



THE TALK OF TORRANCE

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KIWANIS FIREWORK'S BOOTH NOW OPEN MORE VOLUNTEER'S NEEDED –

Please call Laurie Love TODAY and take a 3 hour shift. Family members 18 or older can work.

FIREWORK'S BOOTH SCHEDULE

	10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.	1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.	4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.	7:00 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.
THURSDAY June 28 th Norm Wilson	LaShanda Maze	Laurie Love	OPEN	OPEN
	Tony Goorchenko	Charlotte Melsh	OPEN	OPEN
			OPEN	OPEN
FRIDAY June 29 th DeDe Tran	Larry Rudolph	Ryoko Mand	Jennifer Frew	Peter Issa
	Brenda Wong	Laurie Love	Carina Sokolich	John Hernandez
	DeDe Tran	Nadine Koerner	OPEN	Mikael (New Challenge)
	David Kuroda			
SATURDAY June 30 th DeDe Tran	Peter Issa	Joe Powers	Bill Otoide	Khoa Tran
	DeDe Tran	OPEN	Bob Davis	Bob Davis
	Gayle CdeBaca	OPEN	Steve Johnson	Tyler Davis
	David Kuroda			
SUNDAY July 1 st Rudolphs	Kay Grundhaus	Dolores Lyttle	Eric Harris	OPEN
	Les Grundhaus	Samantha Lyttle	Jim Osborne	OPEN
		LaShanda Maze	OPEN	OPEN
MONDAY July 2 nd John Clark	Charlotte Melsh	Charlotte Melsh	Ryoko Mand	Laura Hernandez
	Larry Rudolph	Kay Grundhaus	OPEN	John Hernandez
			OPEN	Mikael (New Challenge)
TUESDAY July 3 rd Tony Molino	Tony Molino	Dan Keeton	Dan Keeton	Guy Puckett
	Phil Cook	Tony Molino	Tony Molino	Manny Sousa
		Phil Cook	Jennifer Frew	Karina Sousa
			OPEN	OPEN
WEDNESDAY July 4 th Pat Kearney	John Clark	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN
	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN	OPEN

Booth located at the S/E Corner of Hawthorne Blvd. & Marine Avenue.

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THIS WEEK'S MEETING: President Charlotte Melsh opened today's meeting. Jennifer "JACK DANIELS" Frew led the Pledge of Allegiance. Charlotte also selected "Take Me Down to Kiwanis" for us to sing and led us in prayer. Guest's today included LTG Tim McDonald and Steve Makshanoff from Kiwanis San Pedro. Eric Harris won the card raffle but did not find the Joker. Lisa Applegate won the 50/50 raffle. Division 19 is selling opportunity drawing tickets for an iPad. Contributions are being used to support Pediatric Trauma. Please check announcements in the newsletter to keep informed about important upcoming events. ***Please check announcements in the newsletter to keep informed about important upcoming events.***

TODAY'S PROGRAM: No speaker, so members talked about themselves
Charlotte Melsh: received a Master's from Cal State Fullerton in Economics
Eric Harris: estate attorney
Nadine Koerner: volunteers at Torrance Memorial Hospital
Lisa Applegate: born in New Jersey
Harvey Horwich: had a printing business
Michael Friedman: 25 koi fish
David Kuroda: volunteers at the Superior Court with mediation
Peter Issa: he has been in banking for 25 years
Bob Abelson: was on the USS Hornet that picked up the Apollo astronauts
Tony Goorchenko: has 2 children and 4 grandchildren
Dave Holper: born in Chicago, was a professional golfer

HAPPY AND SAD DOLLARS: **Bob Abelson:** ☺ next week in NY, ☹ no power at work, spilled soup on pants. **Lisa Applegate:** fish dollars, ☺ St. Thomas for anniversary. **Jennifer Frew:** ☺ known Tony G. for 20 years, happy to get to know each other, ☹ Kathy Tower's mom passed away. **Michael Friedman:** fish dollars, ☺ going to Alaska. **Tony Goorchenko:** ☺ 4 grandchildren are spending time at his home. **Kay Griffith:** fish dollars, ☺ going to France. **Eric Harris:** ☺ just happy. **Dave Holper:** ☺ went to ground breaking ceremony, ☹ Kathy Tower's mom. **Harvey Horwich:** ☺ married for 62 years, have 5 children that live nearby. **Peter Issa:** fish dollars, ☹ Kathy Tower's mom. **Nadine Koerner:** ☺ get to know one another. **David Kuroda:** ☺ joined South Bay Bar ☹ missed out on the Jack Daniel's. **Ryoko Mand:** ☺ Key Club Division 19 North had their second DCM. **LaShanda Maze:** ☺ summer with her 2 children, get to know Dave at ground breaking ceremony. **Charlotte Melsh:** ☺ get to know one another, Steve Makshanoff from San Pedro Kiwanis ☺ going to Las Vegas for 9 days. **LTG Tim McDonald:** ☺ to be here, came with friend, Steve Makshanoff, Tony G. is a great secretary.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

June 28th – July 4th: Fireworks Stand with Lawndale Kiwanis Club **NOW OPEN**

July 18th – Interclub with Hermosa Beach, Noon

August 17th – 18th: Cal-Nev-Ha District Convention, Santa Clara. Register online now, www.cnhkiwanis.org

September 16th – Torrance Centennial Hometown Parade and dedication of the Torrance Centennial Plaza

September 21st – Division 19 Installation at the Doubletree

October 6th & 7th – Blocktoberfest

October 23rd - Baseball game between Kiwanis and Rotary

October 28th – Torrance Centennial Birthday Bash



KIWANIS DISCOUNT: Anna's Spices is giving Kiwanis Members 10% off their purchase of the World's best spices. Anna Frumes, a San Pedro High graduate and Key Club member who went on to receive a degree from UC Berkley and a graduate degree from Columbia University has traveled the world and has create Anna's Spices.

Anna writes:

"This is very exciting to me especially since I remember fondly joining Kiwanis regularly for lunches and events with my father. I would be more than happy to add a 10% off for Kiwanis members. In fact I have already added the coupon to my website and it will run until the end of July. So, if and when you can add anything about Anna's Spices to the newsletter, please just note that any orders placed on www.annaspices.com will receive an extra 10% discount at the checkout when the word KIWANIS is typed into the coupon code section for all member and friends of Kiwanis." All my best, Anna Claire Frumes acfrumes@caa.columbia.edu

KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION

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 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

CAL-NEV-HA KIWANIS AND KI FOUNDATION



The "Kiwanis Doctor" Program: With the backing of an \$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 info go to www.cnhfoundation.org

FUNNY PAGE

TOP 10 YOU MAY NOT BE THE PERFECT PARENT

10. "Okay, the baby will be ready in time for dinner! Now where's that chicken you wanted me to bathe?"
9. You're lobbying hard to get all three toddlers on the upcoming "Survivor: Australia."
8. "Sex? Just turn on MTV, then let me know if you have any questions."
7. You've earned "Platinum Preferred Guest" status on the Jerry Springer Show.
6. Not only is it unsafe to let little Jeremy drive at age 9, but the windows on the getaway car aren't even bullet-proof.
5. Neighborhood kids hang out at your house because you own 6 medical marijuana clinics and bring home left overs.
4. "Okay, okay! You can stay up to watch South Park. Now be a good girl and give Daddy back his 9 mm
3. Your son's middle school classmates gather 'round at lunchtime to watch you breast feed him.
2. Rather than spend money on expensive lessons, you teach little Suzy how to tap dance the old fashioned way... with a loaded revolver.
1. Your 10 year daughter keeps getting carded on your beer runs.

New Orleans T-Shirts for Convention



Tony Molino T-Shirt



Barbara Molino's T-Shirt



Phil "Tuna" Cook's T-Shirt

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 Pro

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..... 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 2011-2012

- International President Alan Penn
 CAL-NEV-HA District Governor Richard Olmsted
 CAL-NEV-HA- District Governor Elect Gary Jander
 Division 19 Lt. Governor Tim McDannold
 Division 19 Lt. Gov. Elect..... Mark Waronek
 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..... | Carina Sokolich/Bob Zappelli |
| Weekly Meeting -Tuesday at Noon | |
| West High Key Club..... | Michael Friedman |
| Weekly Meeting – Friday at Noon | |
| Bishop Montgomery High Key Club..... | Tony Goorchenko |
| Richardson Middle School Builders Club. | Tony Goorchenko |

CLUB INFORMATION

CLUB OFFICER 2011-2012

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

BOARD OF DIRECTOR

2010-2012 TERM
 Michael Freidman
 Laurie Love
2011-2013 TERM
 Christine Elia
 Curtis Jones, Jr.
 Carina Sokolich

COMMITTEE CHAIR

Newsletter Laurie Love/Tony Molino
 Santa's Visit Tony Goorchenko
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 Inter-Club..... Michael Friedman
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