

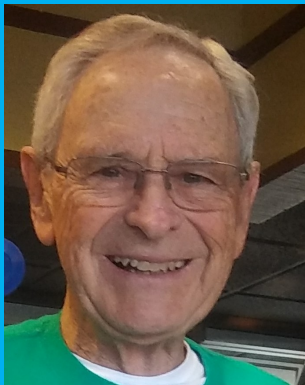


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CLUB OF MISSION VIEJO

MADNESS NEWSLETTER—February 6, 2021

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—KEITH SIMS —

50 YEARS

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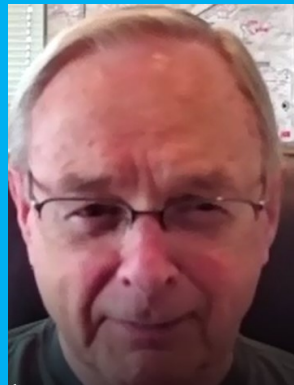
—OLLIE VAUGHAN —

47 YEARS

JOINED FEB. 19, 1974

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BOB FIGEIRA



—GREG GUTH—

46 YEARS

JOINED JAN.27, 1975

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—ED MITCHELL—

44 YEARS

JOINED APRIL 19, 1977

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One hundred Valentine's Day treat bags were contributed through Kiwanis to the Capo Unified School District. Head Elf Stephanie organized the program for the club with help from Larry, Jeff, Pat, Warren and special Friends of Kiwanis, Liz and Max.



See's candy available

Email Pete today to reserve a box

Pete is in possession of six boxes of See's Candy just in time for a treat on Valentine's Day. His supply includes three Nuts and Chews and three Assorted. All are one pound boxes.

The special price to Kiwanis members is \$15 a box. He also has a Gift Card to See's available for \$20.

Acquiring these gifts requires an email to Pete who will sell to the first people to inquire.

Reach him at zim4re@aol.com



At Tuesday's Meeting

MEMBERS: Barbara, Sharon, Pete, Jeff, Pat, Warren, Steph, Bill, Ollie, Kathy, Keith, Larry, Rod and a special guest appearance by Hugh as Zoom technical advisor to Pat.

GUEST: Jessica Nguyen

SONG: "I've Got You Babe," Sonny and Cher, with scenes from "Groundhog Day."

FLAG SALUTE: Warren

WORDS OF WISDOM: (from Jeff)

"Only two things are infinite, the universe and human stupidity, and I'm not sure about the former. "

—Albert Einstein

Jeff reported on Groundhog Day which is only observed in the U.S. and Canada. The word from Pennsylvania is to expect six more weeks of winter after groundhog Phil emerged with his prediction.

MEMBER HAPPENINGS:

OLLIE: Thanks to the club for sending a plant to Edna after her recent hospital stay. "It was beautiful," he reports.

PAT: She and Hugh got COVID vaccinations at Soka University. Both experienced flu-like symptoms for two days after.

PETE: He reported no reaction after receiving a vaccination, also at Soka where he was in line behind a 100-year-old man who carried a chair with him to rest while in the line.

LARRY: He was in and out of Soka for his shot in 20 minutes. He also enjoyed a pickleball outing with his daughter Emily.

JEFF: He discovered the beautiful panoramic view from Top of the World in Laguna Beach. **Kathy** says she hikes up there regularly..... (NOT!)

PETE: Talked to **Bob Gaebel** who reports work is progressing on repairs to their LaQuinta house damaged by a water leak.

**BOARD OF DIRECTORS
MEETING TUESDAY
8-9 A.M. VIA ZOOM
ALL CLUB MEMBERS
WELCOME TO ATTEND**



Jessica Nguyen visited the club on Tuesday via Zoom from her Mission Viejo home.

Incoming Key Club Lt.Gov. is student at Mission High

Jessica Nguyen was elected to serve as the Key Club Lieutenant Governor for Division 4 South at a conclave of her peers three weeks ago. She will take office April 1 and oversee the activities and growth of 10 high school Key Clubs from San Clemente to Santa Ana which encompasses 400 Key Club members.

Jessica is a junior at Mission Viejo High School where she is an "All A" student and a member of several honor societies. She is a member of the Model UN program, vice president of the teen auxiliary at Mission Hospital and a Girl Scout since the second grade.

Her father is a structural engineer and her Mom is at home. Her brother is a student at UC Berkeley in pre-med. She plans to attend UCLA and also pursue a pre-med course.

Her major emphasis will be to grow membership despite the COVID constraints which has limited gatherings to virtual events.

Her motto is a takeoff on an old standard: "Rise and Grind!"