



Healdsburg Kiwanis hosts Healdsburg High Hall of Fame



2019 HHS Hall of Fame Inductees Jackie 'Henderson' Sellards, Kenny Dixon, Graham Haun, and Jenean 'Scales' Bingham

The plaque inscription reads:

... for significant and distinguished contributions to Healdsburg High and post high school athletics and to your community

Graham '76 excelled in track and basketball in high school and has been a leader in youth basketball programs for over 40 years.

Jenean '81 starred in track and basketball at HHS, became a teacher, and served as track and cross-country coach and athletic director.

Jackie '88 played high school basketball and has spent many years leading the HHS girls' basketball program.

Kenny '98 was a star wrestler and football player at HHS and has spent many years coaching, officiating local youth wrestling programs.

Our club hosted the induction ceremony at a luncheon at the Villa Chanticleer Annex on Sunday November 10 attended by over 90 athletes, fans and supporters of youth athletics.

The HHS Hall of Fame was established in 1992. Starting in 2018 our club has cosponsored the induction ceremony partnered with the Healdsburg High school Athletic Hall of Fame Committee as a community service and fund raiser. This year's net proceeds were about \$400 - \$500.

Calendar

Meeting Dates:

Dec 3. Regular Meeting at 12 noon at Villa Annex – Program TBD.

Dec 10: Regular Meeting at 12 noon at Villa Annex –Vern Losh - Behind the Scenes at a 49' Game.

Dec 17: Regular Meeting at 12 noon at Villa Annex – Christmas Luncheon & Santa Visit

Dec 16: Board of Directors meeting, 6:00 p.m. Round Table Pizza.

Dec 24 & 31: No meetings.

Other December Dates

Dec 7: Cloverdale Kiwanis Crab Feed (see back page).

Dec 10: San Francisco Interclub – Fairmont Hotel.

Save the Date

Feb 22, 2020: Tim Flannery Fundraising Concert (see back page)

The Healdsburg Kiwanis Club meets Tuesday noon at the Villa Chanticleer Annex except the last Tuesday of the month is an evening meeting, 6:30 PM Social, 7:00 PM Meeting.

For information about the Healdsburg Kiwanis Club Contact Terry Kemp, President at (707) 272-8849 or Liz Bippart, secretary at 227-4314.



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Happy Birthday

Anna Grant: Dec.6
Terry Kemp Dec. 9
Vern Losh: Dec. 22
Richard Yates: Dec. 24

Kiwanis Anniversaries

Congratulations to the following
members who joined the Kiwanis Club
during the month of December:

Hunt Conrad - 12-4-07
Martin Silge - 12-4-07
Nancy Arsenault – 12-19-17
Darlene Prigmore – 12-9-14

The President’s Message

Happy Thanksgiving and Merry Christmas.

I have so much to be grateful for. I have found that it is so important to pause and do a little self-care in between all of the things that we do for others. What a great group of givers you are. The children of Healdsburg are so fortunate to have you in their lives. When I was a kid growing up in Napa, whenever there was something painful or traumatic happening, my Mom would pack me up to Fort Bragg to be on the ocean. When I got bucked off of a horse, we went to Fort Bragg. When I got braces, we went to Fort Bragg. When I had surgery, we went to Fort Bragg.

After our recent evacuation my son packed me up and we went to Trinidad for the weekend. It is amazing what a few days on the ocean can do to heal the soul. During this upcoming, crazy Holiday season, I encourage you to take some time for yourself to do whatever it takes to refresh your soul. You all give so much so you need to put as much back into yourself as you give out.

Enjoy the magic.

Terry



Two Heros at the Plaza



Arnold Santucci



Eric Smith

Board of Directors Meeting

Summarized from minutes by Liz Bippart

Administration Management

Financials

- With the recent dues increase the Admin fund can squeak by for the time being. However, we will not have enough funds to pay the annual Kiwanis dues in December, over \$8,000. We may use our reserves unless other monies become available.

Presentations to the Board

- Dick will package a proposal for members on Leave of Absence for a future meeting.
- Dick Bugarske's proposal to realign fundraisers to Four Club Funds was accepted. See proposal description in November Newsletter.
- Dogs at meetings – all dogs must be leashed when inside the Annex during Kiwanis meetings.

Committee and Event Updates

- A meeting will be held on Tuesday, November 19th at Round Table in Windsor where a decision will be made about how to divide the funds raised by the upcoming Division 32 Fundraiser. All are invited to participate.
- Due to the recent fire evacuation, Corazon rescheduled "El Dia de los Muertos" for Sunday, November 24th behind City Hall from 9 AM – 6 PM. Volunteers are needed.
- The November evening meeting will be a blind wine tasting event. There will be no evening meeting in December.

Membership

- Anita Kratka's resignation was accepted. Anita would like to participate in events, but regular meetings are not an option due to a very full schedule.
- Sally Macken's request to transfer her Kiwanis membership to our club was accepted.

Healdsburg Kiwanis Foundation

Grants/Donations/Requests

- Key Club - up to \$900 for various Key Club purchases. Nancy requested funds to purchase 20 navy blue aprons (\$249.80) for use at the Food Bank and other volunteer projects, a table banner (\$43.99), and a hanging banner (\$265).
- Healdsburg Senior Living - \$800 for bus transportation by students coming to participate in programs at the facility. Each bus costs \$100.
- PDI Surgery Center - \$1,000 to support the "Prevent Tooth Decay!" project in Healdsburg schools including toothbrush kits, educational supplies and health educators' time at school.
- Key Club - \$500 for the Model UN Convention in March. Funds are needed for lodging and food over and above what the students have raised for their \$55 registration fees.
- Key Club/Toys for Tots - \$1,500 for the Toys for Tots gift program This year, the first 700 toys received will be given to Roger Dormire and the Healdsburg Food Pantry. The students need \$1,000 to purchase additional gifts and distribute them to local families.
- St. Patrick's Day - \$1,500 Kiwanis of Healdsburg is now a sponsor of this celebration. \$2,000 is needed for music, dancers and sound. Lucy Lewand has offered a gift of \$500 for the event, making up the total needed.

Financials

- Ron Doble's financial reports were approved.
- Dick Bugarske reviewed his proposal for rearranging our four funding sources to provide clear opportunities to support our new 501(c)3 Foundation Fund, the Endowment/Legacy Fund and will provide consistent and sustainable funding of our Administration Fund. This plan was presented at the October 1st Club meeting with unanimous support. The Board approved the proposal.

Committee Reports

- The Tim Flannery Concert, set for February 22, 2020 is well underway Vern Loch is chairing the event.
- The Hall of Fame event made \$400-500. Approximately 90 people attended this year.

Meeting Programs

Nov 12: Dick Bugarske – Veterans Day thoughts

On the day after Veterans Day Dick reflected on the significance of Veterans Day and summarized the origin and evolution of the observance. What we now celebrate as Veterans Day was established following the Armistice ending World War I in 1918 by President Woodrow Wilson.

“To us in America, the reflections of Armistice Day will be filled with solemn pride in the heroism of those who died in the country’s service and with gratitude for the victory, both because of the thing from which it has freed us and because of the opportunity it has given America to show her sympathy with peace and justice in the councils of the nations...”

In 1954 the U.S. Congress amended the 1968 law declaring “Armistice Day” a legal holiday to include ALL veterans of war and the designation was officially changed to “Veterans Day” by proclamation by President Eisenhower.

- American Revolution - 217,3000 Served (1775-1783)
- War of 1812 – 290,000 Served (1812-1814)
- Mexican- American War – 78,000 Served (1845-1848)
- Civil War – 2.2 Million Served (1861-1865)
- Spanish-American War – 306,000 Served (1898)
- World War I – 4.7 Million Served (1917-1918)
- World War II – 16 Million Served (1941-1945)
- Korean Conflict - 5.7 Million Served (1950-1953)
- Vietnam Conflict – 8.7 Million Served (1965-1975)
- Gulf Conflict – 2.2 Million Served (1990-1991)
- Current Conflicts - Over 1.3 Million Serving today

Over 43 million Americans have served this country since it’s birth. Currently, there are 24 million veterans living in the United States (over 18 million combat veterans).

Nov 19: Carly Moore, Sonoma County Dept. of Health Services – Vaping

Our speaker for the day, Carly Moore in a very informative presentation described the alarming recent jump in vaping among teens, the public health effects of vaping, vaping products, solutions and community education. Vaping is very appealing to youth because the flavors make it easy to hit, the devices are easy to hide and the nicotine makes it harder to quit.

The best approach to teen vaping deterrence is education provided by a partnership of parents, educators, and health care providers.

Parents are advised to open a dialog with their teens. Listen – a conversation will work harder than a lecture. Have many talks vs one big one – be there to talk through smart, healthy live choices. Talk science – Kids should know the dangers of nicotine. Blame flavors – help kids understand there is nicotine, aerosol and toxic chemicals in these fun sounding flavors.

Nov 26: - Fund raiser for Healdsburg Food Pantry

*Cindi Brown Says It's
Time For Wine!*



**Tuesday Night Kiwanis Meeting
A Thanksgiving Fund Raiser for the
Healdsburg Food Pantry**

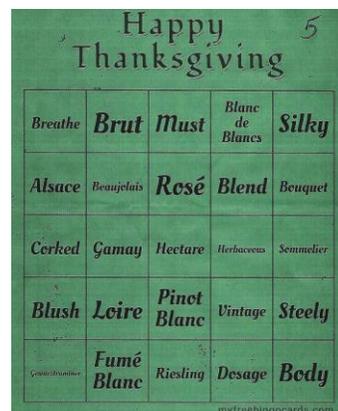
Wine Connoisseur Bingo
10 Winners get to choose
A Mystery Bottle of Wine

*\$10 a card
All proceeds to
Healdsburg Food Pantry*

*Wine tasting, snacks and
Wine Connoisseur Bingo*

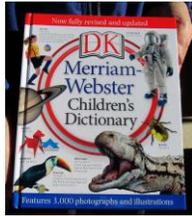
"A Night To Remember"

Cindi Brown and Dick Bugarske invented a new Bingo type game “Wine Connoisseur Bingo”. Instead of the usual numbers, the spaces on the cards contained names of wine varieties and wine industry nomenclature. At \$10 a card, \$205 was raised for the food pantry.



Dictionaries

There was a delay in obtaining the third grader's dictionaries this year. They have now been delivered and they will be distributed to all third graders at the local schools in early December.



Lucy Lewand competes in Dancing with the Stars

Our own Lucy Lewand along with her Pro partner Rafael Candelas competed in the Red Carpet Finale, Best of the Best Dancing with the Stars event held at the Raven Theater on November 9.



Lucy Lewand and her Pro Partner Rafael Candelas

The Red Carpet Finale featured the Best of the Best from past year's Stars and Pros. It was the ninth and final year for the Raven's wildly popular fundraiser. Audience members and the public voted for their favorite dance team by making donations. Each dollar donated was a vote for a favorite team. The "Popular Vote" Trophy was awarded to the highest vote-getter. Teams were also judged by a

trio of professional dance judges for the "Judges Choice" award.

Lucy and her then pro partner Zach Crawford were the First Place Popular Choice Award Winners in the 2013 competition. Lucy won the Popular Choice Award again this year with her Pro Partner Rafael Candelas.

Birthdays

Loretta Strong

Loretta asked her favorite people to sing a happy birthday song.



Dan & Jan Gianni, Jerry Strong, Roger Dormire

\$\$ Happy/Sad \$\$

Dick Bugarske happy that 200 people including Key Clubbers showed up to help out at the food bank.

Jan Gianni happy to look forward to completing their travels in 2019 to New Zealand.

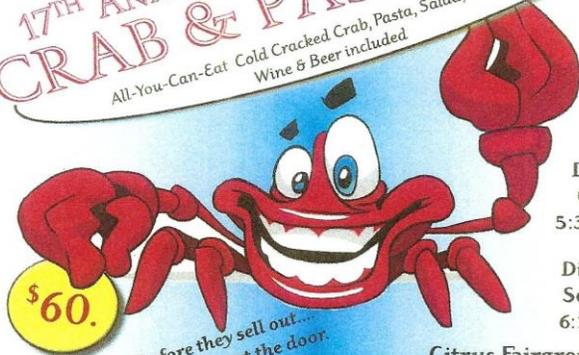
Susan Sheehy sad that her power will be turned off again. "I hate it".

Cindi Brown sad that one of her beehives is gone. It was weakened by smoke.



The Builder - - KIWANIS CLUB OF HEALDSBURG

**SATURDAY,
DEC. 7th**
**17TH ANNUAL CLOVERDALE KIWANIS
CRAB & PASTA FEED**
All-You-Can-Eat Cold Cracked Crab, Pasta, Salad, & Dessert
Wine & Beer included



Get your tickets before they sell out...
as there are no ticket sales at the door.

Doors
Open
5:30pm

Dinner
Served
6:15pm

Citrus Fairgrounds
Auditorium, Cloverdale

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one child and one community at a time.



The Kiwanis club of Cloverdale is a group of volunteers dedicated to improving our community. We perform many hands-on service projects and raise funds to support our schools, scholarships, boys & girls club, 4-H, scouting and many other worthy causes. Proceeds from this event will be used to support our local community. Contributions to the Kiwanis Club of Cloverdale Foundation, a 501 (c)(3) organization, are tax-deductible to the extent allowed by law.

SPECIAL EVENT!
February 22, 2020
6:30pm

**RAVEN
PERFORMING
ARTS THEATER**

FLANNERY
and the **TUNATIC FRINGE**

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