

# MODESTO KIWANIS

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### EDITORS ROTATION SCHEDULE

March 20 Hugh Brereton

March 27 John Hertle

Still Need More Scribes

### GREETERS

**Secret Greeter** – Pay a buck if you do not shake their hand.

### NEXT SPEAKERS

March 20 - Jim Christiansen - Artist

March 27 - Beyer Key & Valley Charter Club Takeover

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**President Jeremiah “On Time” Williams**, led us in song and prayer. **Mike Kumler** led us in the Pledge.

**Jeremiah Williams** let us know that long-time member **George Fredrickson’s** widow, Marilyn, died last weekend at 90. Jeremiah was with her family help them and her in her last moments shortly before she passed. He would like Kiwanians to try to make her funeral.

**Joy Swick** had a birthday on February 28th. Although she was at the meeting last week, she did not let us know that minor fact. Her ‘significant other’ took her to Phoenix for Spring Training, which she said was “really, really nice”. **Craig Haupt** sang her his raucous and loud version of ‘Happy Birthday’, for \$20.00. Well worth it, probably.

Then **Harold Petersen** confessed that the day of this meeting, March 20th, was actually his birthday, 75th to be exact. He too, after prodding, paid another \$20.00 for **Craig’s** raucous version of “Happy Birthday”. **Craig’s** voice starting tremble a bit, and strain with hoarseness. **Harold’s** Alhambra water delivery man was told by a friend of **Harold’s** that it was his birthday, so he came by to see Harold.

Not to be outdone with this spirit of confession, **Mark Davis** admitted that his birthday had been in February too. even though he was unavailable then, he was confessing now and offering *another* \$20.00 for **Craig’s** third version. So, bottom line, **Craig** and three guilty-minds were responsible for \$60.00 going to the Club. Well done by all. **Craig** is probably barely speaking now, due to a sore throat.

**Nan Jacobs** was at Cabo San Lucas recently with her whole family, children and grandchildren. She said that although she acquired Montezuma’s revenge, it was a great time had by all, even if she did not eat for three days.

**John Hertle** said the big rains caused Dry Creek behind his home to flow greater and faster, bringing debris down to the area of his home. I wonder if he planted his new backyard lawn before the rains. Supposed to be good for the new lawn to be planted during rain. Glad he did not say that there was damage.

**Terry McGrath** has Omelet Breakfast tickets to distribute. He passed some out at the meeting. If you call him, he will deliver your tickets to you. They are \$12.00 for adults, \$7.00 for children 10 and under. Please try to sell them to make our fundraiser a success. It is June 3rd from 8:00 a.m. to noon, at the Veteran’s Center behind Marie Calendar’s on Sylvan.

**Warren Kennedy** was with relatives at the Civil War Re-Enactment at Knight’s Ferry recently. Those are supposed to be very interesting and faithful in clothing, armament, cannon, etc.

**Nan Jacobs** won the raffle, but as a prior winner she gave it to **Paul Hearst**. It was a box of See’s candy which **Paul** can’t eat, so he gave it to those present

The program was an artist, Jim Christiansen, who informed us about the "Artist Open Studio" tour. For \$10.00 you receive a map showing where about 38 artists have their studios that you can visit and meet the artist. They are photographers, water colorists, oil painters, sculptures, etc. It is on April 7th and 8th from 11:00 a.m. to 8:00 p.m. in Modesto, Oakdale, and elsewhere, even outside the county. Maps can be purchased at Mistlin Gallery, the Turlock Carnegie Art Museum, the Chartreuse Muse. He showed some of his and others works.

Hugh Brereton