



# Southport-Oak Island Kiwaniis Club



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### Coming Events

**April 7 7:30 am**  
"Raising a Reader"  
Kim Heath  
Smart Start  
Trinity United Methodist Church

**April 10 1:30 to 4 pm**  
Family Bridge  
Brunswick Senior Center

**April 14 7:30 am**  
Board of Directors  
Doshier Hospital Board Room  
(above Flea Market)



**April 21 7:30 am**  
Kay Wolf  
WAVES 4 K.I.D.S.  
Trinity United Methodist Church

**Spring Festival**  
**April 22 and 23**

**May 5 7:00 am**  
Election of Officers  
Trinity United Methodist Church

**May 12 7:30 am**  
Board of Directors  
Location to be Announced

**May 19 7:30 am**  
Interclub Meeting  
North Brunswick High  
School  
Key Club



Smart Start &  
The North Carolina Partnership for Children, Inc.

With nearly half of all U.S. children entering kindergarten lacking the early reading skills needed for success in school, "Raising A Reader's" **vision** is that one day all children will enter kindergarten in love with the printed page and ready to learn to read.



Raising A Reader's **mission** is to engage parents in a routine of daily "book cuddling" with their children from birth to age five in order to foster healthy brain development, parent-child bonding, and early literacy skills critical for school success.

Our speaker for the April 7th meeting will be Kim Heath from Head Start who will discuss the "Raising a Reader" program.

Following the regular program, **Larry DeLong** and **Bill Spellman** will present a short program explaining the finances of the Club - Service Account, Administrative Account, and Reserve Account.

### Helping KIDS In Disruptive Situations



The primary activity of WAVES4K.I.D.S. is to provide financial support and create services to satisfy unmet needs of children associated with Foster Care and Child Protective Services in Brunswick Co, North Carolina.

Time and resources are used to acquire funds from individuals and/or organizations to support our charitable and training activities.

The Mentoring Program of WAVES 4 K.I.D.S. (*Kids In Disruptive Situations*) is a continuing effort to prepare foster youth of Brunswick County for independent living. Mentors are matched with children age 12-18 and offer a consistent positive role model, helping coach these children to success through friendship.

Join your fellow members as Kay Wolf tell us how the WAVES 4 K.I.D.S. program works to provide the unmet needs foster children from infants to 18 years of age.



# President's Corner

Mike Clune

The scholarship committee chaired by **Barry Ryan** met in early March to consider scholarships for Brunswick County students. Teen Court, South Brunswick High School, North Brunswick High School Brunswick Academy, and Early College High



School will all be considered. Conducting interviews with these students is a great reward for the Kiwanians on the scholarship committee.

Our April 7<sup>th</sup> meeting will include a presentation by **Larry De Long**. He will review our monthly Treasurers Report. Larry will explain the income and expenses in the Administrative and Service Accounts. It is very important that each Kiwanian has a working knowledge of the income and expenses of the club.

This month we received notification of a major change in the Meals On Wheels Program. This change will cause a major short fall in income for our year ending Sept. 2011. MOW will no longer pay our club for the mileage we travel delivering meals to the needy. We receive about \$1,200 of income from MOW each month. This means we will be short of budget about \$7,600 dollars for this fiscal year. We are asking each Committee Chairperson to review their budgets and control any non committed expenses. We also need each Chairperson to review their budgets and forecast the expenses for the year ending Sept 2011.

Two years ago we lost \$11,000 when an auto dealer discontinued his auto raffle. We asked the club to come up with an idea to replace these lost funds. We came up with the Grocery Raffle and replaced the funds. Now we need another idea on how do we replace the revenue lost from Meals on Wheels. Please forward your ideas to our officers and board members.

Now we need to help the Southport Spring Festival. We need Kiwanians to set up and take down the festival, to manage the hot dog booth and to help with the 5K run. Please sign up now and make the Spring Festival a success. **Peg McDonald** and **Roger Magill** will handle the sign ups at the April 7<sup>th</sup> meeting.

March 29, 2011 the Nominating Committee met and put together a list of Kiwanians nominated to run for office and members of the board for the fiscal year 2011-2012. We are looking for additional recommendations from the club. Please contact an officer or board member with your recommendation.

We need more information about those of you who are currently tutoring. Please advise any officer or board member if you are tutoring and what and who you are working with. In addition, we need to know who else would like to tutor and their expertise. We are also looking for a chairperson for the tutoring group. This month we will be inducting four new members, Joe Tursky, Fran Sullivan, Joe Crostic and John Kelliher. Congratulations and welcome to each of you.

**2011 SPRING FESTIVAL**

**April 22, 23**

Southport-Oak Island Kiwanis

**5K Run/Walk**

Support Brunswick County Youth

**Golf Fore Kids** **June 25th**

**Oak Island Golf Club**

**Kiwanis Family Bridge TOURNAMENT**

Sunday, April 10 1:30 to 4:00  
Brunswick Resources Center

**BIG TOY DAY** MAY 21 11-5

**Communities In Schools**  
HELPING KIDS PREPARE FOR LIFE

**Kiwanis Convention 2011**  
Geneva Switzerland  
July 7-10



## Board Of Directors Notes March 10, 2011 - *Barbara Gilhuly*

Requests for donations from the St. James Quilters and the Brunswick County Composite Squadron MER-170 (Civil Air Patrol) were declined

Thank you letters were received from Jake Hunt, Lt. Governor, Division 26, thanking us for our participation in Division affairs and from Secanda Seifred, counselor at Brunswick Early College High School, thanking us for the opportunity for her and Dr. Snyder to speak at our February 17 meeting.

**Bob Eichhorn** and **Denny Marcin** reported that progress is underway for the 2011 golf tournament with a solicitation letter and packet being prepared to be sent out to prospective sponsors. New businesses will be targeted as well as prior sponsors. There is still a need for someone to volunteer to be the auctioneer the day of the event.

At present 28 bridge players have registered for the event and marketing efforts are being targeted especially to the bridge-playing community. Inasmuch as the Senior Center has discarded all of their card tables, there is need for donations of card tables for the April 10 event as well as volunteer(s) to return the tables to the owners.

For the Spring Festival/5K Run plants have been ordered for the plant sale and **Roger Magill** reported that there is still a need for many more volunteers for the various aspects of organizing and managing the Festival and Run.

The second meeting of the Strategic Planning Committee will be held on March 24th at 8:00am at the home of **Chris Page**. **Mike Clune** will send a letter to the membership regarding tutoring/mentoring.

Announcement was made that the Bike Run has been rescheduled for March of 2012.

Kiwanis participation in the "Girls on the Run" program will begin in the fall and a group for boys in the 2<sup>nd</sup> through 6<sup>th</sup> grades is being formed.

**Scott Baldwin** reported that the Wal-Mart grant may be in jeopardy because approval for grants has been moved to the corporate level.

Discussion of the Boys and Girls Home of North Carolina, Inc. was revisited again. An email will be sent to Gary Greene at the Home with a list of specific questions to determine the current status at the Home. It was agreed that we must receive satisfactory response to our questions in order for our Club to determine the level of support by our Club..

Applications for membership submitted by Fran Sullivar (Sponsor: **Barbara Gilhuly**), John Kelliher (Sponsor: **Tom Krieger**), and Joe Crostic (Sponsor: (**Scott Baldwin**) were **APPROVED**.

Persons who sponsor new members will be asked to provide a short bio of the new member to be published in the monthly bulletin.

With regret, the resignation submitted by **George Gunter** was **ACCEPTED**.

The motion to bill dues on an annual basis with the option to pay two (2) times a year was **APPROVED**. There will be no increase in dues for the 2011-2012 Club year.

The following were appointed to the Nominating Committee by President **Mike Clune**: **Pete Erbe, Earl Crotts, Fred Baker, John Kelso, Bill Boozer, Paul Chopko, Dennis O'Connor, Barbara Gilhuly, Larry DeLong** and **Bill Spellman**. The committee will be chaired by Mike Clune. The Nominating Committee will present its report at the April 14 Board of Directors meeting. The annual meeting of the membership will be May 5, 2011.

A motion to form a committee to build a new Kiwanis Club in North Brunswick was **APPROVED**.

Guest, **Doug Harris**, related some comments he had received from the president of Lafayette University regarding scholarship funding. Consideration of scholarship funding on need rather than just academics is an issue that will be considered by the Strategic Planning Committee.

**Dennis O'Connor** presented the ATMC Grant Application and related that the application must be for a specific project.

***Board meetings are held at the Wingate Hotel at 7:30 am the 3rd Thursday and are open to all members.***

***You are invited and encouraged to attend.***



Tuesday, April 19<sup>th</sup> (3rd Tuesday)  
 Tuesday, May 24<sup>th</sup>  
 Tuesday, June 28<sup>th</sup>  
 Tuesday, July 26<sup>th</sup>  
 Tuesday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>

Contact Byron Price

## Teen Court



Thursday, April 21  
 Thursday, May 19

## Peer Court

Contact Fred Baker

### April - May Schedule



4/5 Ken Bastedenbeck & Don Wilson  
 4/7 Ken Bastedenbeck & Jeff Johnston  
 4/12 Bob Moore & Don Wilson  
 4/14 Rick Sessa & Jeff Johnston  
 4/19 Bob Moore & Ken Bastedenbeck  
 4/21 Jeff Johnston & Don Wilson

5/3 Bob Moore & Peg McDonald  
 5/5 Don Wilson & Jeff Johnston  
 5/10 Barbara Gilhuly & Ken Bastedenbeck  
 5/12 Bob Moore & Jeff Johnston  
 5/17 Rick Sessa & Ken Bastedenbeck  
 5/19 Ron Schnappinger & Jeff Johnston  
 5/24 Rick Sessa & Bob Moore  
 5/26 Don Wilson & Ken Bastedenbeck



Fran Sullivar

Fran Sullivar sponsored by Barbara Gilhuly

John Keillher sponsored by Tom Krieger

Joe Crostic sponsored by Scott Baldwin

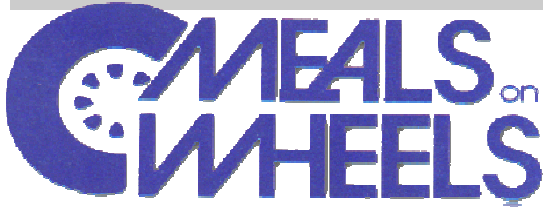
Fran currently enjoys part time residency in Brooklyn and St James with her husband, John Brennan. She retired in 2004 after a varied career in the public, not for profit and private sectors with the common thread of social service to undereducated and underemployed populations. Family and friendship ties remain top priority for John and Fran and that's what keeps them maintaining two residences. While at St. James they get to see their children and grandchildren who live in the Carolinas as well as to develop some competence at golf and tennis. Fran is happy to join the Kiwanis Club as it affords her the opportunity to work along with other members to make a contribution to the youth of Brunswick County.

#### John Keillher

A native of Pittsfield, Massachusetts, John and Pamela relocated to St. James in April 2010. John, an electrical engineer, also obtained his MBA in Corporate Finance and Advanced Professional Certificate in Accounting. He worked for Becton Dickinson Co. for 35 years and retired as VP of Worldwide Operations for the Consumer Division. In 2006 he was certified as a Financial Planner.. His hobbies include finance, travel and now golf.

#### Joseph Crostic

Joe spent his life in Baltimore, Md. before moving to St. James in January 2010 with his bride of 32 years, Carleen. Joe, who is a licensed CPA in Maryland, Pennsylvania, Virginia, and DC, retired in 2009 from KPMG LLP as a Partner in both the Audit and Advisory practices.. He specialized in Health Care, Not-for-Profits, and Government Services. Carleen and Joe have 3 grown children.



## New Changes for MOW and Kiwanis

Chris Page

For many years, the Southport-Oak Island Kiwanis Club has partnered with Brunswick Senior Resources, Inc. (BSRI) to deliver hot meals to the homebound in Southport, Boiling Spring Lakes and Oak Island through the Meals on Wheels program. Kiwanis members donated the mileage reimbursement paid by BSRI directly to the club, which was used primarily for scholarships to the youth in Brunswick County. Recently, BSRI has fallen upon a difficult financial situation which jeopardized the meal home delivery program. In response, club members have volunteered to deliver the meals without reimbursement until such time as the financial situation at BSRI improves.

While the economic impact to the club is substantial, and hopefully short lived, the generosity of the member drivers and the club will allow the homebound to continue receiving their meals as always. As Chris Page, the chairman of the Meal on Wheels program has stated, "We are true partners with BSRI, and as such will do what we can to help our partner through a difficult time. And most importantly, we will still be able to ensure that the homebound get hot nutritious meals every day of the week." Chris wants to particularly thank those drivers who are giving their time and gas expense to keep the program running.

It is our hope that within a few months, the mileage reimbursement will be reinstated, though most likely at a lower rate than previously received. Even at the anticipated lower rate, however, the revenue from the donated mileage reimbursement will still be a substantial contribution to the club's revenue.

# HELP WANTED



**Pickup Truck  
With a 2 inch  
ball to haul flowers**

### Pre-school reader needed - good news bad news.

Good news - We have an opening for a new reader.  
Bad news - It is in Leland; Kids World Academy II  
If you are interested, please contact **Jim Nelson**.

**Many of you have signed up to help in various ways at Spring Festival but there are still a number of holes in the schedule. We still need the following:**

- Plant Sales** 15 (Friday and Saturday)
- Hot Dogs** 15 (Friday 2 to 5 pm and Saturday 2 to 5 pm)
- Set Up** 8 (Thursday from 9 to 11 am)
- Clean Up** 8 (Saturday fro 4 to 5 pm)

### Plant Sale Volunteers Needed

**Tom Pezanowski** still need volunteers to help with sales at:  
St. James on April 2  
Winding River on April 9  
Food Lion on April 17  
St. James Flee Market on April 30

### Future Generations Tournament at St. James Plantation Saturday, June 11, 2011

Dear Volunteers and Parents of TFTBC:

Project Campus construction at Cinghiale Creek is in full swing on the Tom Watson Design nine-acre teaching and practice facility, and the North Carolina Life Skills and Leadership Academy (11,000 square foot in-residence facility).

We are having a Future Generations Golf Tournament at St. James Golf Plantation using all 81 holes with 576 participants!

Please consider participating with a foursome at a cost of \$380 (\$95 per player). Registration is on a first come, first served basis.

You may register online at [Future Generations Tournament](http://FutureGenerationsTournament.com). If you have questions please email **Beth Coffey** at [www.volunteers@thefirstteebrunswickcounty.org](mailto:www.volunteers@thefirstteebrunswickcounty.org) or call her at 910-754-5288.



**Past Presidents**

Gloria Talley	1993-1994
Peter Wyckoff	1994-1995
Carolyn McTague	1995-1997
Willie Gore	1997-1998
Tom Tewey	1998-2000
George Gunter	2000-2001
Pete Erbe	2001-2002
Earl Crofts	2002-2003
Lou Orlando	2003-2004
Dick Stover	2004-2005
Fred Baker	2005-2006
John Kelso	2006-2007
Bill Boozer	2007-2008
Paul Chopko	2008-2009
Dennis O'Connor	2009-2010

**Submissions for May must be received NLT  
April 25 to [sherrill2@ec.rr.com](mailto:sherrill2@ec.rr.com)**

**2010-11 OFFICERS DIRECTORS**

President	Mike Clune	Jeff Johnston (11)
Pres Elect.	Greg McDonald	Roger Magill (11)
Past Pres.	Dennis O'Connor	Peg McDonald (12)
Secretary	Barbara Gilhuly	Chris Page (12)
Treasurer	Larry DeLong	Ken Bastedenbeck (12)
Vice Pres.	Scott Baldwin	

**Key Club South Brunswick High School**

(2010-2011)

President	Kalani Doyle
Vice President	Hailey Tippett
Advisor	Michaela Birdyshaw
Advisor	Melissa Warren



**Builders Club South Brunswick Middle School**

(2010-2011)

6th Grade	Cassidy Barker
7th Grade	Austin Harilee - Jennifer Ramos
8th Grade	Bailey Aldridge, Kelly Adams, Martha Banks
Advisor	Michele Rau
Advisor	Beth Simmons



**Key Club North Brunswick High School**

(2010-2011)

President	Michael LaBron
Vice President	Matt Knox
Treasurer	
Secretary	
Advisors	Leigh Robertson



**COMMITTEE CHAIRPERSONS 2010-2011**

Activities	Scott Baldwin	Key Clubs	Jeff Johnston Greg McDonald Ken Bastedenbeck
Administrative	Greg McDonald	K-Kids	Ethan Van Eck Barbara Voss
BCA Careers	Pete Erbe	Listening Post	Ken Bastedenbeck
Boys and Girls Club	Max Van Voorst	Meals on Wheels	Chris Page
Boys & Girls Home	Peter Berg	Member Welfare	Bob Boggs
Builders Club	Nick Mastorides John McIntyre Joe Day	Membership	Bill Meiners
Bulletin/Website	John Sherrill	Peer Court	Fred Baker Tom Krieger
Chamber of Commerce	Pete Erbe	Priority One	Jim Nelson
Charter Dinner	Greg McDonald	Safety Coordinator	Mike Clune
Finance	Larry DeLong Bill Spellman	Scholarships Youth Leadership HOBY, ROTC, B&G State	Barry Ryan Joe Day Rick Sessa
First Tee	Barry Ryan Dick Erickson	Song Leader	Jim Nelson
Golf Tournament	Denny Marcin Bob Eichhorn	Spring Festival	Roger Magill
Historian	Doug Harris	Teen Court	Byron Price
Interclub	Max Van Voorst	Terrific Kids	Bill Weiland
Grocery Raffle	Bill Allen Barbara Gilhuly	Tutoring	Don Collins

**BIRTHDAYS**

Dianne Schnappinger	1	Barbara Gilhuly	10
Joyce Bennett	7	Ethan Van Eck	15
Carolyn Chopko	7	John McIntyre	17
Carl Bennett	9	Denny Marcin	24
Barbara Boozer	9	Bill Crusey	25
Mary Jo Klinger	9	Ed Klinger	25

**ANNIVERSARIES**

Martha and Ralph Reiser	17
Cheryl and Tom Dowd	30



**If you had purchased \$1,000 of shares in Delta Airlines one year ago, you would have \$49.00 today!**

**If you had purchased \$1,000 of shares in AIG one year ago, you would have \$33.00 today.**

**If you had purchased \$1,000 of shares in Lehman Brothers one year ago, you would have \$0.00 today.**

**But, if you had purchased \$1,000 worth of beer one year ago, drank all the beer, then turned in the aluminum cans for recycling refund, you would have received \$214.00.**

**Based on the above, the best current investment plan is to drink heavily & recycle. It is called the 401-Keg.**

**A recent study found that the average American walks about 900 miles a year. Another study found that Americans drink, on average, 22 gallons of alcohol a year. That means that, on average, Americans get about 41 miles to the gallon!**

**Makes you proud to be an American**