



Ramblings

GARDEN GROVE KIWANIS RAMBLINGS, PUBLISHED WEEKLY

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Soroptomists' Generosity Overwhelms Us

You'd think they'd know better than to trust us with large sums of money

Our sister club used the park this past week and donated \$1000 to Kiwanisland. Not only did most of the members of the Garden Grove Soroptomist Club show the good sense to marry our members, they continue to show class and intelligence when selecting recipients for their largesse. We are grateful for all the acts of benevolence and charity they have bestowed on us over the years.

Jay Mastroianni recovering slowly

Jay Mastroianni is getting there slowly but surely. As of Thursday he still had the feeding tube in his stomach, but they were hoping to remove it to allow him to speak some. Best wishes and prayers to Jay and family.



This is the only club picture I have on my computer besides a photo of Gerry Newkirk— better get used to it

Announcements

Scott Weimar from the GG Fire department will be speaking June 30th.

On July 22nd the key club from Bolsa H.S. will be attending Key Club officers training in Fresno. Hmm...middle of July, Fresno...it's a good thing we send young people there.

The Kiwanis district convention will be held in Fresno August 18th, when the temperature is much more bearable. Interested individuals should contact our president. Heck, the club might even pay for part of your trip. After all, we are a bunch of masochists.

On July 30th, various Key Clubs will meet to perform a Beach Clean-up. They need chaperones. Who knows what trouble hundreds of unsupervised teenagers at the beach could get into? Well, I know. Call Randy Golden if you'd like to find out, 847-5574 or Bcracker@aol.com.

We kicked in \$150 to be listed as a sponsor for the Cal-Nev-Ha magazine run by Fountain Valley locals Kurt and Lynn Sieden.

Dick Lobin donated two more LA Angel tickets which fetched \$25 out of our president, Gerry Newkirk.

Happy / Sads

Newkirk happy \$5 for two camping vacations and daughter's graduation. He was also a chaperone for an uneventful Grad nite at Pacifica.

Sunda happy dollar for his vacation in Arizona. He saw Don Beatty in Payson which lead to a discussion of altitude and demographics.

Nielsen happy to hear so many various statistics regarding Payson, AZ.

Gall happy that the duties for the strawberry festival are over.

Carter happy \$2 to be here.

Petrosine happy to be alive.

Main happy for his grandson and for Jay's recovery.

Kelly gave a sad dollar for the ponies.

Lobin glad \$5 to hear from his mentor that real estate is not in a bubble.



Schlensker happy for the update on **Jay M.** and sad to have been noticed as a participant in a separate meeting.

Elliott sad buck to be gone next week, but will eat his cookies in Beijing and the week after in Homer, Alabama.

Beaudin glad to be going to fish in Alaska next week.

Wallin glad to have daughter back home from hospital.

Swanstrom dollar for Jay, dollar for **Lombardi's** lawsuit against GG teachers' association for curtailing commerce.

Howard happy \$4 for daughter Jenna's junior year, Jay M., being here among like-minded folks.

Leeb for three weeks vacation in WI with daughters.

Scott Weimar coming next week

Come one, come all to the next installation of our fascinating speaker series. Local fire department good guy speaks on whatever topics he and you care about. He has promised to answer questions so we're going to let Sunda loose on him. Come watch the fireworks!

Game six on TV

In lieu of a program we watched game six of the NBA finals over President Newkirk's shoulder. I am sure he had many more important announcements, but I might have been distracted.

Thought for the week: At a soiree, the hostess was surprised to find Sir Winston Churchill somewhat tipsy, "Why Sir Winston," she exclaimed, "you're drunk!" "Yes, madam," he replied, "but you're ugly. And in the morning I shall be sober."

Winston Churchill
John Leeb