

## THE TALK OF TORRANCE

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Birthday boy Tim Pollard & birthday girl Lisa Applegate-McGinty with president Kevin Paul. Looks like Lisa didn't like our singing

**THIS WEEK'S MEETING:** Immediate Past President Dave Holper opened the meeting, Lisa Applegate-McGinty led the Pledge of Allegiance; Cecilia Paschner was the song leader with "Born Free" and Rev. Tim Pollard provided the prayer. President Kevin walked in as the prayer concluded and took over the meeting. New Badges for Cecilia Paschner and Rev. Tim Pollard were handed out. The Kiwanis Choir sang Happy Birthday to Lisa Applegate-McGinty and Tim Pollard. They also sang Happy Anniversary to Harvey Horwich who is celebrating 63 years of marriage this week. Our guests today were Tony Pecatee a former Gardena Kiwanian and guest of Peter Issa. Andrew Elia son of Christine and Joe of Christine and Joe Powers was back and turned in his membership application. The raffle winner was Bob Zappelli but didn't pull the joker and Kevin Paul won the 50/50 raffle.



Cecilia Paschner

**Program:** Our New member Cecilia Pashner told us about her experience at the Kiwanis District Convention in San Diego. She enjoyed the event and attended several seminars including social media. Lisa Applegate-McGinty agreed to put together a Face Book page for our Kiwanis Club

**THANK YOU TO  
CURTIS JONES, JR.**

**FOR FILLING IN AS  
CO-EDITOR THIS WEEK**



Christine Elia with son Andrew



## Meeting Notes and Announcements:

- ★ **VOLUNTEER NEEDED!!! An Advisor for Torrance High School KIWIN'S** – Charlotte Melsh is requesting that someone volunteer to be the advisor at THS. Charlotte has been doing an outstanding job as their advisor but her responsibilities as our Club President next year will make it difficult to continue in that role. THS KIWIN'S is an involved group under the guidance of Parker Bostwick THS teacher. Their Board meets on Fridays at lunch time.
- ★ **TORRANCE INSTALLATION CELEBRATION – October 1st** – Charlotte Melsh will be having her Installation at PV Bowl. It will be Hawaiian Casual Attire. More information will be provided in the next few weeks but please save the date for a fun filled gathering with all your best Kiwanis friends and family.
- ★ **KIWANIS DIVISION 19 INSTALLATION DINNER – October 8th** at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in San Pedro. Tim McDannold is planning a nice dinner at the reasonable price of \$35 to install and recognize the new Division 19 team. Tony Goorchenko is in charge of our club's RSVP list. Please support our Lt. Governor and attend this event.

**HAPPY & SAD DOLLARS:** Lisa Applegate-McGinty ☺ for the great weather. Christine Elia ☺ for the her son Andrew attending our meeting. Michael Friedman ☺ for his 4<sup>th</sup> birthday for his new heart. Tony Goorchenko – ☺ to be a member of Kiwanis for 19 years. Kay Griffith ☺ to be a club member for 2 years. Kay Grundhaus – ☺ has been a member of our club since 89 but going to Kiwanis functions since the late 70's. Dave Holper – ☺ member for 7 years bust sad about DA BEARS. Harvey Horwich –☺ to be celebrating 63 years of marriage. Monday. Peter Issa – ☺ his old friend Tony Pecatee came made it to our meeting. Curtis Jones Jr. ☺ to be a Kiwanis member for 10 years and to see the guests Nadine Koerner – ☺ volunteers at Torrance Memorial and saw a former student with his wife and new baby. David Kuroda – ☺ to be a member for 10 years and for Andrew attending our meeting. Tony Molino – ☺ to be celebrating 30 years in Kiwanis this month. He said he joined when he was 10 years old. Cecilia Paschner- ☺ to be able to attend the District convention as a representative from our club. Kevin Paul - ☺ to be playing Harvey in the play "Guys and Dolls". Tim Pollard - ☺ To be a new member and sad he will be gone next week as he heads back to Nashville to see a grandson. Bob Zappelli – ☺\$ for the great time in Lake Tahoe last week Joe Powers – ☺ To be turning in his new membership application this week.



Peter Issa with guest Tony Pecatee

**SPECIAL BOARD MEETING:** A special board meeting was held to approve 2 new member applications, Joe Powers and Nathan Mintz. Nathan has applied as a service member since he works in El Segundo for Raytheon. Both were approved and will be inducted in the next few weeks.

## ELIMINATE

Kiwanis eliminating maternal/neonatal tetanus



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 repeated, painful convulsions and extreme sensitivity to light and touch. To eliminate MNT 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. For more info go to [www.kiwanis.org](http://www.kiwanis.org)

### CAL-NEV-HA KIWANIS AND KI FOUNDATION NEWS



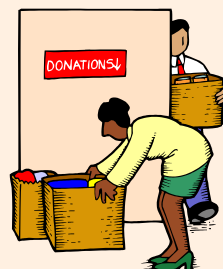
[www.cnhfoundation.org](http://www.cnhfoundation.org)

**The “Kiwanis Doctor” Program:** With the backing of a \$186,000 grant from the Cal-Nev-Ha Foundation trains doctors in the field of Pediatric Emergency Medicine. The doctors that have gone through this program then collaborated with Kiwanis Clubs to provide training in the field of pediatric trauma to paramedics, nurses and physicians in rural areas of the Cal-Nev-Ha District. The goal of the Pediatric Emergency Medicine Fellowship is simple: Save the lives of children by training doctors about the latest in pediatric treatment. For more information go to



### **DONATIONS & DRIVERS NEEDED**

**New Challenge Ministries** – NCM is in need of clothing, especially children and ladies so this would be a good time to clean out your closets and support John Hernandez in his work. Currently they are looking for a refrigerator to help a family in need. They are a 501c 3 and these are chartable contribution.



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



## FUNNY PAGE

### TOP 10 GEEK PICK UP LINES

10. "Someone must have shot you with a phaser set on 'stunning.'"
9. "Hey, I turned my parents basement into a cool place to chill."
8. "Not only can I beam you aboard, I can beam you a Jim Beam and 7up."
7. "Prepare to be probed!"
6. "Forgive my Kirk-like boldness, but you wanna go back to my mom's place and watch 'Dr. Who?'"
5. "How 'bout I slip into something more comfortable... like these STAR TREK VOYAGER pajamas!"
4. "I'm the droid you're looking for."
3. "A set of Spock ears would really accentuate your beauty."
2. "Your mouth says, 'Shields up!', but your eyes say, 'A hull breach is imminent.'"
1. "Hey, baby. I own Microsoft."

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## PHIL COOK FINALLY GOT A CELL PHONE

It was on sale because it was an older model



## 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 Estates..... 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

## 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
- ♥ 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 Christmas Bell Ringing
- ♥ Salvation Army 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
- ♥ Young Children Immunization Program

## CLUB INFORMATION

### CLUB OFFICER 2010-2011

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

### BOARD OF DIRECTOR

#### 2011-2013 TERM

Christine Elia  
 Curtis Jones, Jr.  
 Carina Sokolich

#### 2010-2012 TERM

Michael Freidman  
 Laurie Love

### COMMITTEE CHAIR

Newsletter ..... Laurie Love/Tony Molino  
 Santa's Visit ..... Tony Goorchenko  
 Kiwanis ONE Day..... Jennifer Frew  
 Community Service..... Gayle CdeBaca  
 Inter-Club..... Michael Friedman  
 Membership..... Open  
 Toys for the Troops Kids..... Stephanie Yee

### MEMBER'S NAME

Abelson, Robert (Rosalie)  
 Applegate-McGinty, Lisa (Pat)  
 Callen, Art (Bobbie)  
 CdeBaca, Gayle (Craig)  
 Cook, Phillip (Francine)  
 Elia, Christine (Sam)  
 Fahrenkrug, Michael  
 Friedman, Michael (Ronnie)  
 Frew, Jennifer  
 Fritz, Brad (Nanette)  
 \* Goorchenko, Tony (Vicki)  
 Griffith, Kay  
 \* Grundhaus, Kay (Les)  
 Harris, Eric  
 Hernandez, John (Laura)  
 \* Holper, Dave (Lela)  
 Horwich, Harvey (June)  
 Issa, Peter (Roula)  
 \* Jones, Jr. Curtis (Elaine)  
 Koerner, Nadine  
 Kuroda, David (Alice)  
 \* Love, Dr. Laurie (Steve)  
 Lyttle, Dolores  
 Melsh, Charlotte  
     + Molino, Tony (Bambi)  
 Norris, Michael (Kathy)  
 Paschner, Cecilia  
 Paul, Kevin (Rosanne)  
 Pollard, Tim  
 Sokolich, Carina (Robert)  
 \* Sousa, Manuel (Christine)  
 (H) Thompson, Kathleen  
 Yee, Stephanie  
 Zappelli, Bob (Becky)

### PROFESSION

CPA  
 Insurance  
 City Cable/Teacher (retired)  
 Bank Facilities Mgr.  
 CFP  
 Bank Manager  
 WFG Gold Investors  
 Retired Attorney  
 Green Hills Community Events  
 Trucking and Transportation  
 Kiwanis Expert  
 Teacher (retired)  
 Realtor  
 Attorney  
 Minister  
 AFLAC Sales Mgr.  
 Retired  
 Bank Manager  
 Global Marketing  
 Teacher (retired)  
 LCSW, Mediation  
 College Professor  
 Executive Director  
 Bowling Alley Mgr.  
 Attorney  
 Attorney  
 Senior Care Manager  
 Business Banking  
 Wedding Officiant/ Insurance  
 CR Director  
 Court Reporter & Legal Support  
 Controller (Retired)  
 Catering Mgr.  
 Printing

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

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