Kiwanis Newsletter August 2015



26th Annual Blackberry Festival

The Black Berry Festival is our primary fund raiser for our Community Service Projects. This year once again we have only a limited number of members who are available to assist with this extremely important fund raiser. If you are not going to be available please let Bev know as soon as possible. When signing up for a shift, do not sign up for positons that have already been taken. In an effort to keep the traffic under control in the tent the schedule is set up to cover every position and breaks. If you are of tall stature it would be great if you could sign up for the closing shift so you can help close the tent.

Set up will be on Thursday, September 3rd and take down will occur early AM on Tuesday, September 8th. Rob will be organizing the pickup and delivery of the pies. Roger Oraker will be delivering ice cream and supplies. Bev and Sunny will be handling the day to day operations.

If you are going to be signing up for the cashier position you must be able to work with the credit card system. Last year was the first year we had the Square available and our customers were pleased to be able to use debit or credit for their purchases.

We have plenty of members with food handler's permits. Health Department rules state that there must always be at least one person with a permit be present at all times.

More info to come ~Beverly

Upcoming Events

- Kiwanis Kids Community Connection
 Saturday, August 15
 10:00AM – 12:30PM
 Kiwanis Park
- Soccer with Astronomers
 Tuesday, August 18 –
 Thursday, August 20
 6:00-8:00AM at Kiwanis Park
- 26th Annual Blackberry
 Festival, Saturday, Sept 5th –
 Monday, Sept. 7

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"Serving the Children of the World"

Food Baskets

Two generous club members provided additional funds to the monthly allowance by the club to enable us to provide 2 baskets for the month of July. A big thank you goes out to the members who donate \$20.00 each month for this great service to our community. This summer we have been able to provide each family with a box of Otter Pops due to a donation by another member. Patti Peterson has done a great job of finding families in need.

To Help with Food Baskets contact Beverley 360.377.0842 mmitww@gmail.com

Kiwanis Kids Community Connection

Kiwanis Kids Community Connection Saturday, August 15, 2015 at Kiwanis Park 10:00AM – 12:30PM.

Patti, Stephanie, Deann and Bev, also known as the Club Satellite has been coordinating with various groups to organize a back to school event at Kiwanis Park.

Families will be able to pick up school supplies, used clothing, new undies and shoes. Lunch will be provided and there will be field games and face painting for the kids. Parents will be able to visit the various booths and receive information on various programs available to low income families.

The Kiwanis Club of Bremerton helped this event by allowing the Club Satellite to spend up to \$500.00 toward the purchase of underwear, backpacks and other supplies as needed. It is not too late to donate to this worthy cause.

Everyone is encouraged to come to Kiwanis Park and get to know our community partners. It is through projects such as this that people see what a great organization we are. ~ Beverley

Sponsored in cooperation with:
Kiwanis Club of Bremerton
Bremerton Foodline
Emergency Service Agencies
First Christian Church
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For more information:

Contact Bremerton Foodline: 360.479.6188

Reminders!

Bring undergarments for school children

Support children in starting the school year off with what they need.

Contact Beverley 360.377.0842 mmitww@amail.com

Kiwanis Park Clean-up every 4th Saturday 9-11 next clean- up August 22nd

Red Vest Thursday every 1st Thursday next red vest August 6th

Guest Speaker(s):

Lindsey Kellum (Bud's granddaughter)
Will share about her experience
teaching in China on August 6th