

#### **CAL-NEV-HA District Division 42 Newsletter**

### **October / November 2016**

# Kathí's Korner

#### Kathi Van Etten Lieutenant Governor 2016-2017

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A publication for and about the Kiwanis Clubs of:

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**THOUSAND OAKS** 

VENTURA

**VENTURA-SUBURBAN** 

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As we head into the holiday season, I just want to say how thankful I am for all of your service and support since taking on the office of lieutenant governor for Division 42.

As Mike and I traveled around the division for your installation celebrations, we were so inspired and encouraged by the enthusiasm of each club in our great division.

The members that we have met are much like the members in our home club--great people doing great things, just in a different community.

I want to invite you to attend our December DCM on Thursday, December 8 at 6:00 PM at the Arc Center in Ventura (on Walker Street). This meeting will be a fun holiday party where we can all come together and celebrate the season!

Please bring a potluck item that starts with the same letter as your last name, and also an ornament for a fun ornament exchange.

Simi Valley's own Still in Tune band will be there playing a variety of holiday tunes that we can all sing along to.

In closing, I want to again thank you for your commitment to this organization and to the smiles you provide to the children and the needy in your communities.

Keep smiling,

Kathi



Camarillo Kiwanis



#### **Retirement Celebration**

Walt Metcalf and Herman Eichenhofer were honored with a great dinner by the club. Both are retiring, but not completely, as both will be honorary members. We are sad to see them go, especially as Walt has put in 40 years of service including Division 42 Lt. Governor and several times President of our club. Herman has put in 59 years. (He decided to wait another year so that he will have 60 years completed.)

#### **Cynthia Rexford reporting**



### **Accessible Playground Becomes a Reality**



We finally broke ground for our dream project in September, with the ribbon-cutting on November 18.







Clockwise from top left: Past President Don Medley speaks at the ribboncutting ceremony; President Peter Johnson celebrates aboard the new accessible Rock'N Ship Glider; new swing for adult/child sharing; beachball souvenir; Past President Allen Grizzard-Paul gets hugs from his happy grand-children.



# Kiwanis of Conejo Valley Roger Klausler reporting



Left: Robert Wing is our 3rd new member of the calendar year, shown at his induction. He is an ACT and SAT test preparation consultant.

Right: at Sunland Vintage Winery in Thousand Oaks, we held our 2016-17 officer installation, with outgoing President Dee Talley presenting Distinguished Service Awards to Tim Neal, Roy Talley, and Roger Klausler, and the Kiwanian of the Year Award to Sonia Agresti.





We received a sponsorship check for \$1000 from Coast Hills Credit Union in support of our Wine and Food event on October 20. Branch Manager and former member Ari Hovnanyan (left side of check), did the presentation.



On September 22, at the Presbyterian Church on Camino Manzanas, we served a dinner for 35 people for the Lutheran Social Services Meal and Shelter Program. Four members of the Newbury Park High School Key Club joined us.



On September 15, we had our first joint meeting with our satellite club, Agoura Hills-Westlake.

# **Moorpark Kiwanis**

## **Ute Van Dam reporting**



Moorpark Kiwanians enjoy a lovely dinner at the Moorpark Country Club for our monthly social.



Kiwanian Margarita Assael and Teacher Sponsor Ms. Eich recruit new members for the Builders Club at Campus Canyon School.





Mountain Meadows Elementary School just finished their K-Kids Cereal Box drive and will be donating 515 boxes of cereal to Moorpark Food Pantry .

# **Kiwanis of Santa Barbara**

### Anita Dominocielo-Ho reporting



Congratulations to Kiwanian Riley Harwood on 25 years with the City of Santa Barbara's finest! He was presented his 25 year pin by Mayor Helene Schneider.



Welcome Alex Tellez, President of the Santa Barbara Community College CKI, our newly formed SLP Club. Kiwanis Advisor Janice Rorick, background - left, will provide support to the club.







Kiwanis of Santa Barbara recently held our new annual fundraiser, *Buckles 'n' Brews Invitational*. LEFT: Member Pete Georgi enjoys the event with his high school classmate Ted Oniveras. RIGHT: President Anita Dominocielo-Ho shows off the glasses sponsored by our generous Kiwanian member Michele Herrera from RPM Mortgage.



LEFT: Kathy Huntington and Marsha Gray sold out all the tri tip sandwiches prepared by Garry Schwan and Gary Gray. Miguel Palacios prepares to help clean up after the event. CENTER: Helen Deshler welcomes guests at the front entrance.

RIGHT: Event Coordinator, Andres Nuño shows appreciation to participant Tim (right) from Pure Order, whose owner James Burge was the first person to encourage us to host the event.

# **Kiwanis of Simi Valley**

### **Nick Esser reporting**



Our second annual Cowboys and Cabernet event, held at Strathearn Historical Park on September 25, was fun for all despite the 100+ temperatures and gusty winds.



On October 29, we sponsored another Round\*Up Against Hunger food drive as our Kiwanis One Day project. Aided by our Builders Clubs, we set up donation spots at 7 local grocers and collected over 6 tons of food and \$600 for our local food bank and homeless shelter.



We chartered our newest SLP, the K-Kids Club at Big Springs Elementary, on October 19. The faculty sponsor is the principal, Mrs. Lori Rangel - holding banner on the left! Lots of parents and Simi Kiwanians were on hand for the festivities.

# **Thousand Oaks Kiwanis**

### **Katy Porter reporting**



Irish John Gore Lad with a 35-year anniversary membership plaque.

serves hamburgers and hot dogs to all the folks working to clean up the Ventura county beach areas.



# Division 42 Clubs & Meetings

Please confirm the meeting place and time with the Club Secretary if you are planning a visit.

#### Camarillo

Meeting: Round Table Restaurant, 880 Arneill Rd., 1st Tuesday 6:00 pm; All Other Tuesdays 12:00 pm President: Peter Johnson Email: peterwyattj@gmail.com Ph: (805) 443-0189 Secy: Cecelia Rexford P.O. Box 533 (club address), Camarillo, 93011 Email: aachskiwinsadvisor@gmail.com Ph: (805) 766-3534 Cell (Text preferred)

#### Conejo Valley

Meeting: Bandits Grill and Bar 589 North Moorpark Road , Thousand Oaks Tuesdays 11:45 am President: Tom Stapleford Email: stapletc@gmail.com Ph: (805) 405-3086 Cell Secy: Roger Klausler Email: rklausler@gmail.com

#### Moorpark

Meeting: Moorpark Chamber of Commerce, 18 E. High St., 1st Mondays 7:00 pm President: Bryan Lee Email: bdlnotary@gmail.com Ph: (805) 402-0177 Cell Secy: Tom Anderson Email: tqanderson@roadrunner.com Ph: (805) 708-6454

#### Oxnard

Meeting: The Tower Club, 300 E. Esplanade Dr., 22nd Floor Thursdays 12:00 pm President: Sergio Martinez Email: bombero63@gmail.com Ph: (805) 985-4505 Secy: Daniel Martinez—call to schedule visit Email: Daniel.martinez@ci.oxnard.ca.us Ph: (805) 844-9145 Cell

#### Santa Barbara

Meeting: Mesa Café, 1972 Cliff Drive, Santa Barbara, Wednesdays 12:00 pm President: Anita Dominocielo Ho Email: vol@volunteersb.com Ph: (805) 451-2928 Secy: Fred Owens Email: froghospital911@gmail.com Ph: (360) 739-0214

#### Santa Paula

Meeting: Zapparelli's Pizza, 598 W. Main St., Santa Paula, Thursdays 12:00 pm President: Ken Stock Email: kwstock85@gmail.com Ph: (805) 407-7446 Secy: Liana Aguirre Email: lianaaguirre@gmail.com Ph: (805) 701-0720

#### Santa Susana

Meeting: Junkyard Café, 2585 Cochran St., Simi Valley, Wednesdays 12:15 pm President: Judy Bertoniere Email: bonniebrae@sbcglobal.net Ph: (805) 583-4663 Secy: Gary White Email: bflatgary@sbcglobal.net Ph: (805) 660-7446 Cell

#### Simi Valley

Meeting: Junkyard Café, 2585 Cochran St., Simi Valley, Wednesdays (except week of 2nd Friday) 7:00 am After-Hours meeting - 2nd Friday of Each Month, 6:30 pm @ Boys & Girls Club of Simi Valley 2850 Lemon Avenue, Simi Valley President: Floyd Martin Email: martin.floyd2230@gmail.com Ph: (805) 587-2233 Cell Secy: Mary Martin Email: fmmartin7@sbcglobal.net Ph: (805) 527-0760

#### The South Coast

Meeting: IHOP Restaurant, 4765 Calle Real, Santa Barbara, CA 93105, Tuesdays 6:30 pm President: Richard Brown Email: dianabasso@cox.net Ph: (805) 683-1764 Secy: Bill Bailey Email: bill@jwbailey.com Ph: (805) 964-2249

#### Thousand Oaks

Meeting: Palm Gardens, 495 Ventu Park Rd., Thousand Oaks Wednesdays 7:15 am; ALSO—Social Mtg. "First Friday" night each month; location varies President: Katherine Porter Email: katy\_d\_porter@hotmail.com Ph: (818) 575-3485 Secy: Gloria Dyok Email: gloriadyok@verizon.net Ph: (805) 402-1297 Cell (Text preferred)

#### Ventura

Meeting: Poinsettia Pavilion, 3451 Foothill Rd., Ventura, Fridays 12:00 pm President: Andy Mack Email: amack@arcvc.org Ph: (805) 410-2444 Cell Secy: Fred Ziegler Email: ziegler.fairway@gmail.com Ph: (805) 535-5218 Cell

#### Ventura-Suburban

Meeting: Marie Callender's Restaurant, 1295 S. Victoria Ave., 1st & 3rd Wednesdays 6:30 pm President: Brendan Hendrick Email: kiwinsda2000@aol.com Ph: Home: (805) 642-8661 Secy: Tracey Hendrick Email: tnbhen@aol.com Ph: (805) 642-8661



# **DIVISION 42 CALENDAR OF EVENTS**



## DECEMBER 2016 Thursday, December 8th

DCM @<u>The Arc—Ventura</u> 5103 Walker Street—Ventura, CA 93003 Potluck Dinner - No Host

JANUARY 2017 Thursday, January 12th DCM @<u>The Arc—Ventura</u> 5103 Walker Street—Ventura, CA 93003 Hosting club: Santa Barbara

# FEBRUARY 2017

Thursday, February 9th DCM @The Arc—Ventura 5103 Walker Street—Ventura, CA 93003 Hosting club: Santa Paula

# SAVE THE DATE: MARCH 4<sup>TH</sup>

Mid-Year Conference - Riverside

# **MARCH 2017**

Thursday, March 9th DCM @<u>The Arc-Ventura</u> 5103 Walker Street-Ventura, CA 93003 *Hosting club: OPEN* (Possible Governor's Visit)

# <u>MARCH TBD, 2017</u>

11:00 am - 3:00 pm Governor's Visit River Ridge Golf Club -2401 W Vineyard Ave, Oxnard, CA 93036 Simi Valley Club hosting

### <u>APRIL 2017</u>

Thursday, April 13th DCM @<u>The Arc—Ventura</u> 5103 Walker Street—Ventura, CA 93003 *Hosting club: Ventura* 

### MAY 2017

Thursday, May 11th DCM @The Arc—Ventura 5103 Walker Street—Ventura, CA 93003 Hosting club: Santa Susana

# <u>JUNE 2016 - Date TBD</u> <u>CLE training!</u>

JUNE 2017 Thursday, June 8th DCM @The Arc—Ventura 5103 Walker Street—Ventura, CA 93003 Hosting club: Moorpark - Governor Elect Candidates

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## July 13 - 16, 2017

Kiwanis International Convention Paris, France

August 3 - 5, 2017 Cal - Nev - Ha District Convention -Reno / Sparks, NV

# <u>SEPTEMBER 2017</u> <u>No DCM—Installations</u>

