

KIWANIS NEWSLETTER

Sept. 22, 2016

Doc Steele ran the meeting again in Hilding Larson's absence. April Curtze made a rare appearance which was greeted applause. There were no guests other than the program speaker.

Youth Activities- Diana Meyer and Roger Jump reported that both the Key Club at SLOHS and the Builders Club at Laguna Middle School have faculty advisors.

Troop Parcels- We have signups for 15 parcels to be mailed to our troops in the Middle East. Thanks to all who volunteered.

Soap Box- Rich Carsel, using the example of Colin Kaepernick, said we must protect the rights of all for our system of justice to work.

Joke- Kevin Hauber scored with a Neil Armstrong joke.

Fines & Happy Bucks- Gary Simas was the fine master. Mike Murphy and Roger Jump were fined for exchanging the song and inspiration duties. Mike was also happy that John Carsel would be going to a Viet Nam reunion. Bart Topham was hit for not having a joke, leaving early, and his back acting up. April Curtze was late but was toasted by Bart and Rich Carsel. Diana Meyer was happy about progress with the Builders Club but sad about her mother-in-law having a heart attack. Gary Simas dunned himself for practicing law without a license re Kaepernick but was happy about Cal Poly's football win. Doc Steele paid for a politically incorrect joke (what else is new?). Henry Rible saw former member Dan Hinz at a golf tournament. James Shammass was glad Henry subbed for him at the AM Club's tournament.

Program- Our speaker was Mila Vujovich LaBarre who is a candidate for the SLO City Council. She has been teaching for 33 years and volunteered to be our Builders Club advisor. She is a former Key Club advisor and has helped start Students Against Drunk Driving, Friday Night Live, the 24 Hour Relay, and the Teach Foundation. She had been active against the commercialization of the Dalidio property and the Prado Road realignment. She discussed availability of water, traffic infrastructure, open space, view sheds, dredging Laguna Lake, the rental inspection ordinance, parking, and the proposed homeless shelter.

Drawings-

\$7- Kevin Hauber

\$20- Bob Kitamura

Flag- Jim Nielsen

Fine Free- James Shammass

Song- Ralph Battles

Soap Box- Bob Kitamura

Inspiration- Jeff Lee

Joke- Bart Topham

Membership (\$145)- Jim Nielsen picked the 7 of clubs.

Next Program- Jody Belsher on the “Other side of Marijuana”.

Upcoming Dates-

10/1- Curb Painting

10/2- Feed The Homeless

10/4- Board Meeting

10/15- Airport Day- more volunteers needed.

11/18- L.A. Auto Show-contact Kevin Hauber for details