



# Kiwaniis®

## NORTH MODESTO

### Upcoming Programs

(by Zoom until further notice)

**Aug. 6** – The Teen Perspective on Race/Ethnicity. A panel featuring Isabella Mendoza and two other local teens. They used social media to survey their peers. (We invited Isabella to address this timely subject.)

**Aug. 13** – report from board meeting and an introduction from new member(s)

**Aug. 20** – Roy Stevens from Opera Modesto

**Aug. 27** – Yamilet Valladolid – from Golden Valley Health Centers, re COVID 19 in the Hispanic community.

*If you aren't getting the Zoom invitations, email President Robert Husman –*

[Robert@roberthusman.com](mailto:Robert@roberthusman.com)

### Report from our July 30, 2020 Meeting

President Robert Husman presiding

**Guests:** Kristina Hansen joined us again. Once her application is approved by the board next week, she'll no longer be a guest.

Eric Benson has reapplied for membership. Do you think he'll be approved?

**We love seeing the Key Clubbers at 7 a.m.!** Joining us today: Keziah, Dakota, Caitlin and Maria from Enochs; Isabella, Mariana and Alexia from Vanguard and Derry from division. I apologize if I left anyone out.

**Pledge:** Gary Goodman; **prayer:** Ken Darby

#### Announcements:

From Robert: Dues are due. 😊 if you have already paid.

Robert has placed another order for Kiwanis face masks. Let him know if you want one. \$15. He is paying for them and the money raised goes to the club.

Robert also has info on Casa de Modesto's Donate A Brick fundraiser for the 30 independent living apartments the non-profit will be building. The price is \$125 for a small brick or \$300 for a large brick (\$400 if a logo is included). You can find info and order form on the website, [casademodesto.org](http://casademodesto.org).

**Lori Rosman** on the drive for school supplies:

Members came through in a big way and she filled the back of her car Tuesday morning. **Pat Ramsay's** book club contributed \$50, and a man walking his dogs at Davis Park threw in \$5. **Brent Burnside** put out the word at his business and his employees also responded generously. Lori is working with **Britta Skavdahl** to determine which five or six schools the items will go to.

**How are members serving others?** Steve Collins stuffed envelopes for the Peace Life Center. Key Clubs had a week of service.

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### Report from July 30 Meeting Continued

**Interclubs:** Ken Darby is coordinating with Lori for us to participate in one or more Zoom meetings with other clubs. Merced is first on Aug. 5. Watch for an email with details and the invite.

**Birthdays:** Adrian Crane hit Medicare age this week. One of his sons took him on a challenging mountain bike ride. (We know that if it was tiring for Adrian, then it was really challenging.)

Larry Hughes is 78 today and so he got the birthday song, which we sing as bad – or worse – on Zoom as we do in person.

**No Anniversaries** this week

#### **Happy Bucks:**

**Loren Suelzle** is happy that he was able to get a swing lesson from fellow golfer Jim Toal this week. Loren shared that Jim has successfully recovered from COVID 19. Because of his wife's health issues, Jim had to totally quarantine himself in their home.

**Dirk Paintedman** spent a couple of enjoyable days four-wheeling in the mountains above Calaveras Big Trees.

**Robert** is happy to be 10 days from finishing the front bathroom remodel at their home.

**Marty Villa** asked for an update from **Britta Skavdahl**, now a resident of Nebraska. Britta is busy tearing up her front yard. Today she is heading to a beef show. There are, she says, four cows for every person in her part of the world. She has joined the Kiwanis Club there and has already gotten them started on a Christmas project. (No surprise there.)

**Brent Burnside** joined in and provided a brief update on the Graffiti USA Museum. There is a workday on Saturday. A discussion developed about whether to pursue the earlier idea to create special COVID T-shirts and sell them as a fund-raiser. Watch for more.

**Ana Kanbara** reminded everyone that the Society for disAbilities virtual gala fund-raiser is under way and bidding closes Aug. 1 (Saturday). <https://events.handbid.com/auctions/society-for-disabilities-virtual-gala/>



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NMK Field Games	Jim Felt		CASA Golf Tourney	Jim Toal
Chicken A Go Go	Charlie Christensen		Breakfast with Santa	Jennifer Mullen
Christmas Baskets	Marty Villa		Graffiti Festival	Brent Burnside
Committee Chairs				
Community Services	Richard Reimche		Member retention	
Young Children Priority	Jeremiah Williams		Social Committee	Randy Cook
Youth Services	Sabine Saso		Programs	Steve Collins, Judy Herrero
Sponsored Youth	Brent (E), Ken Nolte (V)		New Member Bios	George Bairey
	Bill M (Central),		Soccer Club Liaison	George Bairey
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Spiritual Aims	Marty Villa		New Member Orienta-	Roger Suelzle, Steve Collins
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			Sunshine/cards	Judy Herrero
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