



Kiwanis Club of Poquoson

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Coach Duty Talks Poquoson Football

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Happy Dollars: BKukich (Picture in newsletter), RNeff (Fishing Clinic), COwens (Concert), REvans (Mission Trip), MBarr (Grandson/Golfing), Ptwaney (Bob Kukich, filling in)

Birthdays This Week: DEagle (2 Aug), LSVhila (5 Aug)

Anniversaries: Terry & Jenny Johnson (43 yrs)

50/50: 22 Cards in the deck with \$717 in the pot, Walt Burns pulled the 3 of Diamonds.



Welcome: President Philip Tawney welcomed members. Graham Wilson led us in the Pledge of Allegiance and Charlie Harris and Ray Vernall led us in Singing America. Terry Johnson gave thanks for the meal provided by Poquoson Diner.

Introduction of Guests: Guest speaker, Elliott Duty, Coach of the Poquoson Football Team.

Announcements:

- ◆ August 16 last day of the Summer Reading Program at the Poquoson Library, we will be cooking hot dogs for all the participants.
- ◆ PEF announced signups have begun for registrations and sponsors for the “Running of The Bulls” scheduled for Saturday, 28 Oct.
- ◆ August 24th is the Pool Party at George and Peggy Hawes, sign up sheets will be going around starting next week. Sign up and bring a covered dish
- ◆ The attendees at the KI Convention in Paris elected Daniel Vigneron, from Luxembourg to be the next KI International Vice President.
- ◆ The KI International attendees also approved a Board Proposal to allow only KI approved background checks instead of allowing districts to do their own. Attendees also rejected an amendment that would allow members to join more than one club and only pay Intl and District Dues once. Also the attendees rejected an amendment that would allow clubs who could not attend the KI Conventions to vote using securing online balloting.

Spiritual Aims: Cathy Hardenbrook is recovering from a stroke and Deborah Metcalf will be undergoing cataract surgery in both eyes.

Guest Speaker: Aug 8. Business Mtg



Head Football Coach for Poquoson HS spoke to the general membership this morning about his background, some history of the Poquoson Teams, and what he sees for this upcoming season. Coach Duty was born and raised in Poquoson, attended VT, and then to Poquoson to teach in 2002. He’s been coaching football for Poquoson for 22 years, the first couple years as the JV coach and the remaining as the Varsity Coach. He has 11 assistant coaches (7 on Varsity and 4 on JV) who are all graduates from Poquoson HS. He has 7 offensive starters from last year returning and expects to change his approach to play calling due to increased abilities of some of his players. His linebacker corps, safeties, and corners, are going to be the strength of his defense as his returning starters have all increased their size and strength. A couple new students to Poquoson have added some increased size to his defensive line. Coach Duty is optimistic about this year’s team and invites us all to come watch and support.



Club Leadership

Club Officers:

President: Philip Tawney
 President Elect: Robert Kukich
 Vice President: Jean Eddy
 Immediate Past President: Rick Neff
 Treasurer: Robert Maloney
 Club Secretary: Donald Taylor

Committee Chairpersons:

Membership: Terry Johnson
 Community Service: Cyndi & Steve Yakshe
 Social Committee: George Hawes

Committee Chairpersons "Continued"

Spiritual Aims: Rex Evans/Jack Moran
 Public Affairs: Joseph Discenza
 Historian: George Elefteriou
 Satellite Club Representative: Bob Lewis
 Special Projects/BBQ: Cornell Owens
 Young Children Priority One: Susan Wilhelm

Service Leaders

Key Club: Pat Garvey
 Builder's Club: Earl Dashiell/Doug Gallae
 "K" Kids: Ann Wilson/Rick Neff

Membership:

Active: 131

On Leave: 5

Senior Lvl: 2

Community Service Projects

The following Community Service Projects are on-going activities we participate in:

1. Peninsula Med-Tran Drivers
2. Adopt-A-Spot on Wythe Creek Road / Main Street Poquoson
3. U.S. Flag Detail on patriotic days and special observances
4. Food bank Volunteers
5. Serving BBQ to our Veterans at the Hampton, VA
6. Service Leadership Advisors (High School, Middle School, Primary School)
7. United Services Organization (USO)
8. Empty Stocking Program



Fundraisers

We have several major fundraisers each year enabling us to support the community and children's needs locally, regionally, and internationally.

1. Christine Garvey Memorial Soccer Tournament (held 2nd week in March)
2. Boating & Fishing Flea Market (held in early March)
3. Famous Spring Poquoson Kiwanis Pig Roast (held 3rd week of May)
4. Poquoson Kiwanis Pulled Pork (Bulk Sales, held 2nd week in Jun)
5. Poquoson Seafood Festival Pork BBQ (held 3rd weekend in Oct)
6. Running of The Bulls; 5k Run (held last Saturday in Oct)



Primary Beneficiaries

Most of our funds raised goes directly back to the Poquoson Community and to local agencies providing services to the residents of Poquoson. Our focus is Community & Children. The following list is representative of our annual beneficiaries:

- Poquoson Schools
- Poquoson Education Foundation
- New Teachers/Service Leadership Advisors
- Poquoson Library
- Peninsula Food Bank (Poquoson Mobile Pantry)
- Lackey Free Clinic
- V.A. Hospital
- Beyond Boobs
- EDMARC/Children's Hospice
- Kiwanis International for "The Eliminate Project"

Objects of Kiwanis



The six permanent Objects of Kiwanis International were approved by Kiwanis Club delegates at the 1924 Kiwanis International convention in Denver, Colorado. Through the decades they have remained unchanged.

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

Meeting Times & Places

Weekly Meetings, Tuesday morning: 0730-0830 am, Tabernacle Methodist Church, 831 Poquoson Ave, Poquoson, VA

Monthly Meetings, The Club Satellite meets monthly at Anna's Pizza on Wythe Creek. Next is Aug 24th, Pool Party

Mailing Address: Kiwanis Club of Poquoson, Box 2026, Poquoson, VA 23662

Upcoming Events

- ◆ Aug 7th, 7:00 pm, Board Meeting, Poquoson Library
- ◆ Aug 8th, 7:30 am, General Membership Meeting (Business Meeting)
- ◆ Aug 15th, 7:30 am, General Membership Meeting (Presentation of 2018 Budget)
- ◆ August 16, Cooking Hot Dogs for end of the Summer Reading Program at the Poquoson Library
- ◆ August 24, Pool Party/ Cookout at George & Peggy Hawes

Long Range Events

- ◆ Sep 30th, Change of Command Ceremony, Poquoson Yacht Club

On The Web:

Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/PoquosonKiwanis/>

Flea Market Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/PBFFM/>

Website: <http://www.poquosonkiwanis.org/Kiwanis/Welcome.html>

Recent Pictures from our Kiwanis Club activities



President Philip Tawney presents Coach Elliott Duddy with a Children's book to be donated to the Poquoson Library in his honor for speaking to the Poquoson Kiwanis.



Dr. Larry Svhila ties a fishing line knot during the recent SE Region Fishing Clinic at Buckroe Beach, Hampton VA.