



BULLETIN

April 3, 2025

Today's Meeting Summary

President Laura Mackey

Bell rung at 7:02am

Song: Gary Goodman

Pledge: John Erro

Prayer: Tim Ragsdale

Guests: 'Only' Selena Little. (Ed note: It was said!)

Zoom: Sorry, I did not get our zoom attendees. I recall Gary Z.

Announcements

The celebration of life for Steve Collins will be held at MJC East on May 7th at noon.

Cal Nev-Ha Governor visit is coming up on Saturday April 5th. We have a gift for the Governor. NMK is honoring him at the Graffiti Museum; Division 27 is working with us. A plaque at the museum will be dedicated to the governor. We have 9 going so far, including our president, Laura Maki.

Anna Kanbara, Society for disabilities will be holding its Wild West Gala. We have a table of 8. April 26th. 4:30 till late.

Next week, Thursday, is our joint meeting with Rotary. At Greens on 10th at 7am.

The following week April 17th is our scholarship meeting. Fuzios at 7am as usual.

Suzi Power. Friday night is the start of the last season of Modesto Nuts baseball. Knock cancer out of the park is the theme.

La Loma neighborhood Pollinator Festival is this Saturday morning the 5th.

Karen Bettencourt. Embrace Grace baby shower. The 27th. Snacks and gifts. Karen has enough attendees now. We are sponsoring Bernice.

Jennifer Mullen, Love Modesto. April 26th. NMK Pancake Breakfast 7-8:30am; volunteers needed. We are catering breakfast for the volunteers. Pancakes, eggs , sausages. 833 10th Street. 5am till 8:30. Needed: two pancakes mascots to encourage people to come over.

Larry Hughes: Larry has submitted or Graffiti Car Show as a 2025 signature project and is now a finalist. At breakfast at the international convention the 10 projects will be presented and the gold, silver, bronze will be awarded. NMK will have attendees to accept the honors.

Next Tuesday , April 8th, city council mtg. NMK is receiving 'volunteers of the month' recognition. Please attend at 5:30pm to show support. Plan on an hour unless you wish to stay for the council meeting.

Brent Burnside. On June 4th, NMK will be added to the Modesto walk of fame 'Legends of the Cruise'. Wednesday 6pm. . This is right before Car Show weekend. Let's have a great attendance to recognize the club.

Adrian Crane reminds us that Stanislaus County has a new program where we can call 209-577-5494 to get a used battery pickup.

Car Show Update.

Car Show June 6, 7, 8th.

Suzi Powers has 35 vendors. Should reach 50.

Entries are at 485 cars. Share the date.

The 3rd Wednesday Graffiti car show meeting is at Perkos, 7am.

Bronco wine is back as a supporter.

Bill Hayden is planning 4 stages for music.

Parade on Friday is starting a half hour earlier. 5:30 to 8:30. We the club are grand Marshall! Parade is not using 10th street this year; going down 11th to I; 26th Annual; start time 5:30pm

Board Meeting Report

\$2500 to Salvation Army

Aktion club Glow party is April 18th at UCP. 5:30 to 7pm. Chaperones and helpers requested.

Scholarships.

Brian Sanders says that applications are in. More than we can cover. The other Modesto Kiwanis club will offer additional students funding.

Interclubs

Larry Hughes - no interclubs until late April early June;

Nut , the Governor's visit is an interclub - more people who come to the event - more points our club receives.

Larry is still offering \$35.00 Kiwanis principals plaque (\$20.00 goes back to the club as a fundraiser)

Interclubs

Larry Hughes

Interclub, June 4th. Merced, ribs, a good deal. Date changed!!

Social.

Randy Cook

Celebration of life for Rich Reimke will be May 31st. 10 to 2pm.

Joint Rotary meeting - April 10th at Greens on Tenth. 7am.

Scholarship mtg April 17th at Fuzios.

April 25th, field games.

April 26th. Love Modesto

May 31st. Pulled pork social. The man cave 5pm.

June 4th. Wednesday. Club recognition. 6pm. Legend of the cruise.

Birthdays:

Lori Rosman. 4/1. 65 years. Party with family this weekend.

Crystal Aguillar 3/31

Don Viera 3/30

Wedding Anniversaries:

Andrew Hendricks. His 13th, with Debra. Total of 50 if you count all wives. Going to Paso Robles for wine tasting

Club Anniversaries:

Crystal Aguilar 4/3

Jesus Munoz. 4/3

Tony Pinheiro 4/3

Happy Bucks.

- Brian Sanders .Governor Newsom was at MJC to reveal plans for career Ed. Fire academy, nursing, robotics, and other CTE fields. The Governor was impressed by MJC. Half a billion dollars is at stake.
- Anna Little. A trip without Selena! Eight day Cruise to Aruba, Bonaire, Curaçao. Visited the Florida keys too. Also extended to include NASCAR at Homestead since it happened to be occurring as they were heading home. Selena was most disaponinted by missing the Nascar Race.
- Lauren Suelzle. Back stimulator trial . Feeling good. Now waiting for permanent implant.
- Anna Kanbara. Anna's mom was asked by Modesto Nuts to be the face of the cancer awareness. There is a Jersey auction. Mia wants to play baseball. Happy to be here at the meeting as she has had to miss a lot.

- Karen Bettencourt, youngest grandson turned 1 year old. Bonus boy Elijah turned 16. Music festival next weekend.
- Suzi Powers. Happy \$5. Grandchild Emma is 8 and is at Ajax and played in Nor Cal State Cup. Other grandkids playing baseball too.
- Nan Jacobs, granddaughter Madison, 15, was student of the month. Plays on travel soccer team. Leading scorer in district.
- Larry Hughes. Happy \$10 for all the recognition from international.
- Lori Rodman. offered coaching help. Granddaughter is playing better than ever after recovering from her injury.
- Larry Hughes, back to reality after all the wunder grandkids; his grandson lost 20 to 5.
- Marty Villa, grandson designed light fixtures for a Disney world exhibit.
- Doug Tripp, sailing in BVI with wife Crystal. Took certification from Oakland outfit.

Program:

None as we had the Board meeting report.

Marble Draw: Jim Felt. Sorry, he pulled a white!

Coffee Money: Andrew Hendricks

Suzy Powers quote: True passion attracts. Passion in your business, organization or service keeps people interested.

Meeting adjourned 8:02 am

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OFFICERS		BOARD of DIRECTORS	
President	Laura Maki	2023-2025	Jim Felt, John Erro, Nikko Nakai, Rich Humble
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COMMITTEES			
Community Services		In need of someone to fill position	
Young Children Priority One		Karen Bettencourt, Ana Kanbara	
Youth Services		Aaron Kellums, Channa Kang	
Sponsored Youth		1. Enochs - Gary Wasmund 2. Vanguard Key Club/Builders Club - Ken Nolte 3. Beyer – Ana Kanbara 4. Modesto - Channa Kang 5. Johansen – IN NEED/Ken Nolte 6. Downey - INACTIVE 7. Davis - Lori Rosman 8. Gregori - Nan Jacobs	
Aktion Club of Stanislaus County		Channa Kang	
Interclub		Larry Hughes	
Spiritual Aims		Marty Villa	
Scholarship Committee		George Bairey, Judy Herrero, Brian Sanders	
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FUNDRAISING AND EVENT CHAIRS			
Graffiti		Brent Burnside, Charlie Christensen	
Christmas Baskets		Marty Villa	
Breakfast with Santa		Jennifer Mullen	
Love Modesto		Jennifer Mullen, Robert West, Steve Perry	