



# The Kiwanian

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## Kiwanis Club of Hermosa Beach Meeting

Date: January 21, 2009

*We all sang*



Flag Salute:

**Mike G**

Invocation:

**Rev Rachael**



**Welcome Back Don**



**Special Presentation**



**Badge for  
Sabrina Terzian**

Guest of Rick K - **Bill Feebo**



Builders Club - **Arley & Fiona**



### **Announcements**

January 28<sup>th</sup> Speaker: Vince Ray - of the Chevron Surf Camp for Kids

January 29<sup>th</sup> El Segundo Interclub lunch at the Hacienda Hotel

February 4<sup>th</sup> Speaker: Silvia M Gutierrez Director of Programs for the Alisa Ann Ruch Burn Foundation

February 11<sup>th</sup> Speaker: Craig Leach CEO of Torrance Memorial Medical Center on the Center's expansion and its role in our community and the South Bay.

February 18<sup>th</sup> Speaker: Marianne Vecchione, Founder of "With One Heart" Emancipated Foster Youth Program

February 28<sup>th</sup> Convention at the Town & Country Resource and Convention Center in San Diego

March 4<sup>th</sup> Speaker: Carmen Apelgren from the Braille Institute

March 7<sup>th</sup> Woman's Club fundraiser at Kiwanis Builder "Adrienne's Cure for Childhood Cancer"

**Note:** Earl announced Kiwanis is being terminated from the "Adapt a Highway" program. The City will now do it!



### Fines

**Whit** Amy, Joanne and Carey

**Fink** Paul — Dick and Joanne

**No Pins:** 6

**Raffle:** 21 cards Pot is worth \$ 46.00  
Joker is worth \$ 106.00



Whit drew  
the 9 of spades

Next weeks fink #649167

### **Birthdays**

**Fiona and Dorothy**



### **HAPPY/SAD \$\$\$\$\$**

**Don P** **HAPPY** to learn Kiwanis was founded in 1915

**Jeff** **SAD** The President's husband (*Greg*) committed a crime -was on the cell phone while driving

**Dick** **HAPPY** Don D is back and surgery was a success

**Rachel** **Happy** in 2 weeks will have a four week vacation; **SAD** will miss Kiwanis

**Rick K** **SAD** His mother is back in the hospital; **HAPPY** to have Don D back; **HAPPY** progress is being made on the remodel of the theatre lobby at the community Center

**Pat Love** **HAPPY** to have Eric back as a speaker

**Debbie** **HAPPY** Don is home and doing better

**Amy** **HAPPY** Just spent 2 weeks in Panama with boy friend, Shane, visiting the area he served when in the Peace Corp; **HAPPY** receive 40 front row tickets to a Lakers game for the Sunshine Kids; **HAPPY** will take them skiing but need a cabin in the Big Bear area for one night.

**Cathy** **HAPPY** to have Builders Club members attending Kiwanis; **HAPPY** to have Don D back

**Jan** **HAPPY** To have Don D back; **HAPPY** with our new president we have more diversity; **HAPPY** this diversity had spread to Hermosa Beach and will be expressed about the Bike Path Plan at the Public Works hearing Wednesday evening.

**WHIT** **JUST HAPPY**

**Fiona** **SAD** Her real dad when to prison (he had 3 strikes);

**HAPPY** her mother is out of jail and in a program

**Mike G** **HAPPY** Fiona is not in jail and **HAPPY** Arley and Fiona are here

**Adrienne** **HAPPY** 9 "women" including herself, Debbie D and Dorothy are going to Costa Rico

**Joni** **SAD** there is a conspiracy to steal her bell; **HAPPY** Fiona shared her story



### **GUEST SPEAKER**

**Eric Latham**, Motivational Speaker and Public Activist

This is a return visit for Eric who walked across America. Eric updated us on his life and causes. Also, his grandfather, Vincent Latham, was the City manager of Hermosa Beach "years ago"



## **HAIL KIWANIS**