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CLUB OF MISSION VIEJO

MADNESS NEWSLETTER—July 24, 2022



JUDI ZIMMERMAN, representing the Orange County Health Agency's Child Abuse Services Team (CAST), spoke Tuesday about her group's role in helping children who have been victims of abuse. CAST sees about 1,000 children a year. After an interview, each child goes home with a stuffed animal similar to the ones shown above along with a book. Currently, CAST is seeking donations to fund the toy-book buying program. Some Kiwanis Club members have already contributed with plans under way to generate more funds.

HARRY BROWN, 1941-2022

Kathy announced that her life partner Harry Leo Brown, age 80, of Laguna Beach, passed away on Wednesday, July 20, 2022. Harry was born September 9, 1941. Fairhaven Memorial Services is in charge. No services have been planned at this time. Our club sends its condolences to Kathy.

KIWANIS
JULY 19 MEETING

MEMBERS—Jim Carlin, Pat Griggs, Rod Wilbert, Pete Zimmerman, Hugh Jurkiewicz, Ollie Vaughan, Larry Callison, Bill Garrett, Keith Sims, Stephanie Tanton, Warren Esterline, Sharon Philippe.

GUESTS—Mary Lou Karas, Leticia Corwin and Judi Zimmerman.

SONG—Happy Trail to You/Rod

FLAG SALUTE—Ollie

WORDS OF WISDOM—Larry

“Be sure you put your feet in the right place, then stand firm.” —

Abraham Lincoln

BLUE CHIP DIP WINNERS

Bill, Warren and Keith.

CALENDAR

July 26: Bill Garrett program on tracing your roots.

August 5: Pack-it Market, 7:45, Murray Center.

August 20: Division 4 & 30 New Club Officer training, Costa Mesa. 8:30-3 p.m.

Tale Trail Kiwanis Club of Mission Viejo



Kiwanis CHILDREN'S FUND

Children's Librarian enhanced the story



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STEPHANIE represented Mission Viejo Kiwanis Saturday night at the Court of Honor for new Eagle Scout Ella Eggert (next to Stephanie). Ella designed and directed a crew of her all-girl Eagle Scout troop in building the Tale Trail sign posts installed along the walking paths near the Norman Murray Senior and Community Center.



Eagle flew higher to create Tale Trail

The goal was simple: create a way to encourage youngsters to read and have fun doing it. The actual execution took the coordination of several groups.

The Mission Viejo Library started the idea of a walking Tale Trail. An Eagle Scout project was undertaken to build the sign CHILDREN'S FUND posts. A City Hall crew installed them on a civic trail. Mission Viejo Kiwanis seeded the initial funding with a \$2,000 contribution. A \$2,000 grant to buy printed books was provided by the Kiwanis Children's Fund.

Donated by Kiwanis Children's Fund
Mission Viejo Library Tale Trail
This is the proposed bookmark design that may be included in the next printed story book to be distributed to youngsters who visit the walking Tale Trail. The book will explore the theme of colors.



PRESIDENT LARRY has been invited to share details of the club's Kiwanis Children's Fund Tale Trail grant at the Cal-Nev-Ha District Convention in Indian Wells on Aug. 5. Mission Viejo Kiwanis and a club from National City will explain the grant process during a special Children's Fund seminar. Larry's presentation will include an 18-slide Power Point Presentation (an example above) put together by Stephanie.

HAPPY/SAD DOLLARS

BILL was happy to be enjoying the first views of deep space, thanks to the images produced by the Webb Telescope.

SHARON was happy that Kathy willed her a prized Kiwanis songbook so she could sing along at home via Zoom.

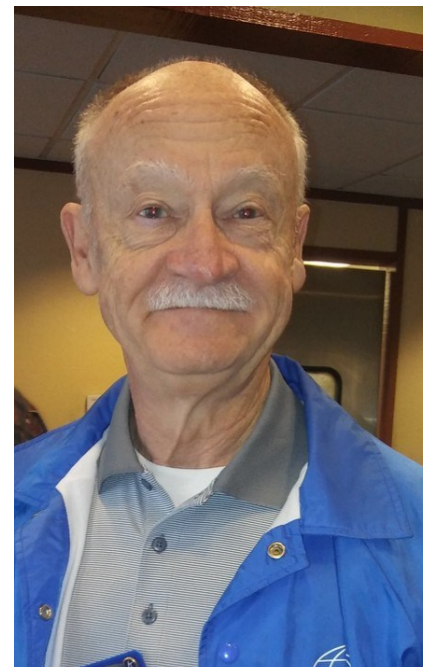


PETE was happy that wife Judi was at the meeting to speak about her work with the Child Abuse Services Team.

GREG had a nice visit with his daughters in Sonoma County where he enjoyed some wine tours and tastings. He also got to see a litter of nine newly born Golden Retriever puppies.

PAT was happy to have old friends Judi Zimmerman, Mary Lou Karas and Jim Carlin in attendance at the Kiwanis meeting.

MARY LOU KARAS was happy that Pete invited her to a Kiwanis meeting.



BILL GARRETT will offer some practical tips on how to research your family tree during his talk at the club meeting on Tuesday.