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Kiwanis Club Pasadena

Newsletter

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Celebrating over 100 years serving the children of the Pasadena community



See a list of our ongoing service projects on page 7

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RSVP for our 12:00 Noon Lunch on Thursday, Sept. 21st Join us at Door of Hope, 221 East Walnut Street, Ste. 112, Pasadena





Emily Abbott and Wendi Gaines, from Door of Hope, will be speaking



Emily Abbott serves as the Associate Director of Development at Door of Hope where she builds relationships with individuals, churches, organizations and businesses. Prior to Door of Hope, Emily used her fundraising, communications and community organizing skills at U.C. Riverside, the California Institute of Technology, and the Constitutional Rights Foundation.

She has served on several nonprofit Boards of Directors, including the Caltech Y. She earned her BA from Occidental College in Political Science.

Wendi Gaines served as a member of Door of Hope's Board of Directors as an alumni representative from 2017 to 2021 prior to joining the Door of Hope staff in 2021 as the Alumni Case Manager. In this position, she provides case management services for those families who have graduated from a Door of Hope Transitional Shelter. Wendi's life experiences have uniquely prepared her for this job.

Along with her three children, she lived at Door of Hope's Los Robles Shelter from 2006 to 2007.

Afterwards, she went to work for 15 years as a registration clerk in the ER at Huntington Hospital.

Come join us for Lunch at Door of Hope, 221 East Walnut St., Pasadena Thursday, September 21st, at 12:00 Noon

RSVP to Chris Kolbeck, President, at Cjkolbeck@gmail.com

Pasadena Boys and Girls Club presented with a \$2,000 check from our Club



SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REMINDERS

Two Club Meetings each month - Dinner Mtg on 1st Thursdays and Lunch Mtg on 3rd Thursdays 2nd Mondays each month - Feed the families at Union Station Family Center

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAYS

Noelia Santiago
Yvette McDowell
Joe Moore
Susan Lyte
Cristina Diaz
Sept. 1st
Sept. 6th
Sept. 7th
Sept. 11th
Sept. 27th

KIWANIS CLUB ANNIVERSARIES

Bill Ingram Sept. 1st, 1988 Jody Davis Sept. 27th, 2012 Barry Ross Sept. 30th, 2004

WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Karen Drew Sept. 9th, 2001

FUTURE MEETINGS AND EVENTS

Thursday, September 28th, 5:30 pm Installation Dinner for 2023-24 Officers @ Salvation Army Campus
Thursday, October 5th, 5:30 pm Dinner Meeting at the Salvation Army Campus
Monday, October 9th, 5:30 pm serving monthly meals to families at the Union Station Family Center
(Serving families on the 2nd Monday of each month @ 825 East Orange Grove, Pasadena)
Thursday, October 19th, 12:00 noon Lunch Meeting at the Salvation Army Campus

Come join us at our Monthly Gatherings

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

We meet on the first Thursday of every month for Dinner at 5:30 pm

On the second Monday each month we provide Dinner to Union Station families at 5:30 pm

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, and different areas of interest to our members
and guests

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

Come and meet us in person or feel free to join us on Zoom at https://zoom.us/j/3292045590?pwd=RE9ubllra29HOVIwK2t1dThTeEtyZz09

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

Join our Kiwanis Family for just \$25 each month

Serving families and providing new books at the Union Station Family Center



Members Mika, Harry, Doug, Anne, and Laura

Kiwanis Club of Pasadena



Anne Lee and Lt. Gov. Doug Chadwick donating books to the Boys and Girls Club

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 @ Salvation Army - 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 - Douglas Chadwick's Literacy Club	Kiwanis	Doug Chadwick @ 818-381-3274
Ongoing	Villa's Garden Club & Social Club - weekly volunteers needed to help	Villa Esperanza	Jenny Seto @ 626-449-2919
Monthly	2nd Monday evenings - Adopt-a-Meal at Union Station Family Center @ 825 E. Orange Grove, Pasadena	Kiwanis	Harry Crusberg, Jr. @ 626-314-4000
September 28 th Thursday	Pasadena Club Officer Installation Dinner Meeting 5:30 pm to 7:00 pm @ Salvation Army Campus	Kiwanis	Chris Kolbeck @ 626-590-6720
November 4 th Saturday	Rose Float Preview Party – 5:30 pm to 8:00 pm Phoenix Decorating 5400 North Irwindale Ave., Irwindale	Kiwanis	Craig Wallace @ 909-210-3250
December Saturdays	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

"The best way to find yourself is to lose yourself in service of others"

Blast from the Past





Inter-Club Lunch at the South Pasadena Club

Kiwanis Club of Pasadena - What We Do

- 1. <u>Villa Esperanza Services</u> 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. <u>Salvation Army</u> 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. <u>Elizabeth House</u> working with homeless, young mothers and their children through support and hope.
 - 4. <u>Camperships for Kids</u> 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. <u>Key Clubs</u> that teach leadership skills to students from: Marshall High School, La Salle, Maranatha (KIWINS) d. Pasadena High School (KIWINS)
 - 7. <u>Circle K Club</u> with Pasadena City College where these students provide community service and learn leadership traits.
- 8. <u>Kiwanis Rose Float Project</u> we assist in preparing this international representation of Kiwanis while also being the host club for the President of Kiwanis International.
- 9. <u>Various other projects</u>, 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 5:30 pm Dinner on the 1st Thursdays 12:00 noon Lunch on the 3rd Thursday

Meeting Location (most days)
Salvation Army Campus
960 East Walnut Street, Pasadena

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

<u>CLUB OFFICERS 2022 – 2023</u>

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Jeanie Edwards Joe Moore Susan Lyte Mel Matthews Bill Ingram Karen Drew Noelia Santiago

Kiwanis Members

Ordinary people performing

EXTRAORDINARY WORK

LOVE IT. SHARE IT. LIVE IT.







Frances Collins-Moore receiving the Youth Service Award

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.

