

Kiwanis Club Orlando

Serving Central Florida Children Since 1921

May 14, 2010



President's Message

It's not every Friday that you stroll in for a club meeting to find a delicious assortment of... nothing. Proving that no challenge is too great for Kiwanis Club Orlando – when lunch did not arrive, members immediately got to work. We owe Raymer and Mata a big *thanks* for their quick thinking (and ordering).

Trackfest was also a success thanks, in part, to Steve Kirby and club volunteers who helped. Nice job!

Club Business

Upcoming Service Project

Kiwanis Club Orlando is joining several businesses and community service organizations on Saturday, June 5 for Make 'm Smile, a community festival for kids with special needs and their families. The event is sponsored by Nathaniel's Hope, a recent microgrant recipient. The event is from 7:30 a.m. to 1 p.m., though a bulk of the volunteer work (food service and grilling) begins at 9 a.m. Steve Johnson is coordinating cooking and Tom Porter is compiling the volunteer list. Let us know if you can serve, secure donated snacks, or help purchase food (for reimbursement).

Upcoming Social

If you had the chance to sit at the back table with Pete Kelley in recent years, no doubt you hear a lot about the show *Lost*. Though Pete was a pretty hip guy, his love of the show had less to do with content and more to do with the set dresser – his daughter Carol. We're putting together an informal social this Sunday (May 23) for the Lost Finale. Whether you've followed the show closely (i.e. you are cool) or have only heard of it only in passing (i.e. not as cool), the social is a unique way to support Carol and drink beer. We'll watch the finale at ODN from 9:00pm to 11:30pm. BYOB. Please let Kelley know if you are able to attend for the pizza order.

Additional Announcements:

Thank you to everyone who filled out a member survey. Copies will also be available this Friday. We are in need of a volunteer to call members who have not attended a meeting recently to collect data. Please see Tom Porter if you are able to assist. (And *no* to the anonymous respondent that suggested the future program "Kelley Teaches Square Dancing." Nice try.)

The newest member of Kiwanis Club Orlando is ready to hook you up. Taste of the Nation – a massive event featuring food and beverages from the top Central Florida restaurants – is June 5. Proceeds benefit Second Harvest Food Bank and Coalition for the Homeless. You can purchase tickets online at www.tasteofthenation.org/orlando. Enter Tami's secret code – CFHORL – and get \$50 off of VIP tickets at checkout.

Upcoming Hospitality Committee

5/21/10 Renton 5/28/10 N/A

Upcoming Meetings

5/21/10
Regular Meeting
Orlando Day Nursery

5/28/10
Meeting Cancelled
Memorial Day

6/4/10
Regular Meeting
Orlando Day Nursery

Upcoming Events

5/23/10
Pete Kelley LOST Finale
Orlando Day Nursery

6/5/10
Community Service
Nathaniel's Hope
Make em' Smile

Mark Your Calendar

6/25/10
Orlando Day Nursery
Annual Meeting

10/8/10
Kiwanis Club Orlando
Hall of Fame

**tentative*

5/14/10 Statistics

Kiwanians: 27

Visiting Kiwanians:
None

Guests:
Ron (Michael T. Rudd)

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Program Notes

In lieu of a program this week, Kiwanis Club Orlando held its annual meeting to elect officers and consider proposed revisions to the club bylaws.

Results:

Proposed bylaw revisions – passed

2010/2011 Officers:

President – Kelley Teague

President Elect – Didier Menard

Vice President – Tony Pike

Secretary – Ruth Bresnick

Treasurer – Chris Wanzenberg

Board of Directors – rotating in:

Catherine Rogerson, Rick Sickles, Jamie Sterrett

Foundation Board of Directors:

Harvey Burnett, Harry Brumley, Robert Linder



Incoming president, Kelley Teague, and incoming vice president, Tony Pike, following club elections

Kiwanis Club Orlando Connections

This Week

We are guessing you've never called this place home – but you'll be surprised to hear the number of people who do. Captain Rich Powell from the Orange County Jail is our featured speaker.



Congratulations Didier!



He must get those good looks from Mom. Max Henry Richard Menard was born May 15, tipping the scales at 7 lbs, 3 oz. Congrats!

Upcoming Social

Pete Kelley
LOST
Final e Party

Sunday, May 23
Orlando Day Nursery
9 p.m. – 11:30 p.m.
B. Y. O. B.

Countdown

1:02:09



Happy Trails



A special meal was prepared to send Varkony off in style. He'll be heading "up north" for the summer months. See you soon Bob.