
KIWANIS CLUB LA CAÑADA LA CRESCENTA-AM APRIL 24, 2024



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Fiscal Year Oct 1-Sep 30

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**Wednesdays at 7:30 am
LCIF Parish Hall or Zoom
1700 Foothill Boulevard
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St. Bede Builders Club Pizza Lunch & Meeting



NEXT MONTH AT A GLANCE... ZOOM or IN-PERSON

Pledge/Flag Salutes:

05/01/24 – Martha Burns

05/08/24 – Dick Barley

05/15/24 – Marie Hyland

05/22/24 – John Ryan

Inspiration:

05/01/24 – Martha Burns

05/08/24 – Barbie Eland

05/15/24 – Cindy Bradford

05/22/24 – Chris Ecker

Song Leader:

05/01/24 – Brian Hummel

05/08/24 – Christie Crahan

05/15/24 – Brian Hummel

05/22/24 – Christie Crahan



ZOOM PROBLEMS: If you get booted out **JUST go to**
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81544355138?pwd=eDBvZmhMcng5NGV6dXBGQVN0NGhMZz09>
and log back on.

Calendar of Events:

Club Board Meeting-7:30 am, 1st Monday of the month (except on holidays then 2nd Monday) at small room near Parish Hall

Division 3 (DCM) Board Meeting-5:30 pm, 3rd Monday of the month at the Elks Lodge, 120 E Colorado St, Glendale

KEY CLUB/BUILDERS CLUB MEETINGS

St. Bede Builders Club-12:15pm, 2nd Wednesday, at Parish Center with Glory Williams.

Rosemont Builders Club-12:30 pm, 1st Wednesday in Multi-purpose Rm with Jessica Cole.

St. Francis HS Key Club-11:45 am, 2nd or 3rd Wednesday, Rm #104 with Patrick Davitt and DARK during the holiday season and summer months.

Franklin Key HS Club-12:22 pm, every Tuesday, Rm #530, with Davy Mouremann and DARK during the holiday season and summer months.

Crescenta Valley HS Key Club-12:17 pm, every Tuesday, Rm #7205 or North Gym with Saul Sheridan and DARK during the holiday season and summer months.

Clark Magnet HS Key Club-11:50 am on odd-dated Wednesday, Rm #5215 with Ms. Mardirosian and DARK during the holiday season and summer months.

Village Christian HS Key Club-12:30pm, twice a month on Thursday, Rm #B-2 with Ms. Lilit Vartanian and DARK during the holiday season and summer months.

Programs/Speakers:

05/01/24 – Salvation Army-Captain Adam Morales

05/04/24 – Glendale Kiwanis Annual Duck Splash

05/08/24 – Prom Plus-Megan Johnson

05/15/24 – Big Bug Feelings book-Jessica Stamm

05/22/24 – Firehouse-Mary O’Keefe

Hospitality: N/A

Newsletter: Zoom Operators: **Chris Ecker & Brian Hummel**, Editor: **Martha Burns**, Photos: **Barbie Eland**, Web: **Martha Burns**

THIS PAST WEEK...

Members in Attendance: 6 members & many Builders Club students & advisor in person.

Guests: The principal of St. Bedes Elizabeth Bozzo and lots of Builders Club students.

Welcome Back: None

Birthdays: None

Anniversaries: None

Ribbon Cuttings: None

Opportunity Drawing: None

President’s Message:



NEXT MEETING at Church Fellowship Hall & ZOOMED on May 1, at 7:30am PST.

Come chat at 7am. Zoom meeting ID is 81544355138 and passcode is 505812

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81544355138?pwd=eDBvZmhMcng5NGV6dXBGQVN0NGhMZz09>

NEWSLETTER EDITORS/PHOTOGRAPHERS NEEDED Editors will no longer need to write about the program unless they wish to do so. Just include the info on HAMS & announcements. You will send the info to either Martha Burns or substitute editor to finish it up & convert to PDF and then they will load on to our website.

Kiwanis Officers and Directors: If you have a program/speaker, please give name/date to **Martha Burns or Cindy Bradford** as they will be the schedulers. Check out our website's calendar to schedule/view future programs. www.lcfkiwanisam.org Remember speakers can join us on Zoom, so anyone far or near might be good candidates.

President's Announcements: Chris Ecker

- Remember to collect plastic & paper bags for our Kiwanis One Day project.
- Nominations for club officers are open. We have to vote on a slate by May 15. Please consider joining our wonderful board. Let Chris or Rosemary know if so.
- Please sign up to help at our French Toast Breakfast May 25 or parade truck ride May 27
- **Jul 3-6 is Kiwanis International Convention** will be held in Denver. Registration is now open.
- **Aug 8-10 is Kiwanis Cal-Nev-Ha District Convention** in Kona, Hawaii
- For 2023-24 club officers who missed the district's **Kiwanis Leadership Training** sessions this year, Kiwanis International is providing a set of prerecorded webinar videos for presidents, secretaries, treasurers and membership chairs. Each video runs between 60 and 90 minutes. There are two sets for each club officer: one for first-time officers and another for those who have held the position in the past. The link for these videos is: [Kiwanis Led Training | Kiwanis International](#)

Next week our program is: Salvation Army Rehabilitation Program-Captain Morales.



Kiwanis Announcements:

- **Martha Burns** has French Toast Breakfast tickets for sale. Adult \$10 and Child (under 12) \$10.
- Glendale Club 19th annual Duck Splash, May 4, 11am-2:30 pm at Lake Glendale, Verdugo Park, 1621 Canada Blvd. \$5 a duck, \$25 Quack Pack.
- **Tom Petersmeyer** has the Kiwanis hats/caps for anyone who would like to purchase them for \$31.21. **Chris Ecker** has about 20 3'x5' flags still from the Veterans project that the club will sell for \$10.

Other Announcements: Please let **Martha or Rosemary** know if there are any changes in your personal info we have on file-like phone #, email or address change etc.

Upcoming InterClubs: Always check our newsletter calendar and the calendar on the website lcfkiwanisam.org to see what is going on.

Upcoming Key Clubs: **Christie Crahan** is working on some interclub meetings.

Health News: Please contact **Dani Hydar** if you know of someone who needs a card or cheering up.

H.A.M.S.:

- **Chris Ecker (\$5)** as he is very happy since his doctor said he does not need gall bladder surgery.
- **Joyce Ruygrok (\$10)** is proud of her grandson who graduated college and loves photography. He now has a wonderful job making commercials and traveling the world from Paris to Shanghai and beyond. She also brought back the popular “fish” for our White Elephant Auction, which had a little baby!
- **Joy Gibson (\$5)** told a another story about “where is God?” One little boy thought he was lost.



***Program/Speaker:* The St. Bede's Principal Elizabeth Bozzo & Builders Club student members.**

Brian Hummel & Chris Ecker co-ran the meeting today. Brian explained a bit about our club and its special projects and what Kiwanis is all about. Chris conducted our quick meeting first and then Brian asked the students to stand up and say their name, what grade they were in and what their interests were. 8th graders told us where they were going to HS next fall. Many to St. Francis, Flintridge Sacred Heart, Clark Magnet and others. The Club said they had a E-Waste Drive fundraiser this past year. Of course they all oved having pizza for lunch. We were a bit disappointed only 6 Kiwanians showed up from our club. Brian presented the Principal with a club check for \$300 for their new "Wellness Center."

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