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Bulletin from April 20th, 2023

This meeting was the annual NMK and Sunrise Rotary joint meeting. We visited Rotary at their home location at Greens on 10th.



Opening:

The meeting was opened by Craig Orona, president of Sunrise Rotary and our NMK President Jennifer Mullen.

Pledge

Song: By our Gary Goodman who wowed the house with “America the Beautiful”

Thought of the day: Are there differences in thought between men and women? Yes! One differing thought might be ‘What is prayer’. That was the lead in to the prayer.

Prayer



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Guests were introduced.

We have had 10 years of joint meetings.



Rotary explained their 'secret greeter' concept where one member is nominated to greet all the arriving members without being obvious about it.

Rotary announced some of their upcoming events:

'Make Dreams Real' is a successful golf tournament, Foothill Horizons is a major beneficiary. Boyett family has helped the program.

Awesome spot playground fundraiser.

Pints with the Prez.

Kiwaniis made some announcements:

Interclub report. Is this an interclub?

Field games at Johansson, ****Time Change **** to 10:45am, Friday

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Sister city international. Ukraine mayors are visiting on Thursday the 27th. Hosts for French exchange students are needed.

News Skit. Stay Classy.

An alligator was found in the American River. Fox News settled with Dominion voting machines. Homeowner program sold out very quickly. Modesto is 15th best city to get stoned. Belgium customs agency destroyed 2400 cans of Miller beer labeled 'champagne of beers'.

Rotary described their favorite projects....

Three Interact clubs.

Speech contest.

Read in

Career day fair

Camp leadership program.

Pink bike project to provide bikes for girls in Africa.

Wheelchair assembly project.

Elliot schoolkids project. Christmas and Easter baskets. Partnering with Soroptimists on community Christmas Tree.

Kiwaniis responded with its projects.....

Pancake breakfast for Love Modesto.

Christmas baskets.

Scholarships. \$32000 to 16 seniors. Emphasis on community service.

American Graffiti Car show and parade. June 9,10,11th. 50th year anniversary of the movie American Graffiti set in Modesto.

Socials; Bowling challenge. Chili cookoff. October wine tasting.



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Closing

Ticket draw, where the winning ticket throws a dart and gets a dollar for every point. Gary Goodman's ticket was drawn, and he threw one dart on \$13 to get \$13. Well done.

A final thanks was given to Marianne and John Sanders for coming up with the idea for these joint meetings.

Adjourned 8:01.

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