



PNW Dist. Division 28 News

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Meeting Date: *March 15, 2017*

Host Club: **Mercer Island**

Final Edition

Location: [Gibson Hall, 105 Newport Way SW, Issaquah WA](#)



Craig Doty
Division 28
Lt. Governor



General Meeting Notes:

- Lt. Gov. Craig Doty at 7:00 PM called on Past Pres. Harry Dingwall from the Mercer Island Club (host) to open the meeting and lead the songs and pledge.
- Carol Mahoney, from the Mercer Island Club, gave an Irish Prayer as the invocation. Carol also displayed the walking stick she got from Mark Rabout, President of the Kiwanis Children's Fund, for meeting the challenge for funds raised for the Children's Foundation in 2015-16. PNWD needs to raise or collect \$50,000 to reach our total amount pledged to the Eliminate program.
- Craig recognized the Past Lt. Governors in attendance; Matt Gregory, Ferrin Lauve, Ken Ormiston, Harry Dingwall, and Carol Mahoney.
- Craig went over some of the main highlights of the Region 4 Conference that was held in Tacoma last Saturday (see attendance under Announcements):
 - Carol was given the Governor's award for Division 28 by Ron Myers.
 - Ron Myers talked passionately about our Service Leadership programs.
 - Craig thought the suggestions for each Club to have a Facebook account and a Signature project were particularly appropriate.
 - The Recruiting and Retention of Members sheet was given to all clubs.

Region 4 Conference was hosted by Renton and Sequim-Dungeness Clubs and was attended by these Div. 28 clubs: Bellevue – Carol Mahoney; Issaquah - Jerri Tolsted and Harry Dingwall; Kirkland – Mark Tillman and Matt Gregory; Kirkland Sunrisers – Carol Mahoney; Mercer Island – Carol Mahoney and Harry Dingwall; Providence Point – Craig Doty, Rex Smith, Ferrin Lauve, Janis Hong, John Garow, and Jane Scheiber; and Redmond – Ferrin Lauve.



Evening Program:

Past Lt. Gov. Div. 22 Jim Garcia of the Kiwanis Children's Cancer Program was introduced and gave an inspiring Power Point presentation. He pointed out that cancer is the #1 disease killing children. A child is diagnosed with cancer every 30 minutes in this country, the average age of diagnosis is 6 and the average age of death is 8. The Children's Hospital in Seattle has been in the top 10 of hospitals treating children's cancer year after year. The vision of KCCP is to have a world free of childhood cancer. He suggested that Division 28 set a yearly goal of \$9,000 to go to KCCP/Seattle Children's Hospital which is about \$25/member. We can do this by 1) Passing a contribution can at meetings 2) Select a Club Chair 3) Set a line item in your budget and 4) Create a Club Team to compete with other clubs.

Club Reports:

Bellevue - They will be participating in HopeFest on 3/25 from 11:30 to 3 PM at Highland Community Center and then in the evening with Casino night in the same location for Texas Hold'Em, Blackjack and eat for \$65/person or \$120/couple. There will be a Kiwanis Day at Aqua Sox game in Everett on Sunday, 7/30/17.

Crossroads - The Club is continuing to prepare the breakfast for the kids at Jubilee Reach on the 2nd Monday of the Month. We are planning a Fund Raiser with a Speaker and a silent auction.

Issaquah - The Issaquah Kiwanis Club will be doing the Boots, Barrels and Brews event this year, after all, at Pickering Barn on Friday night from 6:30 to 10:30 PM on May 12th. There will be food, line dancing and a raffle. The Whiskey Girls from Fall City will be teaching us how to line dance. Tickets are \$35 each prepaid and \$45 at the door. The Club will prepare Kiwanis Trauma Dolls on Wednesday, May 22nd from 5:30 to 8 PM in Gibson Hall. We continue to provide food from the grocery stores to the Issaquah Food Bank on a weekly basis.

Issaquah Valley - The club participated in the IHOP all day Pancake Day from 6 AM to closing on Tuesday, March 7th and gave a check to Children's Hospital in Seattle. The club continues to make a weekly Food Bank run and to volunteer at Compassion House. They are planning for a Spring Fund Drive.

Kirkland - The Club prepared 950 sandwiches for the Special Olympics. Our Key Clubs are providing delegates to DCON in Portland this year. Chuck Fitch, longtime member, who was the BBQ and Salmon Master of the club passed away on February 16th right after our last Division Council meeting. The Club is gearing up for their Special Olympics Annual Easter Egg Hunt.

Kirkland Sunrisers - The second annual Kentucky Derby event will be held on Saturday, May 6th from 1 to 4 PM at a local venue with food and a raffle. This month the club gave away 2000 books to 5 elementary schools and got a tour of 3 of the kindergarten classrooms and communicated with the kids about Kiwanis.

Mercer Island - They are continuing to build the second K-Kids and a Builders Club program. They donated \$200 to the Children's Miracle network at IHOPP.

Newcastle - *Ferrin needs one more applicant to apply so they will be at 15 members so then can charter the new club!*

Northshore/Bothell - Reported by email that they have a new Circle K club whose charter night is March 29th from 5:30 to 6:30 at the UW Bothell campus; UW building 2 room 41.

Providence Point - We had several Interclubs this month. Six of us Attended the Region 4 Conference. Our Annual Pancake Breakfast will be held Saturday, April 8th in Collin Hall. It will consist of pancakes and ham. Adults are \$5, elementary school children are \$3 and preschool are free.

Redmond - They prepared and served monthly meals for Jubilee Reach, Friends of Youth at the Landing, Avondale Park. So far in March we added another five new members and are still following up prospects from our membership meeting on March 10th.

Sammamish - Nicky Beedle announced the Sammamish JUMPIN JIVE TO THRIVE event raised \$11,025. The Sammamish Club earned \$5,861 and the Redmond Kiwanis earned \$586. The 14 other Non-Profit Partners earned \$5,900 this year.

Snoqualmie Valley - They have added an evening meeting and added new members as a result. We are working with 6th graders on their essays. We will have a Fireworks stand in North Bend and in Fall City. We will be renting a new facility after June. We are selling 80% of the high-end clothing booty we get from the police.

Announcements:

1. 2017-18 Lt. Governor Training will be held at Camp Magruder in Oregon June 1st – June 4th, 2017.
2. CLE will be held in Tacoma at Tacoma Community College on Saturday, June 24th from 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM. Breakfast and Lunch will be served. Cost to register is \$35 each.
3. Teen Job Shadowing will be held from July 10th to July 23rd. This is a good opportunity to get Key Clubbers some exposure to the work world. More details from Dan Vach of the Redmond Club.
4. The 100th PNW District Convention will be held in Kennewick from August 24th – 27th. Plan to go to get the maximum # of votes to elect Matt Gregory, District Governor Elect. Only elected club delegates (3 per club) and delegates-at-large (past Lt. Gov's) that are registered for and attend in person at the convention can vote.

Meeting Attendance: * = members of more than one club

Club	#	Club	#
Bellevue	2	Newcastle	NA
Crossroads	0	Northshore Bothell	0
Issaquah	4	Providence Point	4
Issaquah Valley	3	Redmond	6
Kirkland	4	Sammamish	2
Kirkland Sunrisers	2	Snoqualmie Valley	2
Mercer Island	3	Guests	2

Bellevue – Heaton Wrenn, Carol Mahoney*

Crossroads – None

Issaquah – Jeri Tolstedt, Ruben Nieto, Harry Dingwall*

Issaquah Valley – Jim Seiber, John Williams, Tom Megow & Gil Drynan

Kirkland – Mark Tillman, Matt Gregory, Bill Ward, Rod Graham

Kirkland Sunrisers – Carol Mahoney, David Sherman*

Mercer Island – Harry Dingwall, Bunny Rogers, Carol Mahoney*

Newcastle – (Not yet formed)

Northshore Bothell – None

Providence Point – Rex Smith, Craig Doty, Nancy & Ferrin Lauve

Redmond – Pat Vache, Byron Schutz, Ken Ormiston, Dan Vache, David Sherman and Ferrin Lauve*

Sammamish – Nicky Beedle, Wareen Huckabay

Snoqualmie Valley – Marie Jackson, John Jackson

Guests – Tillicum Snohomish Club - Jim Garcia, Cathie Mullins

Future Host Clubs and Programs for Division Council Meetings:

4/19/2017 - Issaquah Valley – Megan Adams, Village Theatre Kids Stage

5/17/2017 - Redmond -

6/21/2017 - Kirkland Sunrisers -

7/19/2017 - Providence Point - Matt Gregory's Campaign at District Convention

8/16/2017 - No Meeting – PNW District Meeting

9/20/2017 - Kirkland – PNW District Convention Report