



State of the Foundation 2021

PRESENTED BY PRESIDENT BOB MORRELL

Foundation Accomplishments 2020-21

Kamp Kiwanis

- ▶ **Kamp Kiwanis Improvements on Target- no rentals due to COVID-19 Pandemic – significant loss of income**
- ▶ **Pressure tank bladders in water system had to be replaced at a cost of about \$10,000**
- ▶ **New Riding Lawn mower**
- ▶ **Merry-Go-Round- safety concern- removed from Kamp**
- ▶ **Placed ads in the Gallup free newspaper**
- ▶ **Coming - solar lights on BB and Horseshoe courts**
- ▶ **Newly painted Sage dorm**

Juniper Dorm Siding and Bathroom floors



New Riding Lawn mower-Paint on Sage- Awning for pump house



Kamp Kiwanis Work Weekend May 2021



More Foundation Accomplishments

- ▶ Support for **CKI** to attend ICON- \$2,000- cancelled
- ▶ Support for **Key Club** officers/Governor to attend Int. convention- \$2000/cancelled
- ▶ Agreed to sponsor **Key Leader Training** at Kamp Kiwanis – waiting for restrictions to lift
- ▶ **Scholarships** presented to : 5 students—\$4000
- ▶ **Student Recognition Program**—delayed this year in most schools
- ▶ **Kachinas** presented this year—5
- ▶ **Received \$15,000 grant** from Surplus Line Association of Arizona Foundation.
- ▶ **New Fundraiser – Tour de Southwest-** virtual bike event



Tour de Southwest Fundraiser- virtual bike event



**We made about \$4000 for the Foundation!
Thanks for your support and donations!**



Accomplishments 2020-21

- ▶ **TURQUOISE AWARD** –fundraising initiative \$650, forms and sample items on our website.
- ▶ **Sustaining Members**—250
- ▶ **54 clubs in our 501c3 group**
- ▶ **Website**— at <https://www.swdkfoundation.org>
- ▶ **Facebook** page at Southwest District Kiwanis Foundation
- ▶ <https://www.facebook.com/swdkfoundation>

THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT OF THE FOUNDATION!



Foundation Grants

Roadrunner Ellis Brown Silent Auction Grant



Food Bags, Las Vegas, NM

- ▶ In 2020, the Roadrunner Ellis Brown Silent Auction earned \$3000 for the SWDK Foundation
- ▶ Half of that money is deposited into the Ellis Brown Youth Endowment Fund and is restricted money so that only the interest and dividends can be used to support Youth projects. (ie. Scholarships)
- ▶ The other half of the money was awarded by the Foundation to clubs for grants to help children in the Southwest District-\$1500
- ▶ Congratulations to the Sunrise Kiwanis- Las Vegas, NM, Tonto Basin, and Camp Verde Kiwanis Clubs, our 2020 winners!
- ▶ Applications will be on our website and due to Twila Chambers by February 1, 2022.

Kiwanis Across Borders Grants



Last year we awarded \$500 to the Farmington Rio Del Sol Kiwanis Club and \$1500 to Los Alamos Kiwanis for their African Libraries project. Pictured on the left is Nikki Taylor packing the books.

Applications are on our website and are due to Joe DeBlasi by July 17th each year. We budget \$2000 for these grants each year.

Other News

- ▶ **The Foundation has approved a Strategic Plan. Past Governor, Ed Verburg served as chairperson of this committee. See website for full details. www.swdkfoundation.org**
- ▶ **We still need a Foundation Director from Division 4 .**

Scholarship Awards 2021

- ▶ Bartoo – Sumi Shrestha – Rio Rancho, NM-\$1000
- ▶ Skinner – Stephanie Amaya – Douglas, AZ-\$1000
- ▶ Bob Kay – Maya Working – Sierra Vista, AZ-\$1000
- ▶ Vocational \$500- Kaitlyn Sutliff- Sierra Vista and Trysta Castro- Bagdad, AZ



Maya Working



Stephanie Amaya



Trysta Castro



Kaitlyn Sutliff

Nominations for Officers and Directors at Large 2021-23

- ▶ **President – Craig (Horse) Pfeiffer**
- ▶ **President-Elect – Bob Breidenbach**
- ▶ **Vice President – Candie Drouin**
- ▶ **Secretary – Patti Stone**
- ▶ **Treasurer – Jim Sowers**
- ▶ **Past President – Bob Morrell**
- ▶ **At Large Directors- Susan Hinchcliffe and Laura Miller**



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