



KIWANIS NEWS

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WALNUT VALLEY KIWANIS CLUB

President Don Ferderer invited Larry McMillan to lead us in the Pledge of Allegiance. Ray McMullen, as he unfurled our flag, guided us through our patriotic song and Don Nettles offered this morning's Invocation. Guests included Marilyn Nettles and Jim Orr, today's speaker. Manuel Baca was fined for both being late and not wearing his Kiwanis name badge.

President Don reported that Rich Malooly, Mary Ferderer, and Aggie Kee joined him at the Mt. SAC Circle K dinner at the Diamond Bar Center on Tuesday evening. Dave Wallach from Hacienda Heights was also there and we all had a wonderful time. It turns out that this was really a Kiwanis Appreciation Night complete with dinner and music. *A Very Nice Affair...*

Don Nettles reported that Walnut Key Club rented a 19-foot truck that was completely filled with canned goods when it arrived at the warehouse in Walnut. Thirty students took two hours to unload the truck and that did not leave much time for sorting. Students will be back at the warehouse today at 12:30 p.m. to continue sorting cans for tonight. Wolfgang Shane and Don Ferderer will be picking up the turkeys today. The Walnut Food Bank donated 11 turkeys to the distribution. Thank you, WFB! Please show up at the warehouse between 4:00 p.m. and 7:00 p.m. tonight so that we can sort turkeys and fresh fruits and vegetables along with the canned goods. Distribution will begin at 8:00 a.m. tomorrow. We have 161 families committed for food so we have a lot to do, you Elves! *** George Davis saw the troops in the parking lot and donated \$100.00 to our efforts. Thank you, George!

About this time, Rich confessed that he had not properly greeted Mrs. Nettles and offered one dollar to our treasury. Rich also announced that students from both Rowland High School and Diamond Bar High School were busy working at Isaiah's Rock this week.

Thank you Key Clubs from Diamond Bar, Rowland, and Walnut for all that you do!

Ted Miller introduced Jim Orr from Operation Community Cares – founded by Ryan Orr to support Southern California troops by building a bridge between our communities and our veterans through education and volunteerism. The organization strives to ensure that our soldiers are not forgotten by those of us at home. Please visit their website at operationcommunitycares.org for ideas on supporting our troops while they are deployed and when they return. *** A winning opportunity was selected for Ted, but no Joker appeared. *** Hail, Kiwanis! Happy Hanukkah! Merry Christmas! Happy New Year! Happy Holidays!!

WE WILL NOT HAVE MEETINGS ON DECEMBER 25, 2009, AND JANUARY 1, 2010

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	FOR YOUR BUSY CALENDARS		UPCOMING PROGRAMS
Dec 19 *** 2010 ***	Food Basket Distribution	Dec 18	Jim Orr, "Operation Community Cares"
04/02-03	Mt. SAC Youth Days	Dec 25	Merry Christmas!
04/24	One Legacy/Donate Life Walk &Run	Jan 01	Happy New Year 2010!
05/10	Golf Tournament		
06/12-13	Diamond Bar Relay for Life		
06/26-27	Walnut Relay for Life		

"Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed individuals can change the world. Indeed, it's the only thing that ever has."

*** Margaret Mead ***

And a Very Happy Birthday to...

Joe Anthony (12/02), Rich Malooly (12/28), Bea McMillan (12/30)

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Join us every Friday at 7:00 a.m. at Millie's, 21627 Valley Boulevard, Walnut; (909)594-0322