

# MODESTO KIWANIS

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### EDITORS ROTATION SCHEDULE

- April 10 Terry McGrath for John Field (Pres)  
April 17 Hugh Brereton  
April 24 Jerry Jackman

Still Need More Scribes

### GREETERS

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

### NEXT SPEAKERS

- April 10 - Arnold Chavez  
Great Valley Museum  
April 17 - Linda Lowe  
Stanislaus Co. Dept. of Aging  
April 24 - Dieter Renning  
World War 2

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Meeting called to order right on time by acting **Pres. John Field**, as **Jeremiah** was 'missing in action'. Pledge was done by **Joyce A**, Song by **Jerry J.** and prayer by **Al M.** All was done like maybe they had done it before??

John called on the 4<sup>th</sup> of July Parade committee for a report of their meeting last night. **Margaret** tried her best (there was wine) and she forgot a few things, except to say that the wine was very good....Oh, the parade will be on a Wednesday this year, which may cut down some on the crowd. The military (all of them), will be the Grand Marshalls. There can be up to 20 members of each branch marching in the parade, hopefully in some semblance of uniforms. I'm sure they remember how to march (maybe we'll have to work some with the Navy?) There was some discussion about the "Appreciation dinner", held a week or so in advance. Attendance has been going down and the cost going up, but after a bit of "friendly" discussion, I was overruled and the dinner will once again be held, and **Jeremiah** promised to hold down the costs ..... The food was good, the dessert even better (don't forget the wine). We need to thank **John Field** 's family for hosting.

**Pat G.** reported on the Omelet Brunch (with pancakes!) and urged everyone to sell, sell, sell. **Al M.** has already sold, and paid, for 30 tickets. As I doubt anybody can do better, we will have a prize for whoever gets closest to **Al**. Way to go **Al**.....There will also be an Omelet Committee meeting next Tuesday after the general meeting, over at the Veterans Center. We need to figure out just how and where all of the cooking and serving will be done. We want the 400 people that show up to get have a really good experience.

**John Field** and his Scholarship Committee will be after today's meeting.....

Today **Paul Hearst** paid off his IOU for his 46<sup>th</sup> anniversary.....way to go (it was \$100 - \$50 for fine & \$50 Omelet Placemat).

**Nan Jacobs** announced her birthday, but forgot to say which one it was.....She paid a happy \$20 and asked for the 'soft and tender' version that can only be led by **Craig Haupt**. I think he did a great job, as even with my hearing problems, I heard that !!!! Not to be outdone, **Don Ahrens** asked to have all the ladies in the room ( 6 of them) sing him a 'nice' version....which they all did, plus he got a lot of hugs afterwards .....looks like a well spent \$20...

**Jerry Jackman**, being a little suspect, paid \$20 for silence.....

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU ALL

**Jim Mesquit** paid a happy buck just 'cause he was happy to be here !!!

**Craig Haupt** paid a happy buck or two for being in Monterey and Carmel Valley and played golf (some good holes and some 'other' holes....) even bad golf is better than no golf.....

**Harold Petersen** gave a happy buck, bragging about his kid and grandkid.

**Pat Glatke** paid two happy bucks for getting Alfred Mathews dealership to agree to becoming a 'Business Sponsor' for the Friends of the Modesto Library.....

We had guests from Missouri join us today. Past California Governor 2000 -2001 **Charles Nieman** and his wife and son. She used to live here in Modesto and I think the son still lives here.....maybe a prospective member ??

**Joyce A** reported on her travel club, which is traveling down to Exeter, CA. with Storer Transportation Interested??? give her a call.

Program: Todays program was Arnold Chang, with the Great Valley Museum. He had a very informative slide presentation (during which, several smart members won passes to the museum).

Just a reminder, we are still looking for a couple of 'gifted' members to help write the Bulletin once or twice, every month or so. As you can tell from this one, the term "gifted" is used rather loosely...

See you next week.  
Terry