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# Kiwanis Club Pasadena

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Celebrating over 100 years serving the children of the Pasadena community

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Join our Kiwanis Family for just \$27/month  
&  
See a list of our Service Projects on Page 5 of this Newsletter

*Join us this Thursday, February 1st, for our Monthly Dinner Meeting*  
*Speaker will be Brian Stanley, Principal Laison, PUSD*



*5:30 pm @ Salvation Army Hall, 960 East Walnut Avenue, Pasadena*

## **Thanksgiving meals being donated at Union Station**

Chris, Audree, and Susan



### **SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS AND REMINDERS**

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

### **JANUARY BIRTHDAYS**

Brandy Mayer     January 18<sup>th</sup>

### **KIWANIS CLUB ANNIVERSARIES**

Elizabeth House     January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
Patrick Miller     January 6<sup>th</sup>, 2022  
Cyrus Afshin     January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2013  
Villa Esperanza     January 17<sup>th</sup>, 2023  
Scott Bell     January 26<sup>th</sup>, 1989  
Susan Lyte     January 28<sup>th</sup>, 1988

### **WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES**

None this month

## **FUTURE MEETINGS AND EVENTS**

Thursday, February 1<sup>st</sup>, 5:30 pm Dinner Meeting at the Salvation Army Campus

Monday, February 12<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm serving monthly meals to families at the Union Station Family Center  
( Serving families on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month @ 825 East Orange Grove, Pasadena )

Thursday, February 15<sup>th</sup>, 12:00 noon Lunch Meeting at the Salvation Army Campus

Thursday, February 29<sup>th</sup>, 5:30 pm Social Mixer at Mijares Mexican Restaurant  
@ 145 Palmetto Dr., Pasadena

## **Come join us at our Monthly Gatherings**

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

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 usually held in person for 90 minutes 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=RE9ubllra29HOVlwK2t1dThTeEtyZz09>

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

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# *Blast from the Past*



## *Marshall High School Dance Club*



## *Mayor Victor Gordo and Chris at Student Awards*



*Int'l President's Dinner this past month*

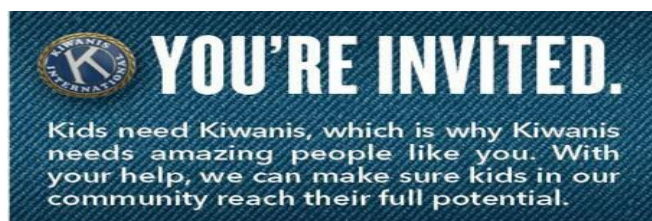


*Anne and Doug at the Boys and Girl's Club donating books*



| <b>Kiwanis Club of Pasadena - Volunteer &amp; Club Events</b> |  |                            |   |
|---|--|----------------------------|---|
| <i>Date</i>   | <i>Event</i>   | <i>Organization</i>        | <i>Contact Person</i>                     |
| <i>Weekly</i>   | <i>Tutoring English &amp; Math to children ages 6-12, Mon-Thurs, 3pm-5pm</i>                             | <i>Boys and Girls Club</i> | <i>Anne Lee @ 626-449-9100</i>            |
| <i>Weekly</i>   | <i>Food Pantry help @ Salvation Army - Mon-Fri, 9am-11:30am</i>  | <i>Salvation Army</i>      | <i>Jody Davis @ 909-815-7722</i>          |
| <i>Weekly</i>   | <i>Shelter Support Shifts - Monday through Friday afternoons for 3 hours</i>                             | <i>Elizabeth House</i>     | <i>Brandy Mayer @ 626-577-4434</i>        |
| <i>Ongoing</i>  | <i>Book giveaway for children - Douglas Chadwick's Literacy Club</i>                                     | <i>Kiwanis</i>             | <i>Doug Chadwick @ 818-381-3274</i>       |
| <i>Ongoing</i>  | <i>Villa's Garden Club &amp; Social Club - weekly volunteers needed to help</i>                          | <i>Villa Esperanza</i>     | <i>Jenny Seto @ 626-449-2919</i>          |
| <i>Monthly</i>  | <i>2nd Monday evenings - Adopt-a-Meal at Union Station Family Center @ 825 E. Orange Grove, Pasadena</i> | <i>Kiwanis</i>             | <i>Harry Crusberg, Jr. @ 626-314-4000</i> |
| <i>Wednesday February 14th</i>                                | <i>Valentine's Day Service Project @ Villa Esperanza, 2116 East Villa Street, Pasadena</i>               | <i>Villa Esperanza</i>     | <i>Jenny Seto @ 626-808-5715</i>          |
| <i>Saturday March 9th</i>                                     | <i>Governor's Official Luncheon Salvation Army Campus @ 960 East Walnut Street, Pasadena</i>             | <i>Kiwanis</i>             | <i>Craig Wallace @ 909-210-3250</i>       |
| <i>Saturday March 23<sup>rd</sup></i>                         | <i>Mid Year South Education Conference Riverside, CA</i>   | <i>Kiwanis</i>             | <i>Craig Wallace @ 909-210-3250</i>       |

**Members earn \$3 credit for each hour of service**



**GREAT QUOTES SERIES**

***“Only a life lived for others is a life worthwhile”***

# ***Kiwanis Club of Pasadena***



***Working at the Salvation Army Food Bank  
Pat, Donna, Mel, and Chris***



## [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. [Camps 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.

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**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 twice a  
month

5:30 pm Dinner on the 1<sup>st</sup> Thursdays

12:00 noon Lunch on the 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday

Meeting Location (most days)

Salvation Army Campus  
960 East Walnut Street, Pasadena

**For more information about our  
club and membership please  
call:**

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**KIWANIS CLUB OF PASADENA**

**CLUB OFFICERS 2022 – 2023**

President.....Chris Kolbeck

President Elect .....Laura

Hernandez Vice President.....

Secretary... .. Jenny Seto

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

Karen Drew

Noelia Santiago

**Kiwanis Members**

**Are**

*Ordinary people performing*

**EXTRAORDINARY WORK**

LOVE IT. SHARE IT. LIVE IT.



**Kiwanis**

*Blast from the Past*



***Wine Tasting Party in 2023***

## **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.

