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Meetings

January 27, 2023
Speaker: Shant Sahakian
Armenian American Museum

February 3, 2023
Speaker: Ron Baker
Craft Talk w/ the Greatest
Kiwaniis President in the World

February 10, 2023
Program:
The Not So Newlywed Game

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

National Cheese Lover's Day!



Ron Baker
Reporter

I was so excited to go to the meeting today since January 20th is National Cheese Lovers Day! I love cheese, especially with wine! Now don't confuse this day with National Cheese Day which is on June 4. This day is for Cheese lovers! When I walked in the meeting and was greeted by **Richard Dell, John Saunders, Laura Duncan** and **John Juarez**, I was disappointed that none of them had their cheese hats on, like those crazy Green Bay Packer fans. Also, not one of them said "Happy Cheese Lover's Day!"



I gave my lunch money to **Claudia Sysock** and purchased my 50/50 ticket from **Rene Karapedian** and headed straight to the buffet line awaiting whatever great cheese dish the Elk's prepared for this special day. Tri Tip! can you imagine? They only had cottage cheese! What an insult to all the cows and goats who provide us with so many great cheeses! Did you know that there are 1,800 varieties of cheese in the world?

The meeting began with President **Lisa Brooks** welcoming everyone (without saying "Happy Cheese Lovers Day!") **Savi Labensart** and **Rebecca Kupperman** helped us sing "My Country Tis of Thee." **Karen Swan** led us in the pledge to our flag. **Gabriella Waterman** did the inspiration with Chinese quotes to wish everyone a Happy Chinese New Year this Sunday. But **Gabriella** did not wish anyone a Happy Cheese Lovers Day! Maybe it was because of this fact – China does not eat cheese! Really! Look it up!

Nzhde Avag-Petrosyan led us in a stretching exercise.

Sheldon Eskin helped to introduce visiting Kiwanians and guests and **Cathy Keen** gave the Goodwill Report. Cathy reported that **Richard Sonheim** is still in the hospital with an infection in his spine. He is in pain but is surrounded by family and love. **Skip Neville** is doing cardio rehab and it has helped him quite a bit. He has trouble with remembering names, but **Cathy** pointed out that many of us members have the same problem! **Sonny Sardo** completed round three of chemo for pancreatic cancer. The doctor is encouraged with how **Sonny's** body is reacting to the treatment. Let's keep these members in our thought and prayers!



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Neither President **Brooks** or Club members had to pay a fine since **Bob Keen** and **Nancy Niebrugge** were the only two out of five KiwaniNews Sponsors attending. **Savi Labensart** did the joke of the day, they were jokes about birds. Now it would have been nice if she did a

cheese joke, such as – “what do you call a dinosaur made of cheese? Gorgonzilla!”

We shared Kiwanis moments with an update of Bowling and Beers and the Book Box that Kiwanis built! This box was a project from Girl Scout Troop 7211 which the daughter of **Jeff Nishi** and **Stacey Gin-Nishi** belongs to.

Promoting events included Boy Scouts Verdugo Hills Council recognition event honoring **Carl Povilaitis** on



February 2, League of Women Voters honoring **Albert Hernandez** on February 25, Cal-Nev-Ha Kiwanis mid-year conference on March 18, Burbank Kiwanis Gala on March 25, Glendale Kiwanis Duck Splash on April 29 and Getaway Week-

end on June 9-12. For more information on these, check out flyers in newsletter or website!

Aleen Pogharian won the 50/50 drawing, and she generously donated it half back during the fine session. Other generous members paying a fine were: **Ann Louise Escarrega** for her concert, Randy Wolff just because, **Sheldon Eskin** in honor of our speaker, **Sanjay Sharma** for a beautiful day, **Shant Sahakian** for missing so many meetings, **Amy Taylor** for Boy Scout participation and **Ron Baker** to promote his upcoming club program on February 3. I told everyone to please come. The long tenured members to defend themselves and the new members to hear the true story of where the best president of Glendale Kiwanis came from! I hope all will come, it will not be cheesy! (Get it?)

Sheldon Eskin then introduced our guest speaker, Jimmy Angel. What a great program. Jimmy was a teen idol in the 1950's and grew up in Memphis with Elvis! He told many stories about himself as well as Elvis, Marilyn Monroe, Jerry Lee Lewis, Otis Redding and the Mob! Thanks to **Gabriella Waterman** who asked Jimmy to sing something, and he was great!



So even though there was no fanfare for this special national day, there is one thing I must remember: On National Cheese Lover's Day, don't feel bleu, throw a feta or act capriciously - January 20th is a gouda day to kummin over to Kiwanis and be with friends, even if you have to eat Tri Tip with no cheese!

Hail Kiwanis!

KIWANIS KALENDAR

March 4, 2023—
Kiwanis BINGO Fundraiser

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

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 KIWANIANS ON THE
ROYAL CARIBBEAN NAVIGATOR OF THE SEAS
JUNE 9 – SHIP LEAVES AT 4 PM
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100 YEARS

**Volunteers Needed for the “Not So Newlywed Game!
Contact Vice President Alex Parajon to Sign Up!**



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GLENDALE**
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The **NOT SO**
Newlywed
Game
Feb 17th

NOT SO Newlywed Game

Sponsors are randomly selected by the Publisher each week from the Kiwanis membership. If all five posted sponsors are present at the meeting on the date of the newsletter, the President pays a \$20 fine. If no posted sponsors attend the meeting, each member in attendance pays a \$1 fine (members only, no guests). The collected funds go into our Foundation account which is used for philanthropic purposes.

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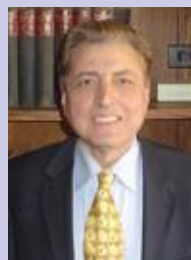
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2023

The Praun Family



Happy Anniversary

January 14

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from,
Club President,
Lisa Brooks

2023

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- To give primacy to the human and spiritual rather than to the material values of life.
 - To encourage the daily living of the Golden Rule in all human relationships.
- To promote the adoption and the application of higher social, business, and professional standards.
 - 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

*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



SATURDAY
MARCH 4, 2023

Glendale Kiwanis **BINGO**

**LET THE GOOD
TIMES ROLL!**

**GLENDALE ELKS LODGE
120 EAST COLORADO ST.
GLENDALE, CA 91205**

START AT 6:00 PM

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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 22, 2023

CITY CLUB LA, 6-10PM
COCKTAIL ATTIRE



Ascencia's 15th Annual Gala

Our largest fundraising event of the year is on April 22, 2023! Join us for an evening of dinner and dancing, and live auction.

Celebrate our programs that lift people out of homelessness and save lives.

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



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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.
- FAMILY AND FRIENDS INVITED
- RESERVE EARLY TO SELECT YOUR CABIN OF CHOICE
- RESERVATIONS CLOSE MID-MARCH

DETAILS AND RESERVATION FORM ATTACHED

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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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				Rev: 12/28/22				
NAMES:		(Legal names as appear on Passport incl middle name)		Airport	Date of Birth	Country	PASSPORT	EXP
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CRUISE:		Special Note: For this cruise - Passport must be valid until until January 2024						
INSURANCE:		CABIN PREFERENCE:						
		Balcony		Ocean View	Inside Cabin			
		\$59.00 PP		\$39.00 PP	\$29.00 PP			
BEDDING:								
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