



# Kiwanis Club of the Foothills

Club Website: [www.foothillskiwanis.org](http://www.foothillskiwanis.org)

Meetings: Mondays at 7:00 am at The Brewing Market, 2770 Dagny Way, Lafayette, CO 80026

Mar. 3, 2025

## Coming up . . .

- 3/3/25 – Board Meeting at Brewing Market
- 3/10/25 – James Matti, Sierra Space, Dream Chaser Update
- 3/17/25 - Mike Traxler, Iraq Experiences
- 3/24/25 - Club Social Party, 5-7 pm at Bambei Brewery, 100 Superior Plaza Way, Superior
- 4/7/25 - Board Meeting at Brewing Market
- 4/14/25 – Pam Behler, Fatherhood Program
- 4/21/25 - Open
- 4/28/25 - Club Social Party, 5-7 pm at Bambei Brewery, 100 Superior Plaza Way, Superior; recognition of area teachers

## Program Chairpersons:

- March – Bill D
- April – Dave
- May – Vince
- June – Bill A



### President

Bill Lester

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Bill Duclos

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Open

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Bob Mohling  
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Bill Anderson  
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Dave Rogers

## Snippets from Recent Club Programs

### 2/10/25 – Builders & Key Clubs Update

The Builders Club officers gave their 2024-2025 Year in Review presentation. It included slides of their core values, goals, and a summary of their service projects. The service projects were: creating seasonal cards for Landmark Memory Care facility, teacher appreciation, bell ringing (\$449.29), trash pickup, and designing and creating posters for the Middle School hallway. There was time for member connection at each of their meetings.



Lindsay, Noa, Siddharth & Ms. Medina

The Key Club officers gave their review presentation that included their goals and a summary of their service projects. Their service projects included: hosting early release, school yard clean up, packing for Sweet Dream, bell ringing, (\$1036.29 with 26 ringers), trash pick up at Broomfield Days and packaging for Colorado Feeding Kids. They concluded with a short video showing Key Leader activities last fall at YMCA Camp in Estes Park. Thanks to both clubs for an update on each of their clubs!



Shriya, Ms. Melber, Brianna & Maddi

### 2/17/25 – Assemble Homeless Street Corner Car Kits

President Bill led us in the packaging of 60 car kits at our club meeting that we can distribute as we come across homeless in our community. The bags included a water bottle, comb & dental items, socks, health bar, band aids, cards of area help centers and an inspirational note. There are many who camp in our community and solicit help on street corners. We want to help them and encourage them to get help to bootstrap themselves up from their current lifestyle. We had fun doing the packaging and no one got hurt! Thanks to Bill for planning and leading us in this project.



President Bill with the kits

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**2/10/24 – Recognition for Ms. Medina, P2P Builders Club**

-- Vince VanZago

President Bill recognized Rachel, Faculty Advisor of the club, for her outstanding effort in leadership and service training. On July 5, 2024, club officers, Prisha and Sophie, were selected to showcase the success of their Kiwanis youth organization at the Kiwanis International Convention held in Denver, CO. Rachel received a gift certificate from the club.



**2/13/24 – Peak to Peak Key Club Meeting**

-- Bob Mohling

The photo of the club members was taken for the yearbook. Officer forms were made available for all students who are interested in running for office for the 2025-26 school year. The officers described a fundraiser for the Ronald McDonald House. The service project was making valentines for their teachers. The next club meetings are 12:45 pm on 2/28 and 2/23. Let me know if you would like to attend a club meeting at P2P.



children were only Spanish speakers. Unfortunately, some of the recipient families failed to show so some of our volunteers were unable to read to a child. Sorry. Thanks to Susie and Wayne Fox of Sweet Dream in a Bag who coordinated the event with the Marisol Catholic Charity.



Reading book to a child

**2/24/24 – Club Social at Bambei Brewing**

-- Bob Mohling

We recognized two families of our Alert Service Dog Program 4 Kids at our club social. The Dan Hogan family, who lives in Lafayette, with Ashley and Dex have been in the program for six years. Zera with Serenity and Nifler, from Colorado Springs, are about to graduate from the two-year program. Alan Boeve was presented the Hixon award by Past President Bill D for his many years of service as trainer in the program. Thanks, Alan, for all you do.



Zera, Nifler, and Serenity

**2/22/25 – Sweet Dream Bedding Kits Distribution**

-- Dave Rogers, Bob Mohling

Distribution of Sweet Dream bedding kits took place at Sacred Heart of Mary Catholic Church in South Boulder. Twenty-five volunteers participated in the gifting event. The groups represented, in addition to Foothills Kiwanis members, were Risen Savior, Young Life, Key Club members from Monarch and Peak to Peak High School and Builders Club from Peak to Peak Middle School. The children were enthused to receive their bedding kits. Some



Our volunteers being trained for the gifting event



Bill presents the Hixon Award to Alan



Dan, Dex, Ashley, Jamie, & Alan

### Upcoming Community Service/Kiwanis Events

- **March 22, 2025** – District Spring Leadership Conference, Estimated Cost: \$50 per member, The Agave Room, Fort Collins
- **April 4-6, 2025** - Key Club District Convention (DCON), estimated cost: \$250, Celebrating Key Club's 100th Birthday, YMCA of the Rockies in Estes Park
- **April 5, 2025** - Colorado Feeding Kids, 11am-1pm, 14107 E. Exposition Avenue, Aurora
- **April 10, 2025** – Young Life’s Fundraising Banquet at 6:30 pm at The Establishment
- **May 1, 2025** – Annual Fundraising Gala for MyChoice at 12700 Sheridan Blvd, Broomfield, CO
- **June 25-28, 2025** - Kiwanis International Convention, Pittsburgh
- **July 2-6, 2025** - **Key Club International Convention**, Orlando, Florida
- **August 15-17, 2025** – Kiwanis District Convention, estimated cost: \$225 per member, Denver Tech Center

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