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Bulletin from Sept. 23rd, 2021 Meeting

President Aaron Kellums presiding

Aaron's first meeting as president, welcome.

Round of applause.

Song: Gary Goodman

Pledge: Bob Reidel

Prayer: Jeremiah Williams

Discussion of lateness penalties after a container truck slowed a few members

Immediate badge check yielded a few dollars.

Guests:

Josh Donoho works at Gallo, lives in Ripon and Modesto.

Mick Kinerson is a guest who is ready to help after a busy summer.

John Sanders brought Marianne Willy Sanders, his wife, introduced as 'from the R club'.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Dirk Paintedman's wife Jan has suffered a stroke and is in Memorial Hospital. Please keep her in your thoughts and prayers.

De-install dinner: Successful event at the man cave. The torch has been passed.

Dues are due.

HELPING OTHERS

Jim and Cindy worked at Modesto Club crab feed. Handed out thousands of shrimp.

Steve Perry worked on pumpkin patch fundraiser. And Old Fisherman's Club car show.



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INTERCLUBS

Ken Darby announced that October 15th is the Sonora interclub and then up to Christian Berets camp.

Also Ken thanked the 25 different members who did interclubs last year. We went on 8 interclubs last year which is pretty good considering the Covid interruptions.

20/21 Inter club Participants

1. Ken Darby
2. Lori Rosman
3. Robert Husman
4. Ana Kanbra
5. Mike Boyd
6. Mark Dunker
7. Jim Felt
8. Ray Sanders
9. Gary Goodman
10. Ken Nolte
11. Pet Vella
12. Jennifer Mullen
13. Kevin Scott
14. Gary Wasmun
15. Jeremiah Williams
16. Adrian Crane



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17. Phil Fugit
18. Marty Villa
19. Bob Riedel
20. Allen Ramsey
21. Tom Swafford
22. Judy Sly
23. Brent Burnside
24. Tim Ragsdale

Good job by all.

SOCIALS

Randy is recovering from de-installation so no new events yet.

PEACE PATHS

Marty , on zoom from Mi Wok, is arranging a peace path repaint project.

New video being made for different age groups to show use of peace path.

BIRTHDAYS:

None

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES:

Bill Heyden

Ana Kanbara - 2nd dinner at raw sushi. \$20 donation which is good for a dollar a year suggested fine.

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Jim Felt 9/20/1986 plus or minus a six month pause

HAPPY/SAD BUCKS

Tim Ragsdale happy buck for a refi and a strange mask moment.

Gary wasmund, saw aaron's car here and assumed he was late.

Cory Warner, dog sitting in Napa and received a picture of his daughters engagement and then his son's engagement.

Willy Sanders gave that Steve Perry went to her sunrise rotary. Had to donate 100 as he thanked volunteers for helping at graffiti.

Brian Sanders had happy 10 for charlie and Trish who threw a wedding shower for his daughter.

Karen gave 20 for her two 'bonus boys' progress at school.

Larry Hughes, another grandchild.

Robert Hussman, Happy to be out of the hot seat and a trip to Moro Bay.

Marty Villa, Happy buck for family vacation at Mi-Wok and Pinecrest.

Jeremiah, Happy 5 ones, for Cippino feed, Jim Felt's help, thanks to outgoing and in.

Adrian- recognized lietenant governor and sons pending wedding.

Jim Felt -covered costs at food and drinks at de-installation.

John sanders - open house at Car Museaum next week Saturday 2nd and 3rd Oct.

Bob Dunbar - ran into Mike , owner of Smokey's, May be a new location.

Randy Cook - events at his house, deinstallation by NMK and Beer mile by Dusty Bottoms.

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Steve Collins.(He of 66 years at MJC) explained that negotiations stalled on a police reform bill in Washington. But locally we have good work going on.

Jeremiah Introduced Jeff Dirkse the Stanislaus County Sheriff.

On Transparency: law enforcement puts out lots of data. But how do we get it out in a way that the public can consume and digest?

In last 3 years as sheriff we have tried to be transparent.

Body cameras 2 1/2 years ago. Critical incident videos released.

First time video was released the media reaction was still negative.

Modesto Bee has to call to have a video explained demonstrating that we cannot just publish raw video without context.

Full data and video releases are difficult to understand and yet limited release can be criticized too. Tough situation.

Project Resolve. Pulled together a Group of 40 county leaders to try to come up with 8 or 10 things that can be done to improve law enforcement relationships with community.

Should be a town hall style meeting coming up soon to allow discussion with community. Youth engagement. Hopes to get regular members of the community to show up.

Poll was done to find out public perception of local law enforcement. Half funded by county, half by private entity.

Public does not differentiate between agencies, city police departments, sheriffs.

Poll showed mid 70 percent support which in polls is close to the maximum for any poll question.

While it is impossible to get to 100 percent, we would like to get to 80 percent perhaps,

Our member, Michael Bolton, has been involved in Project Resolve. Michael has facilitated some meetings and built bridges between community and law. Michael feels law enforcement has been transparent and still has positive feedback to give.



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Steve Perry worked with businesses during Covid and thanked the law enforcement for a lot of help and good response.

Tim Ragsdale, we want the facts unbiased, unvarnished. Believes the social media by law enforcement has been good. Criticized the local media, Modesto Bee.

CCW, takes about 90 days to renew or issue but usually shorter. Valid for 2 years. Can have 5 firearms on one permit but have to qualify on each weapon. Thorough investigation. Usual reason for denial is undisclosed history. 95% of applications are issued. Goggle 'Stanislaus sheriff'!

Camera views are not great but limitations on where to mount the camera and available cameras make it difficult.

MARBLE DRAW –Loren Suelzle, Did not draw the marble.

LUNCH MONEY –Phil Fugit

Anything else for the good of the order? Nothing mentioned.

Meeting adjourned at 8:07. Good job Aaron!

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