

# KIWANIS NEWSLETTER

Nov. 9, 2017

**Guests-** Past Lt. Gov. Brian Atwell made an unofficial visit to plug the Aktion Club of Atascadero's installation on 11/17. Henry Rible brought fellow grand jury person Gary Milne.

**Feed The Homeless (11/5)-** We fed 75 people including 10 kids during this monthly project. Thanks to all who donated and served.

**Interclub (11/7)-** Jim Irwin, Bill Fieldhouse, Gary Simas, and Doc Steele visited the SLO AM Club. They have a project where they feed breakfast snacks weekly to underprivileged students at C.L. Smith elementary school.

**DCM (11/8)-** Shane Kramer and Hilding Larson attended the monthly meeting in Atascadero. Emphasis was placed on increasing membership so that KI does not merge Divisions 24 and 29 that would run from Lompoc to Paso Robles.

**Youth Activities-** The Key Club has 15 members going to Fall Rally at Magic Mountain. Circle K has 47 paid members and its President is speaking on the club's success at the Kiwanis Region 10 Conference in Santa Maria.

**Joke-** Doc Steele got some groans with a credit card joke.

**Soap Box-** James Shammas told us of a fascinating identity theft story when he worked as a real estate agent.

**See's Candy-** The order deadline is this coming Thursday, Nov. 16<sup>th</sup>, so please bring in your orders that day or get them to George Petty or Doc Steele by then.

**Fines & Happy Bucks-** Kevin Hauber did the extraction. Bart Topham was happy to see Shane Kramer and that his son had completed a move up north. Bob Kitamura was sad to be at the 7<sup>th</sup> game of the World Series and see the Dodgers lose. Dale Winslow laundered a sad buck from Rich Carsel who left before the start of the meeting. Tom Tolbert promoted the CCFC dinner on 12/1. Bob Alderman was happy Mike Murphy helped him with the ticket selling. Mike Murphy was happy about his plane ride with Brian Atwell. Brian was glad to take the day off from work and for his gloveless aviation physical from Doc Steele.

**Program-** Our speaker was Jeff Al-Mashat, the capital campaign director of the SLO Museum of Art. The museum is in the midst of a campaign to raise \$15M for an expansion which would add gallery and classroom space, air conditioning, an art library, a gift shop, a kitchen, and an improved security system. This would enable them to attract bigger and better local and travelling exhibitions. They have raised \$3M so far and will not start construction until the total amount is raised.

**Drawings-** \$20- Bob Alderman

\$20- Jeff Milne (given back to club)

Flag- Mike Murphy

Fine Free Dale Winslow

Song- Bob Kitamura

Soap Box- Tom Tolbert

Inspiration- Henry Rible

Joke- Lynn Cooper

Membership (\$77.50) \_ Henry Rible picked the 5 of hearts.

**Next Program-** Dr. Wen Chen on the human rights movement in China.

**Upcoming Dates-**

11/23- Last day for See's Candy orders.

12/1- LA Auto Show.

12/10- Progressive Dinner.

12/16- Salvation Army Bell Ringing.