



Tentative Conference Agenda*

Friday, November 16, 2018			
4:00 PM – 6:00 PM	Conference Registration <i>Location: Main Lobby</i>		
Saturday, November 17, 2018			
7:00 AM	Conference Registration <i>Location: Main Lobby</i>	Exhibits & Silent Auction <i>Location: Ballroom Lobby</i>	
7:30 AM – 8:30 AM	Breakfast Session, Hosted by the Past Lieutenant Governors Committee <i>Ticketed Event – All Are Welcome!</i> <i>Location: Harbor's Edge</i>		
8:45 AM – 9:15 AM	Open Session Welcome and greetings from Governor Elyse Denorfia and her team! Learn what is in store for the weekend. <i>Location: Langdon-Whipple</i>		
9:00 AM – 10:30 AM	New England CKI District Board Meeting <i>Location: John Paul Jones</i>		
9:15 AM – 5:15 PM	Hands-On Service Project! Stop in throughout the day to help with a hands-on service project. <i>Location: Thaxter</i>		
9:30 AM – 10:30 AM	<u>SERVICE</u> From Service Partners to Fellowship Learn about fostering fellowship in our shared Kiwanis service. This session will discuss Kiwanis Service Partners and ideas for District-wide fellowship (including a book club and recipe book!). <i>Presenters: Michelle Hill, Partnership Coordinator</i> <i>Location: Lear</i>	<u>MEMBERSHIP</u> How To**: Measuring Member Satisfaction Take Kiwanis' Member Survey and discuss ways to improve specific aspects of your club. <i>Location: Amphitheater</i>	<u>LEADERSHIP</u> Choosing the Right Committees & Committee Members Tips for planning 2018-2019 club committees! <i>Presenter: Tim McMahon, Past Governor</i> <i>Location: Prescott</i>



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<p>9:30 AM – 11:30 AM</p>	<p>Kiwanis Foundation of New England (KFNE) Board Meeting <i>Location: Gardner</i></p>		
<p>10:45 AM – 11:45 AM</p>	<p><u>SERVICE</u> Tackling Bullying Learn about the issue of bullying from Kiwanian and author of <i>Left Out</i> Mary Murray (copies of her book will be available!) and ways Kiwanis Clubs are working to tackle the problem. <i>Presenters: Mary Murray, Kiwanis Club of West Hartford, CT; Elyse Denorfia, Governor; Brian Cofrancesco, Leadership Development Coordinator</i> <u>Location: Lear</u></p>	<p><u>MEMBERSHIP</u> Membership Committee Training Calling Club Membership Committee Members! Learn about the responsibilities of a Membership Committee and the tools available from Kiwanis International. <i>Presenter: Robert Kinney, Membership Growth and Retention Chair</i> <u>Location: Amphitheater</u></p>	<p><u>LEADERSHIP</u> Let's Get Cooking Finding the recipe for being a successful leader. <i>Presenter: Frank Dennett, Past Governor</i> <u>Location: Prescott</u></p>
<p>12:00 PM – 1:30 PM</p>	<p>Kiwanis Foundation of New England (KFNE) Luncheon <i>Ticketed Event</i> Featuring Dr. Walter J. Chwals, Director of the Kiwanis Pediatric Trauma Institute. <i>Location: Langdon-Whipple-Roberts</i></p>		
<p>1:45 PM – 2:45 PM</p>	<p><u>SERVICE</u> Forum**: Signature Service Projects Learn about Kiwanis' focus on Signature Projects and exchange ideas with clubs across the District. <u>Location: Lear</u></p>	<p><u>MEMBERSHIP</u> Making Meetings Fun & Exciting Have you ever really listened to what your members and guests say about your Kiwanis meetings? Learn how to build a positive membership campaign in your community just by tweaking how your meetings are conducted. <i>Presenter: Chris Martz, Area Director, Kiwanis International</i> <u>Location: Amphitheater</u></p>	<p><u>LEADERSHIP</u> Tutorial**: Goal Setting for Club Boards Learn about SMART Goals and set some goals for your club. Club Leaders are encouraged to attend together. <i>Presenters: Brian Cofrancesco, Leadership Development Coordinator; Elyse Denorfia, Governor</i> <u>Location: Prescott</u></p>



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<p>1:45 PM – 2:45 PM</p>	<p>Past Lieutenant Governors Committee Meeting <i>Location: Gardner</i></p>		
<p>3:00 PM – 4:00 PM</p>	<p><u>SERVICE</u> KFNE and KPTI Projects Leaders of the Kiwanis Foundation of New England (KFNE) and Kiwanis Pediatric Trauma Institute (KPTI) will provide an overview of the Foundation and KPTI programs that you can bring back to your community. <i>Presenters: David Peterson, KFNE President-elect; Chris Holden, KFNE Vice President; Anne Keliher, KPTI Project Specialist</i> <u>Location: Lear</u></p>	<p><u>MEMBERSHIP</u> Tutorial**: Using Facebook for Marketing and Membership Get ready for hands-on learning! Bring your laptop or device to create a club Facebook page and learn tips for effective marketing to attract new members. <i>Presenter: Gayla Bartlett, Publicity and Public Relations Chair</i> <u>Location: Amphitheater</u></p>	<p><u>LEADERSHIP</u> Introduction to Parliamentary Procedure Participate in a fun, interactive activity to learn the basics of Roberts Rules of Order and how Parliamentary Procedure can help you run smooth, effective meetings. Leave with a yummy snack! <i>Presenters: David Wyskiel, District Parliamentarian</i> <u>Location: Prescott</u></p>
<p>4:00 PM – 5:00 PM</p>	<p>Past Governors Meeting <i>Location: John Paul Jones</i></p>		
<p>4:15 PM – 5:15 PM</p>	<p><u>MEMBERSHIP</u> A 45-year-old walks into a Kiwanis Club... Don't ask for the punchline; it's not a joke. What if you could reduce the average age of your club by 10 years? Discuss subtle changes you can make to appeal to a slightly younger demographic and ways to make a younger Kiwanis membership a reality. <i>Presenter: Chris Martz, Area Director, Kiwanis International</i> <u>Location: Amphitheater</u></p>	<p><u>LEADERSHIP</u> Forum**: Open Discussion for Club Leaders All Club Leaders are invited to join Governor Elyse for an open discussion about the struggles and successes facing your club. Come share how the District can best support you and your club. <i>Presenters: Elyse Denorfia, Governor</i> <u>Location: Prescott</u></p>	
<p>6:00 PM – 7:00 PM</p>	<p>Social Hour <i>Location: Ballroom Lobby</i></p>		



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7:00 PM – 9:00 PM	Dinner Session <i>Ticketed Event</i> <i>Location: Langdon-Whipple-Roberts</i>
Sunday, November 18, 2018	
8:00 AM – 9:00 AM	Breakfast Session <i>Ticketed Event</i> <i>Location: Harbor's Edge</i>
9:30 AM – 12:00 PM	2018-2019 Kiwanis District Board Meeting <i>Location: Whipple-Roberts</i>

*This is a tentative agenda and subject to change. Presenter names will be posted at www.newenglandkiwanis.org in the weeks leading up to the Convention!

**Workshops will be in-depth sessions about a topic relevant to your Kiwanis club, with time allotted for questions and audience discussion. We've introduced some new types of workshops this year:

- **Forums:** Sessions that provide opportunities for idea sharing by combining 15 minutes of presentation on a topic, project, or fundraiser, with 30 minutes of audience discussion. Discussion will focus on the specifics of the topic, project or fundraiser presented as well as similar projects that members in the room do with their own clubs.
- **How To's:** Sessions that explore specific resources and tools from Kiwanis International that can be implemented in your club.
- **Tutorials:** Hands-on sessions that teach a specific topic and allow you to practice or implement during the workshop. These sessions focus on collaboration – come with your fellow club members or board!