Kiwanis Club of North Modesto



June 21, 2018

OPENING REMARKS

President Eric Angelo had his hands full reining in the rowdies this morning. The good news: \$\$ into the fine bucket. After a fine-worthy joke, Gary Goodman led us in song, Don Vieira led the pledge and Larry Hughes offered the prayer.

GUESTS/INTERCLUB

InterClub with Greater Turlock is scheduled for Friday, June 29 at 6:45 a.m. The meeting is at Latif's, so it promises to be a good breakfast. Seven signed up but there is room for more. Contact Ken Darby.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Loren Suelzle reminded everyone that our next big event(s) will be the CASA golf tournament (June 28) and then concert June 30 at Del Rio. The band will be Desperado, considered the premier Eagles tribute band. Concert tickets are \$50 per person, available from Loren.

BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES

Jim Toal didn't join us this week for his birthday. Happy BDay anyway.

Wedding anniversaries: Steve and Liz Ashman have an anniversary this week.

HAPPY AND SAD BUCKS

Bill Ryan is happy 1. that his son Matt has completed his third year at Cal Poly (only one more year of expenses for Mom & Dad) and 2. that Matt has a <u>paid</u> internship this summer with an olive oil company outside Lodi.

Jim Felt is happy that Cindy came through her UCSF back surgery well. And he's always happy to hear good things about Cal Poly.

Larry Hughes is happy to offer the final total car count for 2018 Graffiti: 1,480.

John Sanders was not happy to be with us this morning but American Airlines and fouled up his plans to be in Iowa.

Cory Warner is happy that Kim had her final chemo treatment last Tuesday.

Lori R had an update on 10-year-old baseball: Her grandson's team is doing awesome and is in the winner's bracket for the championship. She was not happy about falling on a high curb at one game, but at least she didn't break her hip.

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PROGRAM

Carol Shipley, executive director of the Stanislaus Family Justice Center, provided a very interesting update on what is happening with the organization which aids adults and children who are victims of domestic violence and abuse.

The center opened in 2010 and now collaborates with a number of other non-profits to help victims and offenders. The goal is to break the cycle of violence, and that can only be achieved by working with all sides.

The center is now located at 1418 I St., in what many remember as the original home of Valley Sporting Goods. There is a video conferencing set-up so victims can testify from the safety of the center. And there is a Kids Zone for children to play and get food while their parent is getting assistance elsewhere in the building. The goal is to offer a path to safety, not just through immediate aid but long-term counseling and mental health treatment.

She said the people talking with clients try to find out the whole story, not just the recent incidents that prompted the person to seek help. In many cases, the adult has experienced trauma dating to their childhood.

The center participates in Camp Hope, which gives younger children (7-11) and older kids (12-18) a chance to experience a week of fun and confidence-building adventure.

She invited Kiwanians to match the efforts of local Lions Clubs, which have several leaves on the center's Donor Tree. And she invited people to attend the McHenry Bowl's 18th annual Benefit Bowl, which this year will benefit the Stanislaus Family Justice Center. It will be Aug. 4.

Finally, she recommended a new book, "Hope Rising: How the Science of HOPE Can Change Your Life" by Casey Gwinn and Chan Hellman. It is due out in November.

MARBLE & LUNCH MONEY

John Sanders had the right number – again -- but pulled the wrong color. Steve Collins won the lunch money.

UPCOMING:

June 28 meeting – A group induction for our four new members and Jason Conway reports how many have and haven't signed his apron.

Reminder: No meeting on July 5

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Upcoming Events

June 28

June 30

CASA concert

Sept. 21

Deinstallation dinner

Oct. 28

Wine tasting in Lodi

Dec. 10

Book sorting

Dec. 12

Wrapping party

Dec. 15 Christmas basket distribution

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