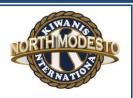
# Kiwanis Club of North Modesto

# **NEWS LETTER**

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### **OPENING REMARKS**

Kyle Barker directed the song, Charlie Christensen the pledge and Ken Darby the prayer.

### **GUESTS AND INTERCLUB**

Trish Christensen was with us today.

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

#### **Youth for Christ**

Marty Villa announced the Youth for Christ annual auction and dinner. He said there was some cool stuff being auctioned this year. The event takes place at Seasons on McHenry, Thursday November 9, 2017. For more information and tickets <a href="www.scyfc.com">www.scyfc.com</a>.

### **Peace Path Project**

There is a hands-on-volunteer opportunity this Saturday October 21 9AM to about noon. There are **4 Peace Paths** to paint at the schools listed below.

Dale Cathcart is donating his time, equipment and paint, and is pulling his painting equipment off jobs to make them available for installing the Peace Paths.

We need 5-6 people to do layout, placing stencils & cleanup. You can bring family and friends.

It takes about 40 minutes to an hour for each Peace Path.

The approximate start times at each

- 9:00 AM Burbank Elementary at 1135 Paradise Rd
- •10:00 AM Fremont School, 1220 W. Orangeburg Ave.
- •11:00 11:30 El Vista Ave at 450 El Vista Ave.

For more information call Marty Villa at (209)404-1208.

### **Razor Wire Removal at Camp Taylor**

Robert Husman said he needs help with this project. BYOB (bring your own band aids) 209-985-3467

### **BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES**

Ron Wilkinson has a birthday TODAY but wasn't present for his special song.

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### **BUCKS- HAPPY & SAD**

Ray Sanders was happy that so many NMK members helped with Octoberfest. He was also please that all but one wore an NMK shirt. President Eric confessed that he didn't have a Kiwanis shirt.

Mike Boyd was thankful that Rayne's house in intact and suffered no damage from the fires. He offered a prayer for those less fortunate.

Kevin Scott is selling stuff to wineries in the area affected by the fire and giving them extended payment terms.

John Sanders reported that Pat Ramsay's family has lost 3 houses in the fire.

Eric Angelo was a proud dad. His son Robbie is playing his last college soccer game and looking to graduate school.

### **PROGRAM**

An update on The Boys and Girls Club of Stanislaus County was presented by Veronica Jacuinde, Marketing and Communications Coordinator. The national organization started in 1860 and now serves over 4 million kids. The local club started in 2013 and has plans for expansion to Lodi, Merced and Stockton. The clubs provide a safe environment for the vulnerable. Their mission is to enable all young people, especially those who need us most, to reach their full potential as productive, caring, responsible citizens. The club encourages the kids to do volunteer work. About 96% expect to graduate from high school. They operate at four locations in Modesto. The tuition is \$10 per student per year.

Daniel Perez, a personal trainer and healthy life instructor, partners with the club. He spoke to us about the importance of maintaining a healthy diet, normal weight and a physically active life. He said the many of the club's kids are overweight. His goal is to make them healthy.

The club needs about \$1 million a year. One of their fund raisers is this month and involves some spooky stuff. It would be great to take the grand kids to their haunted house.

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### MARBLE AND LUNCH MONEY

Officers

Youth Services

Jim Graham had the winning ticket but lost the marble draw. Phil Fugit won the easy money.

#### **CURRENT OFFICERS**

#### **Board Members**

Program Chair

**Publicity Chair** 

New Member Bios

Steve Collins, Judy Herrero

George Bairey

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Trish Christensen

Kyle Barker, Trish Christensen

Eric Angelo President Adrian Crane 2016-18 Randy Cook, Charlie Christensen, First Vice President Second Vice President Marci Boucher Bill Michael, Ken Nolte Lori Rosman 2017-19 Mike Boyd, Odette Fattal Past President Robert Husman, Bill Ryan Secretary Lori Rosman Treasurer Britta Skavdahl

Fundraising and Event Committees

 NMK Field Games
 Jim Felt
 CASA Golf Tournament
 Jim Toal

 Chicken A-Go-Go
 Charlie Christensen
 Breakfast With Santa
 Jennifer Mullen, Kyle Barker

 Christmas Baskets
 Marty Villa
 Graffiti Festival
 Brent Burnside

Committee Chairs (With)

Community Services Richard Reimche Young Children Priority One Robert Husman Social Committee Randy Cook

Sponsored Youth Brent Burnside (Enochs),
Bill Michael (Central Catholic), Marty Villa (Davis)
Spiritual Aims Marty Villa

Tyler Richardson

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Scholarships Bill Ryan, George Bairey, Paul Echols, Web Master
Jennifer Mullen, Britta Skavdahl New Member Orientation

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