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It's that time of year to reward the Park Avenue Community Center with a gift for their generous support of our club month after month (no rent). A new movie screen was on their wish list so the Board voted to purchase one. It will be presented to them at the May meeting. I'm sure they will be happy and we'll benefit as well by using it for our meetings.

May has it's share of fun events, starting with camping in the pines up at Pinezanita the 4th to the 10th, with fishing at Lake Cuyamaca. Next is the annual Fish Fry on the 16th at Lake Dixon with Al and Simone Green again putting it together for our enjoyment. Get signed up at the meeting and offer your help if you're available.

On the 17th, a Saltwater Trip is planned. Get signed up with Barbara G.

Oh, I almost forgot; Ladies, bring dessert to share to the Fish Fry if you can. Thanks so much.

I know this is an active fishing club, but I wanted to point out that the ladies also have a very active group of quilters when they go camping. They love to have new members join in. No experience is needed, as long as you have a sewing machine. Plenty of help is available to get you started.

Anyhow, the month of May is going to be another busy one, so hope you will join in on as many activities that you can fit in!

Remember to have fun and keep fishing!

Bill Kirchnavy
President

"FISH AND PLAY THE SENIOR ANGLER WAY"

PROGRAM



MAY SPEAKER



Wendy Tochihara is a multi-talented lady. Wendy began her professional career at a very young age when she and her twin sister became child actresses. Some of you may have seen her in various TV commercials or as a guest star on Kung Fu, Medical Center or the Rosanne Show. She has performed on stage in the King and I, with Yul Brenner and Samantha Eggar. and in Anna and the King, with Ricardo Montalban and Sally Anne Howes.

Today, Wendy is the National Sales Manager for **Izorline International**. In her spare time she is a professional tournament fisher in many Southern California freshwater and ocean fishing events. She has a variety of well known sponsorships from boat, rod and reel and other fishing corporations.

As if she has nothing else to do, Wendy can be seen on a number of TV fishing shows, including ESPN's Destination Outdoors, and heard throughout Southern California as Co-host of a Sports Fishing Talk Radio.

We are really privileged to have Wendy come talk to us once again. Lets have a great turnout for a great guest speaker.

Dick Montague
Program Director

Senior Anglers of Escondido

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FRESH WATER

LOCAL LAKES

Lake Wohlford - The final Trout plant of the season has occurred, so come out and catch them while you still can. The bite has been good, for a skip week, with a good number of fish being caught in Willow Cove and along Senior Shoreline. Mouse tails, inflated night crawlers, and salmon eggs have been the top baits. Catfish are coming to the nets while bass fishing has tapered off.

Dixon Lake fishing from Trout Cove and Jack Creek Cove has been the most productive with Boat Dock Cove and the Buoy line being a close second. Most fish are in the 2 pound range with an occasional 5 or 6 pound trout coming off the scales. The AM bite has been the key to a good start and lasting several hours, then the bite slowly tapering off...then picking up again in the late afternoon. The last stock was planted with 3000 lbs. of Nebraska "Tail walker" trout on 04/24/13.

Lake Poway was stocked with 1,500 pounds of Tailwalking Rainbow Trout on Wednesday, April 17! The next and final stock will be May 1.

Lake Cuyamaca has had a recent midge hatch and there are flying ants (termites) everywhere. That puts a definite dent in the fish being taken out here at the Lake. However, anglers are still using night crawlers and pink mouse tails for some nice fish.



UPCOMING TRIPS



Pinezanita /Lake Cuyamaca

May 4-9, 2013

We are going to have seventeen rigs plus a resident for a great time. Jim Stevenson will be wagon Master.

Pine Cliff (June Lake)

September 15th -22nd 2013.

Please see **Margie and Gene Lovelady** to sign up for this great camping and fishing adventure.

Pinezanita /Lake Cuyamaca

October 20th - 24th, 2013.

Betty and Larry Allen will soon give us the details on this outing.

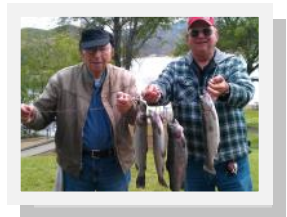
Lake Hemet

November 17th to 21st, 2013

Carol and Ron Parker will be hosting this outing. Signup's will be announced.

CLUB FISHING DERBY

The weather was great and the Tail Walkers were biting. Larry Jauret, back from catching all those Florida giant bass, took first place with a 2 lb. 13 oz. Tail Walker . Al Ashuckian took both second and third place with a 2 lb. 10 oz. and a 1 lb. 13 oz. trout respectively. We all enjoyed a great lunch with BBQ hot dogs and all the trimmings due to the great effort of Cheryl Brandstrom and Ron Parker. Thanks again to you both for a great lunch.



FRESH WATER (CONT.)

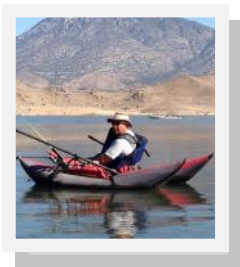
TRIP REPORT

Lake Isabella (Trip Report by Dave Gehrke)

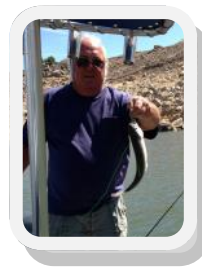
Our April camp was held at Lake Isabella. We stayed at the local KOA, which gave us a 50 percent discount. The group was small (7 rigs) but would classify as a wonderful trip.

Of the 117 fish caught, the largest was caught by **John Perdue** (4 lb. bass) for the first 3 day pay out and by **Priscilla Melton**, our newest member, for the 2nd 3 day payout. **Mike Springer** landed the largest trout at 1 #8 oz.

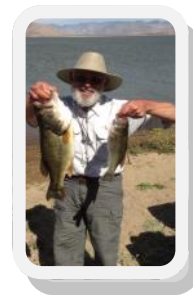
Mike and Karen brought their boat, the Purdue's and **Melton's** had kayaks, and **Dave** had his inflatable. **Mike** took several of the fisherman out on his boat to try their luck on the water.



Dave and Linda

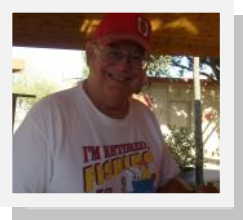


Mike's Winner

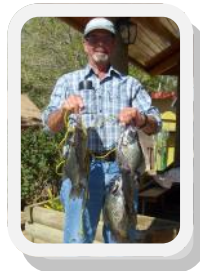


John's 4 lb. Bass

Chef **Larry Jauret** prepared an excellent fish fry for the group with the big catch of crappie. And, as always, the food and desserts were wonderful.



Larry, the Chef



For the Fish Fry



Dave's little steak



We also had some wonderful dinners in local restaurants. The whole group went to McNally's on the Kern and Sierra Vista, both excellent places to eat. The ladies took a couple of really nice day trips to Kernville and Bakersfield.



At DeWar's Ice Cream-Ask them what they had for lunch..

Everyone is looking forward to next year.

Jim Stevenson
Vice President

SALT WATER

SALTWATER TRIPS

We have 4 spots left on the June 21-23 day and a half trip to San Clemente Island or Albacore if they are around. There will be an additional charge if it is Albacore due to the additional fuel needed.

The 3/4 day trips are as follows:

June 17 has 2 openings

July 15 has 2 openings

October 14 has 8 open spots



We will probably add a couple of trips at the end of the year but they have not been scheduled yet.

CABO TRIP

There is **only ONE SPOT** left, so you need to let Barbara know NOW if you are interested. Sign up at the May meeting or call **Barbara** or e-mail to bgattuso@san.rr.com.



Barbara Gattuso
Vice President

*****SAVE A LIFE*****

CPR TRAINING

There will be a CPR/AED class after the May meeting. If you want to be in the class and have not signed up with Ron Parker you **MUST** call **Barbara Gattuso** **ASAP** (858)774-6724.



PUBLIC RELATIONS

NEW SPONSERS

Thanks to our new club sponsors, **Sonrise RV** and **Kirchnavy Construction**. We appreciate their support and hope you will keep them in mind if you should need their services.

Club members are encouraged to solicit local businesses to become sponsors, which helps us to participate in the many community service projects.

Ron Casapulla
PUBLIC RELATIONS

CLUB FUN

ITALIAN FESTA



The 5th Annual ESA Italian Festa was held at Lake Dixon on Tuesday April 30th, 2013. Although we expected to feed well over 70 folks including members, guests and park rangers, the final crowd was just a tad over 50 due to the large number of "no-shows", both paid and even some unpaid which are now considered IOU's.

The weather cooperated fully with bright sunshine, warm temperatures and only a hint of a gentle breeze.

As usual, the menu consisted of Italian sausage hot off the charcoal grill served on fresh Italian bread with peppers and onions and a generous side of freshly made tortellini pasta with pesto sauce. It appeared that no one went home hungry!

The "HONOR ROLL" for this event consists of:

Ron Parker & Wil Cozzens for again acting as my grill masters;

Tony Johnson as the sausage "caddy";

Anitra Gehrke for handling the check-ins and providing the Italian Spumoni and Neapolitan Sherbet;

Karen & Mike Springer for conducting the 50/50;

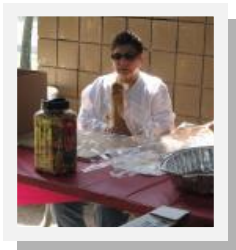
Carol Parker for event photographer taking loads of great pix;

Cheryl Brandstrom for pitching in as my able assistant for the shopping, hauling, storing and pre-cooking the onions and the sausages;

AND very special thanx, huggs, and kisses to my lovely wife **Loretta** for sharing her many culinary talents and overall support of this event.

And lest I forget, thank all you ladies for the great desserts and also thanks to all those who helped with the set-up and cleanup of the picnic area.

And for all those who missed this picnic, there's always next year!!



Ron Casapulla
Event Chairman

CLUB FUN

Fish Fry Plus



Fish Tacos - Fish - Taters - Salad - Deserts
 Thursday May 16th, 2013 @ 11:30 Lake Dixon



Fish in the morning
 then chow down with
 a few fish tacos and
 some taters and cake.



Save your catch!



May 16 @ Lake Dixon



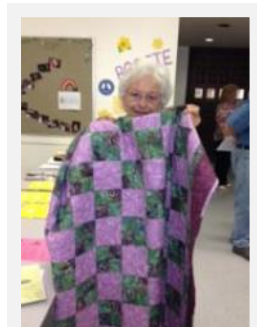
See Al or Simone Green .
 Phone—760 740-0466

Deserts

QUILTERS CORNER

THREE QUILTS

Our Quilters got a call that there were THREE new girls at Mary's House in Escondido. We had two quilts on hand, but needed a third. Nat Estes came to the rescue and whipped up a quilt in just a couple of weeks. Three young women were made happy with a welcoming gift as they start a new chapter in their lives.



COMMUNITY EVENTS

KIWANIS TROUT DERBY

This years Kiwanis Trout Derby had tons of big fish, beautiful weather, nice crowds and close to 200 youngsters that caught their first fish. What a thrill it was to see the kids coming off the dock with a plastic bag holding their very first fish “see my rainbow trout!” Our Senior Anglers were well represented helping at the kiddie ponds and registering and weighing the many many fish that were caught. The Senior Anglers had eight men and/or women at each morning and afternoon session, four each at the kiddie ponds and four at the weighing station. That’s 32 of us supporting this community event.

The Hidden Valley Kiwanis cub was very organized this year and worked closely with our people making sure all concerns and items were addressed. They published a flyer that was handed out to each participant that listed the rules, sponsors, prizes and paid tribute to our **Senior Anglers of Escondido** for our work and support. Saturday the Kiwanis club had a hamburger and hot dog BBQ for all the workers. They also arranged to have a few Junior Marines that assisted at the event.

There were thirteen winners that received various types of fishing tackle. The grand prize was a 10.14lb trout. Each day three adult anglers and three youths that entered the largest fish won awards. In addition to the 10 pounder we had fish on the board from 4 lbs. to over 9 lbs. and they were beautiful and were all Nebraska Tail-walkers.

I want to thank all those that volunteered to give their time and energy to assist in this derby. Because of your support to this event we can say that our club has indeed been a contributor to the city of Escondido and its many organizations that the Kiwanis Club supports. The money raised by the Kiwanis Club is given back 100% to the community. There is no overhead with this type of Community Service Organization. So guys and gals you can feel proud of yourselves. You just helped with a scholarship, care packages for the elderly and other worthwhile charities and you had fun doing it.



Cheryl Brandstrom



A Happy Fisherman



Kid’s Pool



Al Ashuckian



Mac and The Kids



A Winner

Ron Parker

COMMUNITY FISHING EVENTS

MEMBERSHIP



Happy May Birthday

To:

- 5/6 Tom Martinez
- 5/8 Bernadette Blaney
- 5/11 Dale Hallows
- 5/15 Sally Agent
- 5/20 Don Hunter
- 5/20 Buzz Brewer
- 5/21 Cheryl Brandstrom



A Big WELCOME to our NEW MEMBERS

**Bob and Priscilla Melton
And
Mark and Diana Miller**

*Thanks to Nat Estes, our Greeter for May!
See Cheryl if you can be a Greeter or Buddy for upcoming meetings.*

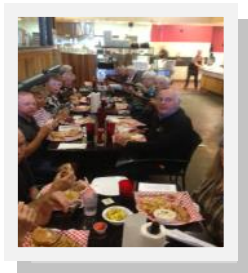


Happy Anniversary

To:

- 5/9 Eldon & Wanda McLaughlin
- 5/10 Jimmy Eghaneyan & Fariba Talebi
- 5/21 Jim & Marcia Walker

Our May Attendance Drawing For Mike's Bar-b-Que was awarded to: Marcia Walker



Cheryl Brandstrom
MEMBERSHIP

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

May 16	Fish Fry	Lake Dixon
May 4-10	Pinezanita/Lake Cuyamaca	Freshwater Campout
May 17-19	1 1/2 Day Rock Cod or SC Island	Saltwater
June 17	3/4 Day Local	Saltwater
June 15-22	Belize Trip	Saltwater
July 15	3/4 Day Local	Saltwater
July 21-23	1 1/2 Day Tuna	Saltwater
August	Annual Picnic	Lake Dixon
Aug 3-10	M Van Voorst Memorial Alaska	Saltwater
August 13-15	1 1/2 Day Tuna	Saltwater
Sept 8-10	1 1/2 Day Tuna	Saltwater
Sept 15-22	June Lake/Pine Cliff	Freshwater Campout
Oct 24	3/4 Day Local	Saltwater
Oct 20-24	Pinezanita/Lake Cuyamaca	Freshwater Campout
Oct 29-Nov 3	Annual Cabo Trip	Saltwater
Viejas	Viejas Trip	Fundraiser
November 14	Turkey Fry/Silent Auction	Lake Dixon
Nov 8 to 11	Escondido Trout Derby	Community Event
Nov 17-21	Lake Hemet	Freshwater Campout
December 4	Awards Banquet	



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A Senior Non-profit Organization chartered to promote sportsmanship in fresh-and-saltwater angling , demonstrate an appreciation for the environment and stay involved in the community.

Help us support these many community events with your sponsorship donations:

- . City of Escondido, Lake Wohlford - Basic Fishing Instructions Project
- . YMCA Youth Day, A Day of Fishing and Boating Project
- . Mary's House, Transitional Housing for Young Women - Quilting Project
- . City of Escondido, Lake Dixon - Annual Trout Derby
- . Kiwanis , Annual Trout Derby - Youth Fishing Pond Project
- . Joslyn Senior Center - Senior Citizens Appreciation Project

Additional information, see monthly newsletter donation sponsorship page on our website

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(\$25 Minimum - \$100 Maximum)

Senior Anglers of ESCONDIDO

210 PARK AVENUE, ESCONDIDO, CA 92025

Applicant FOR MEMBERSHIP

Membership in this Club shall be limited to any adult fifty (50) years of age or older. General Meetings are held the 2nd Friday of each month at 9:30 a.m. at the Park Avenue Community Center (formally the Joslyn Senior Center), 210 Park Ave., Escondido, CA. Annual Dues are \$15.00 payable with this application and include spouse. Annual Dues are due in the month of October and become delinquent after December 31st. A late fee of \$5.00 will be assessed. Newsletters are e-mailed to all members. For those members with no access to the internet, an additional \$5.00 mailing fee is required at the time of application.

Please complete this application fully. Use the name or names you prefer to be called by. Please list any special talents or interests in the Comments Section. When completed, return the application with \$15.00 to the Membership Chairperson at any meeting or to the above address. Thank you for your interest and good fishing to all. Remember to *Fish and Play the Senior Anglers Way*.

NAME AND ADDRESS

Last: _____ First: _____ Spouse: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ ZIP Code: _____

Telephone Number: () _____ Cell Number : () _____

Complete E-mail Address: _____

personal information

Applicant Birthday (Month & Day) _____ Spouse Birthday (Month & Day) _____

Wedding Anniversary (Month & Day) _____

Applicant Occupation or Former if Retired: _____

Spouse Occupation or Former if Retired: _____

type of fishing preferred (please check appropriate box)

Applicant: _____ Fresh Water: () _____ Saltwater: () _____

Spouse: _____ Fresh Water: () _____ Saltwater: () _____

additional information

Do you own or have access to an RV? Yes () No ()

Do you own or have access to a Boat? Yes () No ()

Do you own a computer? Yes () No () Could you assist the Club with Computer Work if Needed? Yes () No ()

Referred By: _____

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

Comments: _____