

# Kiwanis Club of Smithfield

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## *Smithfield Officers*

**President:**

Bob Cole

**President-Elect:**

Sherry Vincent

**Vice President:**

Gerald Gwaltney

**Treasurer:**

Amy Musick

**Secretary:**

Beth Supko

## **March/April Programs**

*Executive Director, Nauticus - Hank Lynch* Mar 25

*Home Sweet Home Care - Shirley McGee* Apr 1

*Marine Hydraulics Int'l. - Thom Violette* Apr 8

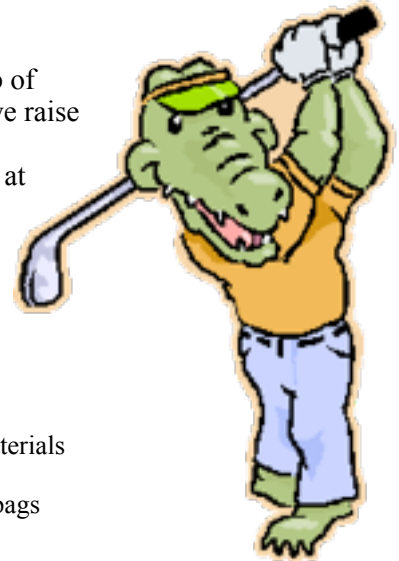
*Youth Challenge of HR - Travis Hall* Apr 15

*Senator Quayle* Apr 22

*Annual Business Meeting - No Speaker* Apr 29

## *Calling All Sponsors...*

Sponsorship is the key to the success of the Kiwanis Club of Smithfield's Annual Charity Golf Tournament. It's how we raise a large sum of the funds we use for various community programs for children in Isle of Wight. Please take a look at the sponsorship levels listed below and consider becoming a sponsor or, invite someone you know! All details can be found on our website.



### **TITLE SPONSOR - \$1500**

- Sponsor's banner prominently displayed at site
- Name prominently featured on all printed promotional materials
- Name featured in all event press releases
- Opportunity to provide promotional materials for goodie bags
- Recognition on Kiwanis website and in our June '10 newsletter

### **DINNER SPONSOR - \$1000**

- Sponsor's banner prominently displayed at site
- Name included on all printed promotional materials
- Tent cards with sponsor's name and logo on tables
- Opportunity to provide promotional materials for goodie bags
- Recognition on Kiwanis website and in our June '10 newsletter

### **GOLF CART SPONSOR - \$750**

- Sponsor's name and logo displayed on every golf cart
- Recognition on Kiwanis website and in our June '10 newsletter
- Sponsor's name and logo prominently displayed on two beverage carts OR at the 19<sup>th</sup> Hole Bar
- Recognition on Kiwanis website and in our June '10 newsletter

### **BEVERAGE CART or 19<sup>TH</sup> HOLE SPONSOR- \$500**

- Sponsor's name and logo prominently displayed on two beverage carts OR at the 19<sup>th</sup> Hole Bar
- Recognition on Kiwanis website and in our June '10 newsletter

### **HOLE SPONSOR - \$100 or \$250**

- Name prominently displayed at tee box
- (\$100 and \$250 donors)
- Sponsor to station someone at tee box to give away specialty items, have "own hole contest," interact with golfers. Tent, table, and chairs will be provided. (\$250 donors only)
- Recognition on Kiwanis website and in our June '10 newsletter

### **FRIENDS OF KIWANIS GOLF DAY - \$50**

- Recognition on signage at tournament
- Recognition on Kiwanis website and in our June '10 newsletter
- Two (2) tickets to awards dinner immediately following the tournament

### **KIWANIS HELPING HAND - \$25 UP TO \$49**

- Recognition on Kiwanis website and in our June '10 newsletter

## *Key Club Heats Things Up*



On Friday, March 5, the Smithfield High School Key Club held their 2nd Annual Chili and Dessert Cook-off. Kiwanis members Scott Lauder, Angie Lowry and Angie's husband Peter, attended the event and provide us with the following report.

About 40 - 50 Key Club members participated contributing 18 crock pots of homemade chili and 18 platters of delicious homemade desserts. According to Scott, "It was a mighty hearty feast!!" Angie, Peter and Scott left the cook-off at 7:30 p.m. and the chili and desserts were still flowing. Unconfirmed reports say that the Key Club raised in excess of \$300 during the event that will support their work in the community.

All Smithfield Kiwanians are welcome to attend any Key Club meeting and are encouraged to do so to show support for these hard working high school kids. The group meets at 3:00 every Thursday in Room 24 at Smithfield High School through the end of the school year.

### *Getting to Know...*

### *Dan Lytton*

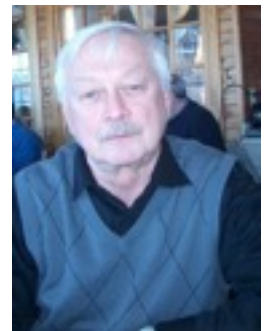
In October 2009, he and his wife Linda moved from Northern Virginia to Cypress Creek. They have one son, Seth, who lives in Charlotte NC. He will marry Ashley Cook on May 8, 2010.

They are all proud Virginia Tech Hokies. Dan earned his BA in Economics from Tech and Linda, her Masters in Marriage and Family Therapy from Tech. Seth graduated in May of 2006 in Marketing and Business Leadership and Ashley graduated in December 2006 in Business Information Technology. Dan also holds a Master's Degree in Public Administration from American University in Washington, DC and completed the Key Executive Program there.

In November, Dan retired from the Federal Government after 39 years of service. His most recent position was as the National Director of the Abandoned Mine Land Program within the Department of Interior in Washington, D.C.

Dan spends a great deal of his time now in a variety of volunteer positions in the community. He is a substitute teacher in the Isle of Wight School System and serves as an election official for the county. He enjoys youth baseball and basketball and has coached at all levels in the Northern Virginia area. He hopes to resume coaching in the future. As the weather improves, Dan hopes to play lots of golf both at Cypress Creek and other courses in the area. While he is retired, Linda has resumed a private practice in the local area with offices in Historic Smithfield and Franklin.

Dan has recently joined our club, so look him up at a meeting or event and introduce yourself!



***Getting to Know...******Kurt Frischmann***

Kurt grew up as a mid-westerner in Toledo, Ohio where he met his wife Joan. Kurt and Joan have been married for 38 years and have three children. Their oldest, Katie, lives in Portland, Oregon with her husband Mike. They have blessed Kurt and Joan with their first grandchild just two months ago. Son Greg is a lawyer living in Washington, DC and son Doug is an engineer also living in DC.

Since leaving Toledo, Kurt has lived in Michigan, Illinois and Connecticut. He received his chemistry degree from the University of Toledo and his MBA from the University of Michigan. Kurt moved to our area six years ago to take the position of Divisional Vice President with Ciba Specialty Chemicals in Suffolk.

Kurt retired from Ciba this past December and is now enjoying life playing tennis and golf, watching college sports and reading. He and Joan are also very active volunteers with Relay for Life, having donated their time to the organization for the last six years here in Isle of Wight and when they lived in Michigan.

Kurt is one of the Smithfield Kiwanis' newest members, so look him up at a meeting and give him a warm Kiwanis welcome!

***Hamlet Recognizes...***

Over the past month, Hamlet (the club's new recognition mascot) has been busy recognizing the following members for their efforts!

2/25 - Carter Williams - Club Event Advocate

3/4 - Charlie White - Charter Member, Club Mentor

3/11 - Ed Mortimer - Club Dedication, Interclub

3/18 - Wesley Brown - Club Support, Kid Fishing Day

***The Prez Sez...******By Bob Cole***

Wow, the clocks are set ahead, flowers are popping up and the robins are back. It's SPRING! With all of this potential spring growth it's only natural we aggressively continue to groom our membership. There are many people still out in the community who are just waiting for an invitation to join our group. You have done a wonderful job under Gerald's leadership over the winter recruiting new members who have already have stepped up to the challenge and are doing a terrific job. All you have to do is "ASK" (Always Sell Kiwanis"). Let's push hard and invite potential members to lunch. Earn your bronze key for sponsoring a new member. Thank you for your efforts.

**On the Horizon:**

March 27<sup>th</sup> Phoebus High School. Training Event.

April 17<sup>th</sup> Assist Connie Chapman with "Healthy Kids Day in the Park" 10 am to 2 pm - Nike Park

April 29<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting

May 6<sup>th</sup> National Prayer Breakfast and Golf Tournament

May 7<sup>th</sup> Homerama Parking Campaign Begins

July 20<sup>th</sup> Kids Fishing Day

Get your sun screen and come bring a smile to a child's face. Lots of opportunities to serve your club and community. Thanks to each one of you for being active and supportive. Your efforts make a difference and separate this club from the all the others. Bob