

TEMPLE CITY KIWANIS CLUB

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"THE CAMELLIA CLUB"
TEMPLE CITY CALIFORNIA
Chartered August 8, 1939

2012-2013 President's Theme
"Service to the Community
and its Youth"

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Rich Wenzel

CHRISTMAS

Ron Dorazio / Steve Montesanti

ICE CREAM

Jim Robuck

CLUBS IN DIVISION 10

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

Denny's Restaurant
5603 Rosemead Blvd. - Temple City

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

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

T. C. High School, Rm 405

PASADENA - Noon

University Club 175 N. Oakland Ave.

ROSEMEAD - Noon

Social Hall, California Mission Inn
4807 Earle Ave., Rosemead

AUGUST 6, 2013 TUESDAY 12:00 P.M. VOL. 74 NO. 43

THIS TUESDAY

Chuck Shaw will show a DVD of his recent vacation in Canada. It is called the Northwest Deuce days. It is held every three years in Victoria Canada, British Columbia. It attracts more than 1,000 cars, mostly 32 vintage hot rods. Chuck will explain what he did while on the run and he hopes that members will see some of the fun he had enjoying his current hobby.

LAST TUESDAY

Nancy Donahue was our speaker for the day representing Arcadia Methodist Hospital as a 28 year volunteer. She is the sister of Sally Sears and sister-in-law of Doug Sears, both long time educators in Temple City.

After being diagnosed with glaucoma in 1977 ending her banking career in Temple City she began a new career as a volunteer. She has had a thirty year battle to retain her eyesight, including twenty two eye surgeries.

In 1957 Methodist Hospital of Southern California moved from Los Angeles to the 22-acre campus at the Arcadia Civic Center. A new \$3 million 138-bed facility was constructed on city owned land leased to them for \$1 a year. It was the first community hospital built in California to include a psychiatric unit. In addition, the hospital's nursery school was one of the first corporate day-care facilities in the United States.

A number of additions have been made during the intervening years to the original structure. A west wing opened in 1967, increasing capacity to 284 beds. New surgical and laboratory/emergency/critical care additions followed including the 169-bed Berger Tower and the North Tower with an additional 120 medical surgical beds, 20 CCU beds, and an expanded emergency department with 28 beds and an additional 18-bed observation unit.

Nancy indicated volunteers contribute over 54,000 hours of service each year with an estimated savings to the hospital of \$21.58 an hour. She also mentioned pet therapy for hastening patient recovery which Honorary Member Lynne Burkardt is involved with. The hospital at first was not to enthusiastic about dogs in the bed with patients but soon changed their mind after seeing the benefits.

Mike Miller was recently a patient on the third floor and said the nurses station is named in Nancy's honor. I would also like to mention that Arcadia Methodist is one of the top 100 hospitals in the United States for heart and stroke care. Several of our members including myself have been up close and personal with Arcadia Methodist and give it a thumbs-up.

Interim President Jim Robuck did a good job introducing guest of the club John Dickey. Good news on the barbecue front - Matt Smith and Mike Miller reported some improvement in the final numbers. Mike is reporting 168 adults and 26 children. Net profit should approach \$4,000. At \$2 a copy it would be nice if we had 1 éclair for 1 person. I was remiss in not thanking Linda Agajanian and her son Michael for selling raffle tickets.

Mike Miller inappropriately called incoming President Sue Matchett "cupcake". This is the same person that makes us stand for Kiwanis royalty. At least he is not running for Mayor of New York or the Mayor of San Diego. Sue and Mike attended Kiwanis President training in Rancho Cucamonga. Ice cream sales last Wednesday were \$127.

Many thanks to the club for providing lunch for 300 hungry Cancer Relay For Life participants. Those doing the grilling on the famous Athens Barbecue were Ed Chen, Ron Dorazio, Jim Robuck, Matt Smith, Chuck Shaw, and Bob Rodenbucher.

Ron Dorazio is filling in for Rich Wenzel giving the lineup for August 7. The theme is pork with the main dish by Matt Smith and Chuck Shaw, Salad by Bob Rodenbucher and Mike Miller, Dessert by Dave Seltman and Rich Wenzel, Bread by Dan Snell, Drinks by John Gera.

KIWANIS KALANDAR

August 6 - Board of Directors Meeting CANCELLED

August 7 - Concerts in the Park with Stone Soul and National Night Out

August 14 - Concerts in the Park with Captain Cardiac (AKA Mike Miller)

August 15 - Dine under the Stars at Temple City Park

August 15-17 - Cal Nev Ha District Convention in Reno

August 21 - Concerts in the Park with Tom Nolan Band

August 28 - Concerts in the Park with DSB Band

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Some national parks have long waiting lists for camping reservations. When you have to wait a year to sleep next to a tree, something is wrong." -- George Carlin



See you Tuesday, Jerry