

THE TALK OF TORRANCE

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THIS WEEK'S MEETING: President Kevin Paul opened the meeting and led the Pledge of Allegiance. Lisa Applegate-McGinty was our song leader with "Home on the Range." Pastor John Hernandez led us with a prayer. Michael Fahrenkrug a potential member turned in his membership application. Bob Zappelli is celebrating his 40th wedding anniversary. Nadine Koerner won today's card raffle but did not find the Joker and John Hernandez won the 50/50 raffle.

SPEAKER TODAY: Charlotte Melsh set forth her plans for next year as president. They include:

- ✓ Set Up Committees with appointed Chairs
- ✓ Work on Guest Speakers with a focus on Kids
- ✓ Continue Inter-clubs
- ✓ Add at least 1 more Fundraiser



Soon to be new member, Mike Fahrenkrug with John Hernandez

HAPPY & SAD DOLLARS: Lisa Applegate-McGinty – ☺ for the new member and the Kids stories. Gayle CdeBaca – ☺ the all-star tournament over the weekend. Christine Elia - ☺ Went to Philadelphia to see her niece graduate ☺ not being here last week. Jennifer Frew – ☺ Wonderful, successful, spectacular Memorial Day Event, special singers who has appeared on Lifetime and one was a contestant on American Idol, going to Arizona afterwards ☺ massive migraine when she returned. Michael Friedman – ☺ having lunch with David and his Kiwanis friends. Tony Goorchenko – ☺ attended a sunset wedding on the beach last weekend and it turned out great. Kay Griffith– ☺ New member and survived a 6 year old birthday party. Kay Grundhaus – ☺ As you get older you understand that the brain is made for processing and not for storage. John Hernandez – ☺ He attended the NHS Key Clun year end party and invited parents to join Kiwanis. Also for our new member. Dave Holper – ☺ Buffalo Springfield concert was great. Peter Issa – ☺ for the Dallas MAV for winning the NBA Championship. Curtis Jones Jr.– ☺ The new member and the USC Gamecocks doing fine. Nadine Koerner– ☺ new member. David Kuroda – ☺ for Flag day and proud to be an American. Charlotte Melsh – ☺ for new member ☺ that she will miss the PTN event. Kevin Paul– ☺ to be losing his mind and for the new member. Carina Sokolich – ☺ to have a date night with husband. Bob Zappelli– ☺ to be celebrating 40 years of marriage. Guest: Mike Fahrenkrug– ☺ for the Dallas MAV's and to be joining our club.

CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- ★ **Club Leadership Training:** For our 2011-12 club president and secretary is on **June 18th**, Lomita Kiwanis Hall. Governor Elect Dick Olmsted will be the trainer.
- ★ **Division Council Meeting:** **June 20th** at the Hermosa Beach Kiwanis Hall
- ★ **PTN 16th Anniversary Party:** **July 16th**, we need volunteers to help work at the party.
- ★ **Division 19 Installation:** **October 8th**, Save the Date.
- ★ **Kiwanis District Convention – August 19th & 20th** at Town and Country Resort San Diego. For more information go to www.cnhkiwanis.org.
- ★ **Eating fish for lunch?** The Sizzler has informed us that their cost for salmon and trout has increased and they must charge us \$2 for each fish lunch ordered. If that is your choice, your Board is requesting that you add two (2) dollars to your happy/sad contribution to make up the difference.

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All-America City Finalist

In 1956, the City of Torrance garnered the “All-America City Award” (AAC). This year, the City of Torrance is a FINALIST for the 2011 All-America City Award (<http://www.allamericacityaward.com/>) hosted by the National Civic League (www.ncl.org). Besides the prestige of this Award, winning the “All-America City Award” will help Torrance’s economic development program, giving it a tool to retain and attract new businesses, residents and visitors to our City. Combined, the “All-America City” designation can provide numerous benefits to our local economy, which helps maintain and enrich quality of life in Torrance. As one of 26 finalists in 2011, Torrance is participating in a special video competition through the All-America City Facebook page. The video with the most “likes” on the AAC Facebook page will be declared a winner at the All-America City Award Ceremony on June 17, 2011 in Kansas City, Missouri. So, while the Torrance delegation is preparing for the trip to Kansas City to win the 2011 All-America City Award, I’d appreciate your assistance in so the City of Torrance video, produced by Torrance Citi-CABLE, will win the special video contest. Here’s how you can help:

Step 1: Visit the AAC Facebook page <http://www.facebook.com/pages/All-America-City-Awards/277887828621>)

Step 2: Click on the video icon on the left side of the screen and go to the AAC Facebook Video page. Or go to link. (http://www.facebook.com/pages/All-America-City-Awards/277887828621?sk=app_2392950137).The finalist

Step 3: Click on Video

Step 4: Click on word “LIKE” below the City of Torrance

Tell friends and family who have Facebook to follow Steps 1 through 4.

The City of Torrance truly is an All-America City so let’s help bring home the Award!

KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION

ELIMINATE KIWANIS WORLD WIDE SERVICE PROJECT –The **ELIMINATE Project** Kiwanis International and UNICEF have joined forces to eliminate maternal and neonatal tetanus. This deadly disease steals the lives of 60,000 innocent babies and 30,000 mothers each year. The effects of the disease are excruciating tiny newborns suffer

Kiwanis eliminating maternal/neonatal tetanus



repeated, painful convulsions and extreme sensitivity to light and touch. To eliminate MNT from the Earth by 2015, 129 million mothers and their future babies must be immunized. This requires vaccines, syringes, safe storage, transportation, thousands of skilled staff and more. Eliminating MNT from the face of the Earth will reach the poorest, most neglected mothers and babies with additional lifesaving health care. The end of this one disease means the beginning of better health for so many families.



CAL-NEV-HA DISTRICT KIWANIS FOUNDATION



KIWANIS IS SAVING KIDS LIVES: The Kiwanis Cal-Nev-Ha Foundation with Loma Linda University Children’s Hospital in 2004 to provide training in pediatric emergency medicine to a qualified physician. With the backing of a grant totaling more than \$400,000, the “Kiwanis Doctor Program” has now successfully trained two doctors and 3rd doctors is now in the program. Kiwanis Doctors now provide training seminars throughout the district to train health care professionals treat sick and injured children.

For More info and how you can participate call (877) 597-1770, ext. 116 or go to www.cnhfoundation.org

OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS



First Annual Pacific Audi Quattro Cup Golf Tournament

Proceeds to enhance and grow the educational program within the Torrance Education Foundation and John Adams Elementary School. The golf tournament is **July 11th** and will be held at Palos Verdes Golf Club. For more information Contact James at JamesHan@msn.com.

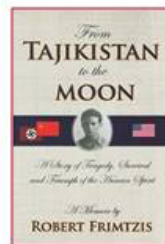


Western Museum of Flight

Celebrity Lecture Series
June 18 Saturday – 11:00 AM

Lunar Odyssey **From Tajikistan to the Moon**

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\$5 for non-members

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DONATIONS NEEDED: The NCM Food Bank is looking for donations of the following items: Working appliances, refrigerators, washers and dryers. Baby furniture, Baby clothing and shoes

They are a 501c 3 and these are chartable contribution.

For more information please call Torrance Kiwanian Pastor John Hernandez 310-490-9439.



CLUB FUND RAISING IN STYLE

Former Kiwanis member Al Thomas has a Limousine Service. He will provide an excellent car service for your next event and donate back 10% of the net limo fee back to your Kiwanis Club or organization.

For more information call Al Thomas 310-993-4701

THANK YOU TO GUEST EDITOR TODAY GAYLE CDEBACA FILLING IN FOR LAURIE LOVE



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

Torrance Kiwanis Charities

Since 1988 several local charities and service programs have benefited from the Torrance Kiwanis Fund raising efforts. These charities are as follows:

- ♥ Aging In Place Seniors Program
- ♥ Angels for Sight
- ♥ American Cancer Society – Relay for Life
- ♥ American Heart Association - Heart Walk LA
- ♥ Children's Miracle Network
- ♥ Counseling 4 Kids
- ♥ Disaster Relief (Tsunami & Hurricane Katrina)
- ♥ Harbor UCLA Medical Center Santa's Visit
- ♥ Key Leader
- ♥ Kiwanis/Benjamin Aranda III Scholarship Fund
- ♥ Kiwanis CAL-NEV-HA Foundation
- ♥ Kiwanis International Foundation
- ♥ L.A. Dept. of Child Services, Christmas Party
- ♥ Leukemia & Lymphoma Society
- ♥ New Challenge Ministry – Food Bank
- ♥ Pediatric Therapy Network
- ♥ Red Ribbon Week
- ♥ Salvation Army (Bell Ringing & Health Faire)
- ♥ Special Olympics
- ♥ South Bay Children's Choir
- ♥ St Patrick's Day Charity 10 K Run
- ♥ Switzer Education Center
- ♥ Torrance Coordinating Council Scholarships
- ♥ Torrance Education Foundation
- ♥ Torrance Memorial Hospital Pediatric Unit
- ♥ Torrance YMCA
- ♥ Western Museum of Flight
- ♥ Young Children Immunization Program

KIWANIS CLUB INFORMATION



DIVISION 19 WEEKLY MEETINGS

TUESDAY

- El Segundo**- Hacienda Hotel, 525 Sepulveda Blvd. 12:10 PM
Lomita/ Harbor City- 24822 Narbonne Ave. Lomita 6:30 PM
Manhattan Beach- Tin Roof Bistro, Manhattan Village Mall..... 12:10 PM
Torrance, Sizzler Restaurant 2880 Sepulveda Blvd. 12: 10 PM

WEDNESDAY

- Carson**- Double Tree Hotel-. (1st & 3rd Wed. Only) 12:10 PM
Hermosa Beach- 2515 Valley Drive Hermosa Bch. 12:10 PM
Lawndale-Hanks Bistro, 14406 Hawthorne Blvd.(1st & 3rd Wed.) 12:10 PM
San Pedro, The Whale & Ale Restaurant, 7th St..... 12:10 PM

THURSDAY

- Eastview**- Sheraton Hotel, Palos Verdes Street, San Pedro..... 8:00 AM
Gardena Valley-Elks Lodge, 1735 W. 162 Street. Gardena 12:10 PM
LAX- Renaissance Hotel, 9620 Airport Blvd., at LAX 12:30 PM
Rolling Hills/PV- Red Onion Restaurant Rolling Hills Est..... 12:10 PM

FRIDAY

- Hawthorne**- Nat's Airport Café, Hawthorne Airport 12:10 PM

INTERNATIONAL & DISTRICT OFFICERS 2010-2011

- International President Sylvester Neal
 CAL-NEV-HA District Governor Tom Milham
 CAL-NEV-HA- District Governor Elect Richard Olmstead
 Division 19 Lt. Governor Joni Ackerman
 Division 19 Lt. Gov. Elect..... Tim McDannold
 Region 8 Trustee..... Richard Huhn

TORRANCE KIWANIS SPONSORED LEADERSHIP PROGRAMS

<u>Club</u>	<u>Member Advisor</u>
North High Key Club.....	John Hernandez
Weekly Meeting - Fridays at Noon	
South High KIWIN'S	Eric Harris
Weekly Meeting -Friday at Noon	
Torrance High KIWIN'S.....	Charlotte Melsh
Weekly Meeting -Tuesday at Noon	
West High Key Club.....	Harvey Horwich
Weekly Meeting – Friday at Noon	
Bishop Montgomery High Key Club.....	Tony Goorchenko
Richardson Middle School Builders Club.	Tony Goorchenko
Weekly Meeting – Tuesday 3:15 PM	

FUNNY PAGE

TOP 10 THINGS YOU SHOULD NEVER DO IF YOUR LAST NAME IS WEINER

10. Introduce yourself to an elementary school class.
9. Have a motto: "Don't fear the Weiner."
8. Form a musical duo with Snoop Dogg.
7. Become a urologist and promote yourself as "Doctor Weiner, the Weiner Doctor."
6. Become a superhero: "Quick, WankerBoy -- to the Weinermobile!"
5. Agree to be roasted.
4. Perform magic at your high school talent show as "The Amazing, Astounding, Magnificent Weiner."
3. Refer to disciplining your child as "spanking my little Weiner."
2. Become a partner in a law firm with Small, Johnson and Wang.
1. Behave like one.

CARTOONS:



CLUB INFORMATION

CLUB OFFICER 2010-2011

President Kevin Paul
 First V.P. Charlotte Melsh
 Second V.P. Jennifer Frew
 Treasurer..... Peter Issa
 Secretary..... Kay Griffith
 Foundation Treasurer..... Phil Cook
 Immediate Past-Pres..... Dave Holper

BOARD OF DIRECTOR

2009-2011 TERM
 Christine Elia
 Curtis Jones, Jr.
 Carina Sokolich
2010-2012 TERM
 Michael Friedman
 Dr. Laurie Love

COMMITTEE CHAIR

Newsletter Laurie Love/Tony Molino
 Santa's Visit Tony Goorchenko
 Kiwanis ONE Day..... Jennifer Frew
 Community Service..... Gayle CdeBaca
 Fundraising..... Phil Cook
 Membership..... OPEN
 Inter-Club..... Michael Freidman

MEMBER'S NAME	PROFESSION
Abelson, Robert (Rosalie)	CPA
Applegate-McGinty, Lisa (Pat)	Insurance
Callen, Art (Bobbie)	City Cable
CdeBaca, Gayle (Craig)	Bank Facilities Mgr.
Cook, Phillip (Francine)	CFP
Elia, Christine (Sam)	Bank Manager
Friedman, Michael (Ronnie)	Retired Attorney
Frew, Jennifer	Community Events
* Goorchenko, Tony (Vicki)	Kiwanis Expert
Griffith, Kay	Teacher (retired)
* Grundhaus, Kay (Les)	Realtor
Harris, Eric	Attorney
Hernandez, John (Laura)	Minister
Holper, Dave (Lela)	AFLAC Sales Mgr.
Horstkotte, Connie (Brad)	CFP
Horwich, Harvey (June)	Retired
Issa, Peter (Roula)	Bank Manager
* Jones, Jr. Curtis (Elaine)	Global Marketing
Koerner, Nadine	Retired Teacher
Kuroda, David (Alice)	LCSW, Mediation
* Love, Dr. Laurie (Steve)	College Professor
Lyttle, Dolores	Executive Director
Melsh, Charlotte	Bowling Alley Mgr.
☆ + Molino, Tony (Bambi)	Attorney
Norris, Michael (Kathy)	Attorney
Paul, Kevin (Rosanne)	Business Banking
Sokolich, Carina (Robert)	CR Director
* Sousa, Manuel (Christine)	Court Reporter & Legal Support
(H) Thompson, Kathleen	Controller (Retired)
Yee, Stephanie	Catering Mgr.
Zappelli, Bob (Becky)	Printing

INDICATION ☆-Past Lt. Governor/Past Club President *-Past President, + Life Member, H-Honorary
 () Member's Spouse/Significant Other

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