

# KIWANIS CLUB OF MERCER ISLAND

## **YOUR INVITATION:**

If you are interested in local community service, in meeting-up, in knowing more about our club and having fun with people like us, we welcome your visit to a club meeting, social gathering, and/or service project.

## **OUR CLUB:**

The [Kiwaniis Club of Mercer Island, Inc.](#) was chartered on October 1960 and organized as a Washington State 501c4 nonprofit corporation in December of that year (2430 76TH Avenue SE, Mercer Island, WA 98040, UBI #601092930). The club is in Division 28 - [pnwdivision28.kiwanis.org](http://pnwdivision28.kiwanis.org), of the Pacific Northwest District - [kiwanispnw.org](http://kiwanispnw.org), of Kiwanis International - [kiwanis.org/kiwanis](http://kiwanis.org/kiwanis).

## **MANY PROJECTS:**

At Independence Day time and other holiday weeks, the club puts up United States Flags at local businesses who subscribe annually to this service project and fundraiser.

Our club annually sells Fourth of July legal “safe and sane” fireworks in conjunction with other organizations to monetarily support local community needs like the Mercer Island Boys and Girls Club, [positiveplace.org/locations/mercerisland/Pages/home.aspx](http://positiveplace.org/locations/mercerisland/Pages/home.aspx). We also monetarily support Mercer Island Youth and Family Services - [miyfs.org](http://miyfs.org), Special Olympics - [mispecialolympics.org/](http://mispecialolympics.org/), Matthew House in Monroe, WA - [matthewhousemonroe.org](http://matthewhousemonroe.org), and much more.

Through the years we do “hands on” service projects. These include such things as painting the local Youth and Family Services second-hand store, clean-up the I-90 freeway lid park, help widows’ with yard-work, etc. Once a year we collect goods and cash for Eastside Baby Corner, [eastsidebabycorner.wordpress.com/](http://eastsidebabycorner.wordpress.com/), at a local grocery store.

## **FOUNDATIONS SUPPORTED:**

The club supports the Pacific Northwest Kiwanis Foundation <http://www.pnwkiwanisfoundation.org> and the Kiwanis Children’s Cancer Program (KCCP) <http://www.kiwanis-kccp.org> that funds three fellowships, one each at children’s hospital’s in OR, WA and BC. In other years, the club supported the Kiwanis Children’s Fund (formerly KIF), <http://www2.kiwanis.org/childrensfund>, “IDD - Iodine Deficiency Disorder” and other efforts. The club has long supported the “Eliminate Project”, <http://sites.kiwanis.org/Kiwanis/en/theELIMINATEproject/home.aspx>, for the elimination of maternal neonatal tetanus in countries where the problem exists.

## **CLUB SPONSORS:**

One of our most important functions of the Mercer Island Kiwanis Club is the sponsorship of the Kiwanis Service Leadership Program – Key Club, please see [keyclub.org](http://keyclub.org): and Mercer Island High School Key Club, [facebook.com/groups/140714272665965](https://facebook.com/groups/140714272665965). In concert with this we very often grant scholarships to newly matriculated Mercer Island H.S. college bound graduates.



## **We Meet:**

1<sup>ST</sup> AND 3<sup>RD</sup>  
Tuesdays Noon @



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