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INTERNATIONAL

**CAL-NEV-HA DISTRICT
DIVISION 42 NEWSLETTER**

JUNE 2013

DEE TELLS



“Members in Black”

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



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

SUMMERTIME!

Gee, what a great time of year this is, seeing all the smiling faces of high school students as they receive scholarships from Kiwanians throughout the division. The excitement of wonderful summer projects taking place is all around. It's thrilling to see all you are doing and how you are helping your communities. I am also touched by all of you who have reached out immediately to help those affected by the tornadoes in Oklahoma, many who recently had their own lives disrupted by our recent fire in Camarillo/Thousand Oaks hillsides. Truly, the Kiwanis heart is beating strong in Division 42.

It is also the time to look towards the future of our Kiwanis, where we select our new leadership and where we plan for the coming year. All levels of Kiwanis are participating in this effort, club, division, region, district and Kiwanis International. There is one link to the process of selecting and planning. It's you, the member. Yes, you are the one who is selecting our leaders and you are the one who is providing input to those future leaders and the direction to lead us.

Hopefully, you are taking this responsibility seriously. Recently, we elected our Lt. Governor for 2013-2014, Brad Lewis. Most of you have already elected your club officers for next year. Soon we will be electing a new Governor, International Trustee and International President. I hope you have made or will make plans to attend the International Convention and District convention where your voice will be heard. There are some important issues in the form of by-law amendments that will influence the future of Kiwanis. Please familiarize yourself with these proposals and plan on voicing your feelings at the conventions. If by chance, you will not be able attend the conventions, express your view of the changes to your club delegates so they will be able to carry that message for you. The candidate and amendment information is available on KiwanisOne under Vancouver Convention. The district information will be available in late July.



Project ELIMINATE

TWO YEARS AGO when Project Eliminate started, there were 59 countries where MNT was a problem with a child dying every nine minutes. Today, we have eliminated MNT for 30 countries.

The reason for Kiwanis being this successful with the Worldwide Service project is because we are putting our money to work as soon as we raise it. Hopefully, your club is sending in what you raise on a regular basis and not holding onto the funds until you have a large amount to donate.

Remember, every \$ 1.80 could save at least one child. When you raise \$ 180.00, you have saved 100 lives providing you have sent in the funds. \$ 1800.00 will save 1000 babies. When you hold onto the funds until you raise \$ 1800.00, 160 babies die each day. Holding funds for a week means 1120 babies die.

It's pretty easy to see the importance in sending in your donations as soon as they are raised. Let's not lose any children just because we want to make one large donation. The important figure is how many lives you've saved and how soon you were able to start saving these lives.

Roy Talley

Multiple Division Coordinator
Project ELIMINATE
Kiwanis International Foundation

Kiwanis International and UNICEF joined forces to eliminate maternal and neonatal tetanus. This deadly disease steals the lives of nearly 60,000 innocent babies and a significant number of women each year. The effects of the disease are excruciating — tiny newborns suffer repeated, painful convulsions and extreme sensitivity to light and touch.



To eliminate MNT from the Earth, more than 100 million mothers and their future babies must be immunized. This requires vaccines, syringes, safe storage, transportation, thousands of skilled staff and more. It will take US\$110 million — and the dedicated work of UNICEF and every member of the Kiwanis family.

Kiwanis and UNICEF joined forces to tackle iodine deficiency disorders, achieving one of the most significant public health successes of the 20th century. Now, they are eliminating MNT from the face of the Earth. And in doing so, the project will reach the poorest, most neglected mothers and babies with additional lifesaving health care. The end of this one disease means the beginning of better health for so many families.

Kiwanis Dodger Night

Benefitting Project Eliminate



Sunday, July 14th, 2013

1:10 pm

vs. Colorado Rockies

Tickets are \$16 - \$5 from each ticket sold will go directly to the Kiwanis Eliminate Project

For more information please contact Lt. Governor Dee Talley at (805) 660-2839 or deetalley8@gmail.com

CLUB NEWS

SANTA BARBARA

Anita Ho Reporting:

During these past few months, so many new members have joined; we probably need a special newsletter column entitled "NEW MEMBER".

Welcome new members **Fred Owen** and **Sgt Riley Harwood**.

Fred (third from right) is sponsored by **Jim Langley** (his 19th sponsored member). His mentor, someone assigned to assist him through the steps to be the best Kiwanian he can be, is **Josh Kane**.

Riley (in SBPD uniform) is sponsored by **Gary Gray**. His mentor will be **Pete Georgi**, a long time member. Riley will be in good hands.



SIMI VALLEY

Madeleine Kolodziej Reporting:

Each year Simi Valley Kiwanis assists several elementary schools raise money to fund such activities as after school programs, equipment, supplies, etc. We continue to serve food at the schools for these events.

The Kiwanis playground equipment contest is continuing until June 15th. Simi Valley is in the top 10 to win the contest. *Please help us by voting on Facebook for the Kiwanis of Simi Valley Santa Susana Elementary school project:*

Annual Hope of America plaques are being presented at several Simi Valley elementary and middle school graduations to students who are exceptional in grades as well as character.

We also awarded 7 scholarships to graduating seniors.

The Cancer Survivors' Day picnic will find our Chuckwagon at the Simi Hospital Park on June 2nd; and on June 15th for History Day at Strathearn Historical Park. Our familiar food service wagon also participated in the celebration of the 110th anniversary of the Santa Susana train depot.

We continue to serve monthly at the Samaritan Center on June 20th.

On June 8th the Simi Valley Community Council will honor our member, John Taylor, as volunteer of the year.

On June 21 we host a monthly Alternative Recreation dance for the developmentally disabled community. Larry Cox, our favorite DJ member, looks forward to providing music for these monthly events.

VENTURA

Matt Kohagen Reporting:

We held a successful "Law Day" Awards Dinner Banquet on May 17th to recognize the "Officer of the Year" from 10 Law Enforcement Agencies in Ventura County.

On May 31st we will have our annual Community Service Day funds distribution luncheon where we will distribute donations to 19 local charities in the city of Ventura.

On June 5th we will be volunteering at the "BRAVO" event at the fairgrounds sponsored by the V.E.P. for the VUSD teachers & staff. Also on June 15th we will be volunteering at the "Summerfest" event located at the VUSD HQ's where kids learn about healthy/safe lifestyle choices.

On June 23rd we are holding a good old fashioned social "Bunko Party" event.

CONEJO VALLEY

Roger Klausler Reporting:

On Saturday, May 11, The non-profit Ridone, Inc., and the Simi Valley Adult School of Cosmetology presented a Glam-A-Thon at the Pleasant Valley Senior Center in Camarillo. Services offered free of charge to 114 senior citizens were haircuts, styling, manicures, make-up design, and a professional photo portrait. Many people in our area have been hit hard financially and cannot afford to go to a professional to get these things done. The Glam-A-Thon was a way to honor our beautiful moms (and a few dads) and provide some joy to those for whom these services are a luxury. As our "Kiwanis One Day," our club provided volunteers to help set up the event, checked in the guests receiving services, assisted the more than 30 service-providers by getting them lunch and snacks, and helped with clean-up.

We held elections for next year's officers and board members on May 14.

On May 23 we prepared and served dinner to the homeless at Emmanuel Presbyterian Church on Camino Manzanitas in Thousand Oaks.

On May 18 some of our members went to the headquarters of Manna of Conejo Valley for training in the needs of the center and to rotate and add stock to the shelves.

Announcing our Poker Ride and Black Jack Run on June 29! *See the flyer for preliminary information.*

CLUB NEWS

THOUSAND OAKS

Steve Holt Reporting:

The Thousand Oaks Kiwanis Club had a hugely successful Foundation fundraiser on Memorial Day when we sold out of tri-tip sandwiches at a Summer Concert in the Park that featured an Eagles tribute band.

We also had a pancake breakfast for the May 18 Relay for Life, which supports the American Cancer Society.

The T.O. Kiwanis Club will be cooking tri-tip again on Saturday, June 1 for the Community Cancer Center and on Sunday, June 2, we'll be cooking a pancake breakfast at the Love Run, an event that supports Senior Concerns in Thousand Oaks.

We will be hosting the June DCM with the Conejo Valley Club, and we have happily inducted three new members this month.

EAST VENTURA

Sharon Robinson Reporting:

On May 15th East Ventura had their annual Mary Medola Music Scholarship Awards; we presented 5 students each with a \$1,000 Scholarship. Each of the recipients performed something special for the event, and the music was awesome. Lunch was prepared by the Elks Lodge.

We had the privilege of having both Dee Tally and Brad Lewis join us.

CARPINTERIA

Pat Keiser Reporting:

Carpinteria Valley held our elections for the upcoming year.

We also had our monthly Youth of the Month Dinner for the Boy's and Girls Club and Girls, Inc. This is always a very special meeting, having the opportunity to meet and hear about the wonderful youth our community has to offer.

Two weeks ago, our Club presented the Carpinteria Education Foundation, Inc. a check for \$2000. Our Club President, Pat Keiser, will make the formal presentation next month at the Annual CEF Scholarship Dinner.

ONLINE SIMI VALLEY

Ray Dempsey Reporting:

Our meeting date has changed!! We are on conference call the first Tuesday of the month at 7:30 p.m. The phone number is 312-6500 & conference # is 5286318. If you plan to join us for an Interclub, it would be helpful to call President Ray Dempsey beforehand at 501-5874 (cell) or home 527-2501.

We have started a Service Project, starting with destructive cleaning at Apollo High in the Minor Parent area. We will prime & paint the wood & then install a screen shade for the patio area.

We have a social once a month, usually the last Friday of the month.

KIWINS

Karina Wang Reporting:

Turquoise Division of Cal-Nev-Ha KIWIN'S recently attended District Convention in San Diego! During the three day event, Turquoise was recognized with over twenty awards!

Elite awards such as Distinguished Lieutenant Governor (Jessica Tran), Dunlop Award (Megan McKnelly), and Sandy Niniger (Della Hu) were just a few of many awards received.

Four more students were also inducted as part of the incoming District Board.

Kevin Yang was inducted as District Bulletin Editor and Karina Wang was inducted as the 2013-2014 Turquoise Lieutenant Governor. Jonathan Goldstein was appointed District Awards Chair and Brian Ninh was appointed District Convention Chair giv-

ing Turquoise a total of four members out of seventeen on District Board!

Overall, Turquoise celebrated a great year of memories, friendships, and most importantly service! We cannot wait for the year to come for it surely will be an adventure!

Who's missing?

There's room for you too!

You must have something wonderful to report!

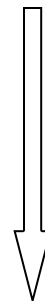
Catch up with the next edition; the due date will be June 25.

We look forward to your email!

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OXNARD

Daniel Martinez Reporting:





Tower 2 Tower

Stair Climb
Fundraiser for the
Oxnard Youth Fire Explorers

**Climb Both
Towers Stairs**

**Timing Ends
On The Roof**

Enjoy A View

June 1, 2013

**Check In At
8 AM**

Open To The Public

In Coordination With The Oxnard Kiwanis Club
Participants Will Start By Climbing The
14 Story Tower Both Up And Down The Stair Wells.
Then Across The Parking Lot And Up To The Roof
Of The Larger 22 Story Tower Where Time Will Stop.

Sign Up At www.Active.com Price \$40

There Will Be A Public Safety Day With Demos From
The Fire Department, Police Departments, K9's,
And Other Public Safety Teams Throughout The County.



and



Present the 2nd Annual



POKER RIDE and **BLACK JACK RUN**

**Proceeds benefit the
Conejo Valley Kiwanis Foundation**

a 501(c)(3) # 27-4161751

Pre-registration and more event info at:
ConejoKiwanis.org



**FREE KIDS'
BIKE
RODEO**

Saturday, June 29th



**Great
RAFFLE
PRIZES**

LUNCH served 11:00am - 1:30pm
(Included with registration, additional lunches \$7)

Ride & Run-Walk Start/Finish at Borchard Community Center
190 Reino Road Newbury Park, CA 91320 (Picnic area C)

PRE-REGISTRATION (thru 10pm 6/27):

Poker Ride = \$25, \$5 child under 15 riding with adult
Black Jack Run/Walk = \$25, \$5 child under 15 running/walking with adult
Poker Ride AND Black Jack Run = \$35, \$10 child under 15 with adult

SAME-DAY REGISTRATION (7:30-9:00am):

Ride or Run/Walk = \$30, \$5 child under 15 with adult
Ride AND Run/Walk = \$40, \$10 child under 15 with adult

All participants entered in raffle for prizes from local businesses!
Additional raffle tickets available for purchase to help support service programs of CV Kiwanis

Bring the FAMILY.... For the ride, run, walk or just for lunch!!



Three **bike** routes available... 11 miles, 20 miles, and 30 miles
Two **run/walk** routes available... 2 miles and 5.5 miles
Route slips, game cards and rules given at registration



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CAMARILLO

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CARPINTERIA

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CONEJO VALLEY

Meets Tuesdays 12:00 Noon
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EAST VENTURA

Meets 1st & 3rd Wednesday 12:00 Noon
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Secretary: Cathy Sheeler
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MOORPARK

Meets 1st Monday 7:00 PM
Moorpark Chamber of Commerce, 10 E. High
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OXNARD

Meets Thursday 12:00 Noon
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SANTA BARBARA

Meets Wednesday 12:00 Noon
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President: Rich Rojas
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SANTA PAULA

Meets Thursday 12:00 Noon
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SANTA SUSANA

Meets Wednesday 12:15 PM
First Street Family Restaurant, 2025 First St.
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SIMI VALLEY

Meets Wednesday 7:00 AM
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SIMI VALLEY ONLINE

Meets Online 1st Tuesday 7:30 PM
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THOUSAND OAKS

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VENTURA

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