

DEE TELLS



“Members in Black”

Searching for people who desire to make a difference in the lives of children through community service.

IT'S ALL DOWNHILL FROM HERE!

That's right! We have passed the halfway point for this administrative year. How many of you are now counting the days? I know I am. This doesn't mean I have stopped working; in fact I am working twice as hard to make our division as successful as possible.

How about you? Are you coasting or have you put it into the next gear and are picking up speed? Remember the needs of our communities aren't controlled by a calendar. They are there year round. It is our duty to work just as hard, if not harder, the second half of the year to meet these needs. We also need to make sure our clubs are stronger at the end of the year than they were at the beginning.



How do we do this? To begin with, we have to exhibit the same leadership intensity now and for the rest of the year as we had at the start of the year. Keep preparing for your meetings and keep them flowing. Identify and start developing next year's officers, directors and chairmen to insure a smooth transition and a fast start.

Review your roster and identify any “at risk” members. Start working with these “at risk” members so you won't be losing them at the end of the year. Implement a second half membership growth plan that will provide you with positive growth. I am counting the days until we can celebrate together for having the best year ever in Division 42!

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- Simi Online
- Simi Valley
- South Coast
- Thousand Oaks
- Ventura East
- Ventura Suburban



CONVENTION 2013



ICON. For those of you without an SLP dictionary, ICON stands for International Convention. It is scheduled for **June 27-29 in Vancouver, British Columbia.**

I hope you have made your reservations and are planning to attend a great convention with many educational and informative sessions. There will also be adequate time to enjoy the beauty of Vancouver and the surrounding areas.

We also have a candidate from our District for International Trustee, **Past Governor Patti Barsotti.** Patti is counting on your vote at the convention. Make sure you have all your possible delegates certified.

Looking forward to joining you for an exciting and fun time.

Dee

**It's Majestic. It's Modern.
It's YOU.**

Vancouver is an ideal location for the Kiwanis family. It's one of the world's most beautiful cities, and it has



an atmosphere to match--a welcoming blend of hospitality and sophistication.

Kiwanians take pride in fellowship. And we love to have a little fun while

making a serious difference.

In Vancouver, we'll be surrounded by a city that also knows how to mix the timeless with the up-to-date. From the ocean views and nearby rainforests to the thriving modern culture. From the clean streets and cosmopolitan vibe to the beaches and other outdoor attractions.



While we're there, we'll have the workshops and educational sessions you've come to expect from our international conventions. Along with the chance to make your voice heard, thanks to business sessions and membership votes on issues that are shaping our future. We'll even be sharing the Vancouver experience with members of Circle K International, whose convention will also be in town.

Youthful spirit and lasting impact. Friendly and lively and leading the way. That's you. That's Vancouver too. We can't wait to see you there!

REMINDER: INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL TO CANADA

For those of you who haven't done any International travel lately or haven't been to Canada recently, you will need a valid passport to enter (and return) from Canada.

For those of you who do have a passport and haven't looked at it lately, check the expiration date making sure it's not (or going) to expire. It takes approximately six weeks to get or renew a passport. You need to start the process right away.

Passports can be applied for at the Post Office. They may restrict the hours so check first before going in.

APRIL 11 DIVISION COUNCIL MEETING

Join us on April 11th for DCM at ARC facility on 5103 Walker Street in Ventura. **Santa Barbara and South Coast** will be co-hosting. See everyone there.



CLUB ELECTIONS

Hopefully everyone has their club elections scheduled with a full slate of candidates. Just a little reminder to log in to Kiwansone.org and complete the election report right after the results are tallied.

Also, send a copy of *contact information of your new president and secretary* (even if you are a repeat) to **Lt. Gov-Elect Brad Lewis** at bradlewis@earthlink.net. This is very important as he will be scheduling your CLE training and needs to communicate with next years' officers.

CLUB NEWS

MOORPARK

Kim Simons Reporting

Come to our annual fundraiser, "Wine and Moonlight" on April 21 at the Secret Garden Restaurant, 255 East High Street from 4PM until 7PM. The tickets are 40.00 and you will enjoy wine tastings from some of our highly rated local wineries and food tastings from many local restaurants. There is live music, and as always, fun for all. Please join us!

Tickets are available from our website: www.moorparkwine.com.

CONEJO VALLEY

Roger Klausler Reporting:

We held a well-attended Special Guest Day on March 12 at the Los Robles Greens Golf Club on lower Moorpark Road. Guest speaker was Kathi Van Etten, who showed the video "One" and spoke about Kiwanis's various Service Leadership Programs for kids, teens, and adults. Our two newest members shared their "Kiwanis moments," those special and emotional events that made a difference in their lives and in the lives of others.

We prepared and served meals to the homeless at the Chinese Christian Church on Janss Road in January and again on March 28.

Twelve box seats at \$35 each are still available for Santa Anita Derby Day on Saturday, April 6. These are not exclusively for members of Kiwanis. Bring your friends and families! The ticket includes a reserved seat at the finish line, with a monitor; admission to a live concert sponsored by KROQ, 15 to 20 gourmet food trucks and micro-breweries, pony rides, face-painting, a bouncy-house, a Santa Anita t-shirt, and free valet parking--all for only \$35! Contact Duane Hollinger at [805-373-3711](tel:805-373-3711) or bucks4home@aol.com

VENTURA

Matt Kohagen Reporting:

We are happy to announce we added 5 new members from our successful Guest Day held on March 1st.

We had 4 members attend the mid-winter conference in Burbank.

Kiwins Club raised over \$600 in a garage sale in March for Relay for Life. Our Kiwins Club advisor will be escorting them to their D-Con in San Diego in mid-April.

We had 24 K-Kids from Sheridan Way Elementary School join us for our luncheon meeting on March 15th to enjoy a kids feast of hamburgers and corndogs.

Some members volunteered for Kid's Fishing Day held at Lake Casitas on Sat. March 23rd.

For April we will be holding our Kiwanis One Day on Sat. April 6th, 8 AM to Noon at the Poinsettia Pavilion to assist with some cleanup of shrubbery in the parking area.

SIMI VALLEY

Madeleine Kolodziej Reporting:

All hands are on deck for the biggest event on our calendar this year: the Country Western ROUND*UP at Hummingbird Ranch in Simi Valley.

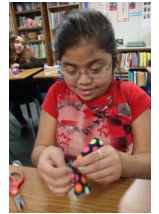
You don't want to miss it! See the flyer in this newsletter.

K-KIDS  KATS

Community service to support animals at the Ventura County Animal Shelter by making toys for kittens and cats is a K-Kids project that has brought its members a sense of pride, while making life happier for the felines in the shelter and for those to be adopted.



Leadership opportunities were a part of this project when members participated in the Shelter's



Eggstravaganza at the Shelter on March 23rd. Signs made by members credited this Kiwanis SLP partner at the event. Donations for the toys were given to the Shelter.

As the Shelter Volunteer staff coordinator for the Callaway Cats program states, we want to "connect the next generation of adopters with today's shelters."

The Santa Susana K-Kids Club is learning about giving to the community.

OXNARD

Daniel Martinez Reporting:

April 11: Police Officer of the Year at Oxnard Tower Club;

April 20: Assist Oxnard Salvation Army Pancake Breakfast Fundraiser.

THOUSAND OAKS

Steve Holt Reporting:

The Kiwanis Club of Thousand Oaks is preparing for our Special Guest Day on Wednesday, April 24. SGD is not only an opportunity to recruit new members, it also reinforces why existing members originally joined Kiwanis. One of our brightest future leaders was introduced to Kiwanis one year ago on Special Guest Day.

We're also participating in a fundraiser for our administration by working for the local American Youth Soccer Organization (AYSO) chapter on April 5, 6 & 7.

One of our committees will also summarize and present to our Board of Directors several ideas for service projects in the future and share feedback on our Community Analysis.

ROUNDUP

A ROCKIN' COUNTRY MUSIC EXTRAVAGANZA

SATURDAY
APRIL 20
SIMI VALLEY

at Hummingbird Nest Ranch



Featuring

John Michael MONTGOMERY

The Walking Phoenixes -
a Johnny Cash Tribute

Brent Payne

The Silverados

Kristen Castro

Herrick

& KHAY DJ-celebrity emcee

Summer James

MUSIC - FOOD & CRAFT VENDORS - DANCING - KIDS AREA & MORE!

Tickets: \$20 advance/\$25 at the Gate. Kids 12 & Under FREE with Paid Adult

For Tickets and Event Information call 805-807-5100
or visit www.roundupsimi.org

Gates Open at 10:00 AM/Music at 11:00

Hummingbird Nest Ranch - 2940 Kuehner Drive - Simi Valley

Kiwanis Club of Moorpark 2013 Annual Fund-Raiser

Wine & Moonlight

Sunday, April 21st 2013

4:00 – 7:00 p.m.

The Secret
Garden

255 E. High St.

Moorpark, CA

Tickets \$40 on-line
or at the door

Includes wine and gourmet
food tastings.

Designated driver (no alcohol) tickets
available for \$30



Proceeds from this event will benefit programs such as
Breakfast with Santa, Terrific Kids, Veteran's Day Ceremony,
College Scholarships, the Moorpark Pantry and many other local charities.

For sponsorship information, or to purchase
tickets, visit www.moorparkwine.com

Gary Gray
Immediate Past Lieutenant Governor,
Division 42, Cal-Nev-Ha District of Kiwanis International

Greetings, fellow Kiwanians. In April at our Division Council meeting we will undertake one of the critical elements of carrying our mission forward by electing new leadership for our Division for the administrative year of 2013-2014. One of the many opportunities our membership in Kiwanis affords us is that of personal growth in servant leadership. These opportunities for participation extend to club leadership and the membership at large through attendance and participation in the Division election process. These elections matter. Our Division has been on a positive trend in recent years, demonstrated by high quality events and excellent participation by our membership. Passionate, inspired leadership is part of the equation and deserves our support. I encourage all of you to turn out in force for the April 11, 2013 Division Council meeting to properly represent your club in the support of new leadership.

There is some paperwork involved to properly conduct a legal Division election. To ensure that all understand the process, following are the rules and guidelines we will follow in the election.

Our Division elections are carried out in accordance with Article XI, sec. 3 of our District Bylaws. A quorum for the election conference is composed of two-thirds of the clubs from the Division. A club charter must be in good standing to participate in the quorum. Each club is entitled to two voting delegates, the club President and Immediate Past President. Either delegate may be replaced by a designated alternate delegate from the club's membership. Such alternate delegates will be required to present to the Conference Secretary a certificate of designation signed by the club's Secretary certifying their authorization to attend on behalf of their club.

In summary, the foregoing charges each club with two fundamental duties: First to ensure your club's attendance at the election Conference with proper delegate representation, and second to ensure that alternate delegates are bearing proper authorization from the club. A specimen of a certificate appropriate to this purpose can be found nearby elsewhere in this bulletin.

The best to all of you, and I look forward to seeing all of you at our April Division Council meeting.

Secretary's Certificate

To whom it may concern:

I am the Secretary of the Kiwanis Club of _____. By these presents I certify that the Kiwanis Club of _____ has designated _____, a member in good standing of the club, to serve as an alternate delegate to the Election Conference of Division 42 of the Cal-Nev-Ha District of Kiwanis International to be convened at the Division Conference Meeting of April 11, 2013. I certify this is authorized as the club's act.

Dated: _____

{signed}

Secretary of the Kiwanis Club of _____

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CONEJO VALLEY

Meets Tuesdays 12:00 Noon
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MOORPARK

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THOUSAND OAKS

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VENTURA

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