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Meetings

January 20, 2023
Speaker: Jimmy Angel
Musician/Rock N' Roll

January 27, 2023
Speaker: Shant Sahakian
Armenian American Museum

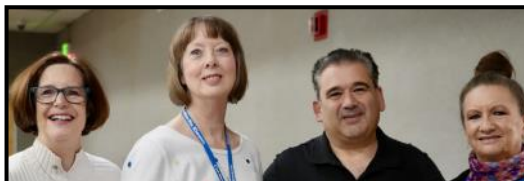
February 3, 2023
Speaker: Ron Baker
Craft Talk

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



Cindy Cleary
Reporter

As we were greeted with open arms by **Robin Goldsworthy**, **Mary Broerman**, **Dawn Jakubecy** and **Rene Karpedian**, and checked in by **Claudia Sysock**, **Rebecca Kupperman's** show tunes wafted through the hall. Listening



to *Oh What a Beautiful Morning* and *A Few of My Favorite Things* it struck me how much those tunes capture the essence of our Friday meetings. Fridays are always a "beautiful morning" when we anticipate our meeting and look forward to "our favorite things" of coming together to catch-up with new and old friends and be inspired to do what we do best: help the kids. On these Fridays, as all the planning for the meeting falls into place, "everything's going our way."

President **Lisa Brooks** rang the bell and **Savi Labensart** raised the baton



to *This Land is Your Land* followed by **Laura Duncan** asking us to put hands to hearts for the Pledge of Allegiance. **Dave Greenbaum** told "six tiny stories" to wish us all love, good health, and friendship. Oh what a beautiful day!

President **Lisa Brooks** once again thanked the team that worked behind the scenes making the magic of the meetings happen: **Irma Villegas**, **Bob Praun**, **John Saunders**, and yours truly, **Cindy Cleary**. **Nzdhe Avag-Petrosyan**, our Sergeant-in-Arms and exercise guru, got us on our feet for the weekly stretch. Have to say it feels good to have an excuse to loosen up those joints.



Guest introductions began with **Karen Swan** introducing Anita Arjoyan who would later accept a check on behalf of GUSD. President **Lisa Brooks** introduced soon-to-be member and first gentleman Joseph Rodriguez and our speaker Andre Manukyan. **Irma Villegas** introduced Helmut Garcia as a potential new member.

Susie Dell filled in for **Cathy Keen** to present the Goodwill Report. Sadly, **Cathy's** youngest sister has been enduring treatments

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for myeloma and is now in hospice care. **Cathy** is in Texas to be with her sister as she faces these difficult days. We all will keep **Cathy** and her family in our hearts and prayers. **John Saunders** is taking care of his grandkids while the eldest child is in the hospital with juvenile diabetes. **Richard Sonheim** is still in the hospital with a spinal infection. **Marko Swan** is dealing with the impact of the rain in Ventura. We send love to our fellow Kiwanians facing these many challenges.

T.J. Denton was no where to be found so **Nzdhe Avag-Petrosyan** saved the day with a joke from his eight-year-old cousin. It was short and sweet. Why did the chicken cross the road...? **Nzdhe's** cousin may have a future in comedy!



Our special presentation was truly special as President **Lisa Brooks** introduced **Joseph Rodriguez** and first gentleman to be inducted. **Joseph** grew up in the Bronx where

he worked as a photographer. A highlight of that career was processing photographs of the first moon landing. Wow! Fortunately for **Lisa** and Kiwanis **Joseph** moved to California where he now owns a plumbing business. One of his passions is bicycle safety, a cause dear to his heart after losing his twelve-year-old son to a biking accident. Welcome **Joseph** to the greatest club in the world!



Highlights of Kiwanis Moments featured Bowling and Beers and the Ceritos K-Kids Exploration Talks where **Irma Villegas** nervously anticipated presenting to fifth and sixth graders. In the end they were very excited about K-Kids. Way to go **Irma**. Several of our members are

being honored by local organizations for their service to the community: **Carl Povilaitis** by the Verdugo Hills Council and **Albert Hernandez** by the League of Women Voters. K-Biz is coming up on January 28, the Cal-Nev-Ha mid-year conference will be held in beautiful downtown Burbank on March 18, and the get-away weekend is a 3-day cruise to Ensenada on June 9.

Glendale Unified School District and Glendale Commu-

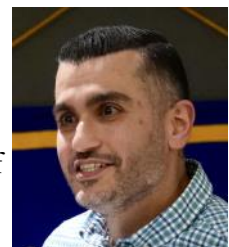
nity College were recipients of Kiwanis Give Back. **Karen Swan** presented a 500 check to Anita Arjoyan, a GUSD Teacher Specialist, in support of their Scholastic Bowl. **Karen** proudly noted that Anita was a former student of hers. Our speaker Andre Manukyan accepted a \$3,000 check for GCC's Cares Program and the Veterans Emergency Fund.



Speaking of giving back, **Joseph Rodriguez** won the \$50 raffle and immediately returned the cash to our president. That was a nice kick-off to voluntary fines. **Albert Hernandez** offered a fine for his League of Women Voter's recognition. Randy Wolff from the Elks Lodge did so because "it's Friday." **Irma Villegas** was excited to hear from **Bruce Hinckley** that it was National Rubber Duck Day. **Laura Duncan** exclaimed that she was old enough to collect Social Security but not yet eligible for Medicare. **Susie Dell** reminded everyone that she was once a blonde. Could have been the reason that **Dave Greenbaum** didn't recognize her as a brunette!



Finally, our speaker was Andre Manukyan, Manager of the Cares program at GCC. Cares provides a comprehensive strategy for meeting the basic needs of students addressing food, housing and transportation insecurities through ten individualized programs. The program is funded through grants, state and city funding, and private donations. The needs that necessitate this type of program are revealing. Over a one-year period 37% of GCC students faced food insecurity, 53% faced housing insecurity, 14% were homeless, and 20% did not have transportation to school. Congratulations to Andre who built the program from the bottom up.



Hail Kiwanis!



KIWANIS KALENDAR

January 25, 2023—**K-Biz**

March 18, 2023—**Mid Year South Education Conference**

April 29, 2023
Kiwanis Incredible Duck Splash

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 KIWANIANS 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

Another Great Meeting!



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2023

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from,
**Club President,
Lisa Brooks**

2023

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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



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K-BIZ



**PROFESSIONAL
NETWORKING**

**JOIN US ON
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25, 2023
TO NETWORK WITH SERVICE-MINDED
PROFESSIONALS.**



**LOCATION: GLEN ARDEN CLUB
357 ARDEN AVE, GLENDALE, CA 91203
TIME: 8:00 - 9:30AM
NO-HOST BREAKFAST
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ACROSS THE STREET**



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*Honoring those who contributed to the success of
Verdugo Hills Council in 2022*

**COUNCIL
RECOGNITION EVENT**
DINNER & AWARDS

FEBRUARY 2, 2023 6PM-9PM

Join us to celebrate Scouters & Community Individuals who have exceeded expectations of what it means to support our youth at the Verdugo Hills Council.

We proudly announce the following Special Honoree

William H. Spurgeon, III Award
Retired Glendale Chief of Police
Carl Povilaitis

The Spurgeon Award is presented to individuals who have rendered outstanding leadership to the Exploring Program either as an Explorer Post Adult Leader or as a District, Division, or Council Exploring Adult Volunteer. Carl Povilaitis a tenured Police Officer and Glendale's most recent retired Police Chief has always supported and encouraged our youth in our community to join the Explorer Academy. After 32 years of service, numerous Explorers are now Police Officers throughout Glendale's department and serving our community. Please join us in celebrating Carl Povilaitis dedication to our youth in our community.

If you are unable to attend, please keep in mind that a congratulatory tribute can be made in our keepsake program.

Tributes Ads

\$75 ½ Page Color

\$150 Full Page Color

*Program size 5.5" x 8.5

Dinner \$65 per person or purchase entire table for up to 8 guests \$520

Event Location: Homenetmen Glendale Ararat Chapter Hall

3347 S. San Fernando Road, Los Angeles CA 90065

More information contact Amy Taylor by email: Amy.taylor@scouting.org



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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

18TH Annual Kiwanis Incredible Duck Splash

Save the Duck



APRIL 29, 2023



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WEEKEND DETAILS:

- COST RANGES BETWEEN \$475 TO \$660 PER PERSON DEPENDING ON TYPE OF CABIN SELECTED. ALL PRICES BASED ON DOUBLE OCCUPANCY
- 25 CABINS HAVE BEEN RESERVED.
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Date: 1/9/2023

CRUISE: 2023 GLENDALE KIWANIS WEEKEND CRUISE

ENSENADA CRUISE (3 nights)

CRUISE LINE: Royal Caribbean Cruises

SHIP: Navigator of the Seas (3,968 Passengers. Ship launched in 2003 - refurbished 2019)

CRUISE DATES: June 9 - June 12, 2023

ITINERARY:

				Arrive	Depart
Day 1	09 Jun - Fri	San Pedro *	Check-in: 10:30 am / 2:30 pm		
			Ship Sails		4:00 PM
Day 2	10 Jun - Sat	Ensenada		8:00 AM	6:00 PM
Day 3	11 Jun - Sun	Day at Sea			
Day 4	12 Jun - Mon	San Pedro	Debarcation approximately	9:00 AM	
		* San Pedro Pier TBA			

COST / CATEGORY:	# of Cabins	Cost Per Person	Taxes & Port Charges	Total Per Person	TOTAL PER CABIN	Note:
. Balcony (Cat 4D)	13	549.00	103.30	652.30	1,304.60	Single rates available 200% of cruise cost
. Ocean View (Cat 4N)	9	499.00	103.30	602.30	1,204.60	
. Inside Cabin (Cat 4V)	3	369.00	103.30	472.30	944.60	

Additional costs - payments can be made at time of deposit or final payment.

- . Travel Insurance: Highly recommended. Balcony - \$59 pp; Ocean View - \$39 pp; Inside - \$39 pp
- . Shipboard Gratuities: Gratuities for cabin attendants, waiter and buss staff. \$16 pp / day - \$48 pp / total

PAYMENTS:

- . Deposit \$100 pp. Due within 7 days of confirming your Stateroom
- . Final payment Due - March 23, 2023

Note: CC is preferred as form of payment

CRUISE INCLUSIONS:

- . Cruise accommodations as specified - 3 nights / 4 days. (Note: Cruise prices based on double occupancy.)
- . All meals - breakfast, lunch, dinner, including coffee and tea
Served in Main Dining Room, Windjammer Restaurant (buffet) or Café Promenade
- . All onboard Entertainment except special events

EXCLUSIONS:

- . Travel Insurance - (for medical related reasons) and Shipboard Gratuities. See rates above.
- . Onboard alcoholic drink packages available. Rates - \$75 - \$95 pp / day plus gratuities. Non alcoholic pkgs also available.
- . Onboard purchases - gift shop, salon & spa services plus 18% gratuities
- . Surcharges for specialty restaurants (Varies - between \$28.99 - \$84.99 plus gratuities)
Chef's Table, Ezumi, El Loco Fesh, Chops Grill, Jamie's Italian, Hooked Seafood, Starbucks, Johnny Rockets
- . Wi Fi - \$22.99 / Day - 1 device; \$14.99 / Day - 2 devices. Room Service - \$7 delivery charge
- . Shore Excursions. Shore Excursions can be booked after cruise deposit has been posted. Booking instructions TBA
- . Pier Parking

CANCEL POLICY:

- . Prior to March 24, 2023 No charge
- . Between March 25 - April 9, 2023 50% of total cost
- . Between April 10 - May 9, 2023 75% of total cost
- . On or after May 10, 2023 100% of total cost

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