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Directing Traffic ? Dennis Stead, left, Jerry Strong, President Nancy Curnow and Randy Collins helping to direct traffic at the Fitch Mountain Footrace.

315 Runners and 17 Sponsors Help to Make The Fitch Mountain Footrace a Big Success

Lee Gunnerson, chairman of the annual Fitch Mountain Footrace, held June 8, reported that 315 runners took part and that 17 business people and individuals were sponsors of the race. He reported that the event netted the club \$5115 which will go to the Memorial Scholarship Fund. He thanked all the club members who were intersection monitors, who handed out the red vests, who helped in the Plaza Square, the Boys Scouts who monitored the watering stations, Key Clubbers, Windsor and Cloverdale members, Salvation Army guests etc. He pointed out that in order to make this event more successful financially we need more sponsors. He added that next year will be the 30th anniversary of the Fitch Mountain Footrace and the eighth year sponsored by the Kiwanis Club.

Paintball Tournament Postponed Until Fall

Lockie Gillies, chairman of the proposed Paintball Tournament, told the club members at the June 24 meeting that the Paintball Tournament, a fund raiser planned for July 24-26, has been postponed probably until sometime in September.

The tournament, sponsored by Chris Haggin of Kapp Products, Santa Rosa, will take place in the meadow at the Salvation Army at Lytton .

Lockie said that the committee needed more time to prepare for the event and one month is not long enough. He also said that instead of a four day event being considered is holding the tourney over two weekends, one weekend for the professional players and one weekend for club members and their guests. There would be no charge for viewing the events. Money is raised by charging teams or individuals to play paintball.

According to Haggin, Paintball is a combination of "tag" and "hide and seek". Typically players divide into two teams and play "capture the flag". Number of players can vary from two to over 1,000. The object of the game is to eliminate players while capturing the opponents flag and defending yours. Paintballs are round, thin skinned capsules with colored liquid inside. The gun uses pump action, must be cocked each time you want to shoot a paintball, with the trigger then squeezed to release the paintball. However, there are also semi-automatic guns that may be used.

4 More Interclubs Will Complete Round Robin

Visits to only four more clubs will complete the annual interclub Round Robin , Michael Laird, interclub chairman announced. There needs to be visits to Sonoma, Sonoma Plaza, Santa Rosa and Sebastopol Clubs. And the one outside our division will be to St. Helena, chaired by Vince Dougherty.

If you wish to take part in these final interclubs, contact Michael Laird.

Bocce Play Underway

Anyone interested in playing Bocce can do so by showing up at the Bocce Court at Giorgi Park on Mondays Wednesdays and Fridays at 1 p.m.

Calendar

July 1 – TBA
July 8 – TBA
July 15 – TBA
July 22- TBA
July 29- TBA

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Happy Birthday:

July 1: Albert Peterson
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July 6: Michael Laird
July 8: Tom Rackerby
July 10: Todd Brandt
July 17: Hugo Bauer
July 21: Dolores Whitehall
July 31: Francis Branern

Kiwanis Anniversaries

Congratulations to the following who
joined Kiwanis during July.
Don Reukema, 7-10-84
Francis Passalacqua, 7-12-41
George Clough, 7-14-98
Richard Iverson, 7-15-86
Neil Iversen, 7-20-71
Edgar Deas, 7-22-86

The President's Message:

How About New Members ? More Ladies ?

By Nancy Curnow



Well, here comes the warm weather – it's about time, after all it's summer, you all. Summer time and the living is easy !! We have our Brandt Beach Barbecue on the last Tuesday of August. But nothing else other than club meetings until then.

Might be a good time to scout around and look for a new member to join the club. Hey, how about more ladies ??

Hope you have a great month of July, Love ya all and God

Bless You.

Secretary's Notes:

District Convention and Scout Breakfast

By Neil Iversen

The 83rd annual Cal-Nev-Ha district convention will be held August 14-16 in Sacramento at the Convention Center. All new officers should plan to attend. Please mark your calendars. RSVP before July 28 or you will then be charged the on-site registration fee of \$20 each. The pre-convention registration fee is \$15 each.

JULY 4th PANCAKE BREAKFAST at the Villa Chanticleer hosted by Scout Troop 21, sponsored by the Healdsburg Kiwanis Club. I thought we would have more scouts selling tickets at Safeway on your way out but can't get a parent to be with them, as most all are working.

Pancakes are served from 7 a.m. to noon. All you can eat ! plus scrambled eggs and ham. Thank you to all you merchants and Kiwanians who have supported scouting.

Service Hours Rendered by the Club Members

	May 2002	May 2003
Community Service	319.5 Hrs	612 Hrs
Human and Spiritual Values	39 Hrs	171 Hrs
Youth Services	182 Hrs	539 Hrs
Young Children (Priority One)	249 Hrs	346 Hrs
Monthly Totals	789.5 Hrs	1668 Hrs

Thanks to having more Kiwanians take an active part in their community. "Many Hands Make Light work."

Cal-Nev-Ha Reports That The Healdsburg Club Is Tops In Division 32 In Service and Dollars Spent

The Cal-Nev-Ha District Division Monthly Performance Report for April shows that our club came in first in service hours rendered , 1180 hours, and dollars spent, \$4922 The report shows that our club with a membership of 74 had 10 retention points and 5 new members points out of a possible total of 20; 87 percent attendance record, 10 points each for promptness, interclubs and programs and a maximum 40 points for service committees, 10 each for Community Service, Human and Spiritual Values, Youth Services, Young Children (Priority One) and Sponsored Youth .



Karl Bellagio, April's student of the month, is congratulated by Vincent Dougherty, chairman of the Student of the Month Committee. Karl was presented to the club members at the June 3 meeting.

April, May and June Students of Month Introduced to Members

Vince Dougherty, student of the month chairman, introduced the final three honored students to the club members at the June 3 and June 10 meetings.

Karl Bellagio, April's student, and Eric Oberdorfer, May's student, were presented at the June 3 meeting.

Karl, the son of Barbara and Frank Bellagio, attended local schools and while at Healdsburg High played football for four years. He also was active in band. His academic record shows that he has a 3.98 grade point average.

He plans to attend Fresno State where he will major in biochemistry.

Eric, son of Leslie and Rick Oberdorfer, grew up in Healdsburg and while at Healdsburg High School studied Spanish and French for four years. He was a member of the French Club and also taught at Fitch Mountain School in the cross age program.

He plans to attend the University of Washington and will major in Community and Environmental Planning.

June's student of the month, Tyler Kettman, was introduced at the June 10 meeting. Born and raised in Healdsburg he attended local schools and while at Healdsburg High he played baseball and was active in band, with 4 years in the Jazz Band. He has a 3.89 grade point average and plans to attend UC Irvine where he will study aerospace engineering.

All three students received a plaque plus a gift certificate.

20 Kiwanians, Friends, Relatives Team up for Relay for Life Event

The Relay for Life, the 24 hour team event to fight cancer, held May 31 to June 1 at the Healdsburg High School attracted hundreds of participants including 20 Kiwanis Club members, relative and friends. A fund raiser to help in the fight to eradicate cancer, the event brought in over \$180,000 which will be used to "raise awareness of cancer in the community and raise money for research, education and patient services for the American Cancer Society." The Relay for Life was dedicated to Holly Kettmann who lost her life to cancer at age 15.

The Kiwanis team included Tim Tuscany, captain, Michael Laird, co-captain, Lockie Gillies, Beverly Dordahl, Neil Iversen, LeRoy Steck, Rich Lehrmann, Byron Loupy, Jordy Strong, Jerry Strong, Vicki Rainwater, Yolanda Rinaldo, John Rinaldo, Vince Ciolino, Randy Collins, Joe Engler, Kathi Engler, Jim Luchessi, Vince Dougherty, Linda McNeill. Also taking part in the opening ceremonies were Alvie Rochester and Ken Turnbow.



RELAY FOR LIFE: Members of the Kiwanis team participating in the Cancer awareness program were, left, Yolanda Rinaldo, Joe Engler and Kathi Engler.

Vince Ciolino Heads Lotto Program

Answering a call from President Nancy Curnow, Vince Ciolino volunteered to take over the Lotto program from Tim Tuscany who advised President Nancy that he no longer could be chairman of that committee.

Lotto is held every other week and winners can take the money or a prize. If you have any prizes to offer Vince or even white elephants contact Vince ASAP.



Welcome to newest member: Charles Greene, center, Westside vineyardist, was inducted into the club on June 10 with ceremonies conducted by membership chairman, John Bippart, right. Sharing his K with Greene is his sponsor Hector Bedolla, left.

Membership Indicates Approval of Club Operating Christmas Tree Lot

A proposal that the Kiwanis Club operate the Christmas Tree lot was presented to the club members at the June 24 meeting by Dennis Stead. The members by a show of hands indicated approval of the proposal. According to Dennis the Healdsburg Boys and Girls Club has opted not to run the Christmas Tree Lot and offered

the project to us. Dennis said the sale would run for about five weeks and would need all the help of the members, Key Club, Boy Scouts and Salvation Army graduates to staff the lot. He said that the club could gross about \$100,000 and net about \$40,000. However, we would need to share some of the revenue with the Boys and Girls Club and also would need someone to manage it.



Loretta Strong came in third in her division at the Fitch Mountain Footrace. Handing Loretta her ribbon is Lee Gunnerson and in the background, Dan Maraviglia, co-chairmen of the race.

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