
MAY 6, 2010

THIS WEEK:

The **next meeting** of the Tri-Valley Executives' Association will be held on **May 13** at Vic's All-Star Kitchen at 7:00am.

GREETERS will be **Skip Hinsley** of Girasole Grill and **Mona Fox** of Design Works.

Jeff Johnson of **Next Energy Solar** will be giving the rest of his CLASSIFICATION (his time ran short on the first go round).

VALUE:

Mark Van Slambrook of The Swenson Group Business Technologies gave us the dictionary definition of

val-ue (vāl' yoo) *n.*

1. An amount, as of goods, services, or money, considered to be a fair and suitable equivalent for something else; a fair price or return.
2. Monetary or material worth.
3. Worth in usefulness or importance to the possessor; utility or merit.

The real value of the Association, Mark realized when he attended the celebration of life for Jim Bowen's wife; along with himself, there were 10 other members/spouses that were there to support Jim. The value is that it is not **just** a networking group, it's the membership that reaches out and offers its support to each other.

DID YOU GIVE A LEAD THIS WEEK?

MEMBER NEWS:

Roman Holiday Salon has moved; the new address is 4625 First Street, Suite 225 in Pleasanton. They are having trouble with the phone company, so if you need to contact either Mike or Sherri, here are their cell phone numbers: Mike 325-2942, Sherri 325-2941.

Who can you invite to a meeting this week?

COMMUNITY EVENTS:

Dave Cherry of Big O Tires still has **Giants tickets** available; please call him at 462-7650 to see if the game you want is still available.

Spirit Run: The Pleasanton Rotary Club is holding its annual 5K/10K run to raise scholarship funds for college-bound youth on June 10th. As in past years, Jan Batcheller will be serving mimosas in her front yard to TVEA members who join the run. More information at: www.spiritrn.com.

Wine Stroll: Pleasanton Kiwanis Club presents its 2010 "Sunday Stroll" restaurant and wine tasting walking tour at 2 p.m. May 16, starting at Gay 90's Pizza, 288 Main St. Tour includes Oasis Grille, Pastas, Amarones, Vic's All Star Cafe, Little Valley Winery and Gourmet Works. Enjoy a leisurely Sunday afternoon of wine tasting and hors d'oeuvres at seven great restaurants and ending with a dinner at Vic's All Star Cafe. Cost is \$40. Space is limited to 125 tourists. Call 846-5858 or 484-0789.

THE WEEKLY "POT" REPORT: TVEA's 50/50 raffle started last week with a new format.

The new draw **guarantees** a winner every week. We will begin with just 13 marbles: 10 white, 2 blue, 1 red. Every week the person with the winning raffle ticket will draw a marble and be awarded cash from the pot.

White marbles: \$5

Blue marbles: \$10

Red marble: the **Pot**

This week, **Mike Peel** of Keller Williams Tri-Valley Realty drew a white marble and won \$5 cash.

The current pot is now up to **\$62.00**.



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MEMBERSHIP PROPOSAL:

2nd Posting:

Proposing Member: Harvey Tulchinsky

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If you have any questions or comments about or objection to the proposed member, please contact the Chairman of the Membership Committee: Dan Brown 242-7798.
