



Kiwanis Konnections

Cheshire, CT

April, 2021

-Recent Happenings-

2021 Event Status



Spring Fling 2021, a virtual event, has been scheduled for Apr 23rd, beginning at 6:30 pm. Invitations to this Zoom event have been emailed to Cheshire Club members and to all Division 19 Club Presidents.

Although this event would be best attended through Zoom, call-in information is available. For call-in information, or any other questions, please email us at the “general” email listed below. More information can be found on our website:

www.CheshireKiwanis.org

Colonial Breakfast will not be held this year.

Scholarship Award – scholarship applications have been received from Cheshire High School; an email has been sent to Club members asking for volunteers to review them and choose one to award. One Scholarship will be awarded this year, at the Club’s annual meeting in May. This meeting will most likely be call-in / Zoom.

Memorial Day Parade – Kiwanis will not be involved this year, but it does look like the Town of Cheshire will be having a motorcade parade with veterans riding in the vehicles.

Carnival – tentatively scheduled for Sep 10 – 12

If you’d like more information about events, please contact the Club at: general@cheshirekiwanis.com

-Upcoming Events-

Club – Meeting Schedule



Meetings currently are held via Zoom – EITHER call-in by phone OR log-in online. **Call in** and **log in** information will be sent via email before each meeting. Please join us; we’d love to hear from all our members!

Apr 7 – 6:30 pm – via Zoom call in or log in – meeting info has been sent to club members via email

Apr 21 – 6:30 pm – tent. Zoom

Apr 23 – 6:30 pm – Spring Fling 2021, virtually on Zoom (call-in also available)

Log-in / call-in information will be emailed to Club members; if you’re not a Club member and would like to attend, please email the Club at: general@cheshirekiwanis.com

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District



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New England & Bermuda District

NEBD is offering (via Zoom) an online Virtual Workshop Series throughout the year, including education sessions and club officer summits. See their website below for details and registration.

The 103rd Annual District Convention is scheduled for August 20-22, 2021, at the Doubletree by Hilton in Leominster, MA (no details available yet).

A Fall Training Conference is scheduled for November 19-21, 2021, at the North Conway Grand Hotel in North Conway, NH (no details available yet).

The Midwinter Conference for 2022 has been scheduled for March 11-13, 2022, at the Holiday Inn Mansfield-Foxboro in Mansfield, MA (no details available yet).

Please see their website for details and registration:

www.NewEnglandKiwaniis.org

International



The 106th Annual Internat'l Convention has been scheduled for June 23 - 26, 2021, online or in-person, at Salt Lake City, UT.

Additional information will be posted on the KI website (listed below).

May 4th is Teacher Appreciation Day.

Oct 11th - 15th is Youth Protection Week.

Oct 23rd is Kiwanis One Day.

www.Kiwaniis.org

-Announcements-

Birthdays



Happy April Birthday!

Bill S. Apr 16th

June B. Apr 24th

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Cheshire H.S. Key Club



From June B.:

The Key Club's April project is "Spring Break Bonus" - a collection of candy/chips for Custodians and CHS office staff plus Principal Dr. Mary Gadd. They plan on doing this in April before break. Keep up the good work!

-Did You Know?-



The Cheshire Club's Virtual Spring Fling 2021 will be raising funds for two charities: the Kiwanis Pediatric Trauma Institute (KPTI), and the Eliminate Project.

For more information on KPTI, please click the link below:

<https://www.tuftschildrenshospital.org/patient-care-services/departments-and-services/kiwanis-pediatric-trauma-institute/about-us>

For more information on the Eliminate Project, please click the link below:

<https://www.kiwanis.org/childrens-fund/eliminating-maternal-and-neonatal-tetanus>

"Spring is nature's way of saying, 'Let's party!'" - Robin Williams, comedian & actor

Website & Facebook Info



Some website and facebook addresses to keep you in touch with our Kiwanis family here and worldwide.

KI website has some uplifting News stories, and suggestions for how clubs can help our communities during these times (see Continue The Work):

Cheshire Kiwanis Club website:

www.CheshireKiwanis.org

Cheshire Kiwanis Club facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/Cheshire-Kiwanis-Club-189306331110910/>

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New England & Bermuda Dist. website:

www.NewEnglandKiwanis.org

New England & Bermuda Dst facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/nebdkiwanis/photos/a.174252410640287/227013348697526/?type=3>

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Kiwanis International website:

www.Kiwanis.org

Kiwanis International facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/kiwanis>

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Coronavirus COVID-19



For the latest information and updates on the COVID virus:

Cheshire - www.cheshirect.org

Connecticut - www.ct.gov/coronavirus

National - www.cdc.gov

Worldwide - www.who.int

Donations Welcome Please & Thanks!



If you would like to support your local Kiwanis Club, donations are always appreciated. Monies donated are directed back

into the community through our service projects. You can make a donation online via PayPal through our website:

www.CheshireKiwanis.org

or by mail to:

Cheshire Kiwanis Club Foundation

P.O. Box 461

Cheshire, CT 06410

Donations are tax-deductible. We thank you for your support in these difficult times!

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-Please direct any newsletter submissions, comments, or suggestions to Linda Miele at:

lsm@cheshirekiwanis.com We're always interested in things to share - thank you!

