



Division 34 Monthly Newsletter

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...the eyes of the driver.

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for division resources.*

Lt. Governor Jim Stinger



Summer officially arrives on June 21st, but it's been summer for those of us in the Bay Area for a while now. I hope all of you are enjoying it so far. Summer brings a number of Kiwanis activities as well. Just around the corner is the Kiwanis International Convention in Nashville, Tennessee. I will report on the results of the delegate sessions next month. July brings CLE, Club Leadership Education. I strongly encourage all incoming club presidents and all club secretaries new to the position to attend the July 11th session (continuing secretaries have the option of taking the

training online). CLE provides valuable insight into running a successful Kiwanis club. Mike Akana, our incoming Lt. Governor, is the person to ask if you have questions about CLE. In August, we have the Cal-Nev-Ha District Convention in San Diego. Information about the convention has been mailed to all club secretaries, and is available on the district website as well (www.cnhkiwanis.org). Plan now to attend!

Behind the wall...
... a team of resources...

Secretary--Donna Betts

Membership Growth
Bill Menafra

Interclubs--Hal Lovell

Community Service
Brian Dahlquist

Division 34 Foundation
Dan Hoppe

**CalNevHa Foundation and
Kiwaniis International
Foundation**
Lynne Mercer

As I write this, Tour de Cure is still ahead of us. But by the time you read this it will be over. I want to personally thank Dick Angus and Bill Menafra of the De Anza Club for all of their hard work pulling it together. It's a huge effort that requires many volunteers and I want to thank each of you for helping out. I still can't believe that we have now completed all of our division projects for the year!

With the departure of the St. Francis Club, the Lowell High School Key Club has now lost their sponsoring Kiwanis club. This presents us with an opportunity to build a new Kiwanis club as both the San Francisco Club and the South San Francisco Club have their hands full with the SLP clubs they now sponsor. Mike has taken it upon himself to make this happen and he needs our help. Any leads you can provide that will help him get started will be most appreciated. This includes identifying people you know in the school district or in the businesses in the vicinity of Lowell High School. The sooner we get this effort off the ground the better it will be for the Lowell High School Key Club, home of the Key Club Lt. Governor for Division 34 North, Jason Won Lee.

Speaking of new club building, Sue Greenberg of the San Carlos Club and Mike Akana of the Woodside Terrace AM Club have teamed together to start an online Kiwanis club. This will be a club that conducts the majority of their business over the Internet and meets in person primarily for service projects. It's a type of club that appeals to busy people who don't have time to spend an hour and a half in a weekly meeting. I would emphasize that with both of these new club building efforts the goal is not to "steal" members from any existing club but rather to find new people to join the Kiwanis family.

As you can see, exciting things are happening in Division 34! I will keep you apprised of our progress.

Yours in service,
Jim Stinger
Lt. Governor, Div. 34

Division 34 Kiwanis Clubs--Bayshore Community, Belmont, Cupertino, De Anza, Los Altos, Menlo Park, Mountain View, Palo Alto, Redwood City, San Carlos, San Francisco, San Mateo, Silicon Valley, South San Francisco, Woodside Terrace A.M.

Tour De Cure ...Needs your help

The Tour De Cure is Sunday June 14 2009 and we need everyone to help. Please support this Division Event by volunteering to help your Club with it's commitment to make this a very successful event. Please remember to involve your Key Clubs and Circle K Clubs. Thank you all for all you do. Contact Bill Menafra.



Kiwanis Bike Rodeo ...

Lt. Governor Jim Stinger worked the helmet fitting station at the Kiwanis Bike Rodeo at Garfield Charter School in Redwood City on May 30th, sponsored by The Woodside Terrace Club. Pictured left Jim looks down at a cracked helmet used as an example for instruction in Pediatric Trauma Prevention. Students at Garfield received instruction on bike safety, healthy food and beverages, free helmets and helmet fitting. A bike repair clinic tuned up bikes and instructed kids and family members on

bicycle maintenance. Student wearing helmets also rode bikes though an obstacle course including an event challenging balance and coordination where the goal was to complete the course as slowly as possible. *Pictured, pastor of Redeemer Lutheran Church (owner of both helmets), Lt. Governor Jim Stinger, Mike Akana and Bill Morris. Above: Garfield student and Ella Morris at the helmet fitting station.*



Calendar:

- ◆ **Division Council Meeting (DCM)** 3rd Wednesday, 7pm Vic's Restaurant, San Carlos.
- ◆ **Tour de Cure** -- Sunday June 14, Contact Bill Menafra.
- ◆ **Mort Korengold Award** deadline is July 3, 2009. Contact Susan Greenberg.
- ◆ **2009 Senior Games** – August 1-15

Conventions and Conferences:

- ◆ **International**, June 25- 28, Nashville
- ◆ **District**, August 13- 15, San Diego

*Thank you members of the Kiwanis Clubs of Division 34 for providing many newsworthy events!
We are looking forward to photos from Tour de Cure and Convention for the July edition.
Deadline for July edition is July 6th. Send to mike@akana.net.
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