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## *The Slant*

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## **JAY ANDERSON MARCH 10 1919—MAY 7 2009**



*The Slant* Photo by Jim North

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**MAY 13 MEETING**

*SLATE OF OFFICERS PRESENTED*

*NOMINATIONS CLOSED*

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**OPENING** Immediate Past President Steve Wilson opened the meeting at 12:15. Nancy Weidenmiller led the patriotic song, Matt Davis led the Pledge, and Bruce Logue blessed all present.

**GUESTS**

Past Lieutenant Governor Onis Lentz was in the house. He was promoting the upcoming Greater Merced Kiddie-land Kasino Night at the Ag Museum on May 30.

**KIWANIS SONGS**

Keith King said, "Let's all turn together to #85, "Won't You Come Home Bill Bailey?" Having sung the whole thing, we then gave a rousing rendition of #86, "When The Saints Go Marching In."

**ANNOUNCEMENTS AND COMMITTEE REPORTS.**

**Board of Directors Meets tonight.**

**Special Olympics** Lee Andersen, who wasn't there, presented the report on this event. He praised the "...able and hard working crew..." who performed in his absence. 32 pizzas were distributed to participants, workers, etc.

**Elections Committee** Chairman Steve Wilson called for nominations from the floor. None were forthcoming, and nominations were closed. Election is next week. Here's the slate:

President Jim North      President-Elect Andrea Alvarado  
 Treasurer Robert Martinez

Board of Directors 2009-2011      Steve Wilson, Herman Afonso, Mike Ryan.

Board of Directors 2008-2010 (vacancy created when Barbara Appling is appointed Secretary) Elaine Parker.

(Bobo didn't show up...I guess he couldn't stand the agony of defeat of 2007.)

Cover: Past Lieutenant Governor Jay Anderson was celebrating his 90th birthday at the March 11 meeting.



Immediate Past President Steve Wilson had to use a spoon to ring the bell today as he presided.

**Youth Activities** Steve Wilson announced the annual middle school scholarship awards for May 27. Two schools have been added to the program, Merced Christian and Valley Commu-

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nity, making a total of eight. We were a little late getting this off the ground, and three schools have already called, wondering if we were going to make the awards this year.

**Sponsored Leadership Program** KIWIN'S will be helping with the parking for UC Merced Commencement ceremonies.

#### HAPPY & SAD DOLLARS & RECOGNITION

Mike Ryan had a \$S that Kathy wasn't here to deal with the gavel and \$S for Jay Anderson. Dave Brown was \$S for the California government sticking its nose into Kid- dieland. Keith King was \$H to have seen Matt Davis in Playhouse Merced production. Russ Mc Swain was \$H for big smiles on Special Olympics participants. Elaine Parker was \$S for being late and had \$H for passing final in Master Gardner program...now she are one. Robert Martinez was \$S for numerous emails about the gavel....said he doesn't have it (note that he didn't say he wasn't involved).



Matt Davis was sporting a new coiffure as he talked about Playhouse Merced's Youth Conservatory.

Keith King used his white gum square to get Jim North because he is never in synch during the Pledge of Allegiance...Lee Anderson stepped forward to pay it, saying something about allowing "tone deaf" people to function.

#### THE PROGRAM

Kiwanian Matt Davis updated the members on the Playhouse Merced Youth Conservatory. Serving the youth, the Conservatory has both performing and non-performing programs in drama and music arts. The cooperate with the local schools and colleges to bring traveling shows to students. Some scholarships are available for up to 66% of the tuition.

The Kiwanis Club of Merced is a long time supporter of the Conservatory.

#### THE DRAWING

Elaine Parker and Jim North got \$15 each in the 25/25/50. Lotto tickets went to Melissa, Elaine, and Russ.

#### CLOSING

Steve closed the meeting at 13:15.



Past Lieutenant Governor Onis Lentz.

## MAY 6 MEETING

### *NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT*

**OPENING** President Kathy opened the proceedings at 12:10. Songmistress Nancy Weidenmiller led the patriotic song, "America" and Dave Bultena blessed the proceedings.

### **KIWANIS SONGS**

Keith King chose "The Band Played On", by Charles B Ward, and While Strolling Through The Park One Day" by Ed Haley. The latter includes club members whistling the chorus....they should stick to singing!

### **ANNOUNCEMENTS AND COMMITTEE REPORTS.**

***Board of Directors*** The meeting was postponed to May 13.

***Junior Olympics*** President Kathy a letter to the *Sun-Star* editor from Andrea Scheuerman in which she applauded the club for it service. Elaine Parker and Andrea Alvarado did a short recap on the concession stand. (Reports on the event are printed on page XX.)

***Special Olympics*** Lee Andersen will head up the cooking crew for this event. We have been asked to provide pizza for the participants...5 volunteers (Nancy, Steve, Julio, Melissa, and Larry) will help out.

***Elections Committee*** Chairman Steve Wilson submitted the report on nominations for the Administrative Year 2009-2010:

President Jim North President-Elect Andrea Alvarado Treasurer Robert Martinez

Board of Directors 2009-2011 Steve Wilson, Herman Afonso, Mike Ryan.

Board of Directors 2008-2010 (vacancy created when Barbara Appling is appointed Secretary) Elaine Parker.

Nominations from the floor will be taken at the meeting on May 13, and the election will be on May 20.

Upon hearing the nomination of North, Lee Andersen and Dave Bultena immediately raised the question of term limits. Several members called for Bobo to be nominated, if he can be found. North pointed out that those who are as concerned about him serving a third term as he is will have an opportunity next week to deal with that.

***Scholarships*** Lee Anderson reported that the Merced College scholarships (3 each from Merced High and Golden Valley) will be presented on May 14 and 21.

***Sponsored Leadership Program*** Larry Mercado said there were 28 KIWIN'S working at Junior Olympics. They'll install officers in June, and help out at the Gallo picnic on the 31st with 44 participants.

### **HAPPY & SAD DOLLARS & RECOGNITION**

Nancy Weidenmiller had \$H for team work at Jr Olympics (JO). Andrea was \$H for JO donations; Kristal was \$H that the Chair people did an absolutely wonderful job. Elaine Was \$H for the KIWIN'S work, and a \$H for the team work and sense of camaraderie . Larry Mercado was \$H for pizza and drinks...only reason anyone works (he said). Melissa had \$H for Elaine and Andrea. Steve Wilson thanked everyone on the field side...all the great people who

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worked the field events \$H. Lee was \$H for Herman Afonso, "My stand in bbq'r." Mike Ryan was \$H for Julio Valadez providing Spanish translations of the various announcements. President Kathy was \$H for Bill Russell's "guys" giving participants encouragement.

**THE DRAWING**

Melissa and Keith each took home \$13 in the 25/25/50. Lotto tickets went to Keith, Larry and Dave Bultena.

**CLOSING**

President Kathy closed the meeting at 13:00.



**Kiwanian Lee Andersen, Superintendent of Merced County Schools, was the speaker today.**

***The Slant* Photo by Jim North**

## **JAY ANDERSON**

*PAST PRESIDENT AND PAST LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR*

*DIED MAY 7 2009*

Jay Anderson was president of the Kiwanis Club of Merced in 1968. He served as Lieutenant Governor of Division 5, Kiwanis International California-Nevada-Hawaii District during the 1973-1974 Administrative Year. Jay was an Life Member and was awarded the Hixson Medal.

Jay served during WW II in the China-Burma-India Theater as a radio operator. He was associated with Miles and Sons Trucking and the Merced Irrigation District before his retirement.

Jay was the model for Kiwanis service in keeping with the Objects of Kiwanis. He believed in Kiwanis and could always be counted on to participate in the various activities of the club, even after he had taken Honorary status. He was a gentleman and always treated others with respect.

Jay is survived by his wife of 69 years, Bea and numerous family members and tons of friends. He will be long remembered by all as a loving and caring person and as a friend.

A memorial service was held at Central Presbyterian Church on Friday, May 15.

## **JUNIOR OLYMPICS**

### ***65TH GOES OFF "BEAUTIFULLY"***

*BY PRESIDENT KATHY WYMAN*

I want to thank each and every one of you for the great job Saturday. It was a very successful event and it went off beautifully. Thanks to Elaine and Andrea for doing such a good job in coordinating the activities in the concession stand, and for the rest of the Kiwanians who helped in various capacities. A great big thanks to the cooks. We had a lot of outside volunteers too, like Michael's (KIWIN'S) mother, Elaine's brother, Melissa's son and Mike's two daughters and Julio's two daughters. Bill Russell came through with his "guys." This was the first time I was actually on the field and I really do appreciate all the hard work the members do working on the various events. Dave Brown was a great MC and he was assisted by Julio Valadez. Good job guys! Thanks Jim for the use of your hot dog cart. It sure makes things easier.

The KIWIN'S were great and they helped out where ever they were needed. Larry, please tell them that we really all appreciate everything they do. They are really great young people. I have a great appreciation for the coaches and for Brian and his team. They are so dedicated and the students are so lucky to have them working for them. The kids were great and had so much determination. But without all of the Kiwanis Club of Merced members this event wouldn't take place and that would be unfortunate.

There were over 1,200 young people competing in this event over 3 days.

Again, THANKS EVERYONE!

### ***JUNIOR OLYMPICS RECAP***

*BY ANDREA ALVARADO*

I'm tired, but I was just reminiscing on what a great event we had today. I had a fantastic time sharing our Kiwanis attitude with friends, family, and coworkers I saw at the event today. I saw a neighbor's child at the concession stand (they're like family to us) and he was so excited to be doing shotput and another event. I think it truly means a lot to these kids to be able to come out and try new events, show of their talents, and have some family time.

Even though we were a little short on volunteers on the field, I think we still pulled off a successful 65th Junior Olympics. It wouldn't be possible without the help of every one of us.

This was truly a K-family event for us this year. Not only did we have our fellow Kiwanians pitching in, but we also had the ever energetic Kiwins--and for the first year, we had members of the UC Merced Circle K club come out and assist us! Thank you to everyone who came to volunteer and also those who loaned us their their personal items.

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## JUNIOR OLYMPICS

Elaine and I will be working on documentation to assist the chairs/co-chairs with this event next year. If you have any suggestions or recommendations, feel free to email them to me. We all have different perspectives and roles at this event and I'm sure we all have ideas on how we can make it better. I look forward to your **v a l u a b l e i n p u t !**

Finally, based on a preliminary calculation, it looks like we brought \$3,700 in revenues from the concession stand this year! Based on our estimates, we should break even (assumption: \$2,400 for the location/trophy costs). Thank you to all who worked in and around the concession stand! It can be a stressful job--especially with people coming at us from all corners--but I think everyone did a great job handling the ebb and flow pace and the sometimes frantic crowds. Well, here's to another successful Jr Olympics under our belt. \*clink\*

*(Editor's Note: These two reports are extracted from email from each of the writers. They are so enthusiastic about the Junior Olympics that I simply published them as is with a very minimum of editing to get them into the allotted space.)*

Larry Mercado was rakin' in the dough inside the food booth. I guess this answers the question above...they got the hot dog cart from Larry!



Looks as if these guys wouldn't let poor Dave Brown (rear with his back to the camera) in their mug shot. Left to right, Larry Mercado, Mike Ryan, and Steve Wilson pose in front of the "cook shack" at the 65th Kiwanis Club of Merced Junior Olympics. Wonder where they got that hot dog cart in the background?

*The Slant Photo by Andrea Alvarado*



## TERMITE TAKES A BITE OUT OF GAVEL

Reproduced below are two emails received by your FTSE from the terrorists who have stolen the gavel from our esteemed president. As you can see, they have carelessly allowed their lackey, Ima Termite, to escape and take a bite out of this hallowed piece of Kiwanis memorabilia.

I implore you, President Kathy. Do something. This treasured piece of Kiwanis history cannot be allowed to become a meal for this terrible termite. They will stop at nothing.

By the way, it's a good thing they have contacted your Famous *The Slant* Editor instead of the Merced *Sun-Star*. Keith Jones, one of their editors, would have edited these notices to the point that they are unrecognizable and palmed them off as the true letters from these dastardly deed doers. Your FTSE has more integrity than to ever do such a thing. What you get here is what you write. And the people at the top would have let him get away with it!

From: Ima Termite <[imatermite@ilostmygavel.com](mailto:imatermite@ilostmygavel.com)>  
To: [katwym@aol.com](mailto:katwym@aol.com)  
Cc: [jim\\_north@sbcglobal.net](mailto:jim_north@sbcglobal.net)  
Sent: Saturday, May 16, 2009 9:42:56 PM  
Subject:

Ima got out and chewed a little bit.  
Check the site: [www.ilostmygavel.com](http://www.ilostmygavel.com)  
Urgency is the word!  
A concerned Web Master!

We are changing the terms a little.  
A \$5 reduction in the fine for each clue she finds. (up to \$25)  
Kathy has not responded at all yet, although, she has in her possession a black and white printout of the web site.

(maybe she has been sick with a sinus infection)

Ima



## OPINION & HUMOR

*VIEWPOINTS OF THE WRITERS CAN BE EXPRESSED HERE.  
YOUR FAMOUS THE SLANT EDITOR RESERVES EDITORIAL PEROGATIVES  
PLEASE, NO WHINING!*

### HERE'S WHAT I THINK

FAMOUS *THE SLANT* EDITOR

I have to apologize for not publishing more pictures of the Junior Olympics. Russ McSwain got some really good pictures of the participants and gave me the disc containing them. Unfortunately, I have misplaced it. Two events are coming up which merit your attention. First, the elections will be held at the May 20 meeting. While all the posts are uncontested, members should still turn out to show support for those who will hold office next year. Second, the Middle School Academic

Achievement Awards will be presented on May 27. This is one of the most significant projects of the year for our club. Middle school educators look forward to this event, and we have added two schools this year. Everyone should turn out to honor these youngsters for their excellence. Of course there is other business to tend to. Our President has lost the treasured gavel, the original one! I'm looking for this outpouring of support for her in this troubling time. As yet, I do not see any. I'm certain she would appreciate any information members can come forward with.

### THE IRISH REUNION

*Thanks to Charlie Higgins, Class of '50  
Catholic Central High School, Springfield, Ohio*

Two men were sitting next to each other at a bar. After a while, one guy looks at the other and says, "I can't help but think, from listening to you, that you're from Ireland." The other guy responds proudly, "Yes, that I am!"

The first guy says, "So am I! And where about from Ireland might you be?"

The other guy answers, "I'm from Dublin, I am."

The first guy responds, "So am I! Sure and begorra. And what street did you live on in Dublin?"

The other guy says, "A lovely little area it was. I lived on McCleary Street in the old central part of town."

The first guy says, "Faith and it's a small world. So did I! So did I! And to what school would you have been going?"

The other guy answers, "Well, now, I went to St. Mary's, of course."

The first guy gets really excited and says, "And so did I. Tell me, what year did you graduate?"

The other guy answers, "Well, now, let's see. I graduated in 1964."

The first guy exclaims, "The Good Lord must be smiling down upon us! I can hardly believe our good luck at winding up in the same bar tonight. Can you believe it? I graduated from St. Mary's in 1964 my own self!"

About this time, Vicky walks into the bar, sits down, and orders a beer. Brian, the bartender, walks over to Vicky, shakes his head, and mutters, "It's going to be a long night tonight."

Vicky asks, "Why do you say that, Brian?"

"The Murphy twins are drunk again."

## LOOKING TO THE FUTURE

### KIWANIS CLUB OF MERCED MEETING & EVENT SCHEDULE

#### MAY\*

- 20 MEETING ELECTION OF OFFICERS AND BOARD MEMBERS
- 27 PROGRAM MIDDLE SCHOOL ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT AWARDS

#### JUNE

- 03 PROGRAM TBA  
BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETS
- 10 PROGRAM TBA
- 17 PROGRAM TBA
- 24 PROGRAM TBA
- 31 PROGRAM TBA

### KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL CALIFORNIA NEVADA HAWAII DISTRICT DIVISION 46

- JUN 24-28 KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION NASHVILLE TN
- AUG 13-15 CALNEVHA DISTRICT CONVENTION SAN DIEGO CA
- SEP 30 2008-2009 ADMINISTRATIVE YEAR ENDS

## OOPS! OUR MISTAKE

*(In the interest of honest, fair and accurate reporting, we will, when the occasion dictates, take note of errors in The Slant. We don't anticipate that happening very often, but we do anticipate that you will let us know when it does. That's OK...it lets us know someone really reads this stuff.)*

# THE KIWANIS CLUB OF MERCED

Founded February 5, 1929  
 Meets Wednesday at 12:10 PM  
 The Elks Club, 1910 M Street, Merced, CA

## MISSION STATEMENT

The Kiwanis Club of Merced shall have a commitment to the youth of the world by service to the community.

Kiwanis is a global organization of volunteers dedicated to changing the world one child and one community at a time.

## MEMBERSHIP

### —ACTIVE—

#### MEMBER'S NAME

AFONSO, HERMAN  
 AFONSO, MARIHELEN  
 APPLING, BARBARA  
 ALVARADO, ANDREA (Vern)  
 ANDERSEN, LEE\* (Ann)  
 BRIGGS, SUSAN  
 BROWN, DAVE (Kathy)  
 BROWN, KRISTAL  
 BULTENA, DAVID\* (Maureen)  
 DAVIS, MATT  
 HAYDEN, STUART\* (Gail)  
 JONES, BRENDA (MARK)  
 KING, KEITH\* (Shirley)  
 LOGUE, BRUCE@ (Beverly)  
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 MARTINEZ, ROBERT (Silvana)  
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 MERCANDO, MELISSA  
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RYAN, MICHAEL (Sam)  
 SELLERS, SHEILA  
 VALADEZ, JULIO  
 WARREN, JUDY  
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#### PROFESSION

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 BROKER EXIT REALTY INTERNATIONAL  
 REAL ESTATE BROKER  
 RETIRED  
  
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 APPRAISER, MERCED APPRAISAL;  
 COL (RET) USAF  
  
 RETIRED EDUCATOR  
 UNLIMITED WIRELESS (OWNER)  
 CALIFORNIA CANINE ACADEMY (PRESIDENT)  
 MAJOR (RET) USAF  
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 MERCED COUNTY OFFICE OP EDUCATION

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 (AS OF NOVEMBER 1 2008)

### -SENIOR-

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### —HONORARY—

ANDERSON, JAY\* + # @ (Bea) RETIRED, MERCED IRRIGATION DISTRICT  
 HENKLE, RANDY \* RETIRED  
 RUSSELL, BILL (CYNTHIA) HEAD COACH MC BASKETBALL  
 STOWELL, KATHY TEACHER (RIVERA)

\*Past President +Past Lt Gov #Life Member @Hixson Award

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## BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Meets 1st Wednesday 6:00PM  
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2007-2009	2008-2010
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Andrea Alvarado	Russ McSwain

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## Area Kiwanis Clubs

Kiwanis Club of Greater Merced  
 Kiwanis Club of Atwater-Winton  
 Kiwanis Club of Castle-Atwater  
 Key Club Golden Valley High School  
 Key Club Merced High School  
 Key Club Atwater High School  
 KIWIN'S Merced High School  
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## KIWANIS CLUB OF MERCED PAST PRESIDENTS

1929	Bill Cole*	1963	Bruce Burchell*	1996-1997	Dan Doody
1930	Val Preston* & Tom McSwain*	1964	Dr Jack Wright*	1997-1998	Don Stowell* & Mike Hernandez
1931	Earl Chapman*	1965	Judge Don Fretz	1998-1999	Vince McMillan
1932	D J Hersough*	1966	Fred Pfitzer*	1999-2000	Larry Mercado
1933	Dr James Hayes*	1967	Q D Jones	2000-2001	Joy Miller
1934	Everett Shively*	1968	Jay Andersen	2001-2002	Ron Ringstrom
1935	Clyde Coats*	1969	William DeSimone*	2002-2003	Graham Sorensen
1936	H S Burns* & E E Danneker*	1969-1970	Keith King	2003-2004	Stuart Hayden
1937	M Jean Wybndelts* & Sid Thorington*	1970-1071	Wayne Symes* & Burton "Burt" Fogelberg*	2004-2005	Arlynne Hall
1938	Cecil C Anderson*	1971-1972	Marvin Sanders*	2005-2006	Stefani Hager
1939	John J Fluetsch*	1972-1973	Jack Williamson	2006-2007	James W "Jim" North
1940	Howard Manchester*	1973-1974	Wayne Symes*	2008-2008	Steve Wilson
1941	Walter Knapp*	1974-1975	Alvin Miller		
1942	Victor J Reich*	1975-1976	Henry DuPertuis		
1943	Eldrige Barrett*	1976-1977	William Liege		
1944	Dr Bill Heitman	1977-1978	Dave Bultena		
1945	Sheldon Jackson*	1978-1979	Eddie H Doremus*		
1946	Pat Remington*	1979-1980	Herman Olson*		
1947	Kenneth McSwain*	1980-1981	Dr William Stockard		
1948	L C "Bud" Jirsa*	1981-1982	Jim Farley		
1949	Harvey Garst*	1982-1983	Roland "Matty" Mathieu		
1950	Larry Davis*	1983-1984	James W "Jim" North		
1951	William Duffus*	1984-1985	Delbert Berline		
1952	Willis Stribling*	1985-1986	Harold "Cass" Casaletto*		
1953	Dr Henry "Doc" May- tum*	1986-1987	Charles "Chuck" Beiswanger		
1954	Edgar Flinders*	1987-1988	Dalton Davis		
1955	Ivan McMillan*	1988-1989	Art Cardoza		
1956	Ralph Shannon*	1989-1990	Osto Heath*		
1957	Melvin Peletz*	1990-1991	Ed Taylor*		
1958	Trent Harrington*	1991-1992	Randy Henkle		
1959	Floyd Shelby*	1992-1993	Jeannie (Fluetsch) Bliss		
1960	Howard McCulloch*	1993-1994	Steve Wilson		
1961	Edward McGarry*	1994-1995	Lee Andersen		
1962	Eldon Callister*	1995-1996	Debbie Parker		

## KIWANIS CLUB OF MERCED PAST LIEUTENANT GOVERNORS

1948	Clyde Coats* (5)	1973-1974	Jay Anderson (5)
1958	Kenneth McSwain* (5)	1987-1988	James W "Jim" North (46)

**DIVISION 46**  
**Warren Riopel, Lieutenant Governor (Turlock)**

Atwater-Winton	La Nita's 2683 Shaffer Rd ATW	Tuesday 12:00 (11:45 to order)	Ray Fitchett prfitchett@yahoo.com
Castle-Atwater	Castle Air Museum 5050 Santa Fe Dr ATW	Thursday 12:00	George Brown geb1930@sbcglobal.net
Greater Ceres	Las Cascada 2704 Mitchell Rd CER	Tuesday 12:00	Tony Dewinkle tonydewinkle@att.net
Greater Merced	Elks Lodge 1910 M St MER	Monday 12:00	Shay Lopez marketing@merco.org
Greater Modesto	Appetex Restaurant 825 Roseburg MOD	Tuesday 12:00	John Hill jwhhome@sbcglobal.net
Greater Sonora	Pinetree Restaurant 19601 Hess (at Mono Way) SON	Tuesday 07:00	James P Brown JimAndDot@mlode.com
Greater Turlock	Latif's Restaurant 111 N Golden St TUR	Friday 06:45	Audrey Lopes-Dermond alopes-dermond@agloan.com
Groveland	Foothills Comunty Ch 18717 Main St GRO	Tuesday 17:30 (No Meal)	Al Smith asmith@mlode.com
Los Banos	Country Waffles 845 W Pacheco LBS	Tuesday (2nd, 3rd, 4th) 12:00	Gloria Mendonca gloria28@sbcglobal.net
Mariposa	Happy Burger Hwy 140 & 13th MAR	Tuesday 1st: 18:00 Others: 12:00	Eleanor Keuning keuning@sti.net
Modesto	The Seasons 945 McHenry MOD	Wednesday 12:00	
North Modesto	Elks Lodge 645 Charity Way MOD	Wednesday 06:45	
Oakdale	Almond Tree Rest 831 East F St OAK	Tuesday 07:00	
Sonora	Pinetree Restaurant 19601 Hess (at Mono Way) SON	Friday 07:00	
Turlock	Home Town Buffet 1665 Countryside TUR	Tuesday 12:00	

## OBJECTS OF KIWANIS

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 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 makes possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism, and good will.

*Adopted in Denver, June 17, 1924  
At The Kiwanis International  
Convention*



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