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THIS WEEK

Everyone who attended the interclub meeting at Mark West Springs knows that our Music Committee is far from just an "in name only" group this year. To observe Music Week this committee under the chairmanship of Tom Beahn will present the well known local accordion trio composed of Patsy Rued, LaVerne Rotlisberger, and Carol Ann Buchignani.

Harold Phillips and Shelford Hiatt of Cloverdale, both members of the County Water Problems Committee, will give us some much needed insight with regard to the Coyote Dam question which will come before the voters of Sonoma County on May 10th. Tom Beahn will act as program chairman.

TANKS!

Thanks to the many men - Earl, Ed N., Chas. E., Ted, Len, Burnett, Ed L., Harry, Ed Q., Jim, Bill W., Bob M., Walt, Sid, Jack W., By, - who put time and artistic effort into painting of mail boxes. Special bouquet to Russ for the details that were worked out before hand.

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The Board of Directors has been changed. Ed Langhart has cordially invited one and all to his house for serious conflag and delightful hospitality. Len has found that this retired life is no life of ease.

F. F. A. FAIR

I hear that the Ag and Conservation Committee has been working on the Booth for the F. F. A. Fair. This is Kiwanis in action.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

Public School week is past, but the always cursed, never applauded Kiwanians of the School Boards go on. Hats off to Burnett and Ed Neilsen of the Elementary, Chas. East, Clint Robinson, Ted Kellogg of the High School and Chuck of the Sotoyome Schools.

FOOD FOR THOUGHT

A word of kindness is seldom spoken in vain, while witty sayings are as easily lost as pearls slipping from a broken string.

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THIS WEEK

Emil Carlson will bring us Paul H. Brown, manager of the Santa Rosa office of Reynolds & Company, who has chosen The Stock Exchange as the subject of today's program.

MONTHLY BOARD MEETING

From Ed Langhart's living room window, the members attending this meeting enjoyed a splendid view of the Illuminated Cross on Fitch Mountain.

Al Huddart's financial statement for April brought more solace. The Club is comfortably solvent, with \$4500 in the bank to back up administrative youth work, and luncheon budgets.

In this atmosphere of spiritual and financial well being, the Board decided that the luncheon fund was too high, and reduced the monthly charge from \$5.70 to \$5.00.

COYOTE DAM PROJECT

Don't forget to go to the polls today, and cast your ballot on this important matter.

The Board discussed this proposition at considerable length last Tuesday, and decided to endorse the project.

MAIL BOX PAINTING

President Chuck announced that another round of mail box painting is scheduled for May 14th and 15th. At this time errors reported to the committee will be corrected and new boxes painted. Place orders at Wainscott Stationery, the Post Office or the Bank.

This fund raising project has netted about \$300 for youth work to date.

BOYS CLUB BOXING

Ross MacKechnie reported that a return bout between the Santa Rosa and Healdsburg Boy's Clubs is planned for June 3rd. The boys will meet in Healdsburg this time, and all proceeds will be retained here.

These bouts are outstanding entertainment and deserve a much larger attendance than they have been drawing. Tell your friends!

F. F. A. FAIR

The Board voted \$25.00 for the F. F. A chapter treasury, and a prize of \$10.00 for the best F.F. A. project this year. Winners in the various classes will receive ribbons.

A new Kiwanis booth for the F. F. A. Fair is under construction at Charlie East's rancho. The blueprints are still under wraps.

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Dr. Alvin Hunter, Professor of Psychology and Anthropology at Santa Rosa Junior College, has chosen "Peace and Poverty" as his topic for today's program. Charles East, today's program chairman, brings us this outstanding speaker.

FUTURE FARMERS' COUNTY FAIR WEEK

Prepare to be drafted at this meeting for a two-hour tour of duty in "The Gold Fish Bowl". Most of the members will be needed to keep this booth operating from Thursday through Saturday this week.

Before attending this luncheon, it would be a good idea to straighten your string tie and make sure that your chaps are buckled on securely. President Chuck is planning a rough time for any tenderfoots he meets today.

KIWANIS INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION

A Special Board meeting was called last Tuesday to elect an official delegate to the Fortieth International Convention, to be held in Cleveland, Ohio, June 26th to 30th.

We are pleased to announce that Al Huddart, Treasurer and Past-President of this club will represent us at the Convention.

If any of you Westerners' would like Al to call on down East folks or bring back a new whipple tree, you had better see Al, Pronto.

NEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Voters in the Healdsburg School District will decide at the polls on June 7th whether or not a new Elementary School should be built in Healdsburg.

A program is being arranged to bring the facts before the Club members and give them an opportunity to ask questions.

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One of this year's outstanding programs is coming up today. Finny Frisch brings us Carl W. Wynkoop, Deputy Attorney General of the State of California, who will discuss "Narcotics".

NEW ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

By Gibbs will explain at this meeting the proposition which goes before the voters in the Healdsburg Elementary School District on June 7th. By will also try to answer questions provided they bear some relation to the subject he is discussing.

KEY CLUB

Inauguration of Key Club officers for the next school year will take place at our May 31st luncheon. All Key Club members are invited.

The Key Club has had an outstanding year under the guidance of President Richard Howell and school Advisor Norman Schrieter. Nine boys went to San Bernardino in May to attend the District Convention. The Club is building a road sign for the Senior High to be erected at the school entrance on Powell Avenue.

HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATES

All 106 graduates of the Senior High School have been invited to have lunch with us June 14th.

KIWANIS PICNIC

Ted Kellogg expects to present the final plans for the Kiwanis Picnic at lunch today.

PRESIDENTIAL ANNOUNCEMENT

President Chuck is going to issue a special invitation today. You might be the lucky one!

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The Key Club meets with us today in the auditorium. Installation of the Club's new officers for the 1955-1956 School year will be in order. Ed Nielsen, Chairman of the Key Club Committee, will act as program Chairman.

WELCOME! WELCOME! WELCOME! WELCOME!

A warm welcome to each of the four promising new members who have recently joined our Club.

Of course "Rod" Rodden is not exactly a new member. He is just back from a long year-end vacation. We note he still has a predilection for a spot at the table where most of the missils come from. We're glad to have you with us again, Rod.

Charles Ackley, formerly a member of Kiwanis in Santa Rosa, has joined our group now that he is Administrator of the Healdsburg General Hospital. Charlie still lives at 1818 4th Street in Santa Rosa, but he may eventually settle down in Healdsburg.

Frank Thrall, whom many of you knew in the days when he owned the Los Lomas Ranch, is now operating an appliance business on North Street. Frank is a man of action and President Chuck can be counted on to put all that energy to work.

Our newest member is Charles E. Castle, a past president of the Kiwanis Club of Stanwood, Washington. Charlie spends most of his spare time commuting between his home in Sonoma and the office of the California Timber Products Co. in Healdsburg, where he is Sales Manager. We hope Charlie will feel free to explain from time to time how things are done in Stanwood. Our officers are always looking for new ideas.

THE GOLDFISH BOWL

Salutations to Len Boyd and his committee for their outstanding job of building the booth and distributing the goldfish at the F. F. A. Fair.

This project required a lot of planning and more hard work. Nevertheless everything appeared on schedule, down to the cracked ice to cool the fish.