

MODEL KIWANIS PROGRAM

Purpose

The Model Kiwanis Program is designed to allow Circle K members the opportunity to run a Kiwanis meeting according to the Kiwanis agenda. This allows for better K-Family relations by educating the Circle K clubs about Kiwanis, and it showcases Circle K to a Kiwanis club.

Benefits of the Program

Sponsoring a Model Kiwanis Program can benefit the Circle K club and Kiwanis club in several ways:

- Circle Kers and Kiwanians have an opportunity to interact with each other at a Kiwanis meeting. Many Kiwanians know what Circle K is, but do not regularly interact with Circle Kers. This program would expose Circle K to those Kiwanians.
- Circle K officers can run a Kiwanis meeting. This gives the Circle Kers a chance to display their club and tell the Kiwanians about the wonderful service projects and events that they have participated in. It also provides an occasion to ask for funds and volunteers for upcoming projects.
- After a pleasant experience at a Kiwanis meeting, Circle Kers will go back to their club and report on how much they enjoyed the meeting and encourage more Circle Kers to come to future Kiwanis meetings and events.

Planning a Model Kiwanis Program / Helpful Hints

- The program may be initiated by either the Circle K club or the Kiwanis club.
- The Kiwanis club should work closely with the Circle K club to plan the event.
- The Kiwanis leadership and Circle K Executive Board should begin by setting a date that would be a good time to present the Model Kiwanis Program at the Kiwanis Meeting. “Circle K Week” or “Kiwanis Family Relations Month” would be an ideal time for the program.

***If the event goes over well, consider doing this as an annual event that occurs around the same time every year so that both clubs can prepare for it.

- Many Kiwanis clubs regularly schedule speakers for general meetings. For this event, the Circle K club can choose to accept the scheduled speaker, bring their own speaker, or make a presentation about Circle K.
- Circle K officers should fill in for the Kiwanis officer positions within the meeting.
- All Circle K club officers should attend the Kiwanis meeting if possible, with other Circle K club members welcome to come and participate. Make sure that you have enough Circle Kers as presenters, and get everyone involved.

Program Objectives

- To have a Circle K club be able to run a Kiwanis meeting using the Kiwanis agenda
- To improve K-Family relations between Kiwanis and Circle K
- To educate Circle Kers about Kiwanis / To educate Kiwanians members about Circle K

Sample Kiwanis Club Meeting Agenda

- I. Call the meeting to order.**
 - A. Song
 - B. Pledge of Allegiance
 - C. Invocation / Moment of Reflection
 - D. Introduction of Guests

- II. Club Officer Reports**
 - A. Treasurer
 - B. Secretary
 - C. Vice President
 - D. President

- III. Announcements**
 - A. Old Business
 - B. New Business
 - C. Interclubs
 - D. Kiwanis in the News

- IV. Committee Reports**
 - A. Standing Committees
 - B. Other Committees having information or announcements

- V. Presentation / Program**
 - A. Introduction of speaker or presentation
 - B. Speaker / Presentation
 - C. Questions of speaker or presentation

- VI. Meeting adjourned**

Kiwanis Club of Anytown
Monday, January 1, 12 PM
Adams Banquet Hall
“We Build!”

I. Call To Order

Song “America”
Pledge of Allegiance
Invocation
Introduction of Guests

II. Reports

Secretary-Treasurer	Stacey Thompson
President	Nick Miller
Committee Reports	
Youth Services	Jack Bennett
Human & Spiritual Values	Rebecca Owens
Membership	Beth Kersey
Interclub	Brett Jordan
Other Reports	
Salvation Army Bell Ringing	Steve Skaar
Meals on Wheels	Bruce Denil
Bloodmobile	Nathan Thomas

III. Program

Introduction	Brian Schmidt
Speaker	Beverly Johnson, Special Olympics

IV. Adjournment

