KIWANIS NEWSLETTER

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Doc Steele ran the meeting. Guests were Lt. Gov. Steve Click and James Shammas' dad George who surprised him with his visit.

Lt. Governor- Steve Click promoted the Kiwanis-1 Day which is assisting the Morro Bay in Bloom organization in weeding at the Round-About in Morro Bay on April 28th. He also mentioned the DCM on May 9th which our club is hosting in Atascadero featuring Chinese food from Mandarin Gourmet for \$15/person. The program will be about the Service Leadership Programs. Steve also gave recognition awards to Roger Jump and George Petty for their attendance at a division membership program.

Drive-Thru BBQ- Let's get out and sell those tickets. A signup sheet for work assignment was circulated for this. We also have another BBQ on May 5th which was donated to BB/BS. Contact Jim Irwin if you can help with this.

Soap Box- Jim Nielsen described his work with Get on The Bus and showed a slide show picturing the children from Northern California interacting with their fathers during their 4 hour visit to CMC.

Joke- Fine-free Doc Steele got a way with a grandpa joke.

Inspiration- Larry Meek described the attributes of the winner of the \$2500 Kiwanis Community Scholarship whom will remain anonymous until the actual award ceremony. He is a Boy Scout, a classic pianist, a Junior Lifeguard, a member of the tech, physics, and robotics clubs, who has done internships in the radar and computer fields.

Fines & Happy Bucks- Gary Simas did the honors. James Shammas paid for an endorsement from his father. Roger Jump was fined for not stealing the bell from Doc Steele. Lynn Cooper survived a charity walk from Morro Bay to Cayucos. Steve Click is happy that all five clubs in our division will have delegates to the KI Convention. Larry Meek came through carotid artery surgery with flying colors. Rich Carsel gave for 2 weeks in New Orleans. Bob Kitamura witnessed a Dodger game in which they were victorious.

Program- Roger Jump and Rich Carsel tag-teamed a presentation on increasing membership. We all enjoy the comraderie of the club and doing community service and if our membership was larger, we could raise more money and do more. We must sell our product-advertise what we do for what groups and how much money we give away. We should invite friends and associates to our meetings and be able to tell the benefits of joining, the cost, and how much service time is requested.

Drawings- \$10- Lynn Cooper \$25- Doc Steele

Flag- Lynn Cooper Fine Free- Kevin Hauber

Song- Gary Simas Soap Box- Leslie Cone

Inspiration- Jim Irwin Joke- Rich Carsel

Membership (\$65)- Roger Jump picked the diamond 10.

Next Program- Superior Court Candidate Ilan Funke-Bilu.

Upcoming Dates-

5/2- Board Meeting.

5/5-BB/BS BBQ.

5/6- Feed The Homeless.

5/9- DCM in Atascadero.

5/18- Drive-Thru BBQ.

5/24- Meeting and tour at the Food Bank.