



# Kiwanis Club of Mukilteo News

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## **“Tony McNulty is our “Everyday Hero”**

Mukilteo Kiwanis honored Tony McNulty as their Hero of the Month, in a ceremony at The Pointe Restaurant, at the Harbour Pointe Golf Club.

“If there is one thing that makes “Pizza Man” Tony stand out as a Mukilteo Hero, it is his constant generosity with the entire community.” Tony gives and gives; his Papa Murphy Pizza, money and most of all his time. Over and over he gives to the Boys and Girls Club, Cocoon House, The Chamber, Kiwanis, Kamaik High School, both middle schools, Lighthouse Festival, various athletic clubs, and gives both time and money as a Board member of the YMCA. He has touched so many in this community that his recognition was long overdue.” Congratulations, Tony...you’re the best!

## **President’s Message**

**“Unless commitment is made, there are only promises and hope;  
but no plans.”**

**-Peter F. Drucker**

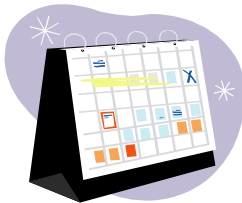
We have the “growth mindset” to do great things this year. It is a powerful reminder of the incredible work that we, as Kiwanians, accomplish every day. Your dedication is the driving force behind the critical, lifesaving projects that Kiwanis supports to brighten children’s futures here at home and around the world.

Kiwanians change children’s lives for the better every year, thanks to your commitment to developing plans and putting them into action. Special thanks to the members who attended the Harvest Festival at Mariner. Those children will remember that positive experience! The Mukilteo Food Bank is also grateful for the donations of cash and food.

There is much to be thankful for; stop, think, and reflect on the many blessings we have been given! Happy Thanksgiving!

*Judith*

## Calendar of Events



<u>November</u>	<u>December</u>	<u>Important Dates</u>
1 OV MS Bldrs.Club 8AM	4 Regular Mtg.	<b>Nov. 2-4</b> Kiwanis Family Conference, Portland
6 Regular Mtg.	6 OV MS Bldrs Club 3:10 PM	<b>Nov. 4</b> Daylight Savings Time Ends
7 HP MS Bldrs Club 3:10 PM	11 Regular Mtg.	<b>Dec. 1</b> Christmas Tree Lighting Rosehill Community Center
7 Key Club 2:10 PM	12 Key Club 2:10 PM	<b>Dec. 16</b> Kiwanis Holiday Party
8 OV MS Bldrs.Club 8AM	12 HP MS Bldrs Club 3:10PM	<b>Jan. 17</b> Division Mtg. Marysville.
11 Cocoon House	13 OV MS Bldrs.Club 8AM	
13 Regular Mtg.	9 Cocoon House	
14 Key Club	18 Regular Mtg.	
14 HP MS Blders Club 3:10PM	19 Key Club 2:10PM	
15 OV MS Bldrs Clubl 8AM	19 HP MS Bldrs Club 3:10PM	
15 Chamber Mtg	20 OV MS Bldrs.Club 8AM	
20 Regular Mtg.		
25 OV MS Bldrs.Club 8AM		
27 Regular Mtg.		
28 Key Club 2:10 PM		
9 Board Mtg. *		

\* The Bank Conference Rm



### November

#### Birthdays & Anniversaries

John Luckovich Nov. 16  
 Tony McNulty Nov. 18  
 Tim Taylor Nov. 27

Darlene & Steve Conklé Nov. 18

### Mukilteo Food Bank needs your help

The Mukilteo Food Bank in running low on some key provisions.

Donors can help by purchasing the following supplies: canned fruit, chili, spaghetti sauce, macaroni and cheese, tea, cocoa, dry milk, peanut butter, and gelatin desserts.

The food bank is at 4614 84<sup>th</sup> St SW, on the south side of Mukilteo Presbyterian Church. For information, call 425.212.2653.

## Guiding Principles

Kiwanis members are guided by these key principles:

- To give importance to the human and spiritual rather than the material values of life.
- To encourage living by the Golden Rule.
- To promote higher social, business, and professional standards.
- To encourage and be servant leaders.
- To build Kiwanis clubs that build lasting friendships and serve and strengthen local communities.
- To promote justice, patriotism, and goodwill.



**Student of the Month**

**Rachel Bervell**

Rachel is a junior at Kamiak High School and has been a member of the Key Club since her freshman year. Rachel is a perfect example of the type of young person the Key Club attracts to advance its goals. Some of her community service include child tutoring, academic coaching ( peer tutoring in 10th and 11th grades), Sunday school teaching, volunteer work at Swedish Hospital and ushering at St Mary Magdalen Catholic Church. She is founder and CEO of *Hugs for Ghana* and has registered the name as a non-profit organization to annually collect gifts for orphans in that historic part of Africa.

Rachel has taken 11 Honors and/or AP classes YTD and projects 16 by graduation. She holds a 3.9 GPA with a class standing of 35 in a class size of 554. As result of her high academic performance, she is a member of the National Honor Society in 10th & 11th grades, recipient of the Lamp of Knowledge Award two years in a row, Kamiak Student of the Month in February 2006 and received the Academic Achievement Award in March, 2006.

Rachel is Secretary of the Multicultural Club, Secretary Treasurer of the Math Team Club, French Club member, ASB Student Representative, Psyche Council Chairman and Link Crew member running for club Secretary. In her spare time she is soloist with the True Life Youth Choir and takes piano lessons to sweeten her tone. Obviously Rachel has earned a solid reputation among teachers and peers at Kamiak High School. Here are some shared comments:

*Susan Farrar, Honors English teacher and former Key Club Advisor:* " I would say that Rachel has the kind of enthusiasm for life and for service that cannot be matched. The great big smile is infectious and she is the kind of person others love having around. You can almost see the wheels turning in that beautiful brain of hers and you want to "go with her" because you know it's the way to better things. Rachel is an important person today, but watch out world! She is only going to get better!

*Kathryn Noonan, English & Dance Teacher:*" Rachel spearheaded the drive for teddy bears and other stuffed animals for African orphans last spring. Her family flew to Africa to personally deliver the toys. She is one of the most generous, caring, and thoughtful people I know."

*Marsha Coffelt, French Teacher:* "Though I haven't known Rachel long, she is a pleasure to have in class. Always a smile to greet a teacher and she can be depended upon to do her best work. Congratulations, Rachel. The honor is well deserved."

Rachel's ambition is to become involved in pediatrics, a branch of medicine dealing with the development, care and diseases of young children. Her choice of careers blends perfectly with the Kiwanis goal of *Serving the Children of the World*.



**New Member Profile**

**Janice Tuttle**

When Janice Tuttle moved here six years ago from Boise, Idaho she had a goal to get back to the coast. Prior to living in Idaho her home for twenty years had been in Connecticut.

With a successful career in teaching behind her, she decided to go into business with a tutoring company. Janice started Sound Tutors specializing in math and working out of her home or at the student's home.

Janice's interests include walking, hiking, and travel. Visiting her three children who live in various parts of the world has been especially exciting. They live in Egypt, France, and Senegal and Janice has enjoyed her trips to see them.

Janice said that Daphne was very helpful in getting her business started and brought her to visit at a Mukilteo Kiwanis meeting. We are glad that she found her way to Mukilteo and has become an active member of our club.

**Have you invited someone to Kiwanis lately?**



**BOARDS HIGHLIGHTS**

**Treasurer's Report**

- \$14,330.69 in projects
- \$3,325.37 in administration account

Motions made, seconded and carried to:

- Adopt Christmas House as a service project with the Key Club, scheduled for Dec. 8
- Have a Toy Drive with the Key Club
- Donate \$250 to the YMCA for the Harvest Festival

Other Business

- Club's goal to have 40 members by year's end.
- Christmas party scheduled for Saturday, Dec. 16 at Dave & Linda Emerson's

**Need to Make up a Meeting?**

You can go to any other Kiwanis Club's meeting (see Div. 21 clubs below or go to the Kiwanis International website - [www.kiwanis.org](http://www.kiwanis.org) - to find a Kiwanis Club anywhere in the world), attend a Key Club, Builders Club, or another sponsored youth club's meeting, participate in a club project (two maximum each month can count for make-ups), attend a Division, District or International meeting or event, attend a Club Board meeting, or attend a Club Committee meeting. \*\*Let the Secretary know if you attend any of these meetings or events.

**Other Division 21 Clubs:**

**Arlington** -- Meets 1st & 3rd Wed.

7PM, Boys & Girls Club; Pres:

Gilman McKinnie, 360-435-5153.

**Darrington** -- Meets 2nd & 4th Mon.

7PM, Senior Center; Pres: Nels Rasmussen,

360-436-1663

**Everett-Evergreen** -- Meets Fri. 7AM,

Evergreen Bowling Alley; Pres: Craig

Forbes, 425-252-3173

**Everett Golden K** -- Meets Thurs.

10AM, Everett Senior Center; Pres:

Ben Hansen, 425-252-6258

**Lake Stevens** -- Meets 1st Wed 7PM,

other Weds. 6:30AM, Buzz Inn; Pres:

Laura Brady-Scott, 425-335-1997.

**Marysville** -- Meets Tues. 7AM, Village

Restaurant; Pres: Walt McKinney,

360-659-7437

**Silver Lake, Everett** -- Meets 1st Wed

7PM, other Weds. 7AM, The Jet in

Mill Creek; Pres: Howard Holl, 425-

357-3568

**Stanwood-Camino** -- Meets every Thurs,

7AM at Maxime's Global Cuisine.

Pres., Tom Peiffer 360-387-2643

**Save the Date**

**Sunday, December 16**

**Kiwanis Holiday Party**

Home of  
Linda & Dave Emerson



**HAPPY  
THANKSGIVING!**

CLUB HAPPINGS

Cocoon House - Nov. 11 \* Tim's Team Turkey and fixing's

Cocoon House - Dec. 9 \* All Teams Dinner & Party



Note: The holiday gift giving program needs your support. Judith has ordered the stockings. Any personal or corporate sponsors?

Please contact Kathy Tensen with your donations or gift ideas.

Kiwanis' Newest Member

Lauren Christine McNulty born 10/26/07 weighing in at a whopping 6lb. 8oz



Harvest Festival Mariner High School

Mukilteo Kiwanians give a hand with the Evergreen Kiwanis Club collecting donations for the food bank. Carnival held for children Pre-K - 5th Grade

