



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: Dee Dee Gray	Song: Chuck Jensen	Prayer: Marv Hale
Fine Col: Stephanie De Bo	Mystery: Ben Stoltz	

July 20 2009

GUESTS

Tom Loewen, Cate's beau
Julie Wilson, Cate's friend
Cindy Mulhern, Captain of Cate's Walk Team
Nancy Biase, Member of Team
Carolyn Gale, Member of Team
Diane Collins, representing **RSVP Events** visiting.
Carolyn Johnson, Jerry's regular companion
Robin Harlan, Introduced by **Steve Harris** for 2nd time and is ready to join our jovial group.

President
Sarah Robinson

President Elect
Dee Dee Gray

Vice President
Dick Bellows

Secretary
Linda Seyler

Treasurer
Russell Pullmann

Directors
Shanna Baggaley
Steve Harris
George Olson
Gil Robles

Newsletter Editor
Marv Hale

SPECIAL OCCASIONS

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Andy Thompson, June 10, Gave **\$5** a/c not forgotten , for no song.
HAPPY KIWANIS ANNIVERSARY

Chuck Jensen, 7/3/74, Belonging to Kiwanis has been like learning to play golf. You never can give up. He is sure he has some friends around here somewhere. Seems like a lot for **\$2**.

MEALS ON WHEELS

Date	Responsible member	Date	Responsible Member
July 24	Cate Loewen	Aug 7	Russell Pullmann & Bea
July 31	Stephanie De Bo & Elaine	Aug 14	Cate Loewen
		Aug 21	Shanna & John
		Aug 28	



HAPPY SAD \$\$\$

Stephanie De Bo gave **\$1** for a cool two weeks at some lake with her family, and another for the membership's help in making our Back Pak project a success. **Frank Joule** gave a **\$1** in cold cash for a cool week end in Monterey. **Andy Thompson** also gave a cool **\$1** for a week end up at Tahoe. He threw in a sad **\$1** for not Tiger but Tom. **Shanna Baggaley** even gave a sad **\$1** for Tom Watson. **Marv Hale** gave a



sorry \$1 about his recorder failure affecting (?) the last Newsletter. He'll try again, especially since we have such a good program for today. **Dee Dee** gave only a \$1 to educate us on the necessity of reading the instruction manual. Particularly if your air conditioner doesn't go on when you finally get so hot you have to turn it on. The solution is to read the book and climb up on the roof and push the reset button. **Bob Young** was so happy that Dee Dee didn't fall off the roof that he gave a \$1. **Russell Pullmann** gave a sad \$1 because he would not be able to attend the upcoming District Convention due to some family happenings. **Marv Hale** gave a happy sad \$1 for Russell and announced that he was already signed up to go. **Dee Dee** was happy that at least some body was going to go to bring back important things that she should know as incoming president.

PROGRAM

Our own **Cate Loewen** entertained us and a whole bunch of guests with the program today. Cate gave us a great rendition of her participation in the **Avon Walk for Breast Cancer**.

Cate began by blaming her friend Carolyn for getting her into the Walk. Cate recruited her two daughters and two other mothers with daughters which combined with 4 more girls recruited by Carolyn made a team of 11. They called themselves the Twin Peaks (play on words a/c bay area venue etc.) Cate was surprised to learn that the walk was 41 miles (26,1st d. & 15 the 2nd). But, the \$65 registration fee and the \$1800 minimum pledge made it all worthwhile. They raised money with a yard sale, a bake sale and a mass mailing. They trained for 6 months including walks back and forth between Woodland and Davis. Lastly, the whole team did 33.3 miles in two days. Cate was ready.

The night before the walk they stayed at the West Winds in S.F. while many stayed on the ground at Christie Field. It was 50 degrees cold out when they left the starting line in Golden Gate Park escorted by San Jose policemen on bicycles. On the first up hill grade Cate got a pain in her right knee which really hurt when she went down hills. She iced it at rest stops and finally while walking until she finally gave up at mile 18. She had to wait 3 hours at the finish for the rest of her team to arrive and they let her limp across the line with them.

The 2nd day Cate with two of her team mates drove to the finish line. (one had gotten dehydrated and another had gotten poison oak off of her old tennis shoes on the first day). She sadly but proudly watched her 8 remaining team mates cross the finish line.

The San Francisco Avon Walk for Breast Cancer was one of 9 events which went off around the country. The S.F. Walk raised over 6 million dollars with 2800 participants. Not all the walkers were women, a few were men who walked for their wives or mothers. Some of the 650 survivors that attended draped pink ribbons on some of the participants.

Tom's part in the program was in running the power point presentation showing the excitement and the scenery that everybody enjoyed while participating in the event.



NEXT WEEK'S PROGRAM

President Elect Dee Dee Gray Announced that we will have a special surprise program. Also we will initiate Robin Harlan into our jovial group