



**Castle Rock Club Officers:**

**President** – Mark Cucarola  
**President Elect**  
**Secretary** – Debbie Trent  
**Treasurer** – Tom Lambert  
**Immediate Past President** – Debbie Trent

**Directors:**

**Dick Harding** 2025  
**Dennis Magyar** 2026  
**Robin Scurto** 2027

**Division 15 Lt. Governor** James Martin  
**District Governor** Kathryn Williams  
**District Secretary** Josephine Young

**Membership Dues** are \$250.00 per year.

**New Members** pay a one time \$50.00 New Member Fee + annual dues

**Breakfast** is \$18.00.

**2024-2025 Committee Chairs:**

**Human & Spiritual Values** -  
**Social Programs** - Ron Polomsky  
**K-Kids Advisor** - Dick Harding  
**Builders Club Advisor** - Robin Scurto  
**BUG Advisor** - Bill Bragg

**2024-2025 Foundation Chair**

**Darlene Jeffrey**

**Weekly Meetings:**

7am 1st & 3rd Thursdays, 7 AM

Trestles Restaurant

880 Happy Canyon Road

Castle Rock, CO 80109



# Kiwaniis® CASTLE ROCK

Monthly Newsletter – January

*Kiwaniis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to improving the world one child and one community at a time.*



**No Birthdays in January**

## MEETINGS, PROGRAMS, ACTIVITIES

<b>January 1</b>	<b>New Year’s Day</b>
<b>January 2</b>	<b>Breakfast Mtg—Help and Hope</b>
<b>January 14</b>	<b>Board of Directors Mtg –5:30pm/Zoom</b>
<b>January 16</b>	<b>Business Meeting—Discussion of our Future Focus</b>
<b>February 6</b>	<b>Breakfast Meeting</b>
<b>February 11</b>	<b>Board of Directors Mtg-5:30 pm/Zoom</b>
<b>February 14</b>	<b>Valentine’s Day</b>
<b>February 17</b>	<b>President’s Day</b>
<b>February 20</b>	<b>Breakfast Mtg</b>



Club website: [www.castlerockkiwanis.org](http://www.castlerockkiwanis.org)  
 Club Email: [crkiwanis@gmail.com](mailto:crkiwanis@gmail.com)  
 Kiwanis website: [www.kiwanis.org](http://www.kiwanis.org)  
 Club Address: PO Box 222, Castle Rock, CO 80104  
 RMD website: <https://k24.site.kiwanis.org/>  
 Club Phone Number: 303-475-6130  
 Club Facebook site: <https://www.facebook.com/CRKiwaniis>

# \*\*\*NEWS\*\*\*

## Salvation Army Bell Ringing

Our members participated in the annual Salvation Army Bell Ringing on December 14th at the Castle Rock Walmart. People were very generous this year and we appreciate all of the donations including little children contributing their pennies and nickels.

Thank you to Darlene Jeffery for organizing this event. And thank you to the members who participated by taking a shift ringing the bell—Darlene Jeffery, Tom Jeffery, Dennis Magyar, Dick Harding, Bill Bragg and Debbie Trent.



## Castle Rock Police Department

Our program on December 19th was presented by the Castle Rock Police Department. Debbie Binks, Victim Advocate; several SRO officers, four service dogs and a teen who has been positively affected by the actions of the officers and dogs in our Schools. The CRPD has put a priority on helping students with mental health and making sure they understand that the police are a positive in their lives. The service dogs help students feel comfortable in our schools and help to decrease the occurrences of suicide.

Our club will be taking advantage of the volunteer opportunities within the CRPD.

Thank you to all of those who spoke on the 19th.



## Castle Rock Kiwanis Holiday Party

Our members came together on December 13th for a Holiday Pot Luck. This event is an opportunity for our members and their spouses to talk and casually enjoy each others company. We all contribute to the Pot Luck Dinner. A tradition is a White Elephant Exchange. This year was unusual because there were no steals!! That never happens. The gifts were truly “white elephants” as no one wanted any opened gift and went for the unopened surprise. Everyone had a good time and it was a great end to the 2024 year.

Happy New Year to all.



# Service Projects

## VOLUNTEER



**Look for more volunteer opportunities. We will be announcing more opportunities soon. Please let us know if you have suggestions.**

### Ways to support the Kiwanis Club of Castle Rock Foundation

**In support of the Kiwanis Club of Castle Rock, Charitable non-profit contributions may be made to:**

**The Kiwanis Club of Castle Rock Foundation  
PO Box 222, Castle Rock, CO 80104  
Tax ID 20-4888128 (501c3)**



Support your Kiwanis Club of Castle Rock by enrolling your King Soopers Card in the Community Rewards Program. King Soopers will donate to the club based on a percentage of your purchases. To enroll, go to [www.kingsooperscommunityrewards.com](http://www.kingsooperscommunityrewards.com); create a digital account and link your card to Kiwanis Club of Castle Rock Community Foundation #IT702

## Volunteers are the heart of Nourish Meals on Wheels

Enrich the lives of older adults by providing nutritious meals and services that promote dignity, well-being, and independence.

**Join Our Team!**



Deliver hot, nutritious meals and create warm, friendly connections

**Our greatest need...**  
Volunteers to deliver to clients in Parker, Castle Rock, Lone Tree, and Highlands Ranch!

### Nourish Volunteers...

- ♥ deliver more than 200,000 meals a year.
- ♥ offer warm smiles on a chilly day.
- ♥ celebrate the little things.
- ♥ share joyful moments of birthday cheer.
- ♥ provide treats for much-loved pets.
- ♥ create a sense of belonging.

### Delivering at a Glance

- ▶ Approx. 3 hrs/wk (10:30am-1:30pm, Mon-Fri)
- ▶ Pick-up freshly made meals at our Littleton location
- ▶ Deliver meals and connect with older adults on your route
- ▶ Weekly drivers & substitutes needed
- ▶ Background check & valid driver's license required
- ▶ Volunteer orientation & training provided

Visit our website for details and more ways to get involved!

**(303) 798-7642 [NourishMealsOnWheels.org/volunteer](http://NourishMealsOnWheels.org/volunteer)**

Location: 92 E. Arapahoe Rd, Littleton, CO 80122 Mailing Address: PO Box 3108, Centennial, CO 80116

## VOLUNTEER DRIVERS NEEDED

### CASTLE ROCK SENIOR ACTIVITY CENTER "Loving Life in the Second Half"



### Driving Stops. Independence Shouldn't.

Help to support older adults and adults with disabilities to keep their independence and maintain their quality of life by providing essential rides. We need volunteer drivers to help make this possible. Call our Transportation Manager Lisa with questions, 720-733-2287. You can find an application on our website under the volunteer tab.

**303-688-9498**

### We Need Help:

- Transportation to doctor appointments, grocery store and other local businesses. ✓
- Drive one of our vehicles ✓
- Mon-Fri from 8:30 AM-3:30 PM ✓
- Choose any days that work for you. ✓

[www.castlerockseniorcenter.org](http://www.castlerockseniorcenter.org)

