

# MODESTO KIWANIS

## Bulletin

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### EDITORS ROTATION SCHEDULE

October 8 Terry McGrath

October 15 Hugh Brereton

October 22 John Field

October 29 Jerry Jackman

Still Need More Scribes

### GREETERS

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

### SPEAKERS

October 8 None

October 15 T.B.A.

October 22 T.B.A.

October 29 T.B.A.

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**Prez Craig** called the meeting to order at 12:13, as he is brand new at this, I guess we'll let it slide that the meetings are supposed to start at 12:10. I think, because there were only 12 members in the room, he was hoping for a few more. (**Bill Gordin** did show a bit late) Paid \$1 for being late,,, and then another \$1 for the Raiders winning their game. That brought the crowd size up 13, which **Prez Craig** talked about later.....

**Prez Craig** announced that there will be a DCM meeting Oct. 24th in Turlock at 627 E. Canal St, Turlock. Mark your calendar as **Craig** will be out of town and he needs a few bodies to attend the meeting. Our newer member **Esther** volunteered to go, but would like some company.

**Craig** also announced that North Modesto Kiwanis (that 'other' club in Modesto) is hosting this year's Kiwanis Div. 46 Convention on Feb 21st and 22nd. Again, write this down on your things to do note pad. This will be a fun event, with Kiwanis from all over the Cal NevHa Division . Our club hosted this event a few years back and it turned out to be one of the better conventions...I'm sure North Modesto will do as well as we did back then (we were all much younger then !! )

Oct. 29th after our meeting, there will be a Board Meeting and **Craig** wants to go over the upcoming year's budget. So try an attend and bring your sharp pencil .....

Nov. 15th there Veterans Center is hosting a dinner to help PTSD Vets and their families. This is a big deal and our club wants to fill at least one table of 8. The cost will include a full dinner and all the trimmings for \$62.50 each. Each member is expected to pay their own way, we already have 6 or 7 that have signed up, so get your names on the list. I'm sure our Prez. will be buying a few drinks that night to show his appreciation.....

Got your calendar full yet ?? Here's another event you won't want to miss. Our own **Nancy Church** surprised us all by getting married a few weeks back, she is hosting an Open House on October 26th 1:00 - 4:00. 1294 Maple Valley St. Manteca.  
This should be another fun event....

**Prez Craig** also presented new "Future Kiwanis Member" badges to **Faith and Zack Knobel**. As they have been attending most of our meeting since their mom **Esther** joined last year.....I guess it kind of surprised them , as

they spent the rest of the meeting showing off their new badges. Way to go, **Craig**...



**Ron Freitas** paid a happy buck, but I don't know why.....guess it's good that he's happy.....

**Nan Jacobs** announced that our Key Clubs had an early fund raising breakfast at Beyer Park last Sat at 6:30 in the morning.....I tried to get there, but 6:30 was just too early for me...they did make over \$400, so some people have no problem getting up early..

There were several other happy/sad bucks...**Prez Craig** when on and on about something to do with his cabin and trying get his insurance company involved.....not sure yet if he succeeded....

**Zack and Faith** both paid a happy buck to be home from their trip to Europe.....trips are fine, but home is always good.....

**Prez Craig** talked about some of his plans to "wake up" our meetings (and raise a little money). He will be starting up a new raffle...kind of a black marble game. You buy a ticket for \$1 and if your ticket wins, you get to try and pull out the black marble from a box of 15 marbles. If you succeed, you win the money in the pot (minimum of \$25). Each week there is no winner, the number of marbles goes down and the pot goes up \$5.00. He also wants to remind all that he will be looking for all members to be wearing their pins and badges. Also, the "Secret Greeter" will be activated,

so be sure you greet each other every week...

We then auctioned off a bag of Kona Coffee, bought by **Paul H** for \$20 and a small paper weight brought back from France by **Esther** of the Eiffel Tower in Paris. That was bought by **Bill Gordin** for another \$20.....

**Joyce Aakerlund** mentioned that she wants to learn how to operate her computer...**Nan Jacobs** reminded her that one of the Key Clubs we sponsor is holding programs to help seniors learn how to use their computers.....WOW,, is there nothing our Key Clubbers don't do ???  
.....what a great bunch of kids.....

See you next week.....

Terry