

# KIWANIS NEWSLETTER

Oct. 26, 2017

Prez Hilding survived the meeting, using only one arm to hold on to the bell and gavel, having injured his shoulder in the morning.

**Guests-** Bill Fieldhouse brought his son Ray, visiting from Texas.

**Family BBQ (10/22)-** 55 people were served baby back ribs, beans, salad, garlic bread, ice cream, and cookies at the Pepper Tree Ranch in Edna. Bill Fieldhouse led the crew consisting of Jim Irwin, John Durant, Ben McAdams, Bob Kitamura, Roger Jump, Tom Tolbert, Larry Meek, and former member Bill Zweifel. A good time was had by all.

**Youth Activities-** The Key Club is preparing to send 10 students and 2 advisors to Fall Rally. It is also working on the Art Project fundraiser to be held Nov. 4<sup>th</sup>. The Builders Club is working at the Laguna School garden.

**See's Candy-** Ben McAdams says Sell! Sell! Sell! Orders are due by Nov. 16<sup>th</sup> in order to get delivery in early December.

**Joke-** Roger Jump scored with a memory joke.

**Soap Box-** Bill Fieldhouse, chaperoned by his son Ray, took the Honor Flight, along with 22 other WWII and Korean War vets, to the nation's capital. They visited Arlington Cemetery, various memorials, and the Naval Academy, getting big welcomes at all the stops along the way.

**Fines & Happy Bucks-** Gary Simas returned as extractor in chief. He gave for watching a World Series game in L.A. Hilding Larsen was hit for getting free medical advice from Docs McAdams and Steele. John Durant lost the fine box. Milt Batson was late. Henry Rible's aunt had her 100<sup>th</sup> birthday. Larry Meek told us about the Halloween maze being built along Hwy. 227. James Shammass was sad about USC losing to Notre Dame. Bart Topham has recovered from a severe respiratory infection but is glad his son and his fiancée are improving after an auto accident causing multiple injuries to both.

**Program-** Our speaker was Heidi McPherson, CEO of the Community Foundation of SLO County. The foundation has been in existence for 19 years and holds \$60M in assets. They get their money via grants, individual and corporate donations, and donor-advised funds. Last year, they gave out \$2.2M to non-profits in the fields of Health and Human Services, Education, scholarships, and community enhancements.

**Drawings-** \$10- Lynn Cooper

\$27- Bart Topham

Flag- Bob Alderman

Fine Free- Roger Jump

Song- Roger Steele

Soap Box- Ben McAdams

Inspiration- Bart Topham

Joke- Leslie Cone

Membership (\$72.50)- Leslie Cone picked the 10 of clubs.

**Next Program-** Gary Simas on the restoration of a 1926 Dodge.

**Upcoming Dates-**

10/28- Adoption Agency BBQ.

11/1- Board Meeting.

11/5- Feed The Homeless.

12/1- LA Auto Show.

12/10- Progressive Dinner.

