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Meetings

Regular meetings are held every Tuesday at 12:15pm in the Garden Room, Elks Lodge, 289 Willowdale Dr., Frederick, MD 21702



Colette Baker Awarded Hixson!



Congratulations to member Colette Baker for having received the George F. Hixson Fellowship award!

In 1983, the Kiwanis Children's

Fund established the George F. Hixson Fellowship. Named for Kiwanis International's first president, Hixson Fellowships are awarded to individuals for whom donors give US\$1,000 or more to the Children's Fund in their name.

It's a way of recognizing people who have contributed significantly to Kiwanis' history of generosity. In fact, clubs and Kiwanians often give in honor of another person or organization — recognizing others' help and commitment with a Hixson Fellowship.

Colette's Hixson was in recognition for her diligence and hard work supporting the efforts of the Kiwanis Club of Frederick. The award was made possible by the generosity of Tracy Bush and Legacy Financial. (L to R) Colette Baker, Richard Cutting, Bob Kaufmann.

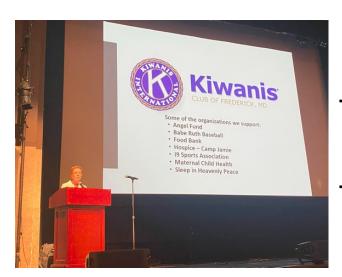
Legacy Financial Strong Supporter of Kiwanis



(Left) Lew Stavely and his wife (from Sleep in Heavenly Peace), Laurie Cutting and Dave Maloney prepare to enter the Weinberg theater in Frederick for Legacy Financial's annual Client Appreciation Event.

(Right) The Event offered light snacks prior to the show.





(Left) Member Colette Baker quickly reviews just a few of the many organizations that benefit through the efforts of the Kiwanis Club of Frederick.



(Left) Member Ray Ediger and friend could not help dancing in the aisle as the band played.

Colette Baker Recognized as Kiwanian of the Year



In addition to being awarded the Hixson Fellowship Award during the Legacy Financial event, club member Colette Baker was also recognize by Bob Kaufmann (above) and Richard Cutting (below) as the Kiwanis Club of Frederick's Kiwanian of the Year!



Kiwanis Youth Protection Program

KI: As the premier provider of youth service clubs and programs, Kiwanis International holds itself and its members to the highest standards of conduct and awareness.

Each year, more than 300,000 youth take part in Kiwanis Service Leadership Programs (SLPs) such as K-Kids, Builders Club and Key Club. Kiwanis reaches millions more youth around the world through club and district service projects. When we work with and mentor youth during projects and activities, their care and welfare are entrusted to us.

Kiwanis members must know how to protect the youth with whom we interact. When we all share this commitment, we also protect ourselves and the organization we value.

(Below) Club President Richard Cutting recently conducted the KI-mandated Youth Protection presentation to club members.



4-H Therapeutic Riding Assistance



The 4-H Therapeutic Riding Program (one of our sponsored agencies) recently held their annual spaghetti dinner and auction to raise funds for their program.

Kiwanis members helped with the set up, serving dinner and even bought a few auction items.

Shown here are left to right: Dr Bob Kaufman, Sue Vona, Richard Cutting, Lauri Cutting and Dr Ray Ediger.

Learn about Holistic Wellness

Member Allen Byrne reports that he will be having a very interesting speaker for the November 14th club meeting. The speaker will be Patrick Thompson LAC TCM from the Frederick Holistic Wellness Center. He is a licensed acupuncturist and a practitioner of Traditional Chinese Medicine. Don't miss this meeting!



2023 Heroes Cup Campaign Kicks Off November 12

To Benefit Wreaths Across America!



Thank you to MISSION BBQ for your continued support of Wreaths Across America! Starting on November 12, for every American Heroes Cup purchased at any of MISSION BBQ's 131 locations



Club Christmas Party!

Evening of Tuesday Dec. 5th at Gladchuck's Restaurant in Frederick.

David Bass was our Guest Recently







Frederick County FCPS Board of Education member David Bass recently spoke to the club regarding trending topics including schools buildings, overall MD school report card, student grades, proficiency testing scores and much more. So many questions were asked that David was hard pressed to address all the issues he had originally intended to. David is well-spoken, knowledgeable and very personable.

David's term on the Board began in December 2020 and extends through Dec. 2024.

David is shown here speaking to the group and being presented with a club Challenge Coin by Pres. Richard Cutting as a "Thank You" gift.

Club 100th Anniv Shirts Now Available!



These very nice club 100th anniversary shirts are now available for purchase at all club meetings.

Up to XL \$43

XXL \$46

3XL \$47

4XL \$48

Watch this Awesome SHP video!

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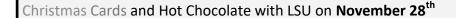


Hood College CKI Report

Hello!!! Here are some of our upcoming events and club updates!

Upcoming Events:

Blanket Making on November 7th







Kiwanis Club of Frederick is also gift wrapping at the FSK Mall in December!

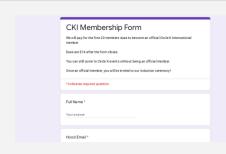
Sign up here:

<u> 2023 Giftwrap</u>

The Kiwanis Club of Frederick wraps gifts for donations at the FSK Mall in Frederick, MD the three weeks prior to Christmas. All proceeds benefit kids and the disadvantaged of Frederick County, MD.

Additionally, membership dues are coming up. We will be covering the dues of the first 20 people who sign up below. You can still come to our events without being an official member. Being an official member means you will be inducted into CKI at our ceremony!

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CKI Membership Form

We will pay for the first 20 members dues to become an official Circle K International member. Dues are \$14 after the form closes. You can still come to Circle K events without being an official member. Once an official member, you will be invited to our induction ceremony!

Best,

Hood College CKI EXEC

KIWANIS CLUB OF MT. AIRY

PANCAKE BREAKFAST



SATURDAY, NOV 11th 7 am to 11 am

Calvary United Methodist Church Good Shepherd Hall (Top Level) 403 S. Main St., Mt. Airy

Santa Claus will be here!

Pancakes, Eggs & Wagner's Sausage Juice, Milk, Coffee & Tea

ALL YOU CARE TO EAT & COOKED TO ORDER!!

Adults · \$10 Children 6-10 · \$5 5 & Under · Free Proceeds Benefit Local Community Projects!

Please bring a non-perishable food item for the Mt. Airy Net!



★ December 16, 2023 ★ National Wreaths Across America Day



Help the Kiwanis Club of Frederick (MD) honor local heroes!

Sponsor a wreath today to be placed on a veteran's grave this December at Mount Olivet Cemetery or Utica Cemetery.

Scan the QR code to the right to make a donation online or visit: www.wreathsacrossamerica.org/MD0368P





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Did You Know This?

Your Local Support



Lt. Governor - Division 7

Robert Kaufmann Frederick

Email



Regional Trustee - Mason Dixon

Roger Diehl Westminster

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Important Dates



October 1: First day of the new Kiwanis year

October 16-20: CKI Week

October 31: Deadline for 2022-23 Distinguished Club and

Distinguished Member nominations

Save the Dates

District Midyear Conference

March 8-10, 2024 The Resort at Glade Springs Daniels, WV

Kiwanis International Convention

July 3-6, 2024 Denver, CO

Capital District Kiwanis Convention

August 23-25, 2024
Renaissance Portsmouth-Norfolk
Waterfront
Portsmouth, VA



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Upcoming Birthdays!					
Robert Kaufmann	11/5	RLK40DAD@gmail.com			
Robert Failor	12/15	rfailorpsu@comcast.net			
Roy Taylor	12/20	ethel23456@aol.com			
Dave Maloney	12/27	dave@maloney.com			





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Member Monthly Volunteer Hours: September 2023

by Colette Baker

Here are volunteer hours for the month of September 2023. Be sure to report your monthly hours on the first of each month for the preceding month. Go here to do so:

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Bed Build	1 member	5.5 hours	49 youth
Marine Corps League			
Collection, Scholarship			
& Fisher House	1 member	4 hours	
Gift Wrap	1 member	1 hour	
4-H Therapeutic Riding	1 member	6 hours	
CTC Beekeeping Mentor	1 member	3 hours	
CTC Beekeeping Fair	1 member	24 hours	
4 H Livestock Support			
Youth at Fair	1 member	45 hours	47 youth
Birthing Center at Fair	1 member	28 hours	1200 youth
Hood Board of Trustees			
Student Success Committee	1 member	1 hour	1500 students
Helping Seniors	2 member	13 hours	
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