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Total K Day: Healdsburg Kiwanians turned out in full force on Saturday March 20, Total K Day, to clean up the yards and outer buildings at the Healdsburg Animal Shelter. Trees and shrubs were trimmed, all sorts of debris and brush were piled high to be hauled away and according to Animal Shelter officials "you guys at Kiwanis 'rock' ! Lockie Gillies and Chris Metrulas, co-chairmen of Total K Day, told the club members that "they did a dynamite of a job." Shown here are Tim Tuscany, left and Dick Bugarske working in the inner yard.

48th Annual Pancake Day Huge Success

Over the top in advertising sales, thanks to Rich Iverson and his ad salesmen, generous contributions from club members as sponsors and a great turn out of local residents in support of the Kiwanis efforts made the 48th annual Pancake Day on April 4 a huge success. Dan Maraviglia, Pancake Day chairman said that Rich Iverson and his 9 salesmen sold a gross of \$5,510 including \$360 in donations for a net of \$4,310. The Tribune charged the club \$1,200 for the double page spread. And the sponsors Silveira Pontiac Buick, GMC Inc., Sanderson Ford and McConnell Chevrolet, Salvation Army, and club members, Lee Gunnerson, Fred Corson, Tom Barron, Pete Peterson, Dan Gianni, John Bippart, Joe Engler, Chuck Reichel, Tom Rackerby, Chris Metrulas, Dennis Stead, Gary Plass, Dennis Gary, Bob Young, Jerry Strong, Hugo Bauer, Temple Smith, Richard Norgrove, Jr., Dan Maraviglia, Richard Iverson, picked up the following costs – new banner, billboard, Villa rental, tickets, placemats, sausage, eggs, paper products, flowers and orange juice. In kind gifts were received from McDonald's, Starbucks Coffee, Bear Republic. Members of the Key Club, Boy Scouts Troop 21 and Explorer Post 21 and men from the Salvation Army at Lytton assisted in many ways, Dan said that the event, unofficially, would gross about \$14,000 and net out about \$12,000. He will give an official report to the club in 2 weeks.

Calendar

April 6: Jerry Chambel and his trip to the Antarctica.:

April 8: Board meeting, 7 p.m., Police Station.

April 13: Gary Plass and Anita Templar, Executive Director of the Boys and Girls Club plus Lorie and Chris of the Boys and Girls Club will speak on *Bring Out The Trucks and The Truck Stops Here*, a project of the Boys and Girls Club.

April 20: Vince Ciolino program chairman.

April 27: Jerry and Eleanor Webston will speak on their trip to Mexico.

May 7: Official visit of Governor to Division 3

May 26: Set up booth for Future Farmers Country Fair, 8 a.m. to 8 p.m.

May 27: FFCF Parade , starts at 6 p.m.

May 27-29: Future Farmers Country Fair. Sign up to work at booth.

May 30: Take down booth; must be removed by 11 a.m.

The Healdsburg Kiwanis Club meets Tuesday noon at the Villa Chanticleer's Annex.

For information about the Healdsburg Kiwanis Club and its meetings please contact Jerry Strong, president at 431-8052 or Dee Whitehall, secretary at 433-4391

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Happy Birthday:

April 6: Robert Meyer
April 15: Dick Bertapelle
April 16: Gary Plass

Kiwanis Anniversaries

Congratulations to the following
who joined Kiwanis during April.

4-11-78: Kurt Hahn
4-21-81: C.Ruonavaara.
4-19-88: Al Peterson
4-19-88: Jim Birdsong
4-02-91: John Dayton
4-7-96: Rich Norgrove, Jr.
4-8-97: Dan Maraviglia
4-13-99: Dennis Stead
4-16-02: Roger Dormire
4-30-02: Albert Miller
4-15-03: Chris Metrulas

The President's Message:

March Along !

By Jerry Strong

March started out on a sad note with the passing of our beloved Kiwanian, Alvie Rochester. He was charmed with a good life. He will be missed. Our prayers are with him, his loving wife Dolores and their entire family.

As we moved on through March, activities began to pick up to a brighter and much faster pace starting with interclub at the Abram's House Inn in Cloverdale with their Kiwanis Club. Our club planned to have short board of directors meetings then join the festivities after. We did and we did. We had a great time along with the Windsor and Geyserville Kiwanis clubs. Lt. Gov. Lee and Sally Dysart had a great time. Dick Bugarske and Lockie Gillies were also there and, my bet is, they would like to be board members now that they have seen the fun we have taking care of business.

If you like to indulge in oysters, chicken and spirits, the Kiwanis interclub at Petaluma is the place to be next year at that time frame. All eleven of our members that attended enjoyed.

Then we later enjoyed two more inter-clubs: the Santa Rosa Suburban Kiwanis Club with corn beef and cabbage and the Redwood Empire Kiwanis Club in Santa Rosa. Four inter-clubs in one month. Way to go, Bev.-Girl.

Todd Brandt and John Bippart have been working very hard in promoting the membership program with much success. We have gained three new members this month and two or three are in the making for April. Bill Waring, guest of George Clough, and Harry Jackson, guest of John Bippart were inducted March 16, while Don Marshall's membership, guest of Dennis Stead, was approved by the Board of Directors March 20th (at a special meeting). He will be inducted April 6 at our regular general meeting.

With the direction of Chris Metrulas and Lockie Gillies, the Total K Day for our Kiwanis Club, went very well. We accomplished a great deal that day, and all who participated are commended. What a great crew and fellowship we have in this special club. The animals and their providers at the Healdsburg Animal Shelter are very pleased. Thanks Chris, Lockie and the members who completed this task.

Our Key Club also experienced success this month, especially at the March 23rd Kiwanis meeting, with the bake auction. They collected \$680 on their special recipes that they concocted. My son Jordan actually loved the cup cakes that I bought that day. In addition, the Key Club sold one thousand dollars worth of commemorative bricks for the Kiwanis House. Thank you Dennis Stead for your endless effort in working with these kids.

By the time you read this, we will have had our lunch at the Senior Center. I know that the staff will be grateful for our being there.

Thanks, Dan Maraviglia, for your effort in organizing the pancake breakfast this year. Thank you Rich Iverson for you and your team's effort in bringing in \$4,300 plus dollars for the selling of ads for the pancake breakfast. All general members, thank you for your help in selling and participating in the pancake breakfast.

Do you smell moneyyet ?

Thoughts of the Day: Hearing aids, if you remember to wear them, are great things - "Pete Peterson Just remember, when you are over the hill, you start to pick up speed - Leoy Steck, thanks to Charles Schulz.... You Gotta Have Faith - Roger Dormire.

Kiwanis Profile/ Robert Malone, 50 Years of Service

By Vince Ciolino

Bob was born a few years back in the nation's capitol—Washington DC and moved briefly to Florida before finally arriving in southern California at the mature age of five. Bob spent his formative years in northern Los Angeles, graduating from Franklin High School and the University of California Santa Barbara and earning his teachers certification. He soon received his Masters Degree in Education from the University of Southern California and moved north to Hopland to accept a teaching position.

After becoming the Superintendent of the Hopland School District, Bob and his family moved to the Healdsburg area to continue his love of teaching and administration. He married Pat, his high school sweetheart, and they will be celebrating fifty-nine years of bliss this year. They have three children and over a dozen grandchildren.

Bob joined the Healdsburg Kiwanis in 1954 and is celebrating 50 years of service. Congratulations ! Bob's sponsor back then was none other than Bud Christensen, his boss and school superintendent. His most memorable moments as a Kiwanian was watching and admiring men like Walter Wright (Mr. Kiwanis) take control of the meetings and reminding everyone of their duty to the community and especially the children. What most fellow Kiwanians don't know about Bob is that he was an avid hunter spending his weekends up in Mendocino hunting deer and wild pigs and throwing a huge feed fest.



New Members were inducted at the March 16 meeting. Left to right, Todd Brandt, Membership chairman, Bill Waring and his sponsor George Clough, John Bippart, sponsor of Harry Jackson, right.

Two New Members Are Welcomed

Bill Waring, sponsored by George Clough and Harry Jackson, sponsored by John Bippart, were inducted as members of the Healdsburg Kiwanis Club on Tuesday, March 16 with Membership chairman Todd Brandt officiating.

Bill moved here in 1982 and presently lives with his wife, Carroll, in Windsor. He is the owner of the Crystal Clear Window Washing. Following his induction Bill remarked that the club members were "very friendly and cordial" and that he is looking forward to the club's many activities.

Harry and his wife moved here from Marin County a little over year ago and bought a home on Florence Lane. For thirty years he worked as an engineer for Morrison and Knutson and upon leaving that position became associated with a small engineering firm in San Rafael.

He expressed his appreciation to the club members for their warm welcome.

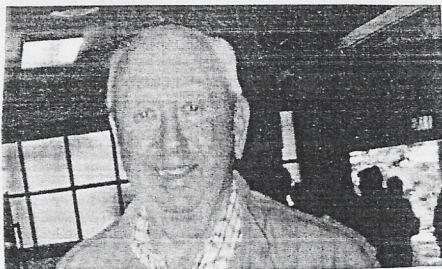
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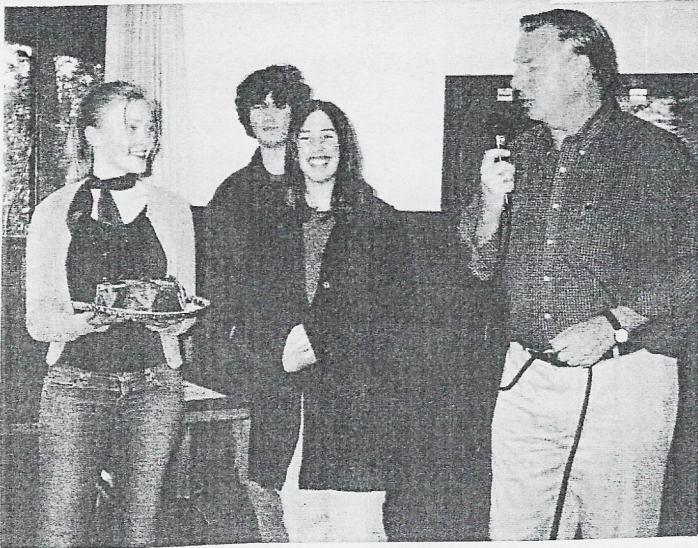
The Healdsburg Kiwanis Memorial Scholarship Fund received the donations from the following:

In Memory of Ken Turnbow: John and Elizabeth Bippart, George and Mary Lou Clough, Lee and Nancy Gunnerson, Neil Iversen, Bill Waring, Mary, Jack, Lindsay, Joe, Todd and Nancy Brandt, Craig and Amy Browning (Brandt Insurance).

In Memory of Alvie Rochester: Jean Carvalho, Terri and Chris Neumann, David Davis, Louis and Lillian Costa, Dr. Wayne Carr, Kay Tokunaga, Arnold and Vi Santucci, Lee and Nancy Gunnerson, Gary and Lorraine Plass, George and Mary Lou Clough, Donald and Jean Forbes, Fred and Beverly Haley, Brandt Insurance, Loretta Petersen Strong, Donald and Mary Elizabeth Reukema, Hugo Bauer, Gerald Rodgers, Ronald and Nancy Parker, Kenneth and Marilyn Brant, Dennis Stead.

Donations may be sent to the Memorial Scholarship Fund in memory of a loved one or friend or in celebration of a special event, by check, to P.O. Box 1156, Healdsburg, CA 95448 attention Chuck Reichel, MSF Treasurer.





Key Clubbers Ashley Inman holding the cake, Jessica Deas and back, Kevin Cooper watch as Dennis Stead auctions off a double chocolate confection at the Kiwanis Club's meeting March 23.

Key Club Raises \$680 at Bake Sale

Thanks to the generosity of the Kiwanis Club the Key Club bake sale March 23 raised \$680.10 Kiwanians and one guest helped to make this the major fund raiser for the Key Club. Bids for the cakes, cookies and muffins went from the low (?) of \$35 to a high of \$75 for a double chocolate cake bought by Clay Green, a guest and potential member. Another canned food drive

is being planned.

A great deal of thought is going into what kind of a booth the Key Cub will have at the Future Farmers Country Fair.

The month of April is election time for new officers. Jessica Deas, now the president, will give up her gavel and go off to college. Please continue to encourage your children and grandchildren to join Key Club. -- by Dennis Stead.

Computer Lab at Boys and Girls Club

Because of the generous spirit of the Wine Country Computers, owned by Kiwanians Lockie Gillies and Vince Dougherty, the CCI Electric Co., and the Kiwanis Club the new computer lab at the Boys and Girls Club is up and running. Dennis Stead told club members that a local carpenter donated his services, Lockie and Vince donated over 35 hours to set up the computers, CCI donated the electrical work and the Kiwanis club paid for renovating the room and purchasing the chairs. The computers were obtained by a grant written by the Boys and Girls Club.

HAPPY AND SAD: Jack Brandt happy to donate \$25 to the Memorial Scholarship Fund in celebration of his 25th years in Kiwanis ...many sad dollars because of the passing of Alvie Rochester including donations from George Clough, Yolanda Rinaldo, John Bippart ...Dennis Stead was sad that he couldn't help at Total K Day at the Animal Shelter because he had to attend traffic school...Jerry Strong happy that Neil Iversen has been a member for 33 years and has never missed a meeting !

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