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PORT TOWNSEND WA

MAY 11 - 17, 2025

Kiwaniis Club of Port Townsend
www.ptkiwanis.org
Join us
Wednesdays at Noon at the
Hwy 20 Roadhouse Café
AND on Zoom
~[LINK HERE](#)~

THIS WEEK AT KIWANIS



IT'S RHODY WEEK!

May 16 - Kiddie Parade*
May 17 - Grand Parade*
May 18 - MP4 Rhody Run
Water Station.

*Kiwaniis Choo-Choo is there!

Join us and have fun!
See Jan Carter to Volunteer!



QUIMPER EVENTS

COLLECTIVE

Quimper Events Collective

with Alexis Arrabito,
Founder & Board President

Wednesday, May 14, 2025, Noon
at Highway 20 Roadhouse Café
Hybrid Meeting!
In person or join by Zoom
Meeting ID: 896 6858 5870
pc 033149



Backpacking Thursday, May 15 - 9 am, Elks Lodge basement

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

May 21 - Habitat for Humanity
May 28 - PTHS Expedition Club
June 4 - Port Townsend Film Festival
June 11 - Business Meeting & Member Focus
June 18 - [open]

Check out our website!
www.ptkiwanis.org

Follow us on Facebook (PTKiwaniis)
and Instagram (@ptkiwanis)!



President Amanda's Theme for 2024-25:

Let Us...

parade!!

have fun!

socialize...

make a difference...

be inclusive...

SERVE.

BI-WEEKLY PROJECT FOCUS

Teen Leaders Awards





Teen Leaders and their Nominators



Keynoter
Danny
Milholland



Teen Leaders and their families and supporters



Kiwanis Presenters:

Amanda, Liz, Rochelle



Congratulations
to our Teen
Leaders Awards
of 2024!

Honored on May 4



*Thank you to our
Teen Leaders Awards
Co-chairs,
Liz Quayle
and
Rochelle Dupuy!*

photos by Levi Dupuy

Last Wednesday Evening Social

next one: Wednesday, May 28, 5-7 pm
at Social Fabric Brewery.

You never know who will be there!

Bring a friend or two!

Our April gathering was small but mighty fun!

We (most of us) followed it up with Barstool
Bingo at the Hilltop to support Rhody!



Members!

Last chance for Nominations! Join the 2025-26 Kiwanis Board - contact Don Olsen!

AKTION CLUB

Join our AKTION Club for people with disabilities as they provide cheer for others in the community and prep bags for our backpack project! See Curtis to participate in the cool joint AKTION-Kiwanis projects and events!

BACKPACK PROJECT

We pack on alternate Thursday mornings at 9 am in the Elks Basement. Next packing days: May 15, 29, June 12. More info: see Donna Eldridge or Steve Taylor.

FOSTER KIDS SUPPORT PROJECT

Providing backpacks with school supplies, jackets, socks, and more.

See Mary Crozier to help!



FLAG PROJECT

Help hang American flags in town on national holidays!

See Steve Taylor or Don Olsen for more information.

Next date: May 26, Memorial Day:

Install on Friday, May 23; take down on Tuesday, May 27.

FOOD BANK DONATIONS & KCCP

We are collecting funds for the local food banks, alternating monthly with the Kiwanis Children's Cancer Program!

Email Treasurer Rochelle Dupuy to donate.

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Happy Birthday May
Celebrants!

MAY BIRTHDAYS

Nick Harper (3rd),
Liz Quayle (15th),
Dave Dover (17th),
Linda Rosenbury (19th),
Christy Spencer (19th),
Cynthia Madison (29th),
Angelina Quandt,



Kiwanian of the Bi-Week

Nadine Jonientz



Nadine volunteers for every project we run!

Welcome to new member Earl Randall!



L-R: Club President Amanda Steurer-Zamora,
Sponsor Jan Carter, Earl Randall, Past Governor Melanie Bozak

Birthday Challenge!

If it's your birthday, write a check for the number of years you have been on this planet - and doing wonderful things for kids during all of them, we're sure - and bring it to the Wednesday meeting. We will celebrate with a song...or not - whichever you choose!

Money donated supports our club's operations.

Congrats and ~Enjoy your Day!~

Email Rochelle at
ptkiwanis.treasurer@gmail.com or
Mail your donation attn: Treasurer at:
Port Townsend Kiwanis
PO Box 489, Port Townsend WA 98368



Support our Projects!

SCHOOL-BASED TUTORING & SERVICE CLUBS

Now is the time to update your background check for next school year! All club volunteers working directly with children will need to complete Kiwanis International's background check.

PTHS Key-Interact Club

Support our PTHS Key-Interact Club! See Jan Carter for info.

Can these teens encourage a club at CHS?

Builders' Club

We're trying to form a Builder's Club at the middle schools. Join this effort – see Jan Carter.



INTERCLUBS

Contact Steve Taylor for Interclub opportunities for visiting neighboring clubs in our division!

EYEGASSES RECYCLING

Save your old eyeglasses for Donna Eldridge to send to SOS-Save Old Spectacles! Our club receives a small donation for each pair that we turn in. We sent in 646 pairs in 2024!

SIGN – We are glad to be a prime sponsor for **SIGN Fracture Care!** SIGN gives the injured poor access to fracture surgery by donating orthopaedic education and implant systems to surgeons in developing countries. Our total donations to SIGN (since 2012) from the club and individual members equal \$99,377.27.



Did you Volunteer for events this month?



SEND YOUR KIWANIS VOLUNTEER HOURS TO JESSIE! She reports these numbers monthly to Kiwanis International.
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2024-25 PT Kiwanis Board and District Leadership

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Assistant Treasurer

Liz Quayle

Past President

Don Olsen

Club Directors

2022-2025

Mike Cruver, David Crozier,
Stephanie Wilson

2023-2026

Marla Gay, Conrad Oien,
Rich Palmer

2024-2027

Tom Carroll, Bill Metzger,
Rick Gore

Olympic Views Division

Lt. Governor

Cherie Forsberg-Kidd

PNW Governor

Vicki Frucci

UPCOMING EVENTS FROM THE DISTRICT & INTERNATIONAL CALENDARS

KIDS NEED KIWANIS



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PACIFIC NORTHWEST DISTRICT
Chartered in 1918

Updated Convention Calendar!

~~~ 2025 ~~~

June 25-28, 2025

Kiwanis International Convention:

Forge the Future!

Pittsburg, PA

*Registration is open!*

August 22-24, 2025

PNW District Convention

Grand Ronde, OR

*Registration coming soon!*

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WEBINARS from Kiwanis International

Learn about Kiwanis and get some interesting ideas
along the way, by logging in to
www.KiwanisOne.org/webinararchives.

Learn more about our District and International News!
www.KiwanisPNW.org ~ www.Kiwanis.org

Do you have news or photos for our
Newsletter?

Contact our webmaster Liz Quayle at
porttownsendkiwanis@gmail.org

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Olympic Views Division News!

Thanks to everyone who attended the
Division meeting we hosted in PT
with Lt Governor Cherie Kidd on May 3!



Check out the PNW Kiwanis News!

We are pleased to share the
[Spring 2025 Builder Magazine](#) with you.
Thank you to Melanie Bozak for being the Builder Editor!
She is stepping down and seeking a replacement editor.



Watch for District News from our PNW
Kiwanis Governor for 2024-2025:

Vicki Frucci!

Her theme for the year is **T.E.A.M.S.:**
Together Everyone Accomplishes More Service

Kiwanis is a global organization
of volunteers
dedicated to
improving the world
one child and
one community
at a time.

Serving East Jefferson County
Since March 1949



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