passed "time keeping" duties to Larry from now on.

---TONIGHT'S Meeting - Club Business NOTES ---

- We are doing a Young Children Priority One diaper drive this month. Please bring clean *youth only* diapers. No Depends! **Still need more!**
- Lt. Gov. will have Division Council meeting on the 23rd March at Panera's near Southgate Shopping Center at 5:30.
- We will do 9News fair on April 24—need 2 men x 2 shifts starting 6:30AM.
- We have been requested to help with food at a car show on June 26 at Memorial Park. Details will be discussed at the next Board Meeting.



President 2009/10
Gary Smith

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- Ernie Adams
- Lew Archer
- Chuck Armstrong
- Greg Baker
- Mike Baker
- Richard Baker
- Fred Bormann
- Craig Carnick
- Louis Carpenter
- Howard Casey
- Morris Deul
- Steven Ekerholm
- Garry Garrison
- Tom Henschen
- Darold Jones
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- Martin Leopard
- Jay Pretzer
- Barbara Schaefer
- Gary Smith
- Bill Stewart
- Dan Stuart
- Joel Toman
- Dave Valier
- Larry Wellman
- Herb Wilson

Tonight's Program: Michael Hussey from Nolte Design and Engineering spoke on the Manitou Springs Street Revitalization program nearly completed.

- This multi-year project began in 2003 and was just completed except for the final phase 5b which is delayed a bit pending funding receipt. That last phase may be done next summer and will encompass the area from Ruxton west to Tubby's Turnaround, where another roundabout will be constructed.
- The project was started with a \$600,000 grant from the Pikes Peak Rural Transportation Authority which required matching local funds. Since the citizens approved a sales tax increase, a total of about \$5 million will have been raised and spent to accomplish the project when it is complete.
- Nolte is the main design contractor on the project and has shepherded it since its inception. Mr. Hussey has been a landscape architect for 30 years and said this was his personal favorite project of his career.
- Many slides were shown of the before and after street scenes. It is truly dramatic to see the former cracked sidewalks, broken curbs, potholes, multitude of electric wires and generally shabby streetscapes. It could be said that the main street has been transformed from old and unattractive to new, vibrant, and attractive. The new appearance will help the city to achieve economic gains in the new decade.



TONIGHT'S WINNERS!
Dime&1/2 Pot-Ernie A **Big HELLO**- George Sweet **Big\$\$** - John

Upcoming Programs—
March 29—Board Meeting.

Greeters March 29, 2010:
Donald Duck and Mickey Mouse