

TEMPLE CITY KIWANIS CLUB

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2008-2009 President's Theme
"Changing Tomorrow...Today"

"THE CAMELLIA CLUB"
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TUESDAY

ALHAMBRA - Noon
Denny's Restaurant
4th and Main St, Alhambra
1st and 3rd Tuesdays

TEMPLE CITY - Noon
Bahooka Family Restaurant
4501 Rosemead Blvd. - Rosemead

WEDNESDAY

ALTADENA-CROWN CITY - Noon
The Scripps Home
2212 N. El Molino Ave., Altadena

MONTEREY PARK - 12:30 P. M.
Monterey Palace Restaurant
1001 E Garvey Ave.
(Garvey and New Ave) 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

SAN GABRIEL - Noon
SG Hilton Hotel, 225 W Valley Blvd.

PASADENA - Noon
University Club 175 N. Oakland Ave.

ROSEMEAD - Noon
Social Hall, California Mission Inn
4807 Earle Ave., Rosemead

SAN MARINO - Noon
1st and 3rd Thursday of the Month
Z-Sushi, Garfield & Huntington

T. C. KEY CLUB - 12:30 P. M.
T. C. High School, Rm 108

AUGUST 11, 2009 TUESDAY 12:15 P.M. VOL. 70 NO. 45

THIS TUESDAY

Our own Sue Matchett will guide us through a critique of our recent Barbecue. Please come with your constructive ideas on how we can make the best even better.

LAST TUESDAY

Tom Chavez is one of our newer Council Members having been elected in March and has hit the ground running with over 25 meetings. Tom is married to Jane with 2 grown sons having moved to Temple City from Alhambra in 1990. He is very active in many civic groups including Little League Baseball, Camellia Festival, and St. Luke's Church. Tom is an attorney with a office in Pasadena. He teaches an ethics course at PCC for attorneys and is a proponent of transparency in city government. The first thing this "new" council did was start videotaping the Council Meetings for Cable Television and the Internet. Tom is very thoughtful as he makes decisions on our behalf for a better Temple City.



Tom shared his first 100 days with us and began with "be careful what you wish for". He has learned that any change comes slowly in moving the wheels of city government.

Just some of the things that I gleaned were: Hiring of Redevelopment and Business Retention firm Avant Garde. Redevelopment will begin at the intersection of Las Tunas and Temple City Blvd. Three town hall meetings are planned in the near future. The 24 year vacant Alpha Beta property could be destined for mixed use. We could have a Farmers Market in TC on Sundays. Temple City has entered into joint use agreement with TCUSD and El Monte. Tom would like to see 2 new commissions, youth and seniors. Code enforcement is in the process of going from reactive to proactive.

Within 2 months we should have a new City Manager in place. The 50 year anniversary of incorporation is being planned for May of 2010. Tom also touched on the status of the criminal and civil lawsuits regarding the Piazza project. More should be known later this month.

Tom is an excellent spokesman on behalf of the City Council. He tells you what you need to know without telling you so much that it makes you uncomfortable and gets him in trouble.

Former member John Peebles has moved to Alma Via of San Rafael, 515 Northgate Dr. #217, San Rafael, CA 94903, (415) 785-7225.

Chuck Shaw paid \$\$ for 38 wonderful years with Pam. Not to be outdone, Mike Lepore paid \$\$ for having Judy put up with him. Matt Smith paid \$\$ for an undisclosed number of years being married to Janet.

Our intrepid Interclub Chairman, Mike Lepore is setting up an Interclub with Rosemead on August 13th. There is a Temple City High School Ramrodder Golf Tournament on Monday, August 11th at Sierra La Verne Golf Club. Contact Matt Smith for more information.

Deputy Dan the Membership Man passed around a Prospect Prompter. He is encouraging us to see if their is a neighbor, business associate, client or customer who would possibly be a candidate for membership. Keep up the good work Dan!!

Mr. Happy #1 will be distributing a ballot at our meeting for you to indicate if you like meeting at the Bahooka (including the food) AND if you liked the Zen Buffet 2 weeks ago. A new option has come to our attention. Pino's Place is having their Grand Opening next Tuesday, August 11, 5-9 p.m. Ribbon Cutting Ceremony will take place at 6:00 p.m. at 4988 Santa Anita, Temple City. Pino is the son of Bella Italia on Rosemead Blvd. They have a banquet room for 100 and are willing to accommodate our meetings.

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August 11 - Sue Matchett will critique us through our recent Barbecue

August 12 - The Funky Hippeez Concert in the Park

August 13 - Dining Under The Stars at Temple City Park

August 18 - Carol Jarvis will present Training People Friendly Guide Dogs

August 19 - Rockit Scientists Concert in the Park

August 25 - TC resident and Past President Mike Riffey on the Tournament of Roses

August 26 - The Wizeguys Concert in the Park

September 2 - The Answer Concert in the Park

September 28 - Hello Steve, Thank you Chuck Banquet (Installation)

QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"It is difficult to get a man to understand something when his job depends on not understanding it." - Upton Sinclair

See you Tuesday, Jerry