



# The **KIWANIS BANNER**

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## Upcoming Meeting Topics & Important Dates

Dec 5	John Horne, Independence Prosthetics-Orthotics
Dec 7	Winter Bazaar and Art Loop @ Wilmington Library, 12-7 pm. Pat Bartoshesky & Janet Potts will have a Table of handcrafted items
Dec 12	Holiday Jingle & Mingle at Van & Betty's , 10 Richards Dr., Clair Manor, 5:30-8 pm (No noon meeting)
Dec 15	Family Fun Day @ Ed Oliver Golf Club, 10 am-noon. Contact Charma Bell for more details
Dec 19	No meeting
Jan 2	No meeting
Jan 16	4th Quarter Police, Fire and EMS Awards

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## The Star Spangled Banner

By Francis Scott Key 1814

O say can you see, by the dawn's early light,  
What so proudly we hailed at the twilight's last gleaming,  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars through the perilous fight,  
O'er the ramparts we watched, were so gallantly steaming?

And the rockets' red glare, the bombs bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night that our flag was still there;  
O say does that star-spangled banner yet wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave?

On the shore dimly seen through the mists of the deep,  
Where the foe's haughty host in dread silence reposes,  
What is that which the breeze, o'er the towering steep,  
As it fitfully blows, half conceals, half discloses?  
Now it catches the gleam of the morning's first beam,  
In full glory reflected now shines in the stream:  
'Tis the star-spangled banner, O! long may it wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.

And where is that band who so vauntingly swore  
That the havoc of war and the battle's confusion,  
A home and a country, should leave us no more?  
Their blood has washed out their foul footsteps' pollution.  
No refuge could save the hireling and slave  
From the terror of flight, or the gloom of the grave:  
And the star-spangled banner in triumph doth wave,  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave.

O thus be it ever, when freemen shall stand  
Between their loved homes and the war's desolation.  
Blest with vict'ry and peace, may the Heav'n rescued land  
Praise the Power that hath made and preserved us a nation!  
Then conquer we must, when our cause it is just,  
And this be our motto: 'In God is our trust.'  
And the star-spangled banner in triumph shall wave  
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave!

## KIWANIS CLUB OF WILMINGTON, DELAWARE

Wednesday, December 5, 2018

**Lunch Meeting**

THE HOTEL DUPONT 12 Noon

Welcome	Pres. Ruth Bartholomew
Star Spangled Banner	Everyone
Pledge of Allegiance	Everyone
Invocation	Pres. Ruth Bartholomew
<b>LUNCH</b>	
Introduction of Guest	Pres. Ruth Bartholomew
Program	John Horne
Announcements	Pres. Elect Carl Colantuono
Happy Dollars	David (Doc) O'Connell
50/50	David (Doc) O'Connell
God Bless America	Everyone



## John Horne

Independence Prosthetics-Orthotics  
Founder

John has 17 years experience in the prosthetics and orthotics field and is the founder of Independence Prosthetics—Orthotics. John worked at the Hughston Sports medicine Hospital in Georgia and treated patients at the Roosevelt Warm Springs Institute, a well-known polio treatment center attended by Franklin D. Roosevelt. In addition, he completed clinical training at Alfred I. DuPont Hospital for Children in Wilmington, Delaware and managed offices for three Philadelphia hospitals.

At the age of 15, John was diagnosed with bone cancer and underwent an amputation below the knee to remove the tumor. His personal experience with prosthetics led to an interest in the field and, ultimately, the founding of Independence Prosthetics-Orthotics. He enjoys outdoor camping and adaptive snow skiing. He has bungee jumped, biked nearly 100 miles to the beach and skydived...all as an amputee.

For John, the best part of the job is making a positive difference in the lives of others and working with a team of dedicated professionals with high standards focused on patient success. John's passion also includes promoting and participating in research endeavors which help advance the profession of prosthetics and orthotics, as well as the lives of people living with limb loss.

### THE OBJECTS OF KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL

**To give primacy** to the human spiritual rather than the material values of life.

**To encourage** the daily living of the Golden Rule in all of human relationships.

**To promote** the adoption and the application of higher social, business and professional standards.

**To develop**, by precept and example, a more intelligent, aggressive and serviceable citizenship.

**To provide**, through Kiwanis clubs a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service and to build better communities.

**To cooperate** in creating and maintaining that sound public opinion and high idealism, which makes possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism, and good will.



Invites you & your family to attend  
Our 5th Annual

### **HOLIDAY FUN DAY!**

**Date:** Saturday, December 15, 2018

**Time:** 10 am to Noon

**Place:** Ed Oliver Golf Club  
800 N. DuPont Road  
Wilmington, DE 19807

Please join us as we celebrate this wonderful time of the year  
By helping others

We are collecting the following donations:

- Children's books and toys
  - New socks and gloves
- Canned goods and non-perishables

**Please confirm your attendance by Tuesday, December 11th to:**  
**charmatfde@gmail.com**

Some of our fun activities will include:

- Ornament decorating/stocking stuffing
- Holiday card making/gift wrapping
  - Light refreshments
  - Music

Donations will benefit:

- St. Patrick's Senior Center
- Sunday Breakfast Mission
- L.J. Learning Academy
- Salvation Army Child Care
  - Veterans Hospital



### **Mission Statement**

Independence Prosthetics-Orthotics strives to help patients rediscover their potential and reclaim their independence by providing excellent prosthetic and orthotic care in Delaware and the surrounding Philadelphia area.

We achieve our mission by embracing our 5 core values:

**Passion:** for our work that inspires us to bring our best to the community

**Respect:** towards our patients, employees, and healthcare partners

**Innovation:** through the latest advances in prosthetic and orthotic research and technology

**Dedication:** to unsurpassed patient care and the concept of restoring lives and limbs

**Excellence:** in our clinical expertise, peer interactions, and quality of our workmanship

= **P.R.I.D.E.** in our work and exceeding the expectations of those we interact with every day!

Independence Prosthetics-Orthotics, In.  
<https://www.independencepo.com/about>



### **Thank You for Giving!**

The Salvation Army daycare children helped us model our Operation Warm coats. Coats were distributed on Nov. 20th during the Day of Prayer and Action for Children.

36 Coats were donated  
36 Coats are on order  
Approximately \$1,600 was raised

We have \$350 to go before we reach our goal  
of 100 coats for 100 years!

Please tell friends and family about our fundraiser and  
Ask if they would like to help out.



Edward Bauer	December 1
Gerald Kita	December 1



### **Help Needed**

We are in need of an additional person that can help  
with the Meals on Wheels deliveries one  
day per month.