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# Kiwanis Club of Pasadena

## *Newsletter*

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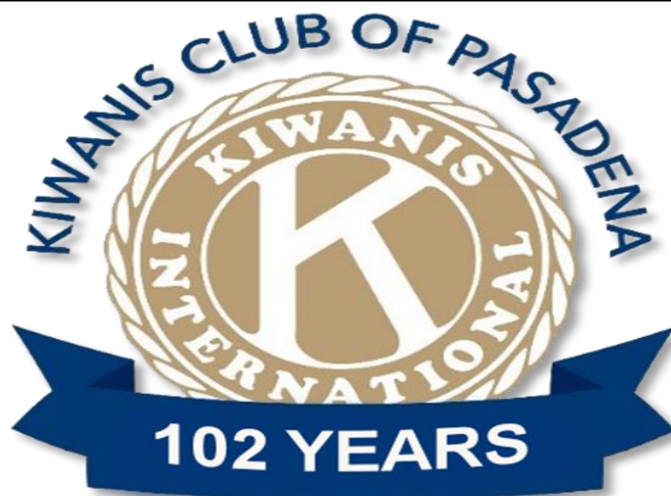
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**Week of June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2023**

**Laura Hernandez**  
Vice President

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**Thursday, June 15th, 12:00 noon Lunch Meeting**

**(at the Salvation Army Campus, 960 East Walnut Street, Pasadena)**



***Tomas Torices, MD***

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# ***Tomas Torices, MD***

Tomas Torices was born in Patagonia, Argentina. His family immigrated to the United States, specifically to Pasadena, in 1980.

He attended Eliot Junior High School and graduated from Pasadena High School with the Class of '85.

He then studied abroad and graduated from medical school in Baja California, Mexico.

Dr. Torices is the Executive Director for The American Academy of Pediatrics, California Chapter 2, which serves seven of the ten counties in Southern California:

San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, Ventura, Kern, Los Angeles, Riverside and San Bernardino.

In his leadership position, Tomás has been involved in local and statewide advocacy focused on issues affecting children and youth.



**Tomás Torices, MD**  
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# ***Kiwanis Club of Pasadena***

***Union Station Family Center Dinner Feeding this past June 12th***

***<http://www.facebook.com/kiwanis.pasadena>***

***<https://k00239.site.kiwanis.org/>***

***Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month, our Club members feed dozens of families***



**Union Station Family Center Dinner Feeding  
Mika Quinto-Chan and Family**



**SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REMINDERS**

**NEW MEETING SCHEDULE EACH MONTH – Lunch Mtg on 1<sup>st</sup> Thursdays and Dinner Mtg on 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays  
2<sup>nd</sup> Mondays each month – Feed the families at Union Station Family Center**

**JUNE BIRTHDAYS**

Jody Davis June 6<sup>th</sup>  
Anne Lee June 29<sup>th</sup>  
Aaron Hill June 30<sup>th</sup>

**KIWANIS CLUB ANNIVERSARIES**

Nani Sinha June 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2022  
Nick Pan & Wells Fargo June 5<sup>th</sup>, 2014  
Harry Crusberg, Jr. & Crusberg Decker Insurance June 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
Noelia Santiago June 9<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
Jeanie Edwards June 12<sup>th</sup>, 2014

**WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES**

None this month

**FUTURE MEETINGS AND EVENTS**

**Thursday, June 15<sup>th</sup> – 12:00 noon Lunch Mtg – Dr. Tomas Torices speaking for the AAPCA Pediatrics Association  
at the Salvation Army Campus (3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays)**

**Monday, July 10<sup>th</sup> – 5:30 pm serving monthly meals to families at the Union Station Family Center  
(Every 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month @ 825 East Orange Grove, Pasadena)**

*These dates and events may change. Please check the weekly newsletter*

## **Come join us at our monthly meetings**

We meet on the first Thursday of every month for Dinner at 5:30 pm  
We provide Dinner to Union Station families every 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of the month at 5:30 pm  
We meet again on the third Thursday of every month for Lunch at 12:00 noon

Each Dinner and Lunch we have a guest speaker from the Pasadena community  
Speakers present valuable information about their Service work, Business industry,  
City or State government, Non-profit organization, or different areas of interest to our members  
and guests

**If you're not a member - come as our guest and meet our Kiwanis Family**

Our meetings are held in person for 90 minutes  
usually (but not always) at the Salvation Army Campus  
960 East Walnut Street, Pasadena, CA, 91106

Or feel free to join us on Zoom at  
<https://zoom.us/j/3292045590?pwd=RE9ubllra29HOVlwK2t1dThTeEtyZz09>

Or dial in at +1 669 900 9128 US – Password 329204

Call or email Chris Kolbeck, our President, at 626-590-6720 or [Cjkolbeck@gmail.com](mailto:Cjkolbeck@gmail.com)  
to answer any of your questions or RSVP for any of our meetings or events

**\*Our member dues are just \$25 each month and a one time \$100 International fee\***

## Kiwanis Club of Pasadena - Volunteer & Club Events

Date	Event	Organization	Contact Person
Weekly	Tutoring English & Math to children ages 6-12, Mon-Thurs, 3pm-5pm	Boys and Girls Club	Anne Lee @ 626-449-9100
Weekly	Food Pantry help - Mon-Fri, 9am-11:30am	Salvation Army	Jody Davis @ 909-815-7722
Weekly	Shelter Support Shifts - Monday through Friday afternoons for 3 hours	Elizabeth House	Brandy Mayer @ 626-577-4434
Ongoing	Book giveaway for children in Pasadena - Douglas Chadwick's Literacy Club	Kiwanis	Doug Chadwick @ 818-381-3274
Ongoing	Villa's Garden Club & Social Club - weekly volunteers needed to help their members	Villa Esperanza	Jenny Seto @ 626-449-2919
Ongoing	2nd Monday evenings - Adopt-a-Meal at Union Station Family Center @ 825 E. Orange Grove	Kiwanis	Chris Kolbeck @ 626-590-6720
7/5/23 - Wednesday	Inter-Club Lunch Mtg with Monterey Park Club @ Capital Seafood, MP	Kiwanis	Chris Kolbeck @ 626-590-6720
7/22 - Saturday	Summer Carnival at Maranatha High School - Door of Hope Event	Door of Hope	Chris Kolbeck @ 626-590-6720
7/29 - Saturday	Official Governor's Visit - President's Mtg / Lunch / Children's Event	Kiwanis	Craig Wallace @ 909-210-3250
December	Rose Float Decorating - Phoenix Decorating Company @ 5400 N. Irwindale Ave., Irwindale	Kiwanis	Craig Wallace @ 909-210-3250

\* Members earn \$5 credit for each hour of service \*



**GREAT QUOTES SERIES**  
**“ We Rise By Lifting Others ”**



## *Kiwanis Club of Pasadena - What We Do*

1. [Villa Esperanza Services](#) – we work with this organization to help disabled adults in Pasadena improve their self-esteem and help them to give back to their community through the Aktion Club.
2. [Salvation Army](#) – we ring bells during the Christmas season each year to raise money for their charity. We fill backpacks for students of low-income families. We also participate in the Adopt-a-Family Program.
3. [Elizabeth House](#) – working with homeless, young mothers and their children through support and hope.
4. [Camperships for Kids](#) – we provide funding to send kids to summer camp who cannot afford to go on their own. Boys & Girls Club and the Salvation Army
5. [Student Awards Program](#) - We provide annual scholarships to outstanding students from the schools in Pasadena.
  6. [Key Clubs](#) that teach leadership skills to students from: Marshall High School, La Salle, Maranatha (KIWINS) d. Pasadena High School (KIWINS)
7. [Circle K Club](#) with Pasadena City College where these students provide community service and learn leadership traits.
8. [Kiwanis Rose Float Project](#) – we assist in preparing this international representation of Kiwanis while also being the host club for the President of Kiwanis International.
9. [Various other projects](#), i.e., Special Olympics, Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, Veterans and others. Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world one child and one community at a time.

## KIWANIS GOALS

*Kiwanis, through guidance and example, works to develop future generations of leaders. Every day, Kiwanians are revitalizing neighborhoods, organizing youth-sports programs, tutoring, building playgrounds, and performing countless other projects to help children and communities.*

### WANT TO ATTEND A KIWANIS MEETING?

The Pasadena Kiwanis Club meets on Thursdays  
12:00 Noon Lunch on the 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursdays  
5:30 pm Dinner on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday

Meeting Location  
Salvation Army Campus  
960 East Walnut Street, Pasadena

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For more information about our club  
and membership please call:

- Chris Kolbeck @ 626-590-6720
- Laura Hernandez @ 323-715-7704
- Craig Wallace @ 909-210-3250
- Jody Davis @ 909-815-7722

## KIWANIS CLUB OF PASADENA

### CLUB OFFICERS 2022 – 2023

President.....Chris Kolbeck  
President Elect ..... Nick Pon  
Vice President.....Laura Hernandez  
Asst Secretary.....Joe Moore  
Treasurer.....Craig Wallace  
Foundation Treasurer.....Craig Wallace  
Immediate Past-President .....Jody Davis

### BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Jeanie Edwards	Joe Moore
Susan Lyte	Mel Matthews
Bill Ingram	George Falardeau
Karen Drew	

**Kiwanis Members**  
**Are**  
*Ordinary people performing*  
**EXTRAORDINARY WORK**





## Career Day at Marshall Fundamental High School Frances Collins-Moore and Students



## Jody Davis and Chris Kolbeck Past and Present President's



## Career Day at Marshall Fundamental High School

Members Chris Cabot and Susan Lyte joining our speakers on May 18th



## **THE OBJECTS OF KIWANIS**

**TO GIVE** primacy to the human and spiritual, rather than material values of life

**TO ENCOURAGE** the daily living of the Golden Rule in all human relationships

**TO PROMOTE** the adoption and the application of social, business and professional standards

**TO DEVELOP** by precept and example a more intelligent, aggressive and serviceable citizenship

**TO PROVIDE** KIWANIS Clubs a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service and to build better communities

**TO COOPERATE** in creating and maintaining sound public opinion and high idealism which makes possible the increase in righteousness, justice, patriotism and good will.

