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March 10, 2023
Speaker: David Ho
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March 17, 2023
Speaker: Mary O'Keefe
The Luck o' the Irish

March 24, 2023
Speaker: Katherine Yamada
Glendale Historian

Kiwanis Club of Glendale
meets Fridays at
12 noon
at The Elks Lodge
120 E. Colorado
Glendale CA 91205



Laurel Patric
Reporter

President **Lisa Brooks** called the meeting to order right at 12:15. We had been listening to lovely music by **Rebecca Kupperman**, but unfortunately, she needed to leave for an eye appointment so in honor of National Anthem Day, **Mike Sholer** led us acapella in the "Star Spangled Banner." Reminded me of Zoom days! **TJ Denton** led us in the Pledge beginning with a story about a customer who was an engineer in Iran, but when he came to America he began digging ditches for electrical conduit. Eventually he started his own business and told **TJ** that this could not have happened in any other country and that he "loves America." What a nice way to start the meeting! It was such a touching story that **Lisa** also counted it as Inspiration.

Lisa thanked all the usual suspects with a special shout-out to **Susie Dell** for making the Power Point slides more fun every week.

Nzhde Avag-Petrosyan led us in stretches, and when we laughed, he made us do four big breathes instead of three. No laughing matter, right **Nzhde**? **Mike Guyer** did



guest introductions with three of the five guests signed up as future members. Welcome **Olesia Wojcieszyn**, **Tamar Tashdjian** and **David Block**. We were also happy to see **Jeanett Cordon Resendez** back for a visit and **Mike Guyer's** visiting brother.

Birthdays and anniversaries were celebrated with **Mike Sholer** leading the songs, once again acapella, and complaining bitterly that his "food is getting cold." Surprise **Mike**, the beans were cold when you got them from the servers, so stop complaining! **Cathy Keen's** Goodwill Report included **Sonny Sardo** who is tolerating chemo well resulting in lower pain levels, **Rebecca Kupperman** whose eye surgery went well, **Richard Dell** who had Meniscus repair surgery on his knee, **Ron Baker** who had carpal tunnel stitches removed this week, and **Bob Praun's** wife **Jinny** who will undergo knee replacement surgery on Monday. Our best wishes go out to all these folks! KiwaniNews sponsors were split so once again, no one had to pay.

Tes Baradas was presented her Big Person Badge by **Trevor Marca**, followed by a long list of Kiwanis activities and sponsorships. Details will follow this report about GUSD's Scholastic Bowl (3/6), the Scout Recognition Dinner which will honor **Paulette** and **Paul Ramsay Wood** (3/25), the Ascencia Gala (4/22), the Home Again Gala (4/29), Field of Honor, Bingo, K-Biz (3/22), Cal-Nev-Ha Governor's visit

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(3/26), Kiwanis Regional Training in the Glendale Police Community Room (4/15), and the Getaway Weekend (6/9 – 6/12). Many of these have deadlines for signing up, so check those flyers to be sure you don't miss any!

The Glendale Kiwanis Duck Splash is coming right up and Duck teams have been set up, so now is the time to find you very own page on the website and send out those emails to friends, families and, yes, even enemies asking for their support by adopting a duck or two or three or....

Lucky **Marko Swan** (who actually believed my husband **Jim** that I would spell his name wrong here!) won the 50/50. At that, Fines were collected by **Nzhde** since **Lisa** did not want to circulate her cold through the crowd. **Trevor Marca** paid for his very handsome son's entry into running, following in his father's footsteps. In **Rebecca's** absence, **Cathy** paid her fine for "fine" eyes and her son who is working "on the hill" in Washington DC. **Tes** paid for her big-person badge and for the news that many of us will not have to pay taxes until October 16. (But check with your own tax accountant just to be sure this applies to you.) Visiting **Harry Hull** paid for his 51-year anniversary to Debbie with \$51 and claimed this was instead of buying Debbie dinner and flowers. I would suggest that you do both **Harry** – if you want a 52nd anniversary!



Now... moving on to Lt. Gov. **Cathy Keen**. Thank you, **Cathy** for taking on this responsibility for the second time. We know it is a fun job, but it is also work! **Cathy** gave a little information on Cal-Nev-Ha and the role of the Lt. Gov. Then the fun began. We all got to help with a Division project to supply kitchen supplies to the Union Station Homeless Shelter in Pasadena.

Folks leaving the shelter have nothing, and these baskets will supply them with the essentials needed to begin setting up their own homes. Five team leaders were chosen: **Joe Cordova**, **Pam Spizman**, **Silvia Kradjian**, **George Chernich**, and **Laura Guillory**. They were tasked with filling large laundry baskets with dish towels, soap, baking dishes, sponges and more. Then these leaders went back to their teams for decoration of the baskets. We gallantly tied ribbons on

ours, but were not the lucky winners. Unfortunately, I did not quite catch who was the lucky winner, but then there were no prizes. Wait! Since there were no prizes, mention here is the only glory, and I messed up. Maybe editor **Albert Hernandez** was paying more attention and can insert the lucky team leader's name here. Please **Albert**! Congratulations, **Silvia Kradjian**!



On top of all these goodies, **Cathy** collected enough monetary donations to buy \$100 Target gift cards for each basket. I know these will be much appreciated by the recipients! Thanks to the donors. It was fun working on an actual project at our meeting and knowing that our handiwork would be delivered that very afternoon.



With one more acapella song led by **Mike Sholer** (who had hopefully finished his cold lunch)...

Hail Kiwanis!



KIWANIS KALENDAR

March 18, 2023—Mid Year South Education Conference

March 26, 2023—
CNH Governor's Visit

April 29, 2023—
Glendale Kiwanis Incredible Duck Race

June 9—12, 2023—
Glendale Kiwanis Getaway Weekend

GLENDALE KIWANIS GETAWAY WEEKEND

JUNE 9 – JUNE 12, 2023

ENJOY A WEEKEND OF FUN, FELLOWSHIP AND FOOD




SAIL AWAY WITH FELLOW KIWANIS ON THE
ROYAL CARIBBEAN NAVIGATOR OF THE SEAS

JUNE 9 – SHIP LEAVES AT 4 PM
JUNE 12– DISEMBARK APPROXIMATELY 9 AM
ROUND TRIP FROM LOS ANGELES TO ENSENADA



The Good Times
Were Rolling Last
Saturday!



Congratulations to
all the winners!

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 - To develop, by precept and example, a more intelligent, aggressive, and serviceable citizenship.
- To provide, through Kiwanis clubs, a practical means to form enduring friendships, to render altruistic service, and to build better communities.
 - To cooperate in creating and maintaining that sound public opinion and high idealism which make possible the increase of righteousness, justice, patriotism and good will.



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CALIFORNIA-NEVADA-HAWAII DISTRICT

MID-YEAR SOUTH EDUCATION CONFERENCE



Saturday, March 18, 2023

LOS ANGELES MARRIOTT BURBANK AIRPORT
8:00 AM TO 4:00 PM – See Patricia Larrigan

WE *Rise* TOGETHER

SATURDAY, APRIL 22ND, 2023

CITY CLUB LA, 6-10PM

COCKTAIL ATTIRE



Ascencia's 15th Annual Gala is coming up! Join us for an evening of dinner and dancing at City Club LA on April 22nd, 2023 at 6pm.

Take part in our live auction and raffle, hear some of our success stories, and come together in celebration of Ascencia's life-saving homeless services.

Tickets and sponsorship packages are available now! Learn more at AscenciaCA.org/gala2023

Eagle Scout Recognition Dinner

Verdugo Hills Council (VHC) Celebrates the 2022-2023 Class of Eagle Scouts

Join us in celebrating our 71 Eagle Scouts achievements!

**Saturday, March 25, 2023
6:00 p.m.**

**Glendale Elks Lodge
120 E. Colorado St.
Glendale, CA 91205
\$65 per Person**

Scouts who earned the Eagle Scout Rank in 2022 and early 2023 are invited to attend at free. We are seeking members of the community to sponsor one or more of our Eagle Scouts for the dinner.

Additionally, this year VHC is looking for businesses, working professionals, and representatives of community organizations to pair with our Eagle Scouts at the dinner to share your educational, career, and life experience. A gift of \$130.00 will provide a meal to one of our Eagle Scouts and the opportunity for you to attend and share your wisdom.

**To register to event please navigate to
vhcbsa.org/eagledinner2023**



2023 PROGRAM TRIBUTES & SPONSORSHIPS

Add a congratulatory message or advertisement in this keepsake program:

**\$75 Half Page Color - Ad Size 5"W x 3.875"H
\$150 Full Page Color - Ad Size 5"W x 8"H**

**\$500 Inside Front Cover
\$500 Inside Back Cover
\$500 Back Cover**

Program size 5.5"W x 8.5"H

**FOR ALL ABOVE, CONTACT AMY TAYLOR
AMY.TAYLOR@SCOUTING.ORG**





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**JOIN US ON
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 22, 2023
TO NETWORK WITH SERVICE-MINDED
PROFESSIONALS.**

NEW LOCATION:

AMERICAN LEGION-POST 127

714 W. WILSON, AVE GLENDALE, 91203

TIME: 8:30- 10:00AM

ENTER REAR OF THE BUILDING VIA THE ALLEY

NO-HOST BREAKFAST



For more information

WWW.GLENDALEKIWANIS.INFO

GLENDALEKIWANISMEMBERSHIP@GMAIL.COM

*Kiwanis International
California-Nevada-Hawaii District - Division 3
Governor Valarie Brown-Klingelhoefer
Official Visit &
Presentation of DSA, CSA, and YSA's*

Sunday, March 26, 2023



**11:15 am—Club Presidents' Meeting with Governor
Check in 12 –12:15 pm
12:15 pm—Buffet Picnic Lunch
12:45 pm Program**

Glendale Elks Lodge, 120 E. Colorado St., Glendale

Complimentary On-site Parking

**Cost \$50 per person. Please make checks payable
to your Kiwanis Club.**

Kiwanis Division 3 Governor's Official Visit—March 26, 2023

Complete this response sheet and return to your Club Secretary by March 18th

Name(s)_____

Amount paid to Home Kiwanis Club (\$50/person)_____

Club Secretaries: RSVP Club total reservations/guest names/entrée choices to:

Patricia Larrigan at glendalekiwanis@gmail.com by March 19th.

Please submit one check for your Club payable to

CNH Kiwanis Division 3 for your reservations.

(Club payments to Division 3 may be made at the event.)



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REGION 7

Regional Training Conference

& Trustee Election



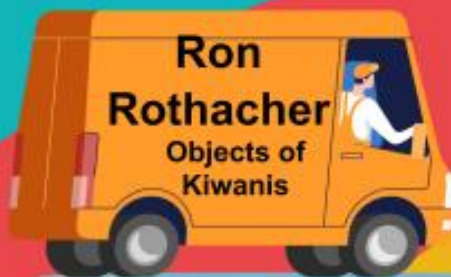
Saturday, April 15, 2023

@ 9:00AM \$20/Person



Fee Includes a Light Breakfast & Lunch

Location: Glendale PD
Community Room
131 N Isabel St
Glendale, CA 91206





KIWANIS INCREDIBLE DUCK SPLASH Sponsorship Form

SATURDAY, APRIL 29, 2023 | VERDUGO PARK, GLENDALE, CA
SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

\$10,000 ----- TOP DUCK
\$5,000 ----- GOLD DUCK
\$2,500 ----- SILVER DUCK
\$1,000 ----- BRONZE DUCK
\$750 ----- HERO DUCK
\$250 ----- NON-PROFIT DUCK



NAME (AS YOU'D LIKE IT TO APPEAR ON OUR MATERIALS):

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CONTACT E-MAIL: _____ CONTACT PHONE: _____

WEBSITE URL: _____

SIGNATURE: _____

PAYMENT INFORMATION:

CHECK:

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CREDIT CARD: VISA / MASTERCARD / AMEX ACCEPTED

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PRINT DEADLINE FOR SPONSORSHIPS - MARCH 10, 2023

To be included on Adoption Forms and Banners, please email completed form and logos to
GlendaleKiwaniisDucks@gmail.com by **3/10/23**.

Logo artwork should be in either .pdf / .eps / .png formats in both color and black & white.

Sponsorships gratefully accepted until Race Day!

EMAIL COMPLETED FORMS TO GLENDALEKIWANISDUCKS@GMAIL.COM

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KIWANIS INCREDIBLE DUCK SPLASH *Sponsorship Benefits*

\$10,000



Includes pre/post event spots on social media outlets, mentions at the event, 8 Street Pole Banners, and mentioned on all event promotional materials.

\$5,000



Includes pre/post event spots on social media outlets, mentions at the event, 4 Street Pole Banners, and mentioned on all event promotional materials.

\$2,500



Includes pre/post event spots on social media outlets, mentions at the event, 3 Street Pole Banners, and mentioned on selected event promotional materials.

\$1,000



Includes pre/post event spots on social media outlets, mentions at the event, 2 Street Pole Banners, and mentioned on selected event promotional materials.

\$750



1 Street Pole Banner for you and 1 for a charity of your choice. Also, mentioned in selected marketing materials.

\$250

Includes 1 Street Pole Banner.



www.Ducks4Kids.org

KIWANIS INCREDIBLE DUCK SPLASH! **Banner Order Form**



The Glendale Kiwanis Foundation provides financial and volunteer support throughout our community to improve the quality of life, especially for our children and youth. The Duck Splash is our largest and silliest fundraiser, now celebrating its 18th year! Over \$1,275,000 has been given back to the community!

**Join us, as we help our children, by
purchasing a Banner to fly on the streets of
Glendale!**

Race Day, April 29, 2023
Verdugo Park @ 1621 Canada Blvd.
11:00 am – 2:00 pm!

For more information on Glendale Kiwanis and the
 Duck Splash! log on to our webbed sites
www.duckrace.com/glendale
www.ducks4kids.org
www.glendalekiwanis.info



BANNERS WILL BE LOCATED ON PROMINENT GLENDALE STREETS FROM 4/1-4/30/23

1 BANNER \$250

3 BANNERS \$675

5 BANNERS \$1,000

(Same imprint must be used on all banners)

BANNER ORDERS MUST BE RECEIVED & PAID BY March 10th!

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NAME: _____

COMPANY: _____

EMAIL: _____

TELEPHONE: _____

TOTAL BANNERS: _____ **TOTAL \$\$ AMOUNT:** _____

- ☐ **CHECK:** (Payable to **GLENDALE KIWANIS FOUNDATION**)
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THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY!



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18th Annual Glendale Kiwanis Incredible Duck Splash 2023

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Duck Buddy Agreement Form 2023

RACE DATE: April 29, 2023

This Duck Buddy Agreement is made and entered into as of _____, 2023, by and between the Glendale Kiwanis Foundation ("Producer"), whose address is P.O. Box 10545 Glendale, CA 91209-3545, and the Non-Profit or Not-For-Profit organization _____ ("Duck Buddy"), whose address is _____.

The contact person for the Duck Buddy is _____, whose phone number is (____) _____ and e-mail address is _____.

In consideration of the mutual covenants herein contained and, intending to be legally bound hereby, the Producer and Duck Buddy agree as follows:

1. **ENGAGEMENT.** The Producer hereby engages Duck Buddy to pursue the distribution and sale of duck adoptions for the 2023 Kiwanis Incredible Duck Splash (acronym "KIDS", also referred to as "Duck Splash" and referenced hereafter as "Splash") and the Duck Buddy hereby agrees to render such pursuit under the terms and conditions specified herein.

2. **DUCK BUDDY.** As applicable, the Duck Buddy herewith attaches documentation of their status as a Charitable Non-Profit organization and their IRS classification. (Not applicable for For-Profit groups.)

3. **LOCATION OF SPLASH.** The Splash will be held at Verdugo Park, 1621 Canada Blvd, Glendale.

4. **DATE AND TIME OF SPLASH.** The date of the Splash is Saturday, April 29, 2023. The program will commence at approximately 11:00AM.

5. **ADOPTIONS AND PAYMENTS.** All duck adoption forms with full payment shall be returned to Producer and/or mailed to Producer (at the address stated above) within ten (10) days of receipt. Final deadline to return duck adoption forms with full payment to Producer and/or for online sales is 6:00PM on Friday, April 28, 2023.

6. **RESPONSIBILITIES.** The Duck Buddy group must return a signed copy of the Duck Buddy Agreement in order to have their group setup for online sales.

7. **PROMOTION.** The Duck Buddy agrees to permit Producer to use Duck Buddy's organization name, information, and photographs in the promotion of current and future Splash events.

8. **COMPENSATION.** Producer agrees to compensate Duck Buddy within thirty (30) days of the Splash in the amount of 50% of the value of the qualified duck adoptions returned, with the name of the Duck Buddy properly included on the form or properly entered for the Duck Buddy group online. As an added incentive, the compensation percentage for the three (3) Duck Buddy groups with the highest volume of duck adoptions returned by the deadline stated in Item 5 above, and provided also that all other conditions of this Agreement have been satisfied, shall receive a bonus compensation increase as follows: #1 shall receive a 15% bonus, #2 shall receive a 10% bonus and #3 shall receive a 5% bonus.

Duck Buddy and Producer have each caused this Duck Buddy Agreement to be signed by its duly authorized representative in _____, CA as of the day and date first written above.

Signature
PRODUCER (Glendale Kiwanis Foundation)

Date

Signature
DUCK BUDDY (_____)
Print Duck Buddy Organization

Please mail this form to Glendale Kiwanis, P.O. Box 10545 Glendale, CA 91209-3545 **OR**

Forms may be emailed GlendaleKiwanisDucks@gmail.com

Glendale Sunrise Rotary's The Field of Honor

This is a community-wide event that celebrates patriotism and honors those who have made an impact on our lives.

1,000 American flags will fly at Forest Lawn Glendale from May 23 to May 29, 2023. A community memorial ceremony will be held on Monday, May 29, 2023 at 11:00 a.m.

Flags can be purchased to honor those who have impacted our lives. Those honorees will be listed on the individual flags.



Glendale Field of Honor

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