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MONDAY

T. C. KEY CLUB - 12:30 P. M.

T. C. High School, Rm 406

TUESDAY

ALHAMBRA - 5 p.m.

Bank of America

160 W Main St, Alhambra

1st and 3rd Tuesdays

SAN GABRIEL - 7:30 a.m.

Colonial Kitchen (2nd & 4th Tuesdays)

1110 Huntington Dr., San Marino

TEMPLE CITY - Noon

Bahooka Family Restaurant

4501 Rosemead Blvd. - Rosemead

WEDNESDAY

ALTADENA-CROWN CITY - Noon

1st and 2nd Wednesdays

Altadena Community Center

730 E Altadena Dr., Altadena

3rd 4th 5th Wednesdays

Villa Gardens

842 E Villa St., Pasadena

MONTEREY PARK - 12:15 P. M.

Monterey Hill Steakhouse

3700 Ramona Blvd.

Monterey Park

SOUTH PASADENA - Noon

Calvary Pres.Church

1050 Fremont (at Oxley) So.Pasadena

BUILDER'S CLUB - 12:20 P. M.

Oak Avenue Intermediate School

Room 511 (near the lunch area)

THURSDAY

PASADENA - Noon

University Club 175 N. Oakland Ave.

ROSEMEAD - Noon

Social Hall, California Mission Inn

4807 Earle Ave., Rosemead

JULY 24, 2012 TUESDAY 12:00 P.M. VOL. 73 NO. 43

THIS TUESDAY

Much to the dismay of Mike Miller, the Barbecue will not be cancelled. When we meet on Tuesday it will be to discuss the best ever Barbecue having served between 250 and 300 guests.

If you wake up early you can do a double-header by attending an Interclub with San Gabriel at Colonial Kitchen in San Marino. If you are not confused yet the time is 7:30 a.m..

LAST TUESDAY

Jerry Backstrom has everything in order and we are ready. Jerry B. would like you to meet at Oak Avenue School at 9:00 a.m. for setup, wash potatoes, husk corn, prepare salads, set tables, and work with Boy Scout Troop 161. All Kiwanis members need to be at Oak Avenue by 4:00 p.m. Please be sure to sell any remaining raffle tickets and turn in the stubs.

Regarding the raffle, Jerry Backstrom's sister-in-law Joi is Director of Customer and Sales Support with Brown Jordan Furniture and has generously donated a Open Resinweave Chaise with a value of \$2,415 and an occasional table and glass top with a value of \$1,000.

Reminder, we will be having Concerts in the Park on Wednesday. Bumtown will play an assortment of dance music. We will again be selling soft (really soft) ice cream.

We will also be giving away soft ice cream at the Chamber of Commerce mixer on Monday July 23 from 6-7:30 p.m.. We will be able to meet with city business leaders and explain our club while we help out with the festivities. We will need some people there to help move the ice cream machine.

We are finally are having an Interclub with San Gabriel on Tuesday, July 24. Glad to see that they can not even meet in their city. Colonial Kitchen on Huntington Dr in San Marino at 7:30 A.M.. Jerry Backstrom celebrated his birthday. Mike Lepore paid \$\$ for his 50th Wedding Anniversary to Judy. I understand that Judy is a candidate for the Nobel Peace Prize. Tom McIntee reports that Marie Leonard is back at Huntington Hospital and expects to be released soon.

JERRY'S JOURNEYS

I have been writing a column for the Mid Valley News for several months. Since we have been lacking news lately I am going to subject you to a portion of next weeks column.

This is my week to ask all the questions that I have wanted answered in my 68 years on earth. Why do they always put the pharmacy at the very back to the store? Who are the people that usually take medications? It is mostly the age group between 55 and 105. I think it is unconscionable that they make these senior citizens take a slow hike past everything they don't need or want to get to their destination of medication nirvana. Please CVS and Rite-Aid, put the ice cream and candy in the back of the store and put the stuff that helps us stay alive in the front where it belongs.

I don't go to the market too often and now I know why. I visited my local Temple City Ralphs Market last Wednesday morning. I could not get to the few items I needed because there were pallets of merchandise everywhere. I would travel all the way down the aisle only to be greeted with the great wall of Tide and fabric softener in the middle of the aisle. I barely had enough room to make a u-turn.

I have been driving for 52 years and things have been changing, and not for the better. I try to obey all the laws and speed limits. That is not good enough for the younger drivers of today. They honk, want to speed up and pass you, they even want to make a right turn from the left-hand lane. If you aren't lucky they might decide to make a u-turn right in front of you. The yellow caution traffic signal light has been functionally replaced with "let's see if I can put my life along with innocent people in danger by speeding through this yellow/red light".

While I am on this motorized subject, I feel that almost all motorcycle riders have a death wish. California allows for "lane splitting" which allows them to travel at 50 MPH between stopped cars. What could go wrong there? They are not supposed to go over 10 MPH past the stopped cars. You do the math. When I listen to the traffic reports in the morning it's the same old thing, "left 2 lanes are blocked because of a downed motorcycle". I have dubbed these dare devils that wear helmets (thank you California) "donorcyclist". I have even had them bang their fist on the side of my car because I did not leave them enough room to pass between cars.

KIWANIS KALANDAR

July 21 - The Big Barbecue at Oak Avenue Intermediate School

July 24 - Interclub with San Gabriel

July 24 - Debrief the Barbecue

July 25 - Concerts in the Park with Bumtown Decades of Dance

July 31 - Ten Thousand Villages will talk about Fair Trade products

August 1 - Ronald McDonald Meals of Love

August 1 - Concerts in the Park with Hot August Night with Neil Diamond

August 7 - Board of Directors meeting at the Community Room

August 8 - Concerts in the Park with The Funky Hippeez Disco

August 14 - Budget meeting by Incoming Pres. Jerry Backstrom (venue TBD)

August 15 - Concerts in the Park with Tommy Tassi and the Authentics

August 22 - Concerts in the Park with Stone Soul

August 29 - Concerts in the Park with The Silverados

September 29 - Installation of Officers (venue TBD)

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Be aware that a halo has to fall only a few inches to be a noose." - Dan McKinnon

See you Saturday and Tuesday, Jerry

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 HM - Honorary Member
 DPP - Distinguished Past
 President and Year
 PP - Past President & Year
 KY - Kiwanian of the Year
 SM - Senior Member
 DSA - Distinguished Service Award

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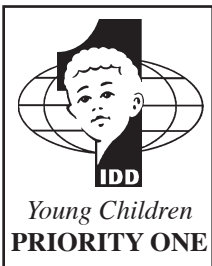
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