

# Kiwanis

## Sunrise Vista

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## Light Lines

### Programs

#### February 22, 2012

**Speaker:** Elizabeth Jaka to talk about the *California Voters' Rights Act. (CVRA)* and its impact on the district.

#### February 29, 2012

**Speaker:** Julie Royer King, special project to get our website up to date.

#### March 7, 2012

**No program:** *Kiwanis Wednesday*

#### March 14, 2012

**Speaker:** Ethel Arrowsmith will talk about women inventors.

#### February 21, 2012

**Speaker:** Bryan O'Donnell, to talk about the latest news with Trade Tech High School.

### February 16 Program: Kiwanis Moment

The February 15 meeting was moderated by **Julie King**. The theme was *What was your Kiwanis moment: When Kiwanis went from head to heart?*

**Carol Ames** told the club that Kim Wright had bugged her for three years to join *Kiwanis*. One of her strongest memories is of watching the president and thinking "I'll never do that." Her *Kiwanis Moment* came when she met **Carl Ames**, and he told her that whatever she decided to do in *Kiwanis*, he would back her. He says he only meant by covering her office or something like that.

**Carl Ames** was convinced by Ted Blackwood to join. Initially Carl's reasons for joining were "selfish", business reasons, but then he came to realize that it had nothing to do with business. Then Carol introduced Carl to *StandUp for Kids*. That and meeting Carol were Carl's *Kiwanis Moments*.

**Dick Muir** joined *Kiwanis* in 1980. Shortly after he joined he was in charge of the Fine Bucket. Someone helped him with it and



Guests and members share a table and stories.

it "disappeared." He was fined for "losing" the bucket. His moment came when he met someone who remembered him from helping with immunizations at the *Vista Community Clinic*.

**Curt Bickel** talked about being between the noon club and the morning club. He was Captain of the Fine Pot and managed to collect more than \$100 in one meeting, so he challenged Matt Gardener to do as well when it was his turn. Matt opened his wallet and the money flowed which was a problem since Curt had offered to match whatever Matt collected. In the end, he collected more than \$300.

**Pete McHugh** joined *Key Club* 50 years ago this month, back at a time when they didn't allow

girls. He observed that the *Key Club* pin hasn't changed in all that time. The sponsoring *Kiwanis* club was a noon club, and they would have two *Key Club* members at every meeting. It was a great excuse to get out of school. Pete went on to join the *Circle K* club in college, but waited a while to get back into *Kiwanis*. When he needed

to join a service club, *Kiwanis* was the only club he considered.

**Lori Butler** was "harassed" by **Lanny Arrowsmith** to join. Like Carol, she didn't want to be president, but she was anyway. At first she was driven to do a lot of service projects, but then realized that it was just important to reach one child at a time. This was particularly driven home to her by the *Student of the Month* program when a child she'd known from an earlier day, and whom she'd always been afraid would come to a bad end, was the club's *Student of the Month*.

**Julie King** shared that for her it was about all that Carol Ames

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## Secret Greeter

**Dick Muir** was this week's *Secret Greeter*.

## Attendees & Guests

*Sunrise Vista* welcomed many guests to this week's special meeting, including Carley Cain, *Student of the Month* Ariola and her supporters, Sonny Stires, Bob Hodge, Margie Thomson, Curt Bickel, Jan and Frank Harper, and Brad Peterson. There were 21 members in attendance.

## Birthdays & Anniversaries

No birthdays or anniversaries were recognized for the week, but it was noted that **Paco Segura's** birthday was last week.

## Prize Drawing

Guest **Curt Bickel** was the lucky drawing winner, but he drew a blue marble and only won \$1.

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## Meeting Matters

**President Carol Ames** gave Carley Cain a check for \$100, to help her make a trip to Valley Forge and Washington, D.C.

**Tommy Thomson** was presented with a pin for 47 years of perfect attendance. He talked about joining the noon club and how easy it was to have perfect attendance. Later, when they made the President's term 9 months, he decided he could do that too.

**Carol** and **Carl Ames** took 16 backpacks and 13 cases of water—10 from *Sonic Drive-In*—to *StandUp for Kids*.

**Dave Sherman** reminded members that the *Famous Dave's* fundraiser is coming on February 20, 21 and 22. Be sure to take a flyer with you.

**Tommy Thomson** forgot the sign up sheet for *Read Across America*, but the club *is* visiting Bobier Elementary on March 2.

**Paco Segura** shared an e-mail message from Nancy Jones about *Earth Day* on April 28. She's looking for volunteers.

**Craig Cotton** is selling *Boy Scout Fair* tickets.

**Pete McHugh** reminded members that he had four boxes of book for the *Treasure Chest* that needed stickers, and asked members to stay and help if possible so that the books could be delivered to the schools.

**Lori Butler** announced that her son's scout troop is helping with the children's area of the St. Patrick's Day Parade. She's also working with the scholarship pageant for *Miss Celtic* on March 17—24.

**Carl Ames** reminded everyone that a list of recommended donations for the *Grape Gatsby*

## Happy & Sad Dollars

**Elizabeth Jaka** had a happy dollar for seeing a student *not* get hit by a car as he ran across Bobier, but a sad dollar that he thought that was a good idea.

**Ross Robson** gave a sad dollar for having to leave early.

**Lori Butler** gave a sad dollar for the outcome of the goldfish races.

**Nadine Kaina** gave a happy



dollar for her grandson, who served as a "gofer" for Sir Paul McCartney during the *Grammies*.

**Steve Calder** gave a sad dollar for Miko.

## Student of the Month

**Chuck Scarborough** introduced this week's *Student of the Month*, Cecilia, from *Discovery School*. Her counselor and teacher were present to tell the club that

Cecilia had earned the award by being consistent with her school work for 4 to 6 weeks, as well as taking a leadership role and improving her academics.



## February 15 Meeting Matters, cont.

baskets was attached to last week's newsletter. Next week letters will go to potential donors.

**Newell Dubail** is looking for the *Harry Lauder Scholarship* applications so that he can get them out for this year.

**Jan Harper**, (noon club guest) informed *Sunrise Vista* that they

would be having a physical therapist specializing in osteoporosis as their guest. Everyone was invited.

**Carol Ames** announced that *STRUT* was too traumatized by the treatment he received from **Tommy Thomson**, so she had to take him to a *Rooseter Whisperer*. He should be back next week.

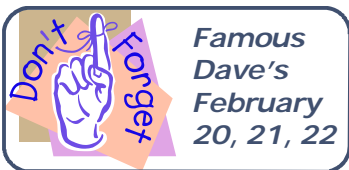


## Tri-City & Vista High Key Clubs

Vista High Key Club is between service projects at the moment, although they continue to go over to the Anstine Gardens to work on Saturday mornings.

They're in the process of electing new officers and working out arrangements to attend D-Con.

Tri-City Christian Key Club is participating in the Polar Plunge at the Oceanside Pier, and hopes that Sunrise Vista members will come cheer them on at this fundraiser event for Special Olympics.



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had done for her when she was going through a difficult time.

**Paco Segura** told members that before joining the Kiwanis, he'd never heard of it. However, he knew from the first meeting that he liked the club.

**Nadine Kaina** met **Brad Peterson** when she was working as a volunteer at Project CARE. During that time, Brad kept after her to join Kiwanis. Since



Sunrise Vista donated \$100 to **Carley Cain** for her upcoming trip to Valley Forge and Washington, D.C.



**Vista Kiwanis** (noon club) **President Jan Harper**, her husband **Frank**, and **Sunrise Vista President Carol Ames**.

she was in the Navy, she's missed the masculine company so she feels right at home with the club. Since joining, she has received the *Distinguished Kiwanian of the Year* award.

**Brad Peterson** used to take his girls to help with *Downs Town*, and they've talked about how important that was to them. He donated \$100 to the *Harry Lauder Scholarship* in honor of

the scholarships they received.

**Newell Dubail** used to work with the *Special Olympics*. When he took his son along, Todd attended the dance and had the most amazing experience. The girls loved the tall, good looking young man and they all wanted to dance with him. It's also about the service project, even if you can only do one or two, it's worth it.

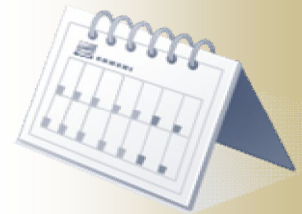


### Next Club Meeting:

Wednesday—7:00 a.m.

Mariscos  
Rancho Grande

825 Williamston St.  
Vista, CA 92083



## Upcoming Events

**February 20, 21 & 22:** *FAMOUS DAVE'S* fundraiser.

**February 24—Noon:** *Interclub* at Del Mar .

**March 2—9:30 a.m. :** *Read Across America* at Bobier Elementary. Two shifts: 9:30 and 10:30.

**March 3—9:15 a.m.:** *DCM* at the Joslyn Senior Center in Escondido—210 East Park Ave.

**March 7—6:00 p.m.:** *Board Meeting* at *New Haven* on N. Melrose Dr. in Vista.

**March 16—9:30 a.m.:** *On My Honor* program at the Vista Court-house.

## Reminder:

Board meetings are on the first Wednesday of the month, 6 p.m., at *New Haven* on N. Melrose Dr., Vista.

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## 2011-2012 Board

President	Carol Brady-Ames
President Elect	Julie Royer King
Vice President	Brad Wiscons
Secretary	Linda Rhoades
Assistant Secretary	Gary Duffield
Treasurer	Bill Record
Assistant Treasurer	Sarah Davis
Immediate Past President	Carl Ames

## 2011-2012 Directors

Lanny Arrowsmith (1)  
Pete McHugh (1)  
Nadine Kaina (1)  
Chuck Scarborough (1)  
Newell Dubail (2)  
Dave Sherman (2)  
Kitti Freitag (2)

## Sunrise Committees

### Youth Programs

Boy Scouts	Craig Cotten
Bring Up Grades	Carol Herrera
Key Clubs	Sam Beukema (TCC) Elizabeth Jaka (VHS)
Stand Up for Kids	Paco Segura (VHS)
Student of the Month	Sarah Davis Dick Cline

Treasure Chests	Chuck Scarborough Paco Segura Pete McHugh
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### Club Support

Grape Gatsby Affaire	Carl Ames Gary Duffield Kitti Freitag
Special Fundraisers	Dave Sherman
Interclub	Kitti Freitag
Media & Advertising	Julie Royer-King Elizabeth Jaka



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## Additional Club Communications

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<http://kiwanisofsunrisevista.org/>

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<https://www.facebook.com/pages/Kiwanis-Club-of-Sunrise-Vista/217334491627826>



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