

# Kiwanis Club of North Modesto



**Sept. 26 – There's a new game in town: The Modesto Peace/Life Center won (earned) the license for a new non-profit radio station, KCBP, and is working to put together programming that features local issues and talent.**

Presiding: Adrian Crane was back from his latest adventure to lead his final meeting as president.  
Song: Gary Goodman  
Pledge: Doug van den Enden  
Prayer: Ken Darby

## **GUESTS**

Phil Fugit introduced his guest: A.J. Figueroa, owner of Figueroa Pool Service. A.J. is back for his second meeting and has a membership application.

## **NEW MEMBER INDUCTION**

James Goss was formally inducted as a member and said he is happy to join our club. We will learn more about him in coming weeks. Don Vieira is his sponsor. Britta Skavdahl conducted the induction.



## **INTERCLUBS**

Ken Darby shared for new members the goal of InterClubs – to visit each of the other 12 clubs in our division, meet their members and see what they do. He again sent around signups for InterClubs through December.

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Oct. 15 at noon – Atwater-Winton

Oct. 28 at noon – Greater Merced (one more person needed)

Nov. 5 at 8 a.m. – Groveland

Nov. 15 at 7 a.m. – Sonora

Dec. 4 at 1 p.m. – Mariposa

Dec. 18 at 6 p.m. – Oakdale

## **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

Adrian thanked incoming president Robert Husman for presiding while Adrian was on adventure in Fiji. Adrian will do a program in a few months. (Hint: he cannot talk about it until after the action and results air on TV.)

Our deinstallation dinner will be tomorrow night, **Sept. 27** at Kyle Barker's house. A few folks needed at noon to set up. Social hour begins at 5 p.m.

Randy Cook on socials: Bowling: – **Sept. 28** at 1 p.m. at Yosemite Lanes. About a dozen signed up; they have lanes reserved for more and can expand/shrink as needed.

Lodi Vintners winetasting will be **Oct. 27**. Randy will pass the sign-up sheet starting next week.

Society for disAbilities gala is **Sept. 28**. Ana Arellanes said some tickets are available – and volunteer help is still needed. Contact: [ana@societyfordisabilities.org](mailto:ana@societyfordisabilities.org)

Modesto Chamber of Commerce Oktoberfest is **Oct. 4**. Trish sent out a required form by email and paper copies were available today. The event has a new location: the parking lot adjoining Modesto Centre Plaza (where the ice rink is put up each winter).

Oakdale Kiwanis welcomes golfers for its fund-raising tournament on **Oct. 5**.

NMK will host the mid-year convention in February and a local contact is needed. Loren Suelzle volunteered.

## **BIRTHDAYS/ANNIVERSARIES:**

**No birthdays this week.**

**Ana and Robert are “finally married” (her words) –** and we are all happy for them. They've been together 5 days!

**Service anniversaries:** Jim Felt's is this week. Roger Suelzle provided an update on Jim's health – he is undergoing heart valve replacement surgery this morning. We all wish him a quick recovery.

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## BUCKS

**Brent Burnside** is happy to be back after visits to New Orleans (for business) and to Florida (family). He brought back an orange sports jacket that had belonged to a family member of his brother. Brent presented it to Aaron Kellums and we hope to see it in the future. (It fits except for the sleeves are a bit short).

**Adrian** is happy about his fun trip to Fuji.

**Randy Cook** is happy that he and Denise and all the participants survived the beer mile event that they hosted last week.

**Jim and Linda Graham** saw lots of green when he and Linda visited Ireland, Northern Ireland and Scotland. He recommends the area. Also, he's happy that Lind did not suffer serious injuries when she was hit in a recent accident. Her car was a loss and they have a new one.

**Treasurer Cathy Line** caught the late arrivers – Jennifer and Aaron.

**Britta** reluctantly shared a few details about her new wheels: a Jeep Grand Cherokee 4x4.

**Mike Boyd** is sad about his serious bicycle accident, but happy that he isn't in worse shape. He isn't finished with the dental work that will be required and still sports a major split lip and other scrapes. Be careful, folks!

## PROGRAM

We had three speakers from Modesto Peace/Life Center, which won (earned) the license for a nonprofit radio station, KCBP. It is available at 95.5 FM and via the website, [kcbpradio.org](http://kcbpradio.org)

Jim Costello explained some of the work involved in getting this license and the FCC regulations that guide a nonprofit radio station. He said the goal is to eventually have all the programming devoted to community issues/organizations and talent.

They have created a small studio in the Peace/Life Center office on 13<sup>th</sup> Street and the transmitter was installed in the hills near Patterson. Four local programs have been established since the station began broadcasting in June. They are hoping for programming that reflects many views of the community, including public affairs shows.

Jocelyn Cooper said their goal is to have all local programs, including local music, poetry, literature etc. To pay for everything they are seeking underwriters who will get acknowledged (as underwriters do on

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PBS, KVIE, etc.) The benefits to the underwriters are reaching a target audience (all local) and an opportunity to sponsor programs that reflect the values of the business or organization.

Pete Magazinovic invited everyone to their upcoming fund-raiser: a benefit basketball game between the Golden State Warriors' wheelchair basketball team and others who want a chance to compete in basketball from a wheelchair. It will be Oct. 26, from 3 to 5 p.m., at Enochs High School.

## **MARBLE & LUNCH MONEY**

Kevin Scott had the right ticket but pulled a white marble; Skipper Fricke won the lunch money.

## **UPCOMING PROGRAMS**

**Oct. 3** – report from October board meeting and our first meeting under our new president.

**Oct. 10** – Jack Griffith representing the veterans group he founded, Protecting Soldiers Rights

**Oct. 17** - Sara Hosner, production coordinator of The Valley Talent Project

## **Calendar Of Events**

<b>Sept. 27</b>	<b>Deinstallation dinner.</b>
<b>Sept. 28</b>	<b>Bowling social at 1 p.m. at Yosemite Lanes</b>
<b>Oct. 4</b>	<b>Chamber of Commerce Oktoberfest, 5:30 to 10 p.m. (volunteer opportunity). Parking lot by Modesto Centre Plaza.</b>
<b>Oct. 27</b>	<b>wine tasting in Lodi</b>
<b>Dec. 7</b>	<b>Breakfast with Santa – sponsorship opportunities available.</b>
<b>Dec. 9</b>	<b>Book Sorting at the Man Cave</b>
<b>Dec. 11</b>	<b>Gift wrapping party at Man Cave</b>
<b>Dec. 14</b>	<b>Christmas basket distribution</b>

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Current Board				
President	Adrian Crane		2017-2019	Mike Boyd, Odette Fattal,
1st Vice President	Robert Husman			Robert Husman, Bill Ryan
2nd Vice President	Britta Skavdahl			
Past president	Eric Angelo		2018-2020	Randy Cook, Tim Ragsdale
Secretary	Lori Rosman			George Bairey, Bill Heyden
Treasurer	Britta Skavdahl			
Event Committee Chairs				
NMK Field Games	Jim Felt		CASA Golf Tournament	Jim Toal
Chicken A Go Go	Charlie Christensen		Breakfast with Santa	Jennifer Mullen
Christmas Baskets	Marty Villa		Graffiti Festival	Brent Burnside
Committee Chairs				
Community Services	Richard Reimche		Membership Retention	
Young Children Priority One	Jeremiah Williams		Social Committee	Randy Cook
Youth Services	Sabine Saso		Programs	Steve Collins, Judy Herrero
Sponsored Youth	Brent B(Enochs), Ken Nolte		New Member Bios	George Bairey
	(Vanguard), Bill M (Central),		Soccer Club Liaison	George Bairey
	Marty Villa (Davis)		Web Master	Trish Christensen
Spiritual Aims	Marty Villa		New Member Orientation	Roger Suelzle, Steve Collins
Scholarships	Bill Ryan		Fiscal Oversight	Jim Graham
			Sunshine/cards	Judy Herrero
Membership Growth	Robert Husman		InterClub	Ken Darby
Insurance Commissioner	Bill Ryan		Publicity Chair	Kyle Barker, Trish Christensen