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Senator Ben Westland Speaks to Club



State Senator **Ben Westland** addressed the club on the wins and loses of the last legislative session. Some of the items that were a benefit to our area were:

A tort reform bill for volunteers, retired physicians and clinics. This reduces the liability of the many people who help out in the health field.

A Veterans Center was established in a firehouse in Bend for the many veterans in our area.

A mental health bill was passed

that will actually lower medical costs.

A jobs bill went through to benefit a firm in Albany to reduce an inspection process and keep the manufacturing plant in Oregon.

Civil forfeiture was clarified and the state can no longer confiscate property in criminal cases without a conviction and due process.

Senator Westland described some of the serious partisanship that hampered the legislative process in the last session. He also commented on the difficulties with measure 37 that were written in to the original initiative.

The Senator expressed his support for "open primaries" as a way to reduce the rigid partisanship now existent in the Legislature.

The mission of Sisters Kiwanis is "**Service to the community with an emphasis on youth.**"

COMMITTEE PROJECT

Chairperson

2005-2006 Committees

CLUB MEETINGS & ADMIN.

Programs
Inter-Clubs
Socials
Fine Master
Historian
Audits
Nominations
Archivist
Safety Director
Long Range Planning
Kiwanis House
Policies & Procedures

COMMUNITY PROJECTS

Food Bank
Christmas Food Share
Adopt-A-Highway
Blood Drives
Quilt Show
Memorial Benches
Emergency Assistance
Trash Cans
City Entrance Sign
Cell Phone Collection
Cliff Clemens Park
Wood Cutting

PUBLIC RELATIONS

Siskiwan
Publicity
Everyday Hero Award
Calendar of Events

YOUNG CHILDREN PRIORITY ONE

Healthy Beginnings
Head Start
New Books - Ages 0-5

FUND-RAISERS

Golf Tournament
Kiwanis Kitchen
Rodeo Breakfast
See's Candy Sales
Ray's Receipts
Harvest Fair-Kiwanis Kitchen

YOUTH SERVICES

SOAR
Scholarships
Readers Programs - SMART
High School Senior Party
Scouts, Campfire

MEMBERSHIP

Greeters
Orientation
Induction of New Members
Badges
Retention
Membership Database

SPONSORED ORGS. AND PROGS.

Key Club

JT Taylor
Cal Allen
Jean O'Hara
Barb Johnson/Katie Powers
Rotates

Warren Seaward

Bill Dakin

Jack Lepper

Warren Seaward

Mike Robillard

Jeff McDonald

Glenn Keeran

Tim Comfort

Suzie Ramsey

Glenn Keeran

Barb Johnson/Linda Bafford

Linda Bafford/Glenn Keeran

Naomi Rowe/Shirley Miller

Katie Powers/Bob Grooney

Ray Powers

Tom Fish

Ray Powers/JT Taylor

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Glenn Keeran

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Chuck Kuzminski

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Katie Powers

Jean O'Hara

Naomi Rowe

Barb Johnson

Glenn Keeran

Bill Duehren-Jeff McDonald

Katie Powers

Jim Smith

JT Taylor/Jack McGilvary

Elayne Clarke

Katie Powers

Travis Browning

Travis Browning

Jeff McDonald

Jean O'Hara

Jeff McDonald

Ray Powers

Linda Bafford

Linda Bafford

Glen Keeran

JT Taylor

Tom Worcester

Tom Worcester

Jack McGilvary

Jim Smith/Ray Powers

Ray Powers/Suzie Ramsey

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

November 4	Glenn Keeran
November 13	Jeanne Nolander
November 21	Roy Anderson
November 27	Carole Davis
November 28	Chuck Kuzminski
December 3	Rick Murray
December 11	Saf Canja

HAPPY ANNIVERSARY

November 11	Don Watson
November 14	Peter Storton
November 24	J.T. Taylor
November 27	Dave Clemens
November 27	Suzy Ramsey
December 3	Naomi Rowe

Speakers we have heard:

Jack Katz presented the Cobra program (Battering, Rape and Assault Prevention) that will be in place in the county soon. He said the community often doesn't want to believe that abuse goes on. Cobra will bring in a former NFL player to make three presentations in the Sisters schools. The goal is to have men take responsibility or the violence that often goes on.

Gary Fish, from Deschutes Brewery, told the club about the history of Micro Breweries that have grown immensely over the last several years.

Gary also told of the history of beer making, which goes back many thousands of years. The Micro Brewery business has grown very rapidly in Portland With 28 breweries, Portland has the most of any city in the world.

Don Pray, of the Deschutes County Sheriff's Department, described the School Resource Officer program. Pray has moved from the Bend / Pine school district to Sisters. Previously he had been in retail management and drug enforcement. His job is to provide visible, law enforcement in the schools, be a resource in the educational program and promote safety. He goes to great effort to relate to the students on the campuses.

Items of interest from the Board of Directors

The Key Club will meet second and fourth Tuesday and the Key Club board will meet first and third Tuesday at 11:55 am.

Nellie Zooks bench will be built and placed in the Elementary school garden plot.

A new budget was adopted for both the Foundation and regular accounts.

President **Robertson** says there is \$11-12 K available for distribution to projects.

A volunteer sign up schedule for projects will be printed in the Siskiwan.

A committee will be formed to decide



President **Robertson** welcomes **Dave Roberts** to the Club.

The **Kiwanis Board Meeting** is 4:30 on the last Wednesday of the month at the Fire Station. (All members are invited.)

Inter Club Opportunities

Bend Noon Club
 Mon., Noon:
JJ Norths.
Burns-Hines Club
 Thurs., Noon:
Old Camp Event Ctr.
John Day Club
 Wed., Noon:
The Outpost.
Madras Club Thurs
 Noon: *Mazatlan*
Restaurant
Prineville Club
 Thurs., Noon: *Golf*
Club.
Redmond Club
 Wed., Noon:
Sully's Restaurant , 5th
and Cascade
Sisters Club
 Thurs., 7:30 AM:
Fire Station.

Meetings Schedule:

Nov. 10 **Dr. Carla Smith** and **Dr. Anil Shrestha** of Nepal on "New Orthopedic Techniques for Developing Countries." This is a Kiwanis International sponsored project.
 Nov. 17 **Cal Allen** on Mongolia.
 Nov. 24 Thanksgiving.
 Dec. 1 President's meeting.
 Dec. 8 **Ted Lyster** "Painting Pictures with Words."
 Dec. 15 TBA.
 Dec. 22 **May Fan** has volunteered to arrange music for our program.
 Dec. 29 TBA.

The Objectives of Kiwanis

- 🍏 To give primacy to the human and spiritual rather than to the material values of life.
- 🍏 To encourage the daily living of the Golden Rule in all human relationships.
- 🍏 To promote the adoption and the application of higher social, business, and professional standards.
- 🍏 To develop, by precepts and example, a more intelligent, aggressive, and serviceable citizenship.
- 🍏 To provide, through Kiwanis clubs, a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service, and to build better communities.
- 🍏 To cooperate in creating and maintaining that sound public opinion and high idealism which make possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism, and good will.



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