



Message From The Lt. Governor



Gail Cirata

Hi Fellow Division 44 Kiwanians,

Gosh, it is already the middle of July... time fly's when we are having fun...

And having fun at international convention in Minneapolis we did! The Hoopers, the Cannistraci's, the McLean's, the Germain's & Angela Nowlin from our division and others that I missed, Doug Chadwick and Kelly Pena from the Literacy Club Foundation, Jane Thompson from See's Candy, Governor Val, and Andy (of course), and about 2,000 others were enjoying an educational, fun convention. Loads of interactions with Kiwanians from across the globe, sharing ideas with some fascinating people and just a truly positive experience.

Also, Past LTG and now Chair for Cal-Nev-Ha District Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Committee, Angela Nowlin, made an awesome presentation to the Kiwanis International Trustees. They agreed to the Mission Statement, Policy, By Laws, Preamble and Goals for 2023-2024 unanimously!

A tremendous accomplishment and a first for the district--thank you Angela, Linda Martin, and Ivory Rubin for your years of hard work! We are so proud of you!

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Division Council Meetings

2nd Monday, Meeting at 5:30 PM

Currently Via Zoom

2022-2023 Leadership Team

Lt. Governor: Gail Cirata / Lincoln

Lt. Governor-Elect: Charlayne Bowman / Folsom Lake

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Division 44W Key Club Lt. Governor: Jennifer Li

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Carmichael: Jenny Hawley

Citrus Heights: Ben Middleton

Folsom Lake: Charlayne Bowman

Gold Country: Colleen Young

Lincoln: Cynthia Liddell

Lincoln Foothills: Bec Cannistraci

Orangevale-Fair Oaks: Shellee McCCasey

Placerville: Bob Verzello

Rancho Cordova: Ashley Hill

Rancho Murieta: Al Brown

Rocklin: Steve Roe

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Sacramento Suburban: Caren Lagomarsino

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The hotel discounts will end on July 20th and the convention sign ups end on July 28th...Per mark McDonald. There are some incredible seminars happening, such as: how to be a better board member, treasure the treasurer, fundraising, making your club relevant and how to gain new members and retain "older" members. We will need your delegates to vote on new DEI information and for the incoming governor candidate...please make every effort to come...

But first we have the Region 16 Summer Leadership Summit happening on Saturday, July 22nd from 9 am – 2:30 pm at St Luke's Lutheran Church in Sacramento... Last year we had over 80 attendees and they raved about this particular training...very interactive! Please make sure and sign up—it is important. Also, Division 44 will have a very short meeting at the end...maybe 20 minutes...we have a VIP Candidate for Lt. Gov 23-24 (Brian McLean) that we will vote on after entertaining any additional nominations from the floor. We will need your votes! Registration link: <https://tinyurl.com/23r16cle>.

The President's Club that we formed in September of last year has evolved to help form gov Valarie's District President's Council for all of Cal-Nev-Ha! That evolution happened when she met with our President's Group during her Governor's Visit here at the Kiwanis Family House in May and was blown away by what she saw and heard... The first two meetings were on Zoom and had over 75 people at the first meeting and over 50 at the second. At the convention in sparks the new President's Council is scheduled to meet in the ballroom at 9:30 am on Friday. Please make every effort to attend as you all are the stars! Plus, how often have we ever had access to the Governor with her wealth of information, intelligence, and kindness? She makes it very, very special.

Governor Val is also working towards creating both Secretaries and Treasurers Councils for the Cal-Nev-Ha district—offering help to everyone in those positions with issues or concerns about how to do their jobs effectively and with some very needed support. I am sure that we will have opportunities to assist with these new goals!

Incoming Governor Carole Farris has said that she will be supporting and continuing these councils... With our own incoming LTG: Charlayne Bowman! Yahoo!

On August 5th our own Division 44 President's Club/Council is meeting in person with both incoming and outgoing presidents.

One more thing: Dues for the coming year: Try to use a presumptive close: "would you like to pay your dues ahead of time or on October first (or whenever your club sets this up)? Consider paying by subscription: monthly by credit card...break it down to 1/12th of the total amount...usually very doable. Or quarterly. Use some positive creativity so it is easier to retain our valued members.

Thank each and every one of you for your continuing efforts in improving the lives of children in each of our communities and worldwide...you are making a difference every single day!

Hugs and love to each of you,

Gail

Kiwanis CNH Children's Fund

Contributed By Bill Hooper / Foundation Director and Ambassador Chairman
and Jennifer Chaves / Executive Director

NEWS YOU CAN USE

from the Cal-Nev-Ha Children's Fund

JULY 2023

2023

Cal-Nev-Ha Children's Fund

Honors Breakfast

August 12, 2023 | 7:30-8:45 a.m.

EARLY
REGISTRATION IS
Open!



Join us at the 2023 Honors Breakfast where Renown Children's Hospital representatives will speak about the impact YOUR generosity makes in reducing pediatric unintentional injuries!

Register by July 7th to save \$20 on registration - and remember to add Honors Breakfast tickets!




The Cal-Nev-Ha Children's Fund is looking forward to seeing the Kiwanians who support our mission at the 2023 Cal-Nev-Ha District Convention in Sparks, Nevada. We are even more excited to honor Kiwanians at our Honors Breakfast to be held at the Nugget Casino Resort in Sparks, Nevada. Remember our Honors Breakfast is open to all Kiwanians and guests. Registration is open until July 28th. Register before July 7th to take advantage of the early registration discount!





"Congratulations! You are a recipient of a scholarship from Cal-Nev-Ha Children's Fund."

"Words cannot express the joy I felt when I clicked on the email notification and informed my family."

Kaitlyn Whang
2023 McElwain
Scholarship Recipient

VOLUNTEER GRANTS

Have you heard of volunteer grants? Basically, volunteer grants are corporate giving programs that provide monetary grants to nonprofits where their employees and former employees regularly volunteer for nonprofits such as the Cal-Nev-Ha Children's Fund. [Learn more](#) and spread the word.

REQUIRED MINIMUM DISTRIBUTION

Required Minimum Distributions (RMD's) are a creative way for Kiwanians to reduce taxable income and support the Cal-Nev-Ha Children's Fund. At age 72 or older, IRS rules dictate that you must take Required Minimum Distributions each year from your tax-deferred retirement accounts, but did you know you can donate up to \$100,000 to the CNH Children's Fund tax-free from your IRA and have it count as your RMD for the year? Learn how you can lower your taxable income while supporting the CNH Children's Fund by reading our [Required Minimum Distribution FAQ's](#)

MATCHING DUNLAP

Great news! Dunlap awards are still on sale. This is the best time to recognize a deserving Kiwanian for dedicated service. Consider honoring them with a first-time Dunlap Fellowship award or upgrade before it's too late. For a limited time, matching Dunlap funds are available on first come, first serve basis. [Order your Dunlap Here!](#)

YES2YOUTH MAKE DREAMS POSSIBLE

When you say YES2YOUTH, you provide leadership training to our Service Leadership Program members, provide grants to our Kiwanis family clubs to help fund projects impacting children, and you make college dreams a reality for students like [Kaitlyn Whang](#) with a scholarship from the CNH Children's Fund. [Click here](#) to make your gift or text YES2YOUTH to 71777 to keep the dreams alive..

DSA - CSA - YSA

The Cal-Nev-Ha Children's Fund offers three distinctive ways your club can recognize Kiwanians and community members for their outstanding service: the [Distinguished Service Award \(DSA\)](#); [Community Service Award \(CSA\)](#); and [Youth Service Award \(YSA\)](#). Remember, every division that has 100% DSA-CSA-YSA participation from its clubs by the **July 15th** deadline will be recognized at DCON! [Order your service awards today.](#)

Kiwanis California Nevada Hawaii District

Contributed By Mark McDonald

Official Call to the 2023 District

Education Convention!

On behalf of the California-Nevada-Hawaii District of Kiwanis and the Board of Trustees, it is our pleasure to issue this call to the 103rd Annual District Education Convention to be held in Sparks, NV, August 10-12, 2023. The House of Delegates will hold an election of 2023-2024 officers to serve during the 2023-2024 Administrative year commencing October 1, 2023 and conduct other business as may be submitted.

A Round of Applause!

Join the CNH District and the CNH Children's Fund in recognizing the successes of the year! Awards presented at this year's convention include Distinguished Lt Governor, Nathan Hale, Special Olympics Athlete of the Year, Best Club Newsletter & Website and more!

Kiwanis Club of Citrus Heights

Contributed By Roger Klausler

After July's Division 44 West DCM, there were competitions to raise money for the Cal-Nev-Ha Pediatric Trauma Prevention, including a water balloon toss, water cup line race, watermelon eating contest, chalk drawing, and pie in the face.



Kiwanis Club of Citrus Heights

Contributed By Roger Klausler

Reserve your place NOW for our annual golf tournament—Swing “Fore” Kids—to be held on Monday, August 28, at Sierra View Country Club on Alta Vista Way in Roseville. There will be a 10am Shotgun Start and a Scramble Format. Entry fees are \$175 by cash/check or \$185 by credit card.

Your donations to this event will support Kiwanis Family House, Service leadership Key Clubs at Mesa Verde and Bella Vista high schools, San Juan High School Culinary Program, college scholarships, the Annual Easter Egg Hunt, Sunrise Swim Project at Rusch Park, Ski for Light (providing ski instruction to the blind), and other community activities.

<div style="text-align: center;">  <p style="font-size: 24px; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">Kiwanis</p> <p style="font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">CLUB OF CITRUS HEIGHTS</p> <p style="margin: 10px 0 0 0;">Presents...</p> <p style="margin: 0 0 0 0;">The 16th Annual Swing “Fore” Kids Golf Tournament</p>  </div>	<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">Space is Limited, Reserve Yours Now!</p> <p>Date: Monday, August 28, 2023</p> <p>Location: Sierra View Country Club 105 Alta Vista Avenue Roseville, CA 95678</p> <p>Schedule of Events:</p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 15%;">8:00am</td> <td>Check-in & Putting Contest</td> </tr> <tr> <td>9:00am</td> <td>Shotgun Start</td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td><i>(Following Final Round, Times Approximate)</i></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1:30pm</td> <td>Lunch</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2:00pm</td> <td>Awards, Raffle Prizes</td> </tr> </table> <p>Your Donation Includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coffee & Scones • Bloody Mary Bar • Golf (cart, range balls, tee prizes, lunch, snacks) • On-Course Refreshments • Taco Bar Lunch • Milk Truck <p>PLUS!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Swag Bags • Contests and Skills Tests • Raffle Prizes • Trophies 	8:00am	Check-in & Putting Contest	9:00am	Shotgun Start		<i>(Following Final Round, Times Approximate)</i>	1:30pm	Lunch	2:00pm	Awards, Raffle Prizes
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<p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold; margin: 0;">Donation Per Player: \$175 (Cash/Check) or \$185 (Credit Card, Venmo or Square)</p> <p style="text-align: center; margin: 5px 0 0 0;">YES, I will Swing “Fore” Kids at the Kiwanis Club of Citrus Heights Gold Tournament!</p> <p style="text-align: center; margin: 0 0 0 0;"> <input type="checkbox"/> Please Assign me to a Foursome <input type="checkbox"/> I am Signing up as a Foursome </p> <table style="width: 100%; border: none;"> <tr> <td style="width: 50%;">Player #1 _____</td> <td style="width: 50%;">Email _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Player #2 _____</td> <td>Email _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Player #3 _____</td> <td>Email _____</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Player #4 _____</td> <td>Email _____</td> </tr> </table> <p style="font-size: 10px; margin: 10px 0 0 0;">Sponsorship Opportunities: Title \$3000 • Gold \$1000 • Corporate \$850 • Bloody Mary Bar \$500 • Bev Cart \$250 For sponsorship details, please request a brochure. Make Checks Payable to Kiwanis Club of Citrus Heights.</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 10px; margin: 0 0 0 0;">Please Contact Jim Putnam with any Questions (916) 849-1040 or jrputnamccc@gmail.com</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-size: 10px; margin: 0 0 0 0;">Non-Profit 501 (c) (3) FEIN 68-00034159</p>		Player #1 _____	Email _____	Player #2 _____	Email _____	Player #3 _____	Email _____	Player #4 _____	Email _____		
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Kiwanis Club of Citrus Heights

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Veronica Hunter attended the May Celebration Dinner for the 23 Mesa Verde High School Seniors who have 100 or more community service hours. Leslie Peoples, their amazing Key Club Advisor, wrote an individual card to each student, gave them little Stuffed Animal Mascots and T-Shirts from their college choices, and pictures of them throughout their years in service.



Our May meeting just before the school year ended was filled with events. Gigi Rayford of Citrus Heights Arts spoke about the Art and Musical Festivals to be held every third Thursday in the Citrus Heights Business District. There will be 10 Visual Artists and 2 Music Groups on each date.

Paul Reyes presented a commendation to our club for our financial support of the traveling Vietnam Wall that was here March 30 – April 2.

Kiwanis Club of Citrus Heights

Contributed By Roger Klausler



We met five recipients of our \$1,000 college scholarships, presented by President Ben Middleton: Abigail Rose and Jasmine Doyle from Mesa Verde; McKenna Pacey from Casa Roble; Bode Briseno from Bella Vista; Wade Tinson from Mesa Verde.

We met our sixth \$1,000 recipient, Kaylee McAllister from Mesa Verde and her mother Michele, on June 14.



At our meeting at the end of June, Jennifer Li, Key Club Division 44W Lt Governor, visited us to speak about upcoming July 10 DCM.

On July 4, Vernon Brown traveled to Folsom to man a fireworks booth for the Kiwanis club there.

Our thanks go to Michael Rulli and Kevin Grimes, owners of Michaelangelo's in Granite Bay for donating the gift baskets that we use for various events.

Kiwanis Club of Lincoln

Contributed By Cynthia Liddle and Kathi Carlock



Arlene and Cynthia with the Awards they were presented with at Gov Val's luncheon on May 13. Arlene received the Distinguished Member Service Award and Cynthia received the Dunlap Award.



Arlene, Cynthia and Colette at the Lighthouse Celebrity Waiters Luncheon that took place May 19.

Kiwanis Club of Sacramento Suburban

Contributed By Chris Creelman



Key Club Corner by Sharon Everett



Rosemont and Mira Loma had a wonderful time at DCON in Ontario. We had eight Key Clubbers from Rosemont High School and one member from Mira Loma Key Club attend the District Convention. The weekend was really busy with classes, workshops, general sessions, and the Governor's Ball. Everyone learned a lot and got a real look at how huge (and loud!) our large district is. For such a small group, they showed A LOT of spirit!

We have new boards in all our Key Clubs and are planning a Board Retreat in June, so all our clubs can get to know one another and support each other in the coming year. Please put the July 5th meeting on your calendar and make sure you bring your dollars because our Key Clubs are taking over our meeting!



A clean-up day at the house took place in a steady drizzle on May 6. Bruce Lagomarsino, new member Karen Yagersmith with husband George Smith and the Creelman's braved the rain for a couple hours to help get the KFH grounds in shape for the May 13th Governor's Visit.

Kiwanis Club of Sacramento Suburban

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Key Club Corner by Sharon Everett

Thanks to the Rosemont Key Club who turned up in FORCE at Rosa Parks School to help with Wide Open Walls. Not only did they help get snacks to the artists and help with the handprint wall, they passed out Art Fiesta fliers to the attendees. As for spirit and service, those Key Clubbers are the best. SLAY! And a warm Key Club/Kiwanis welcome to Rosemont's new Faculty Advisor, Mr. Eldridge. We're so glad to have you in the family.



The school year is coming to a close, but service never stops! Our Key Club Boards have Officer Training in June, and the three SSKC Key Clubs are going to tour Kiwanis Family House and have a Board Retreat on June 17th to get to know each other and plan for the coming year. Lots to do so we can hit the ground growing in 2023-24!

But before we get to grow, some of us are going to go: our graduating seniors! I'm so proud of all of you and I hope you take the Key Club values of Leadership, Character Building, Caring, and Inclusiveness out into the world with you. And right back into Kiwanis!

Citrus Heights Kiwanis has five or six Key Club members who would like to attend the Key Club International Convention, July 5-9 in Anaheim but have no members who can attend, providing transportation and a chaperone. They are asking for help from other clubs within Div. 44. Let Sharon or Pres. Caren know if you'd like to help.

Kiwanis Club of Sacramento Suburban

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Cowan Kiwanis K-Kids Club

K-Kids Drive for Supplies for F.A.C.E. Our K-Kids Club at Cowan Fundamental School are two weeks into a drive to collect some of the supplies identified as community needs for the FACE Mobile (Family and Community Engagement). As you know, the FACE Mobile travels around communities in the San Juan school district providing resources directly to families.

The kids are having a drive at school to collect socks, underwear, and art supplies which will go on the mobile. Of course, all items must be new in packages. Sizes are needed for all school-age children. The drive started May 1st and runs through May 22nd. Creelman and the Lagomarsinos filled the box and Chris dropped it off at the 5/11 K-Kids meeting.

We ask that Kiwanians from our club support this drive by contributing these items or cash donations (we will purchase). We will have a box again at the next club meeting. This is a wonderful way to support our Kiwanis family, including our K-Kids Club and SJUSD.



Kiwanis Club of Sacramento Suburban

Contributed By Chris Creelman



Breaking News... on Wed., 5/31, Exec. Director Paula posted on Facebook, that Maita Subaru had just dropped off a \$26,000+ check and lunch to Kiwanis Family House. This would not be happening without the previous efforts of our former outstanding member Barbara Ross who five or six years ago convinced Maita that KFH was a very worthy cause for them to consider as their ongoing, yearly Sacramento Community Service Project. Thanks, Barbara! So many miss you. Hope you're smiling up there.

Catching Up with the Process Theater/Very Special Festival of the Arts



For many, many years, Sac Suburban has sponsored The Process Theater/Very Special Festival of the Arts. While the actual Festival is no longer happening, the kids performed on the main stage at the Sacramento County Fair. Fred attended and was inspired once again. Here's his report and a nice follow-up from Alice.

"I loved watching the kids perform. It is hard to appreciate the joy, excitement and love that was in the air from watching a video. The kids will remember performing at the Fair for the rest of their lives, and I am certain that the program will have some impact on many of the children throughout their lives. Alice is always very appreciative and pro Kiwanis. I also enjoyed our pictures. Thought you would like to know.

Hi, Fred. Thank you so very, very much for coming to the County Fair today and watching our Very Special Arts kids perform. I really hope you enjoyed their shows. Seeing you there made me flash back on so many wonderful times you were there to support our kids. Enjoyed meeting Sue as well. Attached are fun photos from this morning. I will definitely get you the videos from today as soon as I get them edited. Also, please know I will spread the word about the Art Fiesta. Again, I am so disappointed I cannot be there.

Take excellent care, Fred. We will talk soon! Smiles, Sunshine, and Hugs

Kiwanis Club of Sacramento Suburban

Contributed By Chris Creelman



Key Club Corner by Sharon Everett



The boards of Rosemont, Mira Loma, and Rio got together with Lt. Governor Enya on the 17th to meet and talk about plans for the coming year. "I think it's so important to have support and to know that you're part of a community," said Kiwanis Advisor, Sharon Everett. The board retreat was held at the Kiwanis Family House and started with a tour of the facility. It counted as an interclub and a Kiwanis Family event for all the clubs! Yay!

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Kiwanis Club of Sacramento Suburban

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Cowan Kiwanis K-Kids Club



The K-Kids Club had its final meeting of the school year on Thursday, May 25th . After loading the F.A.C.E. van with all the items they had collected at their school-wide drive, they celebrated with a year-end party with each member receiving a nice certificate honoring them for their service, leadership, and volunteerism. It was a fun bunch of kids, and I'll miss the 6th graders that have moved on.

Kiwanis Club of Carmichael

Welcome new member Lynn Jacoby-McClellan



Koobs Nature Area Opening Day May 6th



Kiwanis Club of Carmichael

Sorting Plastic on the way to another Bench!



Sharon Ruffner, representing Community Services Committee, presented a \$300 check to American River College Basic Needs Center. Valerie Adger accepted the check with much appreciation. The student population was surveyed to determine need and found that 40% acknowledged to be food insecure and 23% to be housing insecure. The center spends \$7000 a month providing food, diapers, housing resources and grab n'go stations on 4 campuses.



Linda Jones, representing Community Services Committee, presented a \$150 check to Fair Oaks Theater Festival. Merete Bryant accepted and explained that the performances would be held at Orangevale Grange to fund raise monies for lighting and a sound system to be placed in the new theater next year. On June 17, July 15, and August 19 there will be dinner and performance of 1980's hits at a cost of \$40. Please support the theater by going to Tix.com and search for "Mixed Tape". In addition, two classes for children 12-16 years. old are being offered: 1. Jazz dance 2. Bite Size Broadway.



Kiwanis Club of Carmichael Taste of Carmichael



Kiwanis Club of Carmichael



Del Campo Key Club scholarship recipients Rachel Kim and Christene Santos told us they are going to Davis and Berkeley



Scout Michael Adler said Boy Scouts was good for young people to learn some life skills.



Linda Martin and Heidi Sanborn presenting to Danielle McGarrity, Director of the Children's Receiving Home

Kiwanis Club of Carmichael



Judee Shoemaker presenting to Jenny Hawley, Troop Leader of our Girl Scouts

Recognition of Members and Presentation of Awards Jackie DeLu and Sharon Ruffner, Past Co-Presidents

Jackie asked that we recognize recipients of Distinguished Service Award for members from 2022, since we didn't do so last year. First DSA went to Sabrina Cunningham for all she did to support the club and community activities.

Armoni Easley, with Project Optimism was recognized for the work they do with kids and families. Armoni reported that they are expanding to 10 schools and are already working on Back to School activities, including a Car Show. Other Award recipients from last year include Carole Rhine, Sarah Thompson and Sean LaTour.

This year's 2023 Spring Award recipients recognized include:

Heidi Sanborn: Community Service Award

Wayne Lang: Hixson Award

Willy Park: Dunlap Award (received his award earlier from Governor Val)

Clem Spring: Distinguished Service Award (previously presented by Gov. Val)

Vera Vacarro: Distinguished Service Award

Sheba Jackson: Distinguished Service Award

Charlotte Saylor: Distinguished Service Award

Donna Miller: Youth Services Award

Angela Nowlin, Ivory Rubin, Linda Martin, Natalie Aguirre and Sharon Ruffner

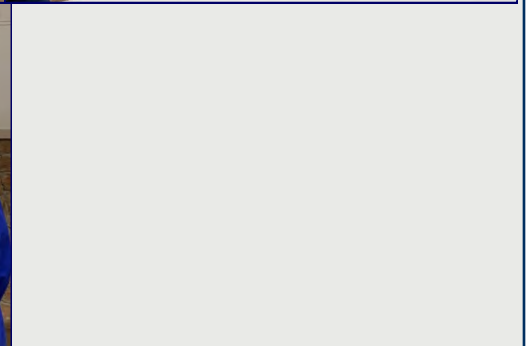
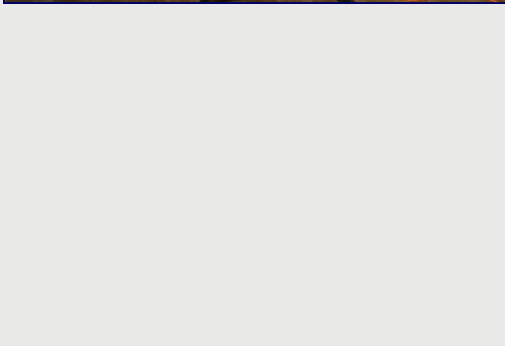
Diversity and Inclusion "Star" Awards

Donna Miller: Youth Services Award

Angela Nowlin, Ivory Rubin, Linda Martin, Natalie Aguirre and Sharon Ruffner

Diversity and Inclusion "Star" Awards

Kiwanis Club of Carmichael



**MEMORIAL DAY
SERVICE
AT KOOBS
NATURE AREA**



Kiwanis Club of Carmichael



*Placerville Interclub attendees
Willie, Sheba, Judee, Jody, Hal and Jan*



*Sacramento County Board of Supervisors recognized
Sharon Ruffner
with a Volunteer of the Year award
Congratulations, Sharon!*



*Aerospace Museum of California Named 2023 Nonprofit of the Year for AD7
Assemblyman Josh Hoover says, "On Wednesday I was proud to name the Aerospace Museum
of California as the 2023 Nonprofit of the Year for Assembly District 7!
Thank you to Linda Martin and Tom & Karen Jones for all you do for our community."*

Kiwanis Club of Carmichael

Boy Scout Troop 55 Celebrated 100 Year Anniversary



Checks were presented by Judee Shoemaker and Clem Spring

Also in attendance were:

Donna Miller, Linda Martin, Linda Jones, Jackie Delu and Rich Desmond

Kiwanis Club of Gold Country

Contributed By Jan & Mike Weaver

Gold Country 4th of July



Justin Gross and Jim Bair



C.J. LaCivita



Angela Nowlin, Colleen Young and Jim Bair



Misha Rios, David Jones, Angela Nowlin and Al Schafer



Greg Nichols



Colleen Young, Angela Nowlin and Bob Green



Kiwanis Club of Gold Country

Contributed By Jan & Mike Weaver

Kiwanis International Convention



Kiwanis Club of Gold Country

Contributed By Jan & Mike Weaver



Greetings Division 44 club members,

It's an honor to report to you all, regarding the Trustees meeting at the Kiwanis International Convention in Minneapolis. The outstanding news is that all of our diligent focused work has been approved and it was approved unanimously.

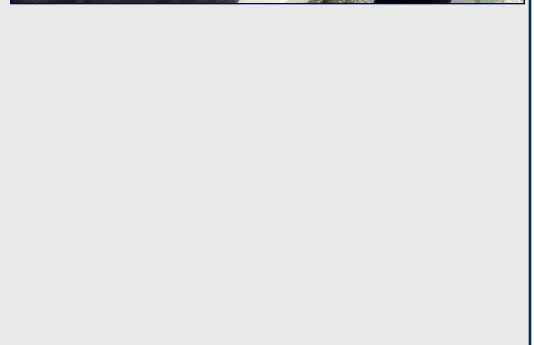
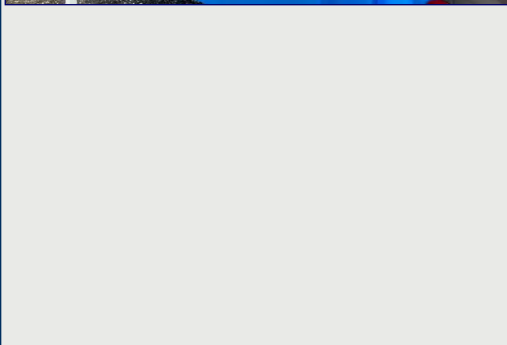
At the Trustees meeting, our Mission Statement, Policy, Bylaws, Preamble and Goals for 2023-2024 have all been approved. The Trustees were very impressed by the quality and organization of our documents. We have much to be proud of and I hope you feel as inspired and encouraged as I do.

Kiwanis Club of Gold Country

Contributed By Jan & Mike Weaver

Gold Country's Health/Safety & Fire Preparedness Carnival

On May 6th, Gold Country Kiwanis and community partners hosted their Annual Health/Safety & Fire Preparedness Carnival. The goal was to dispense valuable health, wellness and safety information to children, families and seniors at a fun and free community-wide event. Although it rained, many local organizations, agencies and exhibitors were on hand to provide helpful information.



Kiwanis Club of Rancho Murieta

Contributed By Jack Seigal



Members of K-Kids



Above: K-Kids board members: Mina, Jackson, Ava, and Danabelle.

K-Kids

Service Before Self

K-Kids prepare posters for the recycling drive. Money collected from the drive will benefit CRES students.



Above: Alyssa Winter lends her artistic talents to create a poster to advertise the recycling drive to benefit CRES.



Right: Numerous gifts were donated to CRES for the Toy Drive. Students are shown next to a pickup truck loaded with many of the items collected.



Kiwanis Club of Rancho Murieta

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Justin Tran



**Phethavon Boutsivongsakd,
Josh Cecil, Ray Carmona**



**Renee Randall, Evelyn Roldan,
Father of Sulaiman Sidiqi**

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Presents

The “PAPER PLATE AWARDS”

- Recognizes members for an achievement or hard work in the community
- Recognizes members for a funny quirk, gesture or most embarrassing moment
- Meant to liven up and lift spirits for members at the monthly meetings
- Awards will be given out at the 2nd meeting of the month
- Nominations are due the Tuesday prior to that meeting and should be sent to bonnie_shewchuk@yahoo.com
- Any member can nominate a member for an award
- 2 awards will be given at the meeting(funny and achievement)



Cookie Whalen receiving her paper plate award from Bonnie Shewchuk.

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The Rancho Murieta Key Club held its final meeting of the year on Sunday, May 21.



Members made floral arrangements to be placed by the gravesites of military veterans on Memorial Day.



Members thanked the outgoing Key Club President **Salma Blair** for her dedicated year of service, and high school junior **Brook Blaisdel** will serve as Club President for the 2023-2024 service year. She is pictured at the top of the next column

Club members are also looking forward to assisting with the June 17 Rancho Murieta Country Club anniversary as well as the Kiwanis 4th of July Pancake Breakfast!



Christian Lozada our club's newly elected *Bulletin Editor* for the upcoming service year. As part of his editorial duties, Christian will be emailing this group thread (which consists of the Kiwanis Kronicle's editors, and our club advisors) photos and a short recap of our club's meetings and events.

Our club's webmaster **Jack Blaisdell** will also be included on the thread.

We hope you all enjoy a lovely summer.

Until the next event, best regards, **Catherine Blaisdell**.



Provided by **Pamela Haines**

- *It doesn't make cents, but volunteering is rewarding.*
- *The piano was locked out of the house. It didn't have the right key.*
- *Why did the wharf break? Too much pier pressure.*
- *I invented a thought activated aroma machine. When you thing about it, it makes scents.*
- *The skeleton was afraid to go to the prom. I had no-body to go with.*
- *My neighbor planted a dogwood tree. I'm not a fan of its bark.*
- *Thanks for explaining the word "many" to me. It means a lot.*
- *Irony is the opposite of wrinkly.*
- *When the smog lifts is California: UCLA.*
- *A dog gave birth near the road. She was cited for littering.*
- *I have a twin. We used to be womb mates.*
- *What is the staple of fish's diet? Vitamin sea.*

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We built a school kitchen in Kenya



Then



Bronwyn Anthony is sharing this email from a previous guest speaker:

"Hello all, we just uploaded the final update to the **Kiahuko Kitchen Photo Gallery** in Kenya.

It's impossible to overstate what a difference this kitchen will make in the lives of the 487 students at the school...and, those to come.

Over the next 20+ years, it will help more than 10,000 children have just a slightly better chance in life. Thank you for your help that made this possible. I enjoyed working with all of you on it.

Robert Freeman, Founder, Executive Director, The Global Uplift Project"



Now...New!

Kiwanis Objects

Contributed By Michael Luciano



The six permanent Objects of Kiwanis International were approved by Kiwanis club delegates at the 1924 Kiwanis International Convention in Denver, Colorado. Through the decades, they have remained unchanged.

- To give primacy to the human and spiritual rather than to the 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 higher social, business and professional standards.*
- To develop, by precept and example, a more intelligent, aggressive and serviceable citizenship.*
- To provide, through Kiwanis clubs, a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service and to build better communities.*
- To cooperate in creating and maintaining that sound public opinion and high idealism which make possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism and goodwill.*



Division Inter-Club Meetings

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Inter-Club: An inter-club meeting is a meeting or activity staged by two or more Kiwanis family clubs including Division Council Meetings, Kiwanis Club, Circle K, Key Club, Builders Club, K-Kids, Aktion Club, Conferences & Conventions.

The definition of an inter-club was expanded from simply attending another Kiwanis club meeting to include attending **Fundraisers, Projects, Activities and Social Events of another K-Family Club.**

The broadened definition promotes more opportunities for fellowship, education and encourages greater interaction between **Kiwanis Clubs and our Service Leadership Programs:**

- **Clubs with 20 or Fewer Members need a minimum of two members in attendance to constitute an Inter-Club Meeting.**
- **Clubs with 21-30 of three members need a minimum of three members attendance to constitute an Inter-Club Meeting.**
- **Clubs with 31 or More Members need a minimum of four members in attendance to constitute an Inter-Club Meeting.**

Visiting groups shall be composed of a minimum of two Kiwanians plus members of K-Kids, Builders Club, Aktion Club, Circle K, or Key Club must be in attendance. A Lieutenant Governor can only be included if they are a member of the participating club.

Inter-Clubbing is a means of supporting **Kiwanis' Fifth Object**, which is **"To provide, through this club, a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service, and to build a better community"**.

Through the fellowship gained by inter-club activities, members learn how other clubs function, get to know their neighboring Kiwanians, develop new ideas and a broader interest in how Kiwanis operates, find new ideas for use in their own club, and become better Kiwanians.

Inter-Clubbing creates fun and strong fellowship.



Division Council Meeting (DCM)

Contributed By Gail Cirata

Date / Host Club

No DCM in September - Subject to Change

Monday, October 10, 2022 / Club Host Kiwanis Club of Citrus Heights

Monday, November 14, 2022 / Club Host Key Club

Monday, December 5, 2022 / Club Host Rancho Cordova

Monday, January 9, 2023 / Club Host Kiwanis Club of Lincoln

Monday, February 13, 2023 / Club Host Kiwanis Club of Gold Country

Monday, March 13, 2023 / Club Host Kiwanis Club of Lincoln Foothills

Monday, April 10, 2023 / Club Host Kiwanis Club of Folsom Lake

Monday, May 8, 2023 / Club Host Kiwanis Club of Sacramento Suburban

Saturday, May 13, 2023 / CNH Governor's Visit / Sacramento

Monday, June 12, 2023 / Club Host Kiwanis Club of Auburn

No DCM in July - Subject to Change

No DCM in August - Subject to Change

What

A meeting where members from the different clubs in Division 44 get together to share successes, plans and concerns. A time to honor our differences and celebrate our achievements.

When

*The second Monday in October, November, December, January, February, March, April, May and June. We count the Lt. Governor Installation Dinner as a DCM. **No DCMs in July, August - Subject to Change.***

- *All Meetings are on Zoom until further notice / 2nd Monday of Each Month: 5:30 PM*

Who

- *All members of our Kiwanis Family. New Kiwanis Members. Some Clubs require a DCM visit. Guests are always welcome.*

Where

- *Via Zoom - Until further Notice.*



Division, District & International Calendar of Events & Activities

Kiwanis Division 44

2nd Monday

*Division Council Meetings - 5:30 PM Zoom Meeting Online
No DCMs in July, August - Subject to Change.*

Kiwanis CNH District

August 10-12, 2023

*Kiwanis CNH District Education Convention
Nugget Casino Resort
Sparks, NV*

Newsletters, Articles & Photos Submissions

e-Mail your Newsletters, Articles and Photos to Michael Luciano for publication by the last day of the month. Please include an Article Narrative and Names of People in the Photos.

Newsletter & Website Club Information

Club Officers, please review your Club Information Webpage and Newsletter Club Information Page for accuracy and submit Updates / Changes to Michael Luciano. Clubs are responsible for the accuracy of their Club Information.

