

KIWANIS NEWSLETTER

Feb. 1, 2018

Doc Steele ran the meeting in Prez Hilding's absence (on a trip to Wyoming).

Guests- Lt. Gov. Steve Click made another appearance to promote the Valentine's Day DCM Bingo fundraiser and the Governor's visit on Feb. 17th.

Crab Feed (3/10)- We have sold about 50 tickets toward our goal of 325. Diana Meyer and Roger need help with items for both the silent and live auctions.

Satellite Club (1/30)- George Petty reported there were 6 members present.

Key Club- 3 students attended the division conclave which elected a new Lt. Governor and adopted the Snow Leopard as the new division mascot.

Soap Box- Bill Fieldhouse reported on his recent trip to cruise around New Zealand and Australia.

Joke- Doc Steele scored with a military recruiting joke.

Fines & Happy Bucks- Bart Topham was the fine master. He gave for the absent Gary Simas' birthday. Rich Carsel paid for a poor intro, a problem with the pledge, and singing his high school fight song. Henry Rible had a senior moment starting the Star-Spangled Banner. Mike Murphy also gave a poor intro. Bill Fieldhouse's soap box was too long. Bob Alderman was happy to finish jury duty. George Petty was glad to see Steve Click here. Dick Riggins donated for his wife's B-D.

Program- Our speaker was Ann Berry-Gallegos representing the SLO Winds Orchestra's program "Music for Kidz". The Orchestra is made up of 50 members who play wind and percussion instruments and has been in existence for 18 years. They give a free program each year for 5th graders from the Atascadero and San Luis Coastal School Districts at Cuesta College. The program is meant to encourage student interest in music. Students hear music from movies such as Star Wars and are taught the individual sounds of different instruments. Learning to play a musical instrument has been shown to increase graduation rates. The Orchestra is requesting donations from service clubs to pay for the cost of bussing the students.

Drawings- \$15- George Petty

\$20- Bill Fieldhouse

Flag- Milt Batson

Fine Free- Mike Johnson

Song- John Durant

Soap Box- Stew Jenkins

Inspiration- Bart Topham

Joke- Henry Rible

Membership (\$105)- John Durant picked the heart four.

Next Program- Women's Support Network.

Upcoming Dates-

2/4- Feed the Homeless.

2/7- Board Meeting.

2/14- DCM.

2/17- Governor's visit.

3/10- Crab Feed.