

JANUARY 2009

MEETING NOTES

The January Meeting will be on the 8th 6:30 pm at Adventure Park, 10130 Gunn Ave.

John Peel and Don Jenkins, Whittier High School Alumni who are refinishing the **WHS Auditorium** chair arms will speak about the project hoping WOW will get involved in the process. I have spoken to **John Peel** and I feel he can put our concerns to rest.

Meeting agenda will include reports to members and evaluations of our activities for 2009. Planning, goals and budgets will be discussed.

A schedule of open shops will be attempted for nine months. Only November, December and January will not have an open shop. The club needs nine of us to stand up for this activity.

Members will again be asked to commit to the number of cars they will make, each member will set their own numbers. This technique has resulted in a second record setting year.

Monte Koch will introduce the construction of the keepsake boxes he made and contributed to our toys. It is my hope that we will add these to increase the numbers of girls toys in our inventory.

Do not underestimate the importance of this meeting to you. This is the time to make WOW your club.

Christmas Party

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John Ford (626) 336-0189

I will take a moment to say THANK YOU to everyone who contributed to the success our potluck extravaganza. New guests included the Doll Project ladies and Roy Porter from Adams Lumber. Mr. Porter was presented a toy tanker truck made from the handrail he donated to the club. Again, Thank You All.

Christmas Parties

The Boys and Girls Club and Adventure Park parties were very successful. Party Coordinator **Lindsey Fisher** did an **outstanding** job of planning, purchasing supplies and arranging workers. Anything and everything we needed was there. Congratulations for a job well done to **Lindsey**.

Dues, Dues, Dues

Dues for 2009 are \$20.00 and payable to **Mike Scott**, Treasurer and Membership chairman. Please make checks to WOW. Paying by check simplifies bookkeeping and record keeping.

Lets make this easy and pay your dues this month and get this job completed.

CLUB SHOW 'N TELL

Show and Tell is Back. Now that all the annual toy functions are all completed and we are starting over, Show and Tell are back in our club meetings. We did see several items intended for gifts and door prizes that should have been shown. Too many to list them all.

Everyone is encouraged to bring a project for show and tell. It isn't bragging if it is fact.

Steering Committee

The Steering Committee meets on the Tuesday after the club regular meeting at the Whittier Senior Center at 13225 Walnut Ave. Starts at 7:00pm and is over at 8:00pm. The next meeting is Tuesday, January 13th

Free Online Connections

Free online computer connections and free instructions are available at the Whittier Main Library, the Whitwood Branch Library and Parnell Park Senior Center. You can view the website and read current and past ***Pushsticks***.

A library card is required at the libraries.

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Thank You, Bill, Julie and Harold

Late Bulletin. Mervyns, La Habra store is selling $\frac{3}{4}$ shelving for \$.25 ea.