

KIWANIS NEWSLETTER

April 20, 2017

Doc Steele ran the meeting in Prez Hilding's absence. There were no guests other than our speaker, but Paul Wissler made his first appearance at a noontime meeting.

Drive- thru BBQ- Sales are going fairly well. Mike Johnson will be back next week and will give us a more detailed summary.

Troop Parcels- We have signups for 17 parcels for this coming Thursday. Thanks to all who volunteered.

Soap Box- Jim Irwin gave us a summary of his experiences in the military, at Air Vol Block, and with the Ice Company.

Joke- Milt Batson gave us a detailed account of his son's tribulations at Milt's grandson's wedding.

Fines & Happy Bucks- Gary Simas did the extraction. Secret Greeter Milt Batson was ignored by many. Doc Steele almost forgot about F&HB due to Milt's dissertation. Milt gave for his story and his daughter being in labor. John Carsel and Kevin Hauber were late. Bart Topham donated for police pressure, being back and leaving early. John Durant is happy to be attending regularly after recovering from knee surgery. Larry Meek gave for Milt not doing anymore jokes. Roger Jumps' daughter is getting married July 15th. Bill Fieldhouse is going to St. Louis for his wife's 60th anniversary of graduating from nursing school. Dick Riggins gave for the high school scholarships reviewers.

Program- Our speaker was Gary Orback, a 29 yr. veteran of the SLOPD, and currently on the board of directors for Crime Stoppers. This is a world-wide program that has been in existence in SLO County since 1982. It is a program that offers anonymity and cash rewards to citizens who furnish information leading to the arrest and conviction of criminal suspects. Last year they received 341 tips. It unites the public, the media, and the police in the fight against crime. It is financed by grants and donations.

Drawings-	\$10- Roger Jump	\$40- John Durant
	Flag- John Durant	Fine Free- James Shammass
	Song- Milt Batson	Soap Box- Ryan Sedley
	Inspiration- Jim Irwin	Joke- Kevin Hauber

Membership (\$107.50)- The 2 of spades was picked.

Next Program- Ed Miller of Unfinished Business.