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Theme for 2007-2008**



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ALPINE KIWANIS HISTORY

Alpine Kiwanis was organized February 26, 1968 and Chartered May 15, 1968. There were 32 members when organized; and 53 members when chartered.

Elmore V. Knaack was I-I District Governor.

“When there is a need in a community for the programs of service available through Kiwanis, there is also a need for courage, desire and hard work. Once this has been heard and a club has been formed, there is a continued need for dedication and enthusiasm. All of these ingredients have been used in the formation of the new Kiwanis Club of Alpine, and with the dedication and enthusiasm already displayed, this new club will be a great asset to the Illinois-Eastern Iowa District of Kiwanis International.”

Howard G. Smith was our Division Lt. Governor.

“God created man in His image and in so doing, dedicated life to the service of God’s kingdom and the brotherhood of man.” These simple, but profound words tell an immortal story of the men who wear the “K.” The ideals and principles of Kiwanis – these become a way of life – and the path of service we have chosen to fulfill our mortal days – walking side by side with men of all faiths and races. The heart of Kiwanis service becomes the key to God’s kingdom and everlasting life.

Alpine Rockford
Kiwanis meets –

WEEKLY:
THURSDAYS
7:10 a.m.
HOFFMAN HOUSE
(eat at 6:45 a.m.)

MONTHLY:
LAST THURSDAY
6 p.m.
THUNDER BAY
GRILL

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

April 10 Iran – Joe Etminan
April 17 Senior Health Care – Dr. Heerens
April 24 Swedish Society – Randy Larson

BIRTHDAYS

Name	April	Name	May
Bob Baker	1	Everette Johnson	12
Doug Herriott	1	Gil Dohlen	17
Cheryl Rogers	6	Dom Mencarini	17
Arlene Henderson	14	Steve Albers	19
Wayne Perrett	17	Eric Meyer	21
Jeanne Sullivan	26	Chris Anderson	22
Jeff Walton	30	Dana Kraus	25
		Michael Simmons	27
		Loren Johnson	29

ANNIVERSARIES

Name	April	Name	May
Marge Hamburg	8	Thomas Anderson	23
Douglas Herriott	26	John McCue	24
Keith Kelsey-Powell	29	Ralf Jansson	25
Cheryl Rogers	29	Larry Hedberg	26
		David Gomel	27

Greeters

April
 10 Harry Palm Bob Connor
 17 Judith Phillips Maleeah Cuevas
 24 Ted Plum Bruce Dearborn

May
 1 Kanwal Prashar Gil Dohlen
 8 Dick Reinhardt Fred Ellenberger

Word of the Day / Invocator

April
 10 Bob Stadtmueller Keith Kelsey-Powell
 17 Verla Sterett Dana Kraus
 24 Ward Sterett Chuck Lantz

May
 1 Jeanne Sullivan Randy Larson
 8 Kathy Taylor Del Lewis

WHAT IS CHILDREN'S MIRACLE NETWORK?

Skilled pediatric professionals armed with evolving treatments and expensive tools work to save more than 14 million children annually from life-threatening injuries, birth defects, cancer, and numerous other ailments. In order to afford treatment, children's hospitals require funding. Children's Miracle Network (CMN) is a nonprofit organization that raises money to benefit hospitalized kids and increases awareness of its member hospitals. All CMN contributions directly benefit hospitals, helping to purchase up-to-date equipment, train staff, conduct life-saving research, implement outreach programs and provide healthcare for children whose parents can't afford to pay. Kiwanis International and Kiwanis Key Clubs are two of many sponsors.

<http://www.keyclub.org/service/mep5.asp>

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WORD OF THE DAY

Mar. 6 – Dick Reinhart

We do not inherit the earth from our parents. We borrow it from our children. – *Native saying*

Wisdom is the reward you get for a lifetime of listening when you would rather have talked.
– *Mark Twain*

Mar. 13 – Cheryl Rogers

Millions long for immortality when they don't even know what to do with themselves on a rainy Sunday afternoon.

Mar. 20 – Les Ross

Life is like a roll of toilet paper. The closer you get to the end, the faster it goes.

Mar. 27 – Nancy Sanders

A narrow mind and a fat head invariably come on the same person. – *Zig Ziglar*

AIM HIGH

During the month of April, Jews all over the world will celebrate the holiday of Passover. During the meal, we retell the story of the Exodus from Egyptian slavery. One of the moments of great tension in the story is at the shore of the Red Sea. The newly freed Israelites are at the edge of the sea and the Egyptian army is close behind in pursuit. Needless to say, it looked like they were in a pretty tight spot. The Israelites were all crying out to God and God told them to go forward into the sea. Jewish tradition tells that it was one man, Nakhshon, who was brave enough to follow God's direction and it was because of his devotion that the sea split, allowing the Israelites to cross on dry land. What do we do when we're in a "tight spot?" Do we stand still and panic? Or do we, like Nakhshon, take courage and move forward? Hopefully, we can all try and be more like Nakhshon and take action!

Aim High,
Binah Wing

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