

Be Part of the Kiwanis Team

In our community we are unified in our belief that children and their communities benefit from the efforts of a proficient group of caring and involved volunteers. *Does this describe you?*

Check us out at 1-800-KIWANIS
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Kiwanis

Serving the Children of the World™

Meeting Information

Day: Thursday

Time: Noon, Meal cost \$11.00

Place: Doubletree Hotel

Address: 150 Broadway S, Rochester

Club Web site:
<http://kiwanisroch.org/>

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



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The Champion for Children

Founded in 1915 and headquartered in Indianapolis, Indiana, USA, Kiwanis International is a thriving organization of service- and community-minded men and women who support children and young adults around the world. More than 13,000 clubs in more than 90 countries make their mark by responding to the needs of their communities and pooling their resources to address worldwide issues. Through these efforts, Kiwanis International truly is "Serving the Children of the World."

Making an Impact

A few of our projects include:

- College Scholarships for High School Seniors from John Marshall, Lourdes, Mayo and Olmsted County 4-H Clubs
- Recognition of "Students of the Month" honored at 2nd Thursday Luncheon
- Adopt a Park cleanup in collaboration with Rochester "A Litter Bit Better" campaign
- Assist with Christmas Anonymous
- Collection of summer reading books, distributed to Rochester elementary schools students

Changing Tomorrows Today

Kiwanis clubs view their role within their respective communities with a great deal of foresight. Key aspects to operating an effective club include:

- Evaluating both children's issues and community needs on an ongoing basis
- Conducting service projects to respond to those identified needs
- Maintaining an active membership roster of community-minded people who have both the desire and the ability to serve

Club meetings traditionally are held once a week and offer an atmosphere of fun, learning, and fellowship.

In addition to attending the meetings, the typical Kiwanian volunteers each month to assist with club service projects.

Service projects often are linked to the Kiwanis program, "Young Children: Priority One." This initiative places continuing focus on the needs of children in pediatric trauma, safety, child care, early development, infant health, nutrition, and parenting skills.

Service projects also can address other needs within the community, such as working to stop substance abuse, helping the elderly, promoting literacy, supporting youth sports, responding to disasters, and supporting specific persons in need.



**You are Invited
to Join Us!**