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Kiwanis Club of Santa Maria PO Box 85, Santa Maria, CA 93456 http://www.santamariakiwanis.org

Club news you can use

WHAT'S COMING UP OR GOING ON





OASIS 40th Birthday BBQ, August 23

Solomon Hills' Newlove Picnic Grounds (PRIVATE LAND), 1555 Orcutt HI Rd, Santa Maria. CA 93455

We will BBQ at Newlove Picnic Ground and need 5-6 members from 8:00-12:30 pm and then we need some helping hands to serve from 12:00 to 1:30 pm. This is a great opportunity for SLP's to engage. BBQ Start time 8:00 at Newlove Picnic Grounds.

Contact: Randy Beal for more information

Aktion Club, A Night in Italy, September 12

600 W Enos St, Santa Maria

Join us for a delicious and heartwarming evening at the Aktion Club's "Night in Italy" event! This special gathering is a chance to enjoy an Italian-inspired meal, connect with fellow community members, and most importantly, show our support for the incredible members of our local Aktion Club. Come hungry, leave inspired!

Contact: Julie Posada for more information









Campaign website

www.smkiwanis.givesmart.com #KiwanisKid #GoingfortheCrown

Fundraising

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Bunco Bonanza, August 16 from 12:00 noon to 3:00 pm Minami Community Center, Gymnasium

Big Prizes, Big Fun, and Big Opportunities to Help

Bunco Bonanza is almost here – and with over \$3,000 in

sponsorships, it's shaping up to be one of our best events yet! Special thanks to Courtney for preparing beautiful prize baskets that will surely delight.



Here's how you can join the fun and the impact:

- Bring a Dessert: We need individually wrapped desserts for the dessert sale. Let Elaine Guzman know what you can bring!
- **Join the Set-Up Team** (9:30–11:30 AM): We need 5–6 more people to decorate, prep the bar, and create an inviting dessert display.
- Support Check-In (11:45–1 PM): Gaylen and Marisol have this covered come cheer them on!
- Help with Sales (11:45–2:30 PM): Bob and Maynard will be selling \$5 dessert & drink tickets.
- Bar Crew (12–3 PM): Susan and Mike Moats will be serving festive beverages.
- Grill Help Needed: Randy's looking for a couple more grill masters to keep the food flowing.
- Clean-Up Heroes (3–4:30 PM): We need 10 volunteers to help pack up and leave things spotless.

With Key Club students joining us, it's a perfect time to show them what servant leadership looks like. Let's make this an event to remember!

Contact: Donna Beal for more information



PROGRAM RECAP

Thank you to fellow Kiwanian Mark Wall at Fesler high school and Santa Maria Pickleball Club for your partnership and work in the community!

Coming up: PCPA, AHC
Foundation, Family Service
Agency and Alzheimer's
Association.

Call to Action: If you have speaker suggestions for 2025.
Please send them to Dawn Jackson.

Motto

Serving the children of the world



Statement

Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to improving the world one child and one community at a time





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Community & Service Leadership Programs



Gearing Up for School—Together!

On August 2, Kiwanis helped make back-to-school a celebration for 130 students from Blochman Union School District, Boys & Gilrs Club and Family Service Agency. With backpacks, supplies, clothes from Old Navy, and shoe gift cards from Shoes for Students,



these students are ready to take on the school year with pride and confidence! Huge thanks to our generous partners: Old Navy, KIA of Santa Maria, Chick-fil-A, Golden State Water Co., Kiwanis Club of Santa Maria-Night Time, Altrusa of the Golden Valley, and Kiwanis International.

A heartfelt thank you to our volunteers, Rudy, Michelle, and Ed for your amazing leadership, and to every Kiwanis member who joined us to shop with the students. You reminded us all what service looks like in action. And an extra round of applause for our incredible volunteers—your kindness made all the difference.















Meeting Information

Weekly on Thursday 12:10-1:15

Minami Community Center 600 Enos, Santa Maria, CA 93456

Membership

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July Potluck Social & Reverse Drawing – A Night of Fun, Food, and Friendship!

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Our July Potluck Social was the perfect mid-summer gathering for Kiwanians to relax, reconnect, and share in a little good-hearted fun. From the delicious BBQ chicken grilled by Randy Beal to the wide array of tasty side dishes and



desserts brought by members, the food alone was worth the visit!

The highlight of the evening was the always-exciting Reverse Drawing. The first name drawn? Donna Beal, who kicked things off in style with a bottle of champagne and two Kiwanis champagne glasses! At the halfway mark, Dr. Ray Arensdorf snagged a \$50 win, and when it came time to split the pot, Dr. Rich Healy and Silvia Oishi were our lucky final winners.

Thank you to everyone who brought a dish, shared a laugh, or lent a hand in making this evening a great success. It was a joyful night celebrating what it means to be a Kiwanian — community, connection, and fun.



August Birthdays & Anniversaries

7: Ryan Maxwell 20: Scott Buchanan

24: Dan Lillard

29: joyce ellen lippman

August 2: Ann & Jim Batterson

August 3: Ray & Courtney Arensdorf

August 23: Tony & Kori Gonzales

Calendar-at-a-Glance

8/7-8/9: DCON

8/12: Admin Board

8/13: Corp Board

8/16: Bunco Bonanza

8/23: OASIS BBQ

8/25: DCM Guadalupe **9/11**: DCM CyberClub

9/26: Awards &

Installation

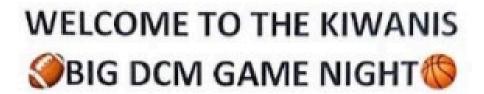
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Hosted by Kiwanis Club of Guadalupe

MONDAY, AUGUST 25, 2025

THE BIG RED BARN 1055 Street, Guadalupe

Social - 5:30p - Dinner/Meeting-6:00p.

Mexican Fiesta Tacos

Carnie Asada, Carnitas Chicken, Vegetarian Rice, Beans, Grilled Onions, Cilantro, Chips/Salsa Horchata, Lemonade, Coffee, Water, Desserts

\$25.00 per person

RSVP by August 18, 2025 David Rodriguez, (805) 720-5371, Charlene Estabillo, (805) 260-0398