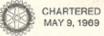
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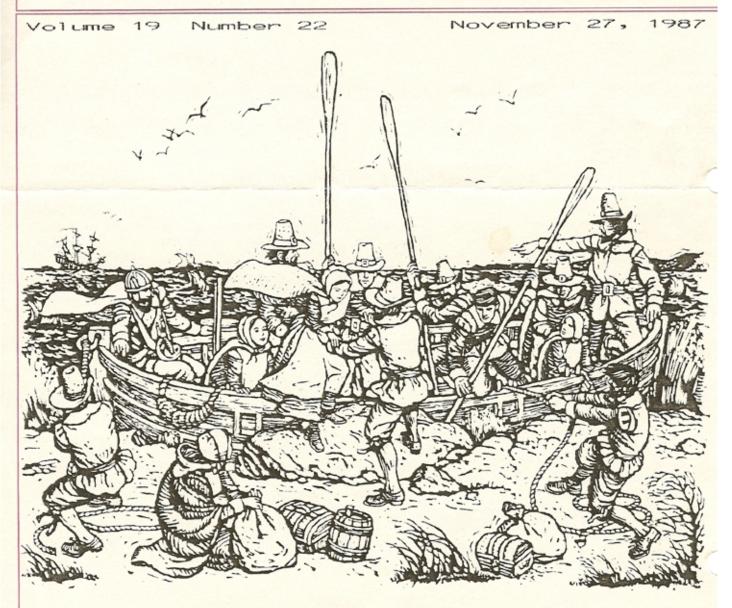
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Happy Thanksgiving!

President's Leaf

PIONEER HIGH SCHOOL INTERACT CLUB

The Pioneer High School Interact Club met last Thursday and the students discussed several projects which will ultimately benefit the poor and needy families of our community. They have again decided to participate in the Christmas Tree Decorating Contest at the City Plaza Park which is to be covered by KNTV on Saturday, December 12. Last year, their tree took first prize which won the Interact Club \$400. They, in turn, purchased canned foods with their winnings and along with other donations of food they collected, enabled them to provide many food baskets for the needy during the Holidays. This year, they will set up and man 10 food collection barrels throughout Pioneer High School and are going to give out a raffle ticket to each student who brings canned foods. A drawing will then be held for assorted prizes which they are soliciting from local merchants (i.e. pizzas, tickets to movies, clothing, gift certificates, etc.). If any members of Almaden Valley Rotary Club desire to donate toward their raffle, please contact JERRY GIBSON.

Also, at our own Rotary Club luncheons, we will be collecting canned foods which will be forwarded to the Interact Club for distribution. We will have a collection barrel at the Three Flames on Friday, November 27, December 4 and 11.

Please help in any way you can
Thanks!

CORRECTION OF LAST WEEK'S LPGA EDITORIAL

Last week, I stated amounts of contributions which would be donated to the various charitable organizations and retentions by Almaden Valley Rotary Club relative to the LPGA Food and Beverage Concessions project which were incorrect.

For the corrected records: Funds to be distributed to charitable organizations who provided labor assistance will be a total of approximately \$13,000 (subject to final accounting), which, when divided by their 1,678 total hours, equals \$7.80/hour. Almaden Valley Rotary will

receive approximately \$6,950, from which \$2,500 will be set aside for an emergency resource fund and will be capped at \$10,000 (\$2,500/yr. over 4 years) to guarantee the required "front monies" in order to participate in the LPGA Food and Beverage Concessions program. The balance of approximately \$4,450 is to be distributed to various needy organizations in our community as recommended by Scholarship and Awards Committee and approved by the Board of Directors. it appears that approximately \$17,550 will to be donated to local charitable causes due to our participation in the LPGA. That's what makes it al worthwhile Thanks to all who helped make it possible!

MID-YEAR POLIOPLUS BANQUET

The annual Mid-Year Banquet featuring Rotary International President, Charles C. Keller, is scheduled for Saturday, January 2 at the Marriott Hotel in Santa Clara. Almaden Valley Rotary Club will be reserving two tables for the event which will enable our contingent to be seated together. Cost is \$45.00/couple or \$22.50 each. Contact me for your reservations now. As of this writing, we have room for 3 couples at the club's two reserved tables.

UPCOMING HOLIDAY SOCIAL FUNCTIONS

Coming just around the corner is the Annual Christmas Party which is always well attended. The gala luncheon scheduled for Friday, December 18 at noon (note the 12 noon starting time) at the Almaden Country Club. Bring your spouse or guest don't miss this highly popular luncheon. Thursday evening, December 31, is the Annual New Year's Eve Party scheduled to be held at the new home of JERRY and JANE ENGLES in Monte Sereno. This function is a great opportunity to become better acquainted with the members and their wives/guests, so mark your calendars now and plan to attend.