

# Stan-Cam Happenings



Stanwood-Camano Kiwanis Club  
Pacific Northwest District  
Division 21

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## Stanwood-Camano Kiwanis

Meets every Thursday, 7am at  
Viking Restaurant in Stanwood.  
Board meets last Tuesday, 7am.

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2007: Tom Peiffer, Kevin Burham  
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Committees: See page 3.

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## Comings and Goings

Thank you to everyone who helped with the **Camano Climb**. It was another successful year, even though the weather didn't cooperate. Our **Kiwanis Relay for Life Team** had a great walk during the first weekend of the month. They raised approximately \$2,300 and the whole event raised \$72,000! Way to go everyone!

We have a new **fundraiser** - Marysville Kiwanis Club invited us to man one of their **fireworks** booths from June 27 through July 4. We will need everyone to sign up for at least one shift. Jack Peary is working out the schedule with everyone, so sign up with him. See more information on page 5.

Don't forget to go to the **Division 21 Picnic** at Char & Tom's home - June 24 at noon. It's going to be a blast with special guest PNW District Governor Steve Emhoff! Bring your family for a great time. There will be children's activities, fun stuff for the adults, and lots of great food. RSVP ASAP to Laura at 360-387-6606 (or she'll be hunting you down to find out if you are going!).

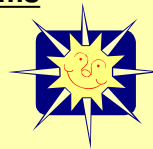
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## Club Meetings

Contact Tom Peiffer or a person listed below with any program ideas.

### June Programs

- 1 Kristi Friday
- 8 Meg Griswold
- 15 Bob Mitchell
- 22 Jack Peary
- 29 White Elephant Auction - bring your items!



### July Programs

- 6 Nancy High
- 13 Jen Larson
- 20 Linda Littlefield
- 27 Howard Quigley



[Ed Note: When you know what your program will be, email or call me - see lower left corner - and I'll add it in after your name, so our members will know.]

## Calendar of Events

### June

- 3-4 Relay for Life, Stanwood (3pm survivors' lap & start, 10pm luminary, 10am finish)
- 14 Flag Day
- 18 Father's Day
- 24 Div. 21 Picnic with special guest, PNW Gov. Steve Emhoff; noon.
- 27 Club Board Mtg, 7am
- 27-Jul 4 Fireworks Fundraiser - everyone needs to help!

28-Jul 2 Kiwanis Intl Conv.,  
Montreal, Quebec, Canada.

### July

- 4 Independence Day
- 6 Division 21 Meeting
- 25 Club Board Mtg, 7am

### Future Dates

- Aug 4-6 Stanwood Fair - Fish & Fry sales.
- Aug 26 Stanwood Safety Fair.
- Aug 17-20 PNW District Convention, Lincoln City, Oregon.

## From the President . . .

Hello, Kiwanians...Welcome to a busy start to summer!

First, hearty congratulations to the 18 graduating seniors who received scholarships from our Kiwanis club. Each was deserving. Other than the Stanwood-Camano Foundation itself, our Kiwanis club gave the most number of scholarships. Our members are to be congratulated for raising the money in our various projects. It is wonderful to see the radiant faces of the young people as they were handed their certificates, and after the ceremony, it was even nicer to hear the thanks of the parents and seniors alike.

The Relay for Life walk for cancer has been a successful project since it's introduction to the Stanwood area. Thanks to the Community service committee as a whole with Kevin Burham and Glenda Mitchell as reps to the project and our team's co-leaders, Peggy Burr and Carolyn Tobiason. We have a new fundraiser toward the end of June, through the Fourth of July. Please support this, regardless of your personal feeling towards fireworks. These are NOT the heavy artillery that is sold on the Indian Reservations. All fireworks are dangerous, if mishandled, to be sure, but you will be assured that these are a good value for the money and significantly safer. People are going to buy them, and WE have the opportunity to get the profit. It could be significant, so sign up for your preferred time slot to help man the booth.

Remember, too, we may have the opportunity to have another rest stop in the future. Let's keep ourselves available and share the responsibility. All kinds of fundraising projects take effort. The more who share the load, the lighter it is for each of us. If you have other suggestions for fundraisers, see Kevin.

I've heard reports that OUR Stanwood-Camano is a FUN club... that's you, gang.... You make it fun at the meetings, and in committee meetings and at our fundraisers... thank you, each and every participant!

*Prez Pamela*

### GREETINGS FROM THE MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

We installed another new member this month, Stacey Sawatzky. She was sponsored by Palmer! Thank you Palmer, way to go!!!!

Our Kiwanis Mission: As a THRIVING organization of men, women, and youth, we are DEDICATED to SERVING the CHILDREN of the WORLD and IMPROVING quality of LIFE worldwide.

Surely you know someone who also wants this wonderful feeling of helping others. Like they say "If you enjoy what you do, don't be selfish, share this with others."

All you have to do is ASK!!!!!!!!!!!!

~ Char, Membership Chair

### Did you know . . . ?

. . . that in one year, Kiwanis clubs sponsored 147,000 service projects. To do so, Kiwanians raised and spent nearly \$100 million and contributed 6.2 million hours of volunteer time. There are more than 8,400 Kiwanis clubs with nearly 280,000 members in 96 nations and geographic areas.

### Need to do a Makeup 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 & 3rd Mon.

7pm, Senior Center; Pres: Ken Bell,  
360-436-9818

**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.

**Mukilteo** -- Meets Tues. 7:30am,  
Harbour Pointe Golf Club; Pres:  
Judith Murdoch, 425-493-6763.

**Silver Lake, Everett** -- Meets 1st Wed  
7pm, other Weds. 7am, MC Grill &  
Lounge in Mill Creek; Pres: Lois  
Coghlan, 425-821-8000.

### 2005-2006 Div. 21 Lt. Governor

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Have you invited  
someone to  
Kiwanis, lately?

## Club Committees

~ chairperson(s) in bold ~

Club Meetings: **Tom Peiffer**

Interclubs: **Jack Peary**

Scholarships: Dan Follette,  
Mick Hanson

Membership: John Hanstad,  
Char Peiffer

Young Children: Kate Wigner,  
Bob Mitchell

Sponsored Youth: **Stuart  
Harpel**

Key Club Advisors: Linda  
Boland, Carolyn Tobiason

K-Kids Advisors: Heather  
Saimons, Carolyn McNeill

Risk Management: **Jack  
Stedman**

Public Relations: Carolyn  
Tobiason, Jack Stedman, Erika  
Sigmon (newsletter)

Community Service: **Glenda  
Mitchell**, David Sigmon, Peggy  
Burr, Lynn Wilkerson

Every Day Hero Nominations:  
Char Peiffer, Tom Peiffer, Jack  
Stedman, Carolyn Tobiason,  
Howard Quigley

Fund Raising: **Kevin Burham**

Camano Climb: **Tim Kramer**

Spiritual Values: **Ron Frey**

Sunshine: **Laura Peterson**

**If you don't see your name -  
pick one to be on! We need  
everyone to help keep our  
club running smoothly.**

## Sponsored Youth News



The K-kids had a great year! They'll be back in the Fall to do it again! Big thanks to teachers Heather Saimons and Carolyn McNeill from the school who kept the kids motivated and active!! Way to go K-Kids!



The Key Club also had a great year! Thanks go to Linda Boland and Carolyn Tobiason for keeping things going as advisors to the group. The Key Club is in search of a faculty advisor for next year - if you know a Stanwood high school teacher that might be interested, contact Linda.



## Congratulations to the following Scholarship Winners:

Autumn Medley ~ Key Clubber of the Year ~ \$1,000

Matissee Fletcher ~ Palmer Sather Award ~ \$1,000

\$500 each to ~ Aaron Boehme, Bailey Bridenbaugh, Kyle Buttler, Nik Enquest, Sarah Finch, Emily Harpel, Noel Hatley, Sarah Heleson, Andrea Hixson, Caroline McLees, Shaunte Ramsby, Shawn Redmond, Nick Riggs, Angela Schonberg, Whitney Swanenburg & Max Winterbaum.

## Committee Reports

All members should plan to participate in at least one committee each year. If you don't see your name in the committee list in the left column of this page, choose one and let President Pamela know. This is your club, your help is needed to keep things running. We can do great things when we all work together!

The **Club Meeting** committee wants to remind everyone to check page 1 for their name beside a meeting date. This is the meeting where you are in charge of the program. If you need suggestions contact someone from that committee. Whenever a 5th meeting occurs during the month (next one is in June), instead of a speaker we will hold a white elephant auction to raise funds for our administrative account. Plan to bring a white elephant item and bid on your favorite items that others have brought.

**Membership:** Do you know someone who would make a good member of our club? Invite them! See page 2 for their report.

The **Scholarship** committee awarded 18 scholarships - see above.

The **Community Service** committee is preparing for the Relay for Life June 3-4 and also for the Safety Fair in August.

The **Fund Raising** committee is signing everyone up for shifts to work at the fireworks stand in Marysville - see page 5 for details on this project.

**Young Children Priority One** committee is looking to help the Stanwood Coop Preschool with their new facility - providing help installing and possibly purchasing playground equipment - what a fun summer project!

The **Interclub** committee will be shooting for two a month again this year. Check the board during the regular meetings and sign up to attend. This is a great way to meet other Kiwanians & keep up on perfect attendance! Keep up the good work everyone!

## Birthdays & Anniversaries

### June

2 Mick Hanson

6 Ann: Bob & Jeanne Jacobs

8 Ann: Lefty & Virginia Wootten

8 Ann: John & Denise Hanstad

9 Laura Peterson

12 Ann: Jack & Betty Peary

12 Ann: Eldon & Cheryl Allen

20 Ann: Bob & Glenda Mitchell

23 Eldon Allen

# Board Meeting Highlights

(for official copy of minutes, ask Secretary Char)

May 30, 2006

Attendance: Jack S., Kevin, Glenda, Tom, Char, Pamela, Kate, Laura, Jack P., Palmer & Howard

Call to order: 8am by President Pamela

Invocation: President Pamela  
Minutes of April meeting: (Char)  
Approved as read.

Treasurer's report: Darby not present but supplied us with up to date profit/loss for admin and project accounts. Also new balance sheets & up to date check registration sheets.

## Old Business:

(Howard) We don't have a final on the climb yet. Bill for the shirts has not come in. Motion made by Howard to give South Camano Grange \$100 for use of their building - MSP. 200 volunteer hours for this fundraiser.

Everyday Hero: (Pamela) No suggestions for this month, if any one has any ideas please give Char a call.

Light Up Stanwood: Gave the Lions \$200 for this project.

Roster Deletions: Char is deleting members that have not paid their dues from this past year.

Fireworks Scheduling: (Jack P.) Doing four hour shifts. The training for the sales will be on Friday June 2nd in Tacoma.

Relay for Life: (Glenda) Reminded everyone to be there at 3pm for opening ceremonies on the 3rd.

## New Business:

SHS Future Business Leaders National Competition – Kate recommended that we give \$200 towards the team. MSP.

Boy Scout Troop 86 will have their Court of Honor on Sunday, June 4, 2pm, Floyd Norrgard Center.

Pamela encourages all who can attend to please attend.

Camp Invention – to be reviewed by committee.

Law enforcement camp – agreed by committee to help a young man from our area go to camp – \$ amount and name to come.

Kiwanis International Foundation Annual Club Gift – put on hold.

## Committee Reports:

Sponsored Youth: (Kate) Scholarship night 4 hours of community service. We gave \$10,000 in scholarships.

Key Club: Still trying to get a Key Club Advisor for next year. Char will call PNW Key Club District Governor to see what he recommends.

Interclubs: Arlington and La Conner for May. Thinking about South Mount Vernon and we will have interclubs at the division picnic.

Club Meetings: Tom all set through July.

Scholarships: (Kate) we gave away 16 scholarships a total of \$10,000

Young Children: Kapreial (from our Girl Scout Troop) is making stuffed bears for children. Kate will bring them in for us to stuff. Co-Op Preschool – we will help in monetary and/or help build new playground, Glenda will let us know on this.

Community Service: Relay for Life – Glenda reported an extra 20 hours of community service for relay. The Stanwood Senior Center Red Hat Society made flowers for our banner project for at the Relay. At the end of August we will host our Safety Fair in the Hagen's parking lot. Police and Fire Departments have agreed to be there. Please let Glenda know if you know of other groups that would like to be a part of this special event.

Meeting adjourned 8am by President Pamela.

Secretary, Char Peiffer

## Comings and Goings

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Reminder from the **Fundraiser committee**: it's time to get or renew your food handler's permit for the fair season, if you haven't already!

We have another new member - see membership committee report on page 2.

Be on the look-out for Every Day Heros in Stanwood/Camano! Each month with the help of the local Police or Fire Departments, our club will choose an **Every Day Hero** to give a special framed award certificate and medal to.

The person (or persons) will be someone from the community who did something that makes them a hero in some measure, great or small. If you know of someone in our community who deserves nomination for this award, contact the EDH nominating committee.

See news about all **committees** on page 3.

Highlights of the May **Board Meeting** are on page 4.

**Committee** assignments are listed on page 3 - if you aren't on the list yet, pick a committee and get involved, it's not too late!

### **NEW CLUB OFFICERS for 2006-2007**

President: Char Peiffer

President Elect: Open

Vice President: Erika Sigmon

Treasurer: Darby Cook

Secretary: Linda Boland

### **BOARD MEMBERS:**

06-07 Kevin Burham, Ron Frey

07-08 Bob Mitchell, Carolyn Tobiason

08-09 Palmer Sather, Bob Jacobs

**It is a rare and high privilege to be in a position to help people understand the differences that they can make not only in their own lives but in the lives of others by simply giving of themselves. —Helen Boosalis**

## Another Great Recipe from Char's Kitchen ...

### **A Great Summer Meal: Chicken Salad**

3 cups chicken cut into 1/2 pieces  
3 cups cantaloupe cut into 1/2 pcs  
1 cup of thinly sliced celery  
1/2 cup of scallions  
2 cups of cashews

#### **Dressing (This is the Best)**

3/4 cup of vegetable oil  
1/2 cup mango chutney  
3 garlic cloves  
1 Tablespoon Dijon Mustard  
1 Tablespoon Soy Sauce  
1 Tablespoon Dark Sesame Oil  
3/4 Tablespoon Tabasco  
Pour on salad just before serving.  
Serves (6)

### **For Dessert:**

#### **Raspberry Shortcake Pie**

1 cup frozen non dairy whipped  
topping, thawed  
1 jar (7oz) marshmallow cream  
1 cup raspberry sherbet, softened  
1 container (6oz) low fat raspberry  
yogurt  
1 cup of fresh or frozen raspberries  
1 premade Shortbread Pie Crust  
In medium bowl whisk together  
topping and marshmallow cream  
until combined. Gently stir in  
sherbet and yogurt.

Place raspberries in crust. Spoon  
whipped topping mixture over  
raspberries. Freeze at least 4  
hours or until firm.

Let stand at room temperature for  
15 minutes before cutting. Garnish  
as desired. Store in freezer.

Makes 8 servings. Prep time 10  
minutes.

**ENJOY -CHAR-**

## GREETINGS FROM THE FUND RAISING COMMITTEE

We have a new fund-raiser! The Marysville Kiwanis Club has five Fireworks booths in the greater Marysville area and have asked us to man one of them. They will set up the booth, stock it and we will have to man it with 2 people from June 28<sup>th</sup> to July 4<sup>th</sup>. The fireworks will be marked and we will have a debit card machine. All transactions are cash or card....no checks. We get 10% of the take and realistically that will be around \$2,000 to \$3,000. We need to have an RV on site in the evenings for security reasons. Our booth will be in front of the big Safeway store on the Main Street of Marysville.

The booth will be set up and stocked on Tuesday, June 27<sup>th</sup>. This will be the afternoon for us to be trained, go over the booth security, etc. The booth has to be manned with 2 people from 9 AM to 9 PM on June 28 through July 3 and on July 4<sup>th</sup> we can start closing down and packing up in the early afternoon. We will take all the remaining fireworks to Monroe either on July 4 or July 5.

Jack Peary is the Scheduling chair for this event. Everyone will need to participate in at least one shift preferably more – check your calendar and sign up early!

Sign up at the next meeting or call Jack to pick your shift (360) 387-9727. He'll be calling on you if you don't call him soon!

~ Kevin, fundraising chair

## From Lt. Governor Char

This last month I visited quite a few of our clubs. Tom and I went on the 20th to help Marysville with their community service project. It was a fishing derby for children under 12. They stocked Lake Jennings with 2,000 fish. It was raining (not hard) but to these children it could have been snowing. What fun they had trying to reel in the big one! One little guy got so excited that he actually had a fish on that he ran up the hill and drug the fish in. They gave away 4 new bicycles and 40 fishing poles. Then on the 29th we helped SiverLake with their fundraiser, Crusing Colby. Again it was a bit cool but we sure enjoyed ourselves. Great Bar B Que Sandwiches!

I would encourage all of you to volunteer to help in each others club's events. What fun and a great social time!!

We are getting things together for June 24th. We are expecting a big turn out. Please bring your spouse and children. We have started to plan some great things for the children! If you have any ideas please let me know. This will be a picnic that Governor Steve can write home about!!!!

## WHAT'S ON THE KIWANIS WEB?

**[www.kiwanis.org](http://www.kiwanis.org)**

Check out the information about the International Convention in Montreal, Canada this June.

THE PNW DISTRICT WEBSITE:

**[www.pnwkiwanis.org](http://www.pnwkiwanis.org)**

Information about the District Convention in Lincoln City this August is posted - check it out if you plan to attend!



**Way to go  
Relay team!  
\$2,300 raised,  
\$72,000 total!**