FAMILY MEMBERSHIP INCENTIVE
FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

1. Define Family for the purpose of this Incentive?

Family is defined as: spouse, parents and grandparents, children and grandchildren, brothers and sisters, mother-in-law and father-in-law, brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law, daughters-in-law and sons-in-law. Adopted, half and step family members are also included.

2. How does the Incentive work?

Every current member of Kiwanis is encouraged to ask a family member to join a Kiwanis Club. For each new family member reported to Kiwanis International by September 30, 2017 the District will pay $100 Canadian or $75 US to the club reporting the new member.

What is expected of the club?

There are no expectations of the club other than to provide an exceptional member experience. Ideally the receiving club will apply the Incentive received to reduce the new member’s dues. The Club may even offer an incentive of its own to the new member.

3. Can you provide an example of the Family Membership Incentive?

Canadian Example:

A member’s son joins a Kiwanis Club on June 1, 2017. The District will provide $100 to the receiving club upon receiving a claim form.

Caribbean Example:

A member’s son joins a Kiwanis Club on June 1, 2017. The District will provide $75 US to the receiving club upon receiving a claim form.

4. How does the Club claim the Incentive from the District?

The Club Secretary will submit a claim form along with the ‘confirmation of a new member add email’ from Kiwanis International. The Funds will be sent by cheque or wire transfer to the club.
5. **Does the new member have to join the sponsor’s club?**
The incentive is paid if they join any club in the EC&C District.

6. **What happens if they join after September 30, 2017?**
The incentive is only paid for members certified by Kiwanis International who have joined from May 1, 2017 to September 30, 2017.

7. **What happens if the club does not make a claim to District Office?**
The incentive is only available to the club if they make a claim and the District Office receives it prior to October 15, 2017.

8. **Can the Incentive be paid to the new members sponsor?**
The incentive can only be paid to the club who registers’ the new member.

9. **Does the Family Membership Incentive apply to a member who is not sponsored by a family member?**
The incentive is only paid to clubs inducting a family sponsored member.

10. **Is the incentive paid if a family member joins a new club as part of the charter member group?**
If the member is sponsored by a current Kiwanis member the incentive would be paid to the new club.