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LA CAÑADA LA CRESCENTA-AM

April 8, 2026

Pledge/Flag Salute:

- 04/15/26 – Chuck Johnson
- 04/22/26 – n/a
- 04/29/26 – Jack Labrie
- 05/06/26 – n/a
- 05/13/26 – Lynne Thompson
- 05/20/26 – Salli Dokko
- 05/27/26 – Chuck Hughes

Inspiration:

- 04/15/26 – Susan Johnson
- 04/22/26 – n/a
- 04/29/26 – Martha Burns
- 05/06/26 – n/a
- 05/13/26 – Brian Hummel
- 05/20/26 – Insook Park
- 05/27/26 – Joy Gibson

Song Leader: Brian Hummel

Pianist: Marie Hyland

Programs/Speakers:

- 04/15/26 – Beacon Housing
- 04/22/26 – Scholarship Dinner, no morning mtg
- 04/29/26 – Service Project: Snack Packs for Ascencia
- 05/06/26 – St. Bede Builders Club Lunch, no morning mtg
- 05/13/26 – ?
- 05/20/26 – CVHS WellNEST



Help us find Guest Speakers.

What topics are you interested in? Suggest speakers by giving info to Martha Burns & Cindy Bradford as they are our schedulers.



We **NEED** help with the newsletter. Let's take turns!

Take notes & pictures and put into predesigned template or make your own. Talk to Martha or Cindy. It is easier than you might think. Please HELP!

Guest Speakers: Jeanette Park & Paula Giboney / Prom Plus



Prom Plus began after a Crescenta Valley High School senior student died at an after-prom party in 1991. A volunteer organization that hosts a safe and fun after prom each year for CVHS students. It is on May 16th from 11pm-5am this year at the YMCA of the Foothills immediately after the Prom at Dodger Stadium. Students that attend Prom can attend the after party for free, and students that do not go to Prom can attend for \$20.

Last year, there were approx. 200 students at the party ... and this year they are hoping for 300 students. Approximately 1/3 of the students that attend Prom come to the after party, and they hope that percentage grows. The event includes many activities including: food, poker, laser tag, obstacle course, miniature golf, mechanical bull, Legos & crafts, virtual gaming truck, quiet spaces to relax, lots of raffle prizes, and more!

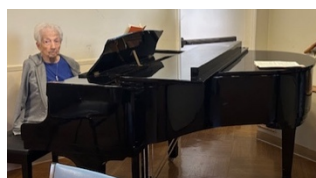
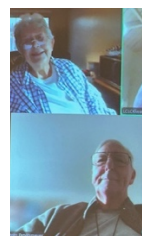
Prom Plus also has a closet of donated dresses and suits that students can borrow for free!



Concerns! Students report that 50% of students consume alcohol on Prom Night and have 4 or more drinks. They feel that 90% of their friends that drink, will drink & drive unsafely. This is exactly why prom plus hosts this annual party, and they are so thankful that there has not been another tragedy on prom night for CVHS.

Prom Plus has yearlong fundraising efforts to fund the event with a goal of earning \$30,000 per year. They do a Back to School BBQ, Pancake Breakfast, BINGO Night, and an Open House BBQ.

We see great importance in supporting this local organization and donated \$200 today.



Announcements:



Scholarship Dinner - Wed., April 22nd @ 6pm

Please join us for our annual dinner to honor 14 recipients chosen to receive our scholarship awards. The dinner cost is \$5 per club member, \$10 for guests, and no charge for recipients & their parent(s). **Please RSVP (ASAP) sign-ups at meetings OR send email to cindyb4@me.com**

We also need volunteers to help with set-up, food servers, clean up. Let Christie Crahan know how you can help.



St. Bede Builders Club Prayer Luncheon - Wed., May 6th @ 11:45

Club members are encouraged to attend, RSVP to Brian Hummel ASAP if you would like to go. There will be **no morning meeting** that day.



Our annual Community French Toast Breakfast is on **Saturday, May 23, 2026**, at Memorial Park. Please save the date because we rely on as many club members as possible to VOLUNTEER to help make it a successful event! Are you able to help pick up, store & deliver food items to our event??? Are you able to pick up our club supplies from the church the day before the event and deliver to park on Saturday morning @ 6:30 am? Contact Cindy Bradford at cindyb4@me.com to offer support.

Today's Meeting:

Attendance: 12 members & 2 guests in person, and 2 members on Zoom.

Guests: Jeannette Park & Paula Giboney from Prom Plus

Welcome Back: Marie Hyland, Insook Park, Salli Dokko, Chuck Hughes ... it is NOT the same without you!

Birthdays: none

Anniversaries: Tom & Barbara Petersmeyer 57th anniversary on April 12th.

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.:

Martha Burns (\$5) – Joe Biden & Jay Leno were at Handel's ice cream in La Cañada yesterday!

Chuck Hughes (\$5) – Support the LCF Tournament of Roses Association @ BINGO on 4/25/26. He appreciates that our club donated \$100 to be a sponsor for the event.

Insook Park (\$10) – She is happy to be back after being sick with a bad cold for weeks. She is so happy that her 2-year-old grandson called her "Hal-Menoni", the Korean word for grandma.

Rosemary Hook (\$5) – She enjoyed seeing real pictures of the moon!

Tom Petersmeyer (\$10) – He enjoyed his daughters visit, and they had a great meal at Panda Inn.

Christie Crahan (\$25) – She had a wonderful visit with her daughter & granddaughter on Easter, they colored easter eggs and had lunch at Descanso.

Evie Barley (\$5) – She has tickets to an Equestrian event at Santa Anita at the Olympics in 2 years! Her great granddaughter is walking at 13 months.

Lynne Thompson (\$5) – She had 9 family members over on Easter, and she is thrilled that her great granddaughter has brought new life in the family.

Chris Ecker (\$5) – He has been helping with the Friday food run for Joy the last 3 weeks. Last week he had 4 carts of food from each store and his skills playing Tetris video game helped him make it all fit into his car!

Weekly Meetings:

Wednesday's @ 7:30 - 8:30 am

Set-up starts at 7:00, coffee & donuts at 7:15.

In person –

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

On Zoom –

Meeting ID: 81544355138

Passcode: 505812

Meeting Link:

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

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 member's welcome.

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