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Connecting the Super Heroes of Service



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for and about the
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- Camarillo
- Carpinteria
- Conejo Valley
- Moorpark
- Oxnard
- Santa Barbara
- Santa Paula
- Santa Susana
- Simi Online
- Simi Valley
- South Coast
- Thousand Oaks
- Ventura
- Ventura East
- Ventura Suburban

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CONNECTIONS

As I prepared my Speech for my Installation the word Connections came to mind.

The word Connections has a feel of ELECTRICITY to me.

I have found Kiwanis to be a great facilitator of Connections in a community. An ELECTRICITY that adds energy to a community and to all the people that are involved with Kiwanis.

When you really think about it, we are the Connecting Threads that are part of the tapestry in our communities

Aren't we connected to those most in need with our hands on service projects within the community? Aren't we connected to the children of a community through our SLP programs? Have you ever felt the ELECTRICITY at a Key Club Convention)

We are connected to Teachers, Police Departments, Fire Departments, City Officials, Corporations, Chambers, Little Leagues, Soccer Leagues, Council and Board Members... the community leaders that make things happen. Each Club has Specific Projects that connect all these Kiwanians and Community Members.

Our SLPs – our Builders Clubs, Key Clubs, KIWINs, and Circle K members are future Kiwanians who in turn will connect to each other and to all the people and organizations Kiwanis provide service for. Those current and future connections can ELECTRIFY a town.

Let's be aware of all those Connections we have all made over the years

as Members of Kiwanis and realize how much we have all done to improve the communities we live in. Let's be aware how much each of us has grown by being connected and involved. **When we feel connected – we belong. Being connected builds stronger communities.**

One of my Goals this year is to seek out service projects that will connect all Kiwanis' family members, whether they are part of our SLP programs, Circle K programs, AKTION Club, all our members in Division 42, Region 10, Cal-Nev-Ha, and Kiwanis International.

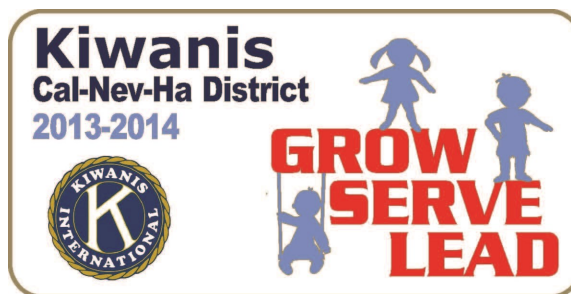
You may be thinking at this moment - **uh-oh...** what service project **does Brad** have in mind? I suggest you come to my First DCM on October 10th and find out. Going to a DCM is an opportunity for us to share ideas, share the electricity, learn from each other, eat, and have fun– And most importantly, connect with each other. **DCMs can be our opportunity to share ideas and to share our success. We are here to serve each other – our Division 42 Clubs don't compete – we cooperate – so we can grow – serve and lead.**

We make those connections by going to meetings, by being on committees, by going to DCM's, Mid Year Conferences, and Conventions. I believe that when you show up - things happen. Things don't happen when you decide it's too hot or you're too tired to go to a DCM. You may be the ONE that make all the difference at that meeting!

Another Goal I have is for communities to be reminded who Kiwanis is. And we will all need to go back to one of the definition of Kiwanis (**We Make Noise**) and make some noise in our communities. **We can add some sparks that ignite a community.**

We make those connections by being involved in our communities keeping our eyes and ears open for new projects and for new members.

I hope to see many of you October 10th at our first DCM for 2013-2014



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CONEJO VALLEY

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EAST VENTURA

Meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday 12:00 Noon
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Meets Thursday 12:00 Noon
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Meets Wednesday 12:15 PM
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SIMI VALLEY

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Kiwanis



Why your club should attend an *Achieving Club Excellence* workshop

Start changing the world in your own community by improving your own Kiwanis club. Lead the way to a larger, more vibrant club that is providing significant service to children. Help your current and future members connect to the Kiwanis purpose and mission to change the world one child and one community at a time.

The Achieving Club Excellence workshop presents a dynamic seven-step process that clubs can follow to remain viable in today's culture. In this 3-hour workshop, club members learn how to explore new approaches to increase service and apply new strategies for membership growth. Club members will focus on how to enhance the membership experience for all club members and how to develop and maintain a relevant service impact in their community.

Clubs will benefit from attending this workshop by:

- Engaging all club members in the club improvement process,
- Assessing club projects and activities to determine what the clubs needs to
 - Keep doing
 - Start doing, and
 - Stop doing
- Add value to the individual member's experience in Kiwanis,
- Increase the service impact in the club's community, and
- Create public awareness of the Kiwanis club presence and mission.

Children in your own community and around the world need Kiwanis. There are people in your community who have the desire to help. Following this simple process will bring them together. **You can make the difference!**

RSVP Brad Lewis bradlewis@earthlink.net 818-889-2887 by October 16th.

The



Arc of Ventura County

5103 Walker Street. Ventura, CA 93003

Saturday, October 26

9:00 am - noon

CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST SERVED

ASKING A DONATION OF \$5.00 PER PERSON TO OFFSET COSTS.



**Achieving Club Excellence (ACE)
Workshop Registration
October 26th, 2013 9-12 PM
ARC of Ventura County 5103 Walker Street. Ventura, CA 93003**

ALL Club Officers and Members are invited to

*Achieving Club Excellence workshop
Learn how your club can go from "good" to "GREAT"*

This is the workshop that had over 1,800 Kiwanians register for at the 2012 Kiwanis International Convention at New Orleans! A seven step process will be presented to help clubs be an excellent club with a circular representation to indicate that it never ends. Attendees will learn how to evaluate their club, plan for success, inform the members and enhance the member's experience. The ACE workshop is for as many club members and officers present as possible. All materials will be provided.

Presented by:

Roy Hedeem

Lead Area Director

North America & Latin America

Indianapolis, Indiana

Date: October 26th, 2013

Time: 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m

Registration deadline: October 16th, 2013

Send the following to bradlewis@earthlink.net

Club: _____

Name of Attendee(s): _____

Email: _____

Phone: (_) _____

We look forward to providing this workshop that will help your club become great.

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Sincerely,

Brad Lewis Lt. Governor Division 42 bradlewis@earthlink.net 818-889-2887 FAX 818-865-0202

GREAT NEWS !

CONEJO VALLEY

Roger Klausler Reporting:

Sponsored by Kiwanis of Conejo Valley and Simi Valley Kiwanis, Ridone Inc. presented a free Spa Day at Ashlee Manor Senior Apartments in Simi Valley on September 21, with help from volunteer students from the Simi Valley Adult School of Cosmetology, StoneBridge Community Church, and Girl Scouts Troop 60842. Ridone Inc. is a nonprofit that provides free haircuts, manicures and makeup.

Five of our members attended the installation of Lt. Governor Brad Lewis on September 22. Thank you for a great year to our own outgoing (and delightfully out-going) Lt. Governor Dee Tally!

As we do every other month, our club prepared and served dinner to the needy and homeless on September 26 at Emmanuel Presbyterian Church on Camino Manzanas.

Our officer installation was held on September 28, welcoming Tim Neal who took the gavel from Immediate Past President Wendy Prindle.

SIMI VALLEY

Dr. Carol Kelley Reporting:

KIWANIS CLUBS CONNECTING

MELISSA GONZALEZ is a senior in Simi High School Key Club in Simi Valley. She was an invited speaker at the Santa Susana Elementary School Kids-Club April 16th, '13 meeting. Melissa shared benefits of Builders Club and Key Club membership. Leadership development opportunities and personal fulfillment of working with the Kiwanis service organizations were emphasized. She encouraged each member to follow her or his passions. Examples of opportunities which she has had by giving to her school and local community made her message a personal one to the Kids Club members. Melissa used her own choices to let the students know that there are many excellent reasons to develop leadership skills and give to one's community. Being INVOLVED and helping her identify possible career goals was a meaningful part of Melissa's message. Leadership and service in school and community enhances Melissa's chances of earning scholarships to continue her education. Her messages

- 1). FOLLOW YOUR OWN INTERESTS, 2). BE INVOLVED IN SCHOOL AND COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES,
- 3). REACH OUT FOR SUPPORT.

Melissa's authenticity and message made a powerful impact upon Kids-Club members. Small groups and individuals talked with Melissa following her presentation. Students were very focused on her excellent slide show documenting her diverse activities. Viewing and discussion about her slide show clearly attested to the interest and benefit of Melissa's presentation.

This Kids-Club program informed and inspired members and may be an example of what Kiwanis Clubs can do to connect and inspire elementary and middle school Clubs this year. Such engagement has potential benefits for the members, the community, and beyond.

MOORPARK

PROCLAMATION

A PROCLAMATION OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MOORPARK PROCLAIMING THE 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE KIWANIS CLUB OF MOORPARK

WHEREAS, Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world, one child and one community at a time; and


WHEREAS, The Kiwanis Club of Moorpark was chartered on March 17, 1988; and

WHEREAS, The Kiwanis Club of Moorpark has actively served the objectives of Kiwanis for twenty-five years by numerous community service projects and endeavors for the betterment of the youth and citizens of Moorpark and the community at large; and

WHEREAS, The Kiwanis Club of Moorpark has included in those community service projects sponsorship for the Terrific Kids Program at Moorpark elementary schools, Breakfast with Santa for 350 of Moorpark's neediest children, Wine and Moonlight fundraising event, First 5 of Ventura County, scholarships to graduating Moorpark High Seniors, Catholic Charities-Moorpark Pantry Plus, Boys and Girls Club of Moorpark, Chaparral and Mesa Verde Middle School Music Programs, Moorpark High School Music Program, MHS KIWIN's Club, MHS Future Business Leaders of America, High Street Theatre Arts Foundation, Moorpark School Libraries, Boy Scouts of America, Eagle Scout Projects, For the Troops, Relay for Life and Moorpark Country Days.

NOW, THEREFORE, the City Council of the City of Moorpark does hereby proclaim the 25th Anniversary of the Kiwanis Club of Moorpark and calls upon the citizens of Moorpark to recognize and commend the Kiwanis Club of Moorpark for providing comprehensive, effective services to the youth and citizens in our community.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the City Council of the City of Moorpark does set its hand and cause the seal of the City of Moorpark to be affixed this 11th day of September, 2013.


Roseann Mikos, Ph.D., Councilmember Janice S. Parvin, Mayor Keith F. Millhouse, Councilmember
 
David Pollock, Councilmember Mark Van Dam, Councilmember



MORE...

GREAT NEWS !

SANTA BARBARA

Anita Ho reporting:

BEST DAY FOUNDATION SURFING AND BBQ

Kiwanis members were on hand to provide a BBQ for the autistic surfers and their volunteers. It was a beautiful day at Leadbetter Beach.



ELIMINATE
maternal/neonatal tetanus

Division 42 Eliminate Project



	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N
1	J. Bertoniier	IMO Art Zimmer		Lenny Rodriguez		Floyd Martin	Oxnard Kiwanis		IMO Art Zimmer			IMO Art Zimmer	Mary Martin	Don Medley
2		Doug/Liz Morrison				IMO Art Zimmer		Alma Vaja		Betty S.			Art Najera	Matt Kohagen
3		T. Stapleford	Dee Talley	B. Stapleford		Steve Holt			Wes Miller			Wendy Prindle		IMO Art Zimmer
4	Anita Ho			Wendy Prindle		IMO Art Zimmer	Tom Stapleford			Oxnard Kiwanis	Wes Miller			Steve Holt
5	IMO Art Zimmer		Oxnard Kiwanis		Tom Stapleford		Marsha Gray	Walt Metcalf	IMO Art Zimmer			Lisa Gosdchan		
6		Tom S.			Ed Cue	Dee Talley	Alan Guire	Jack Tucker		J. Bertoniere			Oxnard Kiwanis	
7			Jim Langley		IMO Art Zimmer		Cory Woodruff				Alan Guire	Louise Garcia	T. Stapleford	
8	East Vta Kiwanis		IMO Art Zimmer		Lorraine Brown (wes)		Doug/Liz Morrison		Bruce Byers	John Absmeier		Nick Esser	Nick Esser	'Nick Esser
9	Don Medley			IMO Art Zimmer			Oxnard Kiwanis				Peter Johnson		Mary Martin	Matt Kohagen
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