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# The Builder

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**Kiwanis Club of Owen Sound - Div. 8**  
"Serving the Children of the World"

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**Whispering Pines** - Steve Sired  
**Club Archivist** - Al Kelly

### Executive Meetings

Board meetings are held on the third Wednesday of every month at 5:30 p.m. at the Community Living Bldg.

### Membership Weekly Meetings

The Kiwanis Club of Owen Sound meets every Thursday at 12:00 p.m. at the Rusty Gull, Owen Sound.

## April Birthdays

Susan Kirk 5  
Peter Little - April 6  
Liz Harris - April 9  
Linda Gignac - April 13  
Flavian Quiquero - April 23  
Gabe Nowak - April 24  
Al Wood - April 26  
Bert Hood - April 30  
Linda Bradford - April 30

## Wedding Anniversaries

Jane & Jed Phillips - April 1

## Induction Anniversaries

Gary Levine - April 18, 1999  
Bill Brown - April 1, 2002

## TV Auction

The TV Auction is fast approaching and we need 'all hands on deck'. Please be available to help out on either May 25th for set up, or on the Auction day, May 26. If you can help out for both, that's even better.

## Festival of Northern Lights Trivia Night

We have a team representing Kiwanis for the Festival of Northern Lights Trivia Night to be held on April 7th. Good Luck to our team Kees & Linda van Aalst, Gord & Elizabeth Harris, Jed & Jane Phillips and Reta Dimis & Brent England.

## Governor Campaign Fundraiser

On June 16th we are having a Beef Barbeque Barn Bash at the Blue Barn at Whispering Pines. The money will go towards the General Fund and our commitment to support Gary Levine for Governor Campaign. We would like every

Kiwanian to bring 2 couples to enjoy the Beef Barbeque dinner and a fun night of entertainment at the Blue Barn. The cost will be approximately \$20 per person. It will be a BYOB evening with a special licence permit to allow you to bring your own.

## Owen Sound Idol

A successful 2007 Owen Sound Idol saw proceeds of \$500 to the Kiwanis Club. Rusty Gull Manager, Carol Slater presented us with a cheque at the last meeting.

## I am Just a Kiwanian

by Nelson Tucker - International President

I am just a Kiwanian, just like you, you see.  
I get up every morning to find a new reason to be.  
To be someone special to a shut-in or a kid,  
To make the world a better place because of what I did.  
You and I are no different; we both share the same belief.  
That living by the Kiwanis Objects, we give much-needed relief.  
We strive to live by the Golden Rule, believe in our fellow man.  
We have faith in our future, that Kiwanis has a plan.  
A plan to rid our world of famine, grief, and strife,  
To give to every human being, a better way of life.  
So, let's all work together for every boy and girl,  
The future of Kiwanis is serving the children of our world!

## Calendar of Events

**April 5**  
**John McLachlan - Music Festival**

**April 12**  
**Mayor Ruth Lovell**

**April 19**  
**Business Meeting**

**April 26**  
**Brian Dean - Municipal Property Assessment Corp.**

**May 3**  
**Rick Hill - Community Living**

## Dates to Remember

**May 26 - Auction**

**May 31 - BBQ at Whispering Pines with the Governor**

**June 16 - Governor Campaign Fundraiser**