

Mid San Fernando Valley

Service Above Self

Meeting at Denny's restaurant Thursdays, 12:10 p.m. 16575 Sherman Way, Van Nuys, CA



October 13, 2011

Flag Salute: Clinton Jones Invocation: Beth Ullman

Attending Members: Emilio Basile, Martha Stulman, Bub Pickup, Roz Dubrow, Barbara Pampalone, Frank Santucci, Rosielee Jones, Rich Miller, Clinton Jones, Marc Tapper, Jean Mabilon, Beth Ullman and Robin Kellogg

Guests and Visiting Rotarians: Roz Kogler and Ron Wolf of the North San Fernando Valley club

Announcements:

District Holiday and Foundation Party

Our annual district gala will be at The Castaways in Burbank this year, on December 10, and Barbara has tickets! For just \$45 you can socialize, have a fabulous meal, and get the chance to bid on some wonderful items. Speaking of which, we are also looking for items to donate. Join the rest of the your club and district in this last 5260 celebration.

No Speaker - Club Assembly

Interact Club at Chaminade

Rosielee has been in touch with the student at Chaminade High School, who is trying to start an Interact club there. Our club has promised up to \$300 to help the club get started. To qualify for a charter the high school students have to be 25 strong and have elected a board of officers. Rosielee will keep us updated on their progress.

Register to Attend Joint Luncheon and Holiday Party

Emilio told the club that, in a week or so, we would be able to register online to attend the joint luncheon with the Van Nuys and North SFV clubs on November 10 and the joint holiday party on December 17. Ask Emilio if you need more information. We will be incorporating our annual gift wrap for a local charity into the joint holiday party.

District Community Grant

District 5260 has approved our community service grant for \$1000. We are adding \$500 to that amount to start an entrepreneurial program at a local high school, possibly Chaminade. The program we will use is basically the one developed by Junior Achievement and modified by Altadena Rotarian C. Ray Carlson. Ray will provide three hours of training to our members who have volunteered for the program, and the program materials for 32 students.

Calendar		
10/20	Lew Bertrand, DGE, District 5280	
10/27	Jan Sobel, Boys & Girls Club	
11/3	TBD	
11/10	Joint Meeting with the Van Nuys and	
	North SFV clubs, 94 th Aero Squadron,	
	16320 Raymer St. Van Nuys	
11/12 & 11/13 Sat. & Sun. Fundraiser at St. John		
	Eudes church, Fr. Grill Hall, 9901	
	Mason Ave., Chatsworth	
11/17	PDG Emilio Basile, Foundation	
11/20 Sun., Salvation Army holiday crafting 1:00 -		
	4:00 p.m.	
11/24	No meeting – Happy Thanksgiving!	
12/10 Sat., District Holiday & Foundation party at		
	The Castaways, 1250 E. Harvard Rd.,	
	Burbank, 11:30 a.m. registration	
12/15	Alice Muntean, on her trip to Fiji	
12/17 Sat., Holiday Party at Les Grossman's home		

St. John Eudes Fundraiser

Emilio asked the club to approve up to \$250 to purchase small toys and give-away stickers for the St. John Eudes fundraiser, November 12 and 13. The toys would be sold in addition to the vibration machine rides, Hero Bears, emergency kits and items Emilio is picking up from Gary Scaife. After discussion, the money was approved. Emilio explained that he would purchase enough toys for his estimate of one day's sales, and if more are needed for the second day, buy those at that time. (The supply store is open both days.)

In discussing the purpose of participating, it was agreed that our net proceeds would go to help fund the portable dental chair and supplies needed for Barbara and other dentists to offer free dental care to residents of New Horizons, the Salvation Army and others who currently have no or limited access to proper care. That number has grown dramatically since Medi-Cal has stopped paying for dentistry other than extractions.

For more information, go to http://sjemissioncircle.org, or contact Lisa Long at outreachkidz@aol.com, or by phone at 818-666-5450.

Vision/Hearing Aid Project

Jean will take over the administration of the vision/hearing aid project from Beth.

Fluoride Treatments at MEND

Barbara is working with MEND to bring fluoride treatments to families of young children on the first Tuesday of each month. According to Barbara, if you start the treatments at six months of age and continue on a six month basis, it will make a incredible difference in the health of the child's teeth. Barbara will also be on hand to discuss the importance of dental hygiene with the parents.

E-Waste Collection

Beth suggested we schedule an e-waste project as a fundraiser. She and Robin had discussed it off and on in the past. Robin, who recently attended a Van Nuys club meeting, said she thought she heard Van Nuys was in the process of setting up such an event in the parking lot of the Fly Away, and suggested that we try to piggyback on that. Emilio offered to speak to Van Nuys about it. If they agree, he will also invite the North SFV club to join the project.

New Horizons Golf Tournament Results

This was the 10th year we held a golf tournament for clients of New Horizons at the Sherman Oaks Castle. In past years, we provided the contestants with food and beverages as well as paid for the trophies. This year, to cut expenses for both parties, we only provided the trophies. The total cost came to \$220, mostly due to the generosity of Jacques, the trophy store owner who sold them to us at a reduced fee. Jacques has been a good friend to our club. It was decided to take some of our Paul Harris points and present him with a Paul Harris Fellow.

LA Winds Concert Series

Join the LA Winds for a concert on Sunday Oct. 23, 2011 2:30 p.m. at the Plaza del Sol Auditorium at CSUN, featuring music by Rossini, Hans Gal, Villa-Lobos and Allan Gilliand. Jens Lindemann will be the featured trumpet virtuoso soloist.

Reminders:

Possible Club Merger

Beginning in October, the Van Nuys club will hold evening get-togethers at the 94th Aero Squadron, 16320 Raymer St. in Van Nuys from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. This special meeting time will take place every Wednesday in October in lieu of their regular luncheon meeting. This is a great opportunity for us to get to know the members of that club.

PolioPlus: Thank you to everyone who contributed to Polio Plus this week.

Happy Bucks: Thank you to everyone who contributed to Happy Bucks this week.

Opportunity Drawing: Rich won the \$5 and Roz won the chance to pick the joker out of an ever-decreasing deck of cards, but pulled the 4 of hearts. The pot is now \$495.

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