

**When you have a business meeting,
what do you do?**

During our business meetings we plan our activities and projects. Any member may propose a project for the club. We are always looking for new ways to help the community.

Are the meetings open for anyone to attend?

Yes, we always welcome visitors and no reservations are necessary.

Is the Kiwanis Club affiliated with any other organization?

No. Kiwanis International is an independent organization. We do however sponsor local Key Clubs, service clubs in the high school that prepare youth for service work in the community and Builders Clubs in Junior High Schools.

Interested? Here's more...

How much does it cost?

The initiation fee is just \$53. annual dues are \$130. Because ALL of the funds that we raise in the community are used for our service projects, we must use the dues for administrative expenses.

How do I join?

Just talk with a member of our club. He or She will then recommend you for membership.

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www.fisherskiwanis.org

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Kiwanis Club *of* Fishers Station



*“Changing the
World One Child
and One Community
at a Time.”*



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Help Us Help The Youth Of Our Community

What Kiwanis Is?

Kiwanis is a worldwide service organization appealing to **men and women** who have the desire to become personally involved in making their communities better places in which to live.

- Kiwanis is a service organization. Enduring friendships are created through the Kiwanis spirit of fellowship, that comes from mutual effort devoted to great and useful ends.
- Kiwanis is often a public forum. Meeting programs frequently provide platforms for the balanced, and impartial, presentation of public issues of interest to the members - and the community.
- Kiwanis makes its activities known. It is not a secret society. There are no private rituals. Public awareness of Kiwanis activities is sought because it increases support for Kiwanis service efforts.
- Kiwanis fosters principles of good citizenship and human values.
- And finally, the actions of each club are guided by the needs of its own locality. Kiwanis International does not impose programs upon its clubs or members.

The Key Club Connection...

The Fishers Kiwanis Club is the proud sponsor of the Hamilton Southeastern Key Club & The Fishers High School Key Club. In addition to organizing the Key Clubs, we provide ongoing organizational assistance in the operation of the club, opportunities for community involvement, and financial grants. We also sponsor the Builders Club at St. Louis de Montfort School.

The Fishers Kiwanis...

Our Kiwanis Club was chartered in August 1981. Our first project was to solicit signatures in support of a public park for Fishers.

We meet the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Monday evenings at 6:15 at the Claude & Annie's at 141st & highway 37. Meetings adjourn no later than 7:30. Each meeting consists of either a business meeting or a presentation by a special speaker.

What does Kiwanis do for the Community?

The majority of our work benefits youth of all ages. Our support is divided between the local community and Riley Children's Hospital, with a small amount going to national and international youth projects.

SOME of our local projects...

- Scholarships to high school graduates
- Donating funds to the Hamilton County Prevail, to assist young families
- Sending local students to Indiana State Police Career camps
- Providing Drug education in the local schools
- Sponsoring Builders Clubs at Hamilton Southeastern Junior High Schools
- Produce the annual Easter Egg hunt at the Roy Holland Memorial Park, a tradition we began in 1982
- Providing funds for foreign exchange students
- Donating funds to Riley Hospital for Children
- Sponsor of youth sports teams

- Adopt A Road Program
- and many, many more.

Each year the Fishers Kiwanis Club donates Several Thousand Dollars for the betterment of the Community!

How do we pay for these projects?

We have several fund raising activities, children's activity area at the Fishers Renaissance Faire, coupon book sales, a raffle and others. Members are not asked to donate money to these projects; however, they may if they wish.

Do members have to be business owners or professionals?

Not at all, we welcome people from all walks of life. Retired persons as well as those not employed outside the home are also potential members.

Must I attend every meeting?

No, we understand that few people can do that.

Do you have any social events?

Yes, here are a few; attending Symphony on the Prairie, having parties at members' homes and going to local restaurants for special club functions.

