

Club Website: <u>www.foothillskiwanis.org</u> Meetings: Every Monday at 7:00 a.m. at the Egg & I, 2574 Baseline Rd, Boulder, CO 80303, 303-494-0555

Kiwanis Club of the

April 18, 2016

Coming up . . .

<u>4/18/16</u> – Paul Jerde, Entrepreneurship in Colorado

<u>4/23/16</u> – Taste of Downtown Boulder from 1-4 p.m. on Pearl Street Mall

<u>4/25/16</u> - Rudi Baumann, Adventures in Antarctica

5/2/16 - Michael J. Gough- CU Naval ROTC)

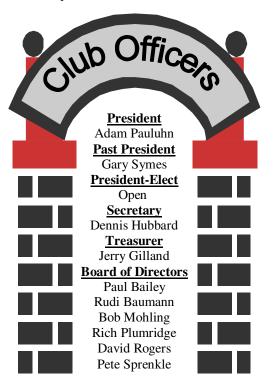
<u>5/5/16– 7:00 a.m.</u> Foothills Board meeting at the Egg & I in Basemar Shopping Center <u>5/9/16</u> – Art Zeile- Cloud Computing

5/16/16 – Matthew Moseley and Craig Eicher, Views of Boulder Utility Developments

<u>5/23/16</u> – Kerry Hassler, "Tabitha Enabling Academy School and Views of Nagaland" <u>5/30/16 – 6:00 a.m.</u> – Foothills Kiwanis Bolder Boulder Starting-Line Fundraiser

Program Chairpersons:

May – Rich Plumridge June - Open



Snippets from Recent Club Programs

<u>April 4 – Sam Cosgrove, CU Boulder Friends</u> of International Students (BFIS)

Sam (hired this past year as Program Coordinator for the BFIS Program at CU) told club members about how they can sign up to be a part of this program that brings together international students at CU with local area families and individuals to help them feel at home here. BFIS volunteers meet once a month with their international student to do fun activities such as hiking, dinners, movies, concerts, and bowling. Volunteers can request meeting an international student from a specific country or area of interest. The length of serving as a BFIS volunteer is for one academic year (September through May). For this current academic year at CU, 60 international students



joined the BFIS Program in September; and 30 more, in January. BFIS organizes eight social events each semester for international students and their volunteer families/individuals. You can sign up to be a BFIS volunteer at --

www.colorado.edu/news/content/boulder-friends-international-studentsseeking-hospitality-families. After Sam's presentation, Sam talked with club members about possibly having BFIS students give presentations at our meetings.

April 11 – Marc Brown, Spellbinders (adults telling stories to kids)

Marc talked about the "Spell Binders" non-profit that trains volunteers how to tell stories, and arranges for them to tell stories to youth in local area schools and other locations. He's a member of the Boulder Valley Spellbinders that meets the first Thursday of each month from 4:30-6:00 p.m. in the lower level conference room at the Brookdale Boulder North elder-care center (3350 30th Street). He gave an example about the kind of stories that Spell Binders volunteers give, an Irish tale about the not-sobright young man Jack who faithfully heeded the advice of his mother about protecting his pay for his jobs, but could not adapt her advice to the pay he received in a different



form every day (e.g., coins, butter, a hambone, and a donkey). In 1997, Spellbinders became a Colorado non-profit with the goal of establishing Spellbinders volunteer storytelling chapters around the U.S. The national office offers the materials, methods and sometimes seed funding necessary to start a Spellbinders chapter, while chapters train and place volunteers. Today, Spellbinders has 18 chapters in six states and Canada. During the 2013-2014 school year, Spellbinders volunteers told stories to an audience of more than 434,000 children in nearly 2,614 classrooms, libraries, and other locations. For more information or to volunteer, see -- **www.spellbinders.org**

KIWANIS: Serving the Children of the World

<u>April 7 Foothills Kiwanis Board Minutes</u> – Paul Bailey (for Foothills Secretary Dennis Hubbard)

The Board of the Foothills Kiwanis Club met at the Egg and I Restaurant on August 13, 2015. President Pauluhn called the meeting to order at 7:004am. Attending were Board members: President Pauluhn, Treasurer Gilland, Bailey, Baumann,

Mohling, Sprenkle, Symes, Rogers, Plumridge.

Guests: Charles Warren of Macintosh Academy

SECRETARY'S REPORT: A motion was made and seconded to approve the March minutes. Report approved.

TREASURER'S REPORT: A motion was made and seconded to approve the March report.

GENERAL BUSINESS:

-- Discussion was held about supporting Charles Warren of Macintosh Academy to start a new Builders Club at the school.

-- It was decided that Charles would become a member and support the Builders club himself. A vote was taken to approve Charles as new member, Approved.

-- Treasurer requested approval to purchase more pens for speaker gifts, Approved

-- Treasurer requested funds to cover printing cost of club material at home, Approved

-- Vote taken to approve Alan Boeve as new Board member, Approved

-- Vote taken to approve Marc Bullion and Cory Jakobson as honorary members since their kids are getting pups. Approved.

The Foothills Kiwanis Club Board meeting adjourned at 7:30.

<u>April 7 Foothills Boulder Foundation Board Minutes</u> – Adam Pauluhn (for Foothills Secretary Hubbard)

The Board of the Foothills Kiwanis Foundation met at the Egg and I Restaurant on August 13, 2015. President Pauluhn called the meeting to order at 7:33. Attending were: President Pauluhn, Treasurer Gilland, Bailey, Baumann, Mohling, Rogers, Sprenkle, Symes, Plumridge.

Guests: (none)

SECRETARY'S REPORT: A motion was made and seconded the March minutes be approved. Report passed.

TREASURER'S REPORT: A motion was made and seconded to approve the March Foundation Treasurer's report. Passed. NEW BUSINESS:

-- The Board approved covering the travel cost for Jerry and Janet while attending the International Kiwanis meeting in Toronto. Bandit will be traveling as well but his cost will be minimal.

-- A check was approved for the Boulder Stars of Tomorrow champions entry fee into the District show. Jacquie McKenna picked up the check during the meeting.

-- Discussions were held concerning the proceeds of donors to the golf tournament. It was determined that no benefit other than charitable is allowed from these monies. (no player entry fees from charitable contributions.)

The Kiwanis Foundation Board Meeting adjourned at 8:00.

<u>Update on Taste of Downtown Boulder Fundraiser</u> – Joe Girard, Taste of Downtown Boulder Project Leader

One of our club's largest fund raisers -- Taste of Downtown Boulder -- is still ON for Saturday April 23 from 1-4 p.m. Ticket sales are in progress now. Please remember to kindly thank all patrons AND all restaurants who participate. There are 16 in all, a record! See if you can sample and give thanks at all of them. It can't happen without them, or without YOU. See you on the Pearl Street Mall! Thanks!



Project Sanctuary "Gala Fundraiser" on May 21 – Heather Ehle (CEO/Founder, Project Sanctuary)

Project Sanctuary has been fortunate to be in contact with Foothills Kiwanis about the critically important services we provide to our military families. We are most grateful for your club's past support of those services. Thank you!

One question I am often asked is, "How else can we help?" I am thrilled to let you know that we have a FUN way for your club members to "activate your impact for military families" next month! Join us for our inaugural "Operation Project Sanctuary (O.P.S.) Gala" on Armed Forces Day, Saturday, May 21, 2016, at 5:30 p.m. The Broncos fans among your club members will be especially excited to learn that the location is the East Club Lounge of Sports Authority Field at Mile High, home of Super Bowl 50 champions Denver Broncos. Trust me, this is going to be THE military family support event of the year! You can register on-line at --:

https://projectsanctuary.ejoinme.org/MyEvents/2016O PSGala. I encourage your club members to --

- Register to attend and join in the celebration on event night!
- Consider a sponsorship to the event we have two silver sponsorships (at \$5,000 each) and three bronze sponsorships (at \$2,500 each) that we're looking to fill!
- Donate an item to the silent or live auction!

Again, thank you for your support of Project Sanctuary's mission of taking military families from battle ready to family ready. With 1,800 families on our wait-list, you are truly helping us transform and save lives. I look forward to seeing you at Mile High on Armed Forces Day!

Heather (heather@projectsanctuary.us)

