

SLO NOONTIME KIWANIS CLUB



Sustainable Agriculture

Our Thursday Meeting

Our Vice President, Kristy Snyder, opened the meeting at 12:15. Jim Haack led the pledge, guest - James Smith was a Yankee Doodle Dandy, and Kristy led the prayer.

Bridgette Kramer joined Shane. Bridgette's and Shane's daughter Katrina also joined them. Katrina Kramer is the President of Circle K. James Smith was a guest of Howie's and potential new member.

Hilding did a great job of inducting our newest member, Roger Fredrickson. Roger is an attorney in town. Yes!, another one. He is happily married to a woman much smarter than he (at least he admitted it) and has two beautiful daughters. Eric hated to see the fine box go=)

Reports

Howie reported on Feed the Homeless. Lots of people, lots of great food, too many homeless children.

Howie also reported on the octagon barn project – it was rained out, but don't fret there will be many more opportunities. Howie proposed one day a month be designated for club service projects.

Kristy sent around an order form for popcorn being sold by the cub scouts.

This Week's Winners & Losers!

- 50/50 Drawing – Dan Hinz
- Membership Drawing – Jim Haack
- Bottle of Vino – Guest – Hunter Francis
- Secret Greeter – Still a Secret

Next Week:

- Soap Box: Eric
- Joke of the Week: Roger Steele
- Fine Free: Mystery

Upcoming Events:

- Oct. 21 – DCM, Players Restaurant
- November 1 – Feed the Homeless
- December 14 - Melodrama

Upcoming Guests:

- Oct. 16 – Cathy's Mission trip to Mexico
- Oct. 23 – Lt. Governor's Visit



Celebrate the redemption of Scrooge in a heart-warming tale of holiday magic, laugh at the zany characters in a fractured fairy-tale opera, and delight in the music of the season in our holiday Vaudeville Revue. Our most popular show of the year is a very special family tradition designed to bring a year's worth of smiles to you and your loved ones in a great musical and theatrical experience!

Reports continued...

Milt reported on the board meeting. The biggest news was that policy has been set regarding reimbursement for Kiwanis convention attendees. With pre-authorization, the club will reimburse for registration and interclub lunch (up to \$150) for Annual, Mid-year and International Convention.

Katrina Kramer reported the Circle K is doing very well. She said that the club is very interested in teaming up with our club. She invited us all to their meetings: Wednesday's at 6:30 in Building 52, Room C36. She also invited us to assist with the service they provide to the Literacy Council each Monday from 7-9 working with ESL adults at the First Presbyterian Church. Prior training is provided and required.

We also decided to attend the Great American Melodrama for the Holiday Extravaganza on December 14 at 3 pm. More info to come via email.

Joke of the Week

Roger Jump experienced the big GONG! But the one about the King of the Idiots was the best =)

On the Soap Box

Janice was no where to be found.

Sappy Bucks

Kevin was our wonderful Fine Master and wasn't Roger Jump happy? Kristy had to leave early so other than Howie and Shane having to pay fines for stealing the bell and gavel from Kristy, who was fine free, I have nothing to report. Those silly boys...tricks are for girls.

The Program

Hunter Francis of Cal Poly Sustainable Agriculture was our featured guest.

The Sustainable Agriculture Resource Consortium (SARC) was founded in 2000 to advance sustainable food and agricultural systems through the [College of Agriculture, Food & Environmental Sciences](#) at Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo. Since that time, the SARC has served as a catalyst for cutting-edge ideas and projects offering solutions to pressing needs in agriculture. This has involved curricula development, continuing educations programs, professional development seminars, and a critical role in the establishment of the [Cal Poly Organic Farm](#).

