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## NORTH MODESTO

### Bulletin for April 16, 2026, Meeting

**President Brian Sanders presiding**

**Song:** Gary Goodman

**Pledge:** Dorothy Pimentel

**Prayer:** Gary Goodman

**Scribe:** Judy H

**Guests:** Many guests today – scholarship recipients, parents and college counselors.

**INTERCLUBS** -- Adrian Crane: Next InterClub will be in Los Banos on Monday, April 27

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS:**

Jennifer: Love Modesto is April 25. We will again be serving the pancake breakfast. Love Modesto still has opening for volunteers on various projects.

Jim Felt: The Field Games are at Beyer High this year on April 24. Volunteers are needed to show up between 9:30 and 9:45 for activities beginning at 10 a.m.

Nan Jacobs: She's still collecting socks and under through the end of April for the Shower Shuttle. Bring to the next meeting.

Brent: The car show will be June 12-14. He explained to guests that this is our big event of the year, raising for money for things such as scholarships.

**SOCIALS:** Randy Cook: in addition to Love Modesto and Field Games (mentioned above), there's a bowlathon (against teams from other organizations) May 16 and the Pulled Pork slider contest and dinner on May 30.

Note: Graffiti stuffing party is back to its normal Wednesday evening slot this year – June 10.

**BIRTHDAYS:** none

**WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES:** none

**CLUB ANNIVERSARIES:** Charlie Christensen joined NMK in 2002, sponsored by John Sanders. A favorite part: the relationships.



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### **PROGRAM:**

We are giving 16 graduating seniors \$2,000 scholarships this year. Almost all of them attended Thursday morning, along with parents and college counselors. After the students introduced themselves, Brian quizzed them with questions such as what is the most interesting thing in your backpack right now? Besides a degree, what do you hope to get from college?

Adding to the levity, our members showed their biases for various high schools and colleges. It made for a fun time for everyone.

The scholarship winners, by school:

Beyer: Abigail Rutishauser and Camryn Olsen

Davis: Kaylie Romander

Downey: Ava Hardy, Joshua Collins, Luke Ruijssenaars and Matthew Swanson

Enochs: Abel Demess, Alaia Khan, Jason Huang, Phoebe Ann Rosales, Preston Silva and Sophia Mix

Gregori: Samantha Lee

Johansen: Jordan Ojeda and Magdalena Siordia Tapia





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**MARBLE DRAW:** Vincent Lee, father of scholarship winner Samantha Lee, had the right number, pulled the red marble and had the coffee money ticket too.

Remarkably, we got out on time!



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<b>Bulletin</b>		Judy, Curtis, Channa, Kristina, Adrian	
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<b>Graffiti</b>		Brent Burnside, Charlie Christensen	
<b>Christmas Baskets</b>		Marty Villa	
<b>Breakfast with Santa</b>		Jennifer Mullen	
<b>Love Modesto</b>		Jennifer Mullen, Robert West	