



Kiwaniis

Membership Proposal
KIWANIS CLUB OF CHEYENNE

NAME: _____ NICKNAME: _____
 DATE OF BIRTH: _____ SPOUSE'S NAME: _____ ANNIVERSARY _____
 PLACE OF BIRTH: _____ NO. OF CHILDREN: _____ THEIR NAMES: _____
 EMPLOYER: _____
 POSITION: _____
 BUSINESS ADDRESS: _____ RESIDENCE ADDRESS: _____
 _____ ZIP CODE: _____ ZIP CODE: _____
 BUSINESS PHONE: _____ RESIDENCE/CELL PHONE: _____
 BUSINESS FAX: _____ E-MAIL: _____
 NATURE OF BUSINESS: _____ CHURCH AFFILIATION: (Optional) _____
 LENGTH OF EMPLOYMENT: _____ LENGTH OF RESIDENCE: _____
 EDUCATION: _____
 HOBBIES, LEISURE ACTIVITIES: _____

IF A PREVIOUS MEMBER OF A KIWANIS CLUB, GIVE:
 NAME(S) OF CLUB(S), CITY, & STATE: _____
 OFFICE(S) HELD IN PREVIOUS KIWANIS CLUB(S): _____
 SERVICE AND/OR CIVIC ORGANIZATIONS TO WHICH YOU NOW BELONG:

PROPOSERS: Why do you feel this applicant can help Kiwanis?

PROPOSERS: This proposal must be submitted to the Membership Committee, allowing at least 30 days prior to any Board action for review by Membership Committee.

PROPOSERS: If the above named is accepted to membership, we agree to see that the new member understands the attendance requirements, and we will see that this member attends the next four meetings and the next orientation meeting.

Please print names under Signature	Badge no: _____	PRESENT MEMBERSHIP FEES:
PROPOSER: _____ (Signature)	Initiation Fee	\$ <u>125</u>
	Badge no: _____	Dues & Meals
PROPOSER: _____ (Signature)		\$ <u>55</u>
		\$ <u>180</u>

FOR COMMITTEE USE ONLY:

APPROVED DATE: _____ MEMBERSHIP CHAIRMAN: _____
 BOARD APPROVED DATE: _____ CLASSIFICATION: _____ INDUCTION: _____
 ORIENTATION: _____ BADGE NO.: _____

The Great Cheyenne Kiwanis Club was chartered on January 27, 1922, under the principles of Kiwanis International to work for a better quality of life for the citizens of Cheyenne, Wyoming; throughout our State; our Nation and Internationally.

The Kiwanis Motto is: "WE BUILD"

Briefly stated, some of the principal features of our activities and responsibilities are:

1. **Membership:** Membership is by invitation to persons of good character and community standing; engaged in an occupation in a recognized line of business, vocation, agriculture, institution or profession or retired there from; not already a member of another Kiwanis club; and who demonstrates by conduct adherence to the objects of Kiwanis.

2. **Club Meetings:** Our club meets weekly on Thursdays, at 12:00 Noon, at the Red Lion Hotel, 204 West Fox Farm Road. Our meal is followed by a program which lasts until 1:00 P.M. Members are expected to extend courtesy to those presenting the program by remaining to the conclusion of the meeting.

3. **Club Attendance:** All active members are expected to attend regular weekly meetings. Missed meetings may be "made up" by attending another Kiwanis Club's meeting, a Board of Director's meeting, participating in a club project, or District or International Convention.

4. Dues and Assessments:

a. Initiation Processing Fee: \$125.00 ___ payable in advance.

b. Membership Dues: \$ 55.00 ___ monthly payable on receipt of bill. First month payable in advance. Note: meals for Thursday meetings are included in the dues cost. However, if you miss the Thursday meeting, there is no refund for these meals.

c. Assessments: Rocky Mountain District and Kiwanis International dues and monthly publications are included in "a" and "b" above. Any "Special Assessments" are relatively small in amount and imposed only after Board and club approval with notification to members.

5. Special Club Meetings:

a. Board Meetings: Regularly once a month- the second Tuesday of the month..

b. Committee Meetings: As called by the chairman or club President.

c. Interclub Meetings: Four or more members frequently visit another Kiwanis Club at their regular meeting time and place. We try to have at least two interclub meetings per month.

d. Conventions: Members and their spouses are invited to attend Rocky Mountain District and International Conventions.

6. **Introduction of New Members:** A dignified ceremony is conducted at which new members receive "K" lapel pins, Kiwanis Plaques, club directories, and other printed materials about Kiwanis. A member should complete orientation prior to induction.

7. **Orientation:** Held every month at 12 noon on Wednesday following the Board Meeting at the Kiwanis Treber Building, 1804 Pacific Avenue, Cheyenne.

8. **Kiwanis Publications:** Our club publishes a weekly Kiwanis Bulletin called the Telstar to keep members informed of club activities; the Rocky Mountain District publishes an electronic Newsletter of district activities; and Kiwanis International mails a publication, KIWANIS magazine, ten times a year.

9. **Club Service Projects:** Throughout the year our Club will participate in a wide variety of projects to benefit youth activities in our community. Each member is expected to participate in as many of these projects as possible, but at least one in the course of the Kiwanis club year.

10. **Club Fund-raising Projects:** Kiwanis clubs raise all service project funds from fund-raising projects. Each member is expected to participate in one or more of these projects.

11. **Kiwanis Education:** Kiwanis International is one of the largest service organizations in the world with a rich history of growth, fellowship, and service. Each new member will receive a history of our local Kiwanis club and will continue to receive club education through Kiwanis publications, club programs, and district training meetings held during the year.

In conclusion, the Great Cheyenne Kiwanis Club is much more than just a luncheon club. Please remember it is a "Service Club". Its success depends upon its members' participation and leadership in serving the needs of their community. Your acceptance of membership should be on this basis.