

THE TALK OF TORRANCE

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THIS WEEK'S MEETING: President Jennifer Frew opened the meeting. Charlotte Melsh led the Pledge of Allegiance, Lisa Applegate-McGinty was our song leader and Michael Friedman had words of inspiration. It was announced that our board approved our budget for the year, so we can start paying our bills. Dave Holper had a guest, Cindy Blount who is retired and a potential member. If your Kiwanis invoice for this month had a glitch so if you show unpaid and you have paid it will be corrected next month. We are still looking for volunteers to serve on the "Celebration of Community" committee. If you can help please contact President Jennifer ASAP. Lisa Applegate-McGinty won the 50/50 raffle.

Please read the newsletter for other important announcements

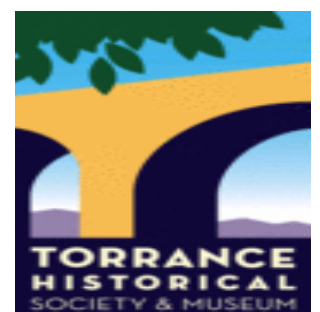


Janet Payne Museum Coordinator of the Torrance Historical Society with a cardboard cut-out of Jared Sidney Torrance, the founder of the City of Torrance

TODAY'S PROGRAM: Debbie Hays and Janet Payne from the City of Torrance Historical Society. They told us about Jared Sidney Torrance and had an informative video about the founding of Torrance. The Torrance Historical Society and Museum was founded in 1973, and the Museum opened its doors in 1979 and is located in the Post Avenue Library building (built in 1936) after it closed when the City of Torrance opened the Civic Center Library. Shortly thereafter the Torrance Historical Society opened a museum in the historic building. The Society has an ever increasing collection of local history and a state-of-the-art archive. There are permanent exhibits, as well as changing exhibits that vary.

The mission of the Torrance Historical Society is to promote interest in and education in the history of Torrance and the San Pedro Rancho; to promote historical research in Torrance; to collect, acquire, preserve, conserve and make available records, data, photographs, oral history, and related documents and information bearing on the history of Torrance through the operation of a museum and archives. The Museum is free and open to the public. For more information go to www.torrancehistoricalsociety.org

Thank you Curtis Jones, Jr. filling in for Laurie Love as Co-Editor





MARK YOUR CALENDARS:

- ✓ **December 8th** – Salvation Army Bell Ringing at Vons in Crossroads
- ✓ **December 11th** – Torrance High School KIWIN'S Takeover
- ✓ **December 15th** – Western Museum of Flight Santa Visit & Car Show
- ✓ **December 18th** – Our Annual Santa's visit to Harbor UCLA Medical Center, the Stork Club and NCM Food Bank.
For more info contact Tony Goorchenko

SPECIAL ELECTION: We have an open seat on the Board of Directors. The board has unanimously nominated Kay Griffith for the seat. The election will take place at our general meeting on November 13th. Nomination may be made from the floor at that time.

HAPPY ☺ & SAD ☹ DOLLAR: **Lisa Applegate-McGinty**– ☺ for the program and to be at our meeting. **Gayle CdeBaca** – ☺ everyone in her family is doing good and for a trip they had to SLO. **Christine Elia** – ☺ for our guest and reminded us to keep Peter Issa and his family in your prayers. **Jennifer Frew** –. ☺ for the program and to see Gayle at the meeting. ☹ to miss thee Special Olympics at PV Bowl on Sunday. **Michael Friedman** ☺ to have lunch with friends and for Jennifer getting her budget approved. **Tony Goorchenko**–☺ his power was only out for 90 minutes this time, ☹ about Past LTG Tim McDannold's father passing. **Kay Griffith** ☺ to see Gayle and our right to vote in America for our leaders. **Dave Holper** – ☺ for his guest Cindy. **Curtis Jones Jr.** – ☺ for our guest, and hopeful that Peter's family recovers form illness. **Ryoko Mand**– ☺ for the Special Olympics at PV Bowl. **LaShanda Maze** ☺ for our right to vote in America. **Charlotte Melsh**– ☺ that PV Bowl hosted the Special Olympic last Sunday. **Kelly Moore** ☺ to be at our meeting and ☹ for the victims of Hurricane Sandy.

Dear Torrance Kiwanians,

On behalf of the Torrance Salvation Army and the advisory board, please consider volunteering your time and talent (or monetary contributions) towards supporting the Annual Thanksgiving meal. Primarily, we are asking you to forward this to anyone whom you feel is a shut-in, lives alone, has no local family or is a service person away from home that would enjoy a warm meal with "new friends".

If you wish to volunteer, the need is great, but the kitchen and hall are compact. so we cannot allow walk-ins (adult or SLP), prior confirmed sign-up is mandatory. [Interested volunteers should contact Kathy Conklin to sign up at 310-370-4515 or email kathy.conklin@usw.salvationarmy.org](mailto:kathy.conklin@usw.salvationarmy.org)



The Salvation Army of Torrance
5th Annual Thanksgiving Luncheon for the Torrance Community

FREE Thanksgiving Luncheon

Thursday, November 22nd
11:30 am to 1:30 pm



Happy Thanksgiving

Deliveries available for shut-ins
The Salvation Army Torrance Corps
4223 Emerald St., Torrance, CA 90503





We are now collecting Toys for the Troop's Kids. Please start collecting now. If you need a donation box for your business please call Jennifer Frew at 310-521-4418 or e-mail: jfrew@ghmp.com

CAL-NEV-HA DISTRICT KIWANIS 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

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



KIWANIS

One can make a difference



FUNNY PAGE

TOP 10 COLLEGE DRINKING GAMES ON ELECTION NIGHT

10. The Stolen Election game: (with Obama leading), do a shot for every FOX News mention of "voter fraud";
9. Disenfranchised Voter Game: (with Romney leading), do a shot for every MSNBC mention of "voter suppression."
8. Do a shot every time Chris Matthews interrupts a panelist. Warning: Extreme risk of alcohol poisoning if played for longer than 10 minutes.
7. What's in a Name?: Triple shot if a FOX News anchor actually says "Affordable Care Act" instead of "Obamacare."
6. Do a shot every time for each Facebook reference to "Nobama" or "Rmoney."
5. After a state is called for Romney, put your head in the lap of the richest guy in the room and wait for some of his drink to trickle down to you.
4. Every time a network projects the winner in a state with less than 2% of precincts reporting, do repeated shots until that begins to make sense.
3. Every time a third-party candidate's vote tally is shown, take a shot. Congrats! You're the designated driver.
2. Do a shot whenever Ohio is mentioned.
1. No matter WHO wins, drink heavily. Repeat for next four years.

FUNNY ELECTION SIGNS



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- Community Center, Brown Bag Lunch.(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

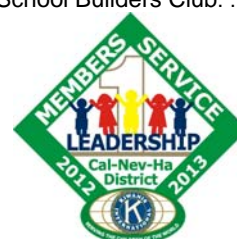
Hawthorne- Nat's Airport Café, Hawthorne Airport	12:10 PM
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International President	Tom DeJulio
CAL-NEV-HA District Governor	Gary Jander
CAL-NEV-HA- District Governor Elect	Rae Whitby-Brummer
Division 19 Lt. Governor	Mark Waronek
Division 19 Lt. Gov. Elect.....	Laurie Love
Region 8 Trustee.....	Richard Huhn

TORRANCE KIWANIS SERVICE LEADERSHIP PROGRAMS

North High Key Club.....	Weekly Meeting - Fridays at Noon
South High KIWIN'S	Weekly Meeting -Friday at Noon
Torrance High KIWIN'S.....	Weekly Meeting -Tuesday at Noon
West High Key Club.....	Weekly Meeting – Friday at Noon
Bishop Montgomery High Key Club	Weekly meeting -
Richardson Middle School Builders Club.	



CLUB INFORMATION

CLUB OFFICER 2011-2012

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 First V.P.Christine Elia
 Second V.P. Carina Sokolich
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BOARD OF DIRECTOR

2010-2012 TERM
 Michael Freidman
 Laurie Love

2011-2013 TERM
 Open
 Curtis Jones, Jr.
 Carina Sokolich

COMMITTEE CHAIR

Newsletter Laurie Love/Tony Molino
 Santa's Visit Tony Goorchenko
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