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LA CAÑADA LA CRESCENTA-AM

January 21, 2026

Pledge/Flag Salute:

01/28/26 – Chris Ecker
02/04/26 – Jack Labrie
02/11/26 – Insook Park
02/18/26 – Brian Hummel
02/25/26 – Susan Johnson

Inspiration:

01/28/26 – Tom Petersmeyer
02/04/26 – Peter Hultine
02/11/26 – Salli Dokko
02/18/26 – Lynne Thompson
02/25/26 – Chuck Johnson

Song Leader: Brian Hummel

Pianist: Marie Hyland

Programs/Speakers:

01/28/26 – Sky Sprowles & Jane Neely: LCF Neighborhood Magazine
02/02/26 – Board Meeting @ 7:30 am at Church
02/04/26 – Salli Dokko: Craft Talk

02/11/26 – Angela Cho: City of La Cañada (Hometown Heroes Banner program, etc.)

02/18/26 – Service Project: Snack Packs for Ascencia

02/25/26 – La Cañada High School Brass Quartet

Help us find Guest Speakers, Outings, Service Projects:

Please give information to Martha Burns/Cindy Bradford as they are our schedulers.

Meeting Time Change:

We are going to try something new. Starting in February, our meetings will start at 8:00 am instead of 7:30 am. We will see how it goes and re-evaluate as needed.

Announcements:



Super Bowl Party on Sunday, Feb. 8th @ 3:15 pm at Lynne Thompsons home ... game starts at 3:30. RSVP to Lynne.

Super Bowl Pool (\$5 per square) If you want to participate, Martha is handling the sign-up sheet. You can sign up at meetings or email Martha ... she can bill you, so all members are welcome. There will be winners, and our club admin account earns a little profit too!

San Antonio Winery Tour (Friday, Feb. 13th) – We will meet at the church parking lot at 10:15 am, the tour starts at 11am. Go behind the scenes at the winery and learn about the 100-year Riboli family history of winemaking. After the 30-minute tour, we can walk through the amazing gift shop and then enjoy lunch at nearby Phillip's OR at Maddalena restaurant at the winery. Sign up at meetings OR contact Martha Burns to RSVP. *All are welcome, and this is a great opportunity to invite a friend!*



Service Project:

Snack Packs for Friends In Deed (Qty. 120)

A special thanks to **Evie Barley** for delivery our snack packs to Friends In Deed! **Brian Hummel** delivers food donations to Friends In Deed every Saturday. Tim Nistler, Director of Food Pantry, has been a speaker for us ... and he says that these snack packs are very useful & appreciated! Their Street Outreach team identifies homeless on the streets of Pasadena and works to build trust and rapport. They provide snack packs, new socks, food, water, hygiene kits and tries to connect these folks to supportive services.

Friends In Deed provides a variety of programs: Women's Room, Street Outreach & Housing, Food Pantry and more.

<https://friendsindeedpas.org>



Today's Meeting:

Attendance: 13 members in person, and 2 members on zoom.

Guests: none

Welcome Back: Tom Petersmeyer, Barbie Eland

Birthdays: none

Anniversaries: none

Ribbon Cuttings: none

Hospitality: Coffee, tea & pastries.

Zoom Operators: Chris Ecker & Brian Hummel

Newsletter Editor/Photos/Website: Martha Burns, Cindy Bradford



H.A.M.S.:

Rose Velasquez (\$5) – She is thankful that her grandson and daughter are not injured after a car accident last night, unfortunately there is damage to their car and property.

Joy Gibson (\$1) – He sure gives us giggles with his weekly jokes!

Christie Crahan (\$5) – She is thrilled that Tom Petersmeyer joined our meeting on zoom today, we have missed seeing him! He welcomes visitors, and his wife will gladly help plan a visit. Contact Barbara at 818-248-6383 or barbaraapetersmeyer@gmail.com

Scholarship: **Jack Labrie** announced that he wants to donate \$500 for an extra scholarship this year. Our scholarship program is important to him, and his generosity will certainly support a student ... thank you, Jack!

USC Verdugo Hills Hospital **Heart Health Doc Talk** **Thurs. 2/5/26 @ 12-1 p.m.**
USC Verdugo Hills Hospital, 4th floor council rooms C & D (enter from hospital main entrance) 1812 Verdugo Blvd., Glendale. Dr. Amir Solhpour is a structural interventional cardiologist trained at Texas Medical Center and board-certified in six cardiovascular specialties. He is known for advancing minimally invasive, catheter-based therapies. He currently serves as Director of Echocardiography at USC Verdugo Hills Hospital and pioneered the first MitraClip, TriClip, and Watchman procedures in the Glendale area. His expertise also includes minimally invasive treatment of aortic aneurysms using EVAR. To register, visit <https://www.keckmedicine.org/events/> or call 818-952-2228. They will have box lunches for takeaway at the end of the talk for in-person attendees. Reservations for takeaway box lunches are required at least 48 hours in advance. Doors open at 11:30 a.m., and the talk will begin promptly at noon.

Club Website:

www.LCFKiwanisAM.org

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Care & Concern

Insook Park

Weekly Meetings: Wednesdays @ 7:30-8:30 am

In person - Lutheran Church (Fellowship Hall), 1700 Foothill Blvd., LCF, 91011

On Zoom - Meeting ID: 81544355138 Passcode: 505812

Link: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81544355138?pwd=eDBvZmhMcna5NGV6dXBGOVN0NGhMz09>

Zoom Problems: If you get booted out just go to link & log back in.

Division 3 (DCM) Board Meeting: 3rd Monday of the month @ 5:30 p.m. Elks Lodge, 120 E. Colorado St., Glendale OR Zoom (every other month).

Club Board Meeting: 1st Monday of the month @ 7:30 a.m. (except on holidays, then 2nd Monday) in small room near Parish Hall. Quarterly an evening meeting at a board member's home. Club members always welcome.

KEY CLUB/BUILDERS CLUB MEETINGS (During School Year)

Clark Magnet HS Key Club –
even dated Wed @11:50am (room 1230) Bassam Abisaab

Crescenta Valley HS Key Club – every other Wed. @ 12:50 pm (north gym)
Saul Sheridan

Franklin HS Key Club –
every other Tues. @ 12:15 pm (room 530) Davy Mauremann

Rosemont Builders Club –
1st Wed. @ 12:30 pm (multi-purpose room) Jessica Cole

St. Bede Builders Club –
3rd Thur. @ 12:15 pm (parish center) Patrice Fontes/Therese Louk

St. Francis HS Key Club – schedule varies, Patrick Davitt

Village Christian HS Key Club – schedule varies, Lilit Vartani