

**Spalding County Board of Commissioners at their Regular Meeting on February 2, 2015 recognized the 100 Anniversary of the Kiwanis Club.**





## Proclamation

### Kiwanis International Centennial Anniversary


- WHEREAS:** Kiwanis International is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world one child and one community at a time, with the belief that children are the future and, when you give a child the chance to learn, experience, dream, grow, thrive, and succeed, great things will happen; and
- WHEREAS:** The first Kiwanis club started its service in Detroit, Michigan, USA, in 1915 and Kiwanis International celebrates its Centennial Anniversary of the founding of the Detroit Kiwanis Club No.1; and
- WHEREAS:** Kiwanis International is one of the largest service organizations in the world with more than 600,000 members of all ages and abilities in more than 80 nations; and
- WHEREAS:** The members of Kiwanis Club of Griffin are devoted to improving the lives of families in the community by seeking "primacy to the human and spiritual, rather than the material values of life", and providing service that will continue to have a positive effect on our community and citizens; and
- WHEREAS:** In addition, Kiwanis Club members promote the development of community leaders, positive role models, intercultural understanding and cooperation, and opportunities for fellowship, personal growth, professional development, and community service; and

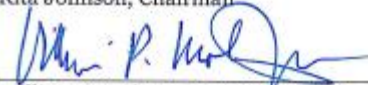
**NOW, THEREFORE  
BE IT RESOLVED**

I, Rita Johnson, Chairman of the Spalding County Board of Commissioners, Griffin, Georgia, do hereby proclaim Wednesday, January 21, 2015, as "Kiwanis International Day" celebrating the 100th Anniversary of Kiwanis International, and do hereby call upon all citizens of Spalding County to recognize the charitable contribution of the Kiwanis Club of Griffin and to make themselves aware of Kiwanis International, whose members this day are providing meaningful service to our homes, schools, and community.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the County to be affixed this, the 2nd day of February, in the year of our Lord, two thousand fifteen.



  
Rita Johnson, Chairman

  
William P. Wilson, Jr., County Clerk