



Welcome to another service year with Builders Club! Learn about yourself and the needs of others, engage in the community, design and carry out service projects — and lead!

Kiwanis International provides this program kit to help advisors, officers and members make the most of meetings and activities throughout the year. Among this kit's contents are:

- First, check out the **Program Kit flyer** to see what is in the kit and other useful resources for clubs.
- The **Member and Officer Toolkit** will help members better understand themselves, gain skills and work as a team, while helping officers understand their responsibilities.
- The **Advisor Toolkit** includes a **Quick Start Guide** to keep track of important tasks throughout the year and information about guiding a club and helping officers and committee chairs facilitate group work.
- The **Service Toolkit** contains step-by-step instructions (based on research about high quality, high impact service) for officers to lead members as they learn about community issues and plan service projects.

Explore the reorganized buildersclub.org website! It is easier to find what you're looking for. Visit buildersclub.org/resources to find many tools to make your club's work easier! You'll find resources for recruitment and marketing, service, events, advisors, officers, committees, members and meeting kits (for club operations and causes).

WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS YEAR

Advisor chats: Connect with fellow advisors and Kiwanis International staff during this year's two Builders Club Advisor Chats. Find information on the chat topics, dates and registration at buildersclub.org/advisors.

Watch the Global Kickoff! Global Kickoff 2025 launches this service year on Wednesday, October 1, with the release of the event video. Host your own watch party and view the Global Kickoff video during a club meeting in October! Hear from other Builders Clubs and K-Kids members. Be inspired by service ideas from around the world. And learn about this year's Global Service Project challenge.

Trick-or-treat for good! Invite members to participate in Trick-or-Treat for UNICEF in October. Your club can help Key Club raise money for UNICEF's Start Strong: Zambia project. Learn more at keyclub.org/start-strong-zambia.

Awards and Contests: Plan to participate in Builders Club awards and contests! Download and review the **Awards and Contests Guide** (available at buildersclub.org/awardsandcontests). It includes descriptions, rules and tips for each award, and examples of what to include in your club's annual achievement report.

Thanks again for all you do and the difference you will make in 2025-26!
Please contact our staff with any questions or to talk about your club!

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