

# **Club Meeting**

Longmont Twin Peaks Meets at Friendship Center at First Evangelical Lutheran Church 803 Third Ave Longmont, CO 80501 Time: Thursday at 12:00 PM

## **Speakers**

September 05, 2019
<a href="mailto:Erin Fosdick">Erin Fosdick</a>, Longmont Senior
<a href="Planner">Planner</a>
<a href="Planning">Planning</a> for Longmont ♦s Main
<a href="mailto:Street">Street</a> Corridor

#### **Events**

September 5th
Club Meeting
Speaker: Erin Fosdick,
Longmont Senior Planner
Subject: Planning for
Longmont s Main Street
Corridor

September 12th
Board Meeting
September 12th
Club Meeting
September 12th
Twin Peaks After Hours
September 13th
Foothills United Way Day of

Foothills United Way Day Caring @ The Learning Center

September 19th Club Meeting September 26th Club Meeting

#### **Club Leaders**



<u>Dietra Porter</u> Club President

<u>Kirsten Pellicer</u> Club President-Elect August 29, 2019

# **Visitors and Guests**

No visitors or guests this week.

#### **Announcements**

Thank you to Steve Benscheidt, Dietra Porter, John McLane, Terry Schueler and Kurt Finley for representing Twin Peaks Rotary at Unity in the Community!

Mark your calendars! The Holiday Ball will be held on Saturday, 11/23 at the Dickens Opera House. Entertainment will be provided by the Wash Park Band. We really need to get out and sell tickets because this event is ALL OURS this year! Tickets are \$75 per person and each club member is asked to commit to selling two tickets. You can buy them for yourself or can sell them to someone else, but this will go a long way to getting the 300 tickets sold! If you are interested in volunteering prior to or at the event, please contact Kurt Finley at kurtjoefinley@gmail.com.

Charlene Santala-Gearing is our new Service Director and is looking for people who want to help organize Service Projects this coming year. Please contact her at santalagearing@gmail.com if you are interested.

United Way Day of Caring is Friday, 9/13 from 8 a.m.- 11 a.m. We are looking for about 15 volunteers to help with projects at The Learning Center (TLC). Please register to help by 9/5 so we can make sure we have plenty of people and tools!

# **Brag Bucks**

Donna Mercier wore baby blue in honor of her NEW GRANDSON!

Jim Marty bragged that he will be going Phishing with his family this weekend.

Bob Sarchet bragged that he discovered that a Big Thompson Water Project share is worth \$57,000!

Al Guse bragged that his recovery from surgery is \$\displays so far so good.\$\displaystar{\displaystar}\$

## **Trivia**

By Kim Manajek on Thursday, August 29, 2019

Eric Kittelberger presented some College Football trivia.

The first college football game was played in 1869. The result was Rutgers- 6, Princeton- 4. (At the time, scoring rules were different and depended on where the game was played.)

CU started playing football in 1890, CSU in 1893 and WY also in 1893.





<u>Dean G. Lehman</u> Club President -Nominee



<u>Keri Davis</u> Club Secretary



Wendi A. Nafziger Club Treasurer



<u>Carol Schack</u> Club Admin Chair



Richard Samson Membership Chair



Ashley Nichols Kasprzak Public Relations Chair



<u>Donna E. Mercier</u> Rotary Foundation Chair



Charlene Santala
Gearing
Club Service Director



Kent Schnegelberger Youth Services Director



Stephanie McKay Club iPast President



Steve Benscheidt Charity Fundraising Director

## **Birthdays**

No Birthdays Found

**Anniversaries** 

Al Guse

## **Fish Bowl**

\$19 went to Denny Gordon

# **Programs**

Charlene Santala-Gearing introduced Julie Lupien, Director of Volunteer Services for the OUR Center. She has been in the position since January, but as Julie recounted her career and noted that she has always been involved in facilitating people doing service.

The OUR Center (Outreach United Resource Center) was founded in 1986 with the cooperation of 26 local churches who felt that they could do more for people struggling in our community together than they could on their own.

The OUR Center s mission is to help people move toward self-sufficiency by unifying community resources. Self sufficiency means to apply one s own resources to maintain daily and monthly stability and financial confidence. They also strive to provide a space where people feel comfortable and save and get quality assistance.

Today, the OUR center serves the area of the St. Vrain Valley School District. Most of the people served by the OUR Center are working individuals and families. They also support people with disabilities, elderly residents and homeless people.

The first objective when someone goes to the OUR Center for help is to find a way to stabilize the crisis situation. They have many internal and external resources to provide assistance or provide referrals to other local agencies who might be able to help.

The second objective is to create a plan to help the individual or family address underlying problems, have their needs met and to thrive going forward so they are not in crisis again and can be self-reliant.

The OUR Center serves breakfast Monday through Friday and serves lunch seven days a week. One of our club service projects is to serve lunch on weekends or holidays. This was something Julie started a number of years ago when she realized people were going hungry on the weekends, but the OUR Center did not have the budget or staff to serve seven days per week. Now families, community groups and other organizations provide weekend lunch.

The OUR Center offers a wide array of services which can be found at www.ourcenter.org.

They are hosting one of their major fundraisers, Sunflower Sundown, on Saturday, Sept. 14 from 5-10 p.m. It will feature entertainment by Soul School, tapas, bar drinks and auctions. The event will take place at the OUR Center at 220 Collyer St. and tickets can be purchased on their website.

## Social Media

Have you visited our Rotary Facebook page? https://www.facebook.com/longmonttwinpeaksrotary/

### **Editarian**

Kirsten Pellicer

