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Santa Photo Project

The Kiwanis Santa Photo Project has wrapped up for another year. The pictures are taken, the Santa volunteering has finished and the set is tucked away, ready for another year. Revenues were a little over \$7,000, down about 25% from last year and certainly not what we had hoped. The Santa committee has some ideas for improving volume next year and we will be working on these during the year. We did generate around \$5,000 after expenses, for kids, so we should feel good about that.



There are a number of people that we would like to recognize and thank you for your support.

- The members of the Santa Committee for planning, setting up, tearing down, advertising, and all of the work involved in this project.
- Fleck Sales and Dennis Wilson Foundation for sponsoring the advertising banner across HWY 34
- *The Hawk Eye* and Dennis Wilson Foundation for sponsoring the tabloid ad in *The Hawk Eye*.
- KBUR and KCPS for radio promotions
- Fun City for the generous donation of space, utilities, staff support, Fun Card discounts and free soft drinks for our volunteers. Also, for supporting the project by purchasing Santa Photos for their employees.
- Camera Land for the donation of "Large Photos"

We also want to especially thank volunteers who were most generous with their time by working 4 and 5 sessions. We would also like to thank the couples that worked as a team for the project. Finally, thanks to all who supported the project with your time and efforts whether it was by helping with support efforts or working a shift at Fun City. Your efforts are all valuable and appreciated. Hoping you all have a Blessed New Year.

Your Santa Photo Co-Chairmen, Tom, Gary and Phil

SHAMROCK SHUFFLE

Get Your Green On!

**Saturday, March 15
10 a.m.
Crapo Park
Burlington, Iowa**



This St. Patrick's Day themed fun run/walk is a fundraiser for junior high after school programs which currently have a high demand but can only afford to assist 60 at-risk youth. Participants will run or walk through bursts of color along this festive course and their event shirts will become a colorful souvenir by the completion of the course.

The after school programs are supported by volunteers and provide the kids additional educational assistance, a safe place to be, and nutritious snacks from 3 to 5 PM on Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays at Aldo Leopold and Edward Stone Middle Schools in Burlington, Iowa. The Shamrock Shuffle is a fundraiser organized by Burlington Kiwanis. Deadline to sponsor is February 14, 2014.



Sponsorship Levels:

_____ **\$2500 Title Sponsor** – Company representative is race starter, informational booth near event registration, large logo on shirt, name listed on the banner displayed at the event, mentioned in radio interviews, and literature for the business can be put in the participant packets.

_____ **\$1000 Sponsor** – Large logo on shirt, name listed on the banner displayed at the event, mentioned in radio interviews, and literature for the business can be put in the participant packets.

_____ **\$500 Sponsor**- Logo on shirt, name listed on the banner displayed at the event

_____ **\$250 Sponsor**- Name only on shirt, name listed on the banner displayed at event

_____ \$ _____ - Name on banner



Please make checks payable to Kiwanis Shamrock Shuffle or _____ check here to receive an invoice.



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Authorized Signature _____ Date _____

SHAMROCK SHUFFLE

Get Your Green On!



It's time to get excited about the Shamrock Shuffle! The Shamrock Shuffle is a St. Patrick's Day themed 5K fun run/walk and it is a new-to-our-club fund raiser. Participants will run or walk through bursts of powdered color along the course and their event shirts will become a colorful souvenir. The 2013 class of Greater Burlington Leadership initially organized the Shamrock Shuffle and handed the event to Burlington Kiwanis for 2014. All proceeds from this event are used to support the after-school programs. This is a brand new fund raising event for our club and we are looking forward to it.

Please mark your calendars for Saturday, March 15th. The event will be held rain or shine at Crapo Park in Burlington beginning at 10 am. We will ask for all Kiwanis members to help spread the word about the event, encourage participation for walkers and runners of all ages and we will also be looking for volunteers to help the day of the race in several different capacities.

Updates will be provided regularly at noon meetings leading up to the event and volunteer sign-up opportunities will be available soon.



Your Board of Directors

At the December board meeting, your Directors & Officers donated \$1000 to the Salvation Army, which was placed in the kettles on Dec. 20 on our "Ding-A-Ling" Day.

Submitted by Michelle Randall, Secretary

Perfect Attendance

Is "Perfect Attendance" your goal? Did you know that you can earn a "make-up" meeting if you attend a board meeting OR you complete a service project?

Please let Michelle Randall know if you are shooting for Perfect Attendance and she will let you know your status towards that goal!



Programs Arranged by Sharon Graham

2 - Burlington High School Key Club presented by Key Club Members and Sue Cohoon, BHS Key Club Advisor

9 - Great River Health Fitness Services presented by Jeff Taeger and Sheena Abbott

16 - Renewable Fuels Standard Update presented by Big River Resources, LLC

23 - Burlington High School Student Technology Association presented by Student Members and Scott Thorne, BHS STA Advisor

30 - Burlington Bees Host Family Program presented by Dennis Imler and Jeff Rucker



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2 Kiwanis Meeting Noon, Comfort Suites Key Club	3	4
5	6	7	8	9 Birthday Table Kiwanis Meeting Noon, Comfort Suites Great River Health Fitness	10	11
12	13	14 Board Meeting Quarterly Planning 5:30pm, The Drake	15	16 Kiwanis Meeting Noon, Comfort Suites Renewable Fuels Standards	17	18
19	20	21	22	23 Kiwanis Meeting Noon, Comfort Suites BHS Technology Assn.	24	25
26	27	28	29	30 Kiwanis Meeting Noon, Comfort Suites Bees Host Families	31	