

KIWANIS NEWSLETTER

July 18, 2019

Guests- Past Lt.Gov. Steve Click of the Atascadero Club and Valarie Brown-Klingelhoef, CNH District Chair of The Formula (membership growth).

Member Installation- Eugene Waddell was initiated into the club. He was sponsored by Doc Steele. Gene was employed by various municipal administrations in the Bay Area and has lived in SLO for about a year.

Membership Recruitment- Ms. Brown described the upcoming (Aug. 4-7th) drive to start 2 new clubs in the SLO area. 8 recruiters from around the country are coming to SLO to try to start new clubs in the tech area (near SLO Airport) and near Cal Poly. These clubs will probably only meet twice per month during Happy Hours. They will have their own set of rules but will try to follow the Objects of Kiwanis and will be mentored by members of our and the other SLO clubs.

Joke- Doc Steele subbed for Mike Johnson and offered that President Trump would put tariffs on shredded cheese to Make America Grate Again.

Fines & Happy Bucks- Gary Simas did the honors. Mike Johnson & Doc Steele paid for the joke. Bob Kitamura got hit for a poor intro. Lynn Cooper's song lead was off key. Gene Waddell lost his apron, badge and fine box lid. Welcome to Kiwanis. Doc Steele was happy that Gene had joined the club. Diana Meyer informed us that past Lt. Gov. Nicholas Wright of Cal Poly Circle K was trying to start a new Circle K club at Cuesta College. Jim Nielsen is happy about his move to The Villages. Steve Click announced he will be running for the Region 10 Trustee position, he will soon be a grandparent, and his Atascadero club has a food booth at the Mid-State Fair. Valarie Brown gave a thankful buck. Hilding Larson was sad about James Shammass's father George passing away.

Program- Bob Kitamura and Rich Carsel described highlights of their trips to Cuba. They discussed the infrastructure, architecture, automobiles, politics, and music. The state owns most of the means of production but Rich feels the government is slowly liberalizing.

Drawings-	\$10- Mike Johnson	\$25- Bob Kitamura
	Flag- Henry Rible	Fine Free- Mike Johnson
	Song- Doc Steele	Soap Box- Ralph Slocum
	Inspiration- Kevin Hauber	Joke- Jim Irwin

Membership (\$72.50)- Doc Steele picked the Heart queen.

Next Program- Canzona Women's Ensemble.

Upcoming Dates-

7/23- Interclub at Greater Pismo.

8/4- Feed the Homeless.

8/6- Board Meeting.