



# Newsletter of Kiwaniis Club of Woodland

The Kiwanis Club of Woodland meets on Mondays, 12 noon at the Woodland Hotel, 435 Main Street Woodland CA

PLEDGE: <b>Dee Dee Gray</b>	SONG: <b>Bob Young</b>	Inspiration: <b>Dee Dee Gray</b>
FINES: <b>Russell Pullmann</b>	MYSTERY: <b>Paul Smith</b>	

**Aug 16, 2010**

## GUESTS

**Peggy Hale**, **Marv Hale's** wife, Chauffer and ex Newsletter writer.(not true – she had to do this one because Marv's wrist got broken with a handshake on Tues.!!)  
**Tita Anderson** almost new member.

## SPECIAL OCCASIONS

### HAPPY BIRTHDAYS

**Tom Jackson** Aug. 13 Incorrectly reported as **Chuck Jensen's** by **Dee Dee**. Tom requested a 5\$ song.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Dee Dee** pointed out great article in paper about Kiwanians shopping with kids for school clothes.

**Cate Loewen** wants sign ups for Meals on Wheels.

### Sep 25 Poker tournament Steve Harris

passed out invitations for members to give to prospective players – we need lots. Posters will be ready soon. **Chuck** announced that he will be scheduling interclubs to promote the poker tournament.

**Sep. 30 5:30 – 8:30 pm at Woodside Park** will be installation for next year's officers at a gala Hawaiian extravaganza.

**Aug 28 is Lt. Gov. Installation** at Sugar Mill in Clarksburg 11:30 – 3pm, \$20 with wine & lunch included.

### President:

*Dee Dee Gray*

### President Elect:

*Dick Bellows*

### Vice President:

*George Olson*

### Secretary:

*Linda Seyler*

### Treasurer:

*Russell Pullmann*

### Directors:

*Roz Stone*

*Robin Harlan*

*Stephanie De Bo*

*Steve Harris*

*George Olson*

### Newsletter Editor

*Marv Hale*

## PROGRAMS

8/23/10 Committees & Committee Richard  
Chairs Bellows

8/30/10 Pork Board Speakers Steve  
Bureau Weaver

9/6/10 Round Table - Labor Day

9/13/10 TBD

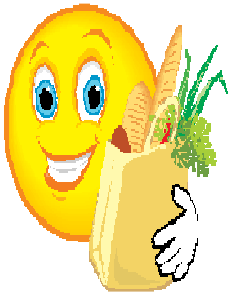
Planning for Texas

9/20/10 Hold'Em Poker Steve  
Tournament Harris

9/27/10 Survey, Annual Goals, & Richard  
Calendar Bellows



## MEALS ON WHEELS



Date	Responsible member	Date	Responsible Member
		Sep 3	Russell Pullmann & Dean
Aug 20	Dean Simeroth & Dee Dee	Sep 10	Sarah Robinson
Aug 27	Sarah Robinson Aaron Miguel		

## HAPPY SAD \$\$

Dee Dee gave sad \$ for plane getting bumped in Chicago last week so she couldn't make the meeting - happy \$ for Dick Bellows doing great job at short notice in her place.. Tom Jackson happy \$ for Red Italian Sports Car & new knee for wife tomorrow. Dean Simeroth happy \$ for good trip to Oregon to visit wife's relatives & \$ for wife's successful foot operation1Brian Welty gave happy \$ to be back & sad \$ for son missing 1<sup>st</sup> day of school today. Cate Loewen had happy \$ for Nick Watney on Sat & very sad \$ for Sun. Wendy Boatman happy \$ for being back & sad \$ for missing 10 yr anniversary song because was in Hawaii celebrating - gave 5\$ for song. Paul Smith happy \$ when autobiography will be over today. Jeff Kunz happy \$ for golf game with Chuck & Frank at tournament except for Chuck's SLOW backswing. Andy Thompson had happy \$ for 10 days at Lake Tahoe. Russell Pullmann gave happy \$ for going to District Convention this week in Reno & sad \$ that no one else is going. Chuck Jensen not sure about glaciers melting but put 2\$ in for fun game & for remembering all the work we used to do on the fair booth. Mark Wagner happy \$ for getting 3<sup>rd</sup> place in the tomato festival iron chef cook off. Frank Joule added \$ for fun golf & Chuck's short puts & happy/sad \$ for the fair booth getting him into the club 38 yrs. ago & misses it. Marv Hale gave a sad \$ for no newsletter for a few weeks due to trip to Scotland & for pres. not reading newsletter. Sarah Robinson happy \$ to know that pres. is human too. Linda Seyler happy/sad \$ for daughter's visit which was good, but resulted in a cold which meant missing last meeting.

## PROGRAM



One of our new members, Paul Smith, entertained us with his autobiography. He was born in San Francisco May 9, 1956. His father who is Scottish grew up in San Francisco, & his mother who is German, English &

French grew up in central valley. He has an older brother who lives in Sacramento & was a great influence on him. He is very close to his younger sister who runs UCD equestrian center. Debbie, his wife who he met in 1999 & married in 2003, is a piano teacher & great homemaker. Paul has a 25 year old son from a previous marriage, who is attending Humboldt State & is an outdoorsman. His daughter from that marriage works in Sac for Board of Equalization & graduated from UCD in Economics. He has 3 children from marriage to Debbie, 2 sons in finance in So. Calif. & a daughter who lives at home with them.

Paul works for Alza Corporation which is a pharmaceutical company owned by Johnson & Johnson in Vacaville where he has been for 16 years. He is a facilities mechanic & he specializes in the pure water distribution system. His previous jobs included 8 years at Calgene doing maintenance. Four years helping to construct a solar facility in Davis and several years building mobile homes in Woodland. He works a 4 day week & Monday is his day off so he can be here. .



His hobbies include decorative ironwork which he has done for his yard as well as sold to others. This last year he took up Blacksmithing which he has wanted to do for many years and is taking blacksmithing classes. .He loves to cycle & has been on many sanctioned rides from 50 to 200 miles over the last 6 years including the Amgen ride to Santa Rosa in April. He also likes doing projects & always has something going in the garage. He got a go cart when he was about 8 that didn't work so it got him started rebuilding engines & he continued to ride it everywhere until he was 15 when he took up water skiing. He got a boat when he was 16 & sold the last one when he was 52 a couple of years ago. He did a lot of skiing around Knights Landing.

He likes helping others which brought him to Kiwanis. He realized that he needed to get out & do things now not just someday. He is hoping to get the Handy Helpers project going to help seniors with projects around their houses that they no longer can do themselves. He is already getting the project going with Jeff Kunz who has contacted the senior center. He wants to meet after the meeting with everyone who wants to be involved so they can get the project launched.

