

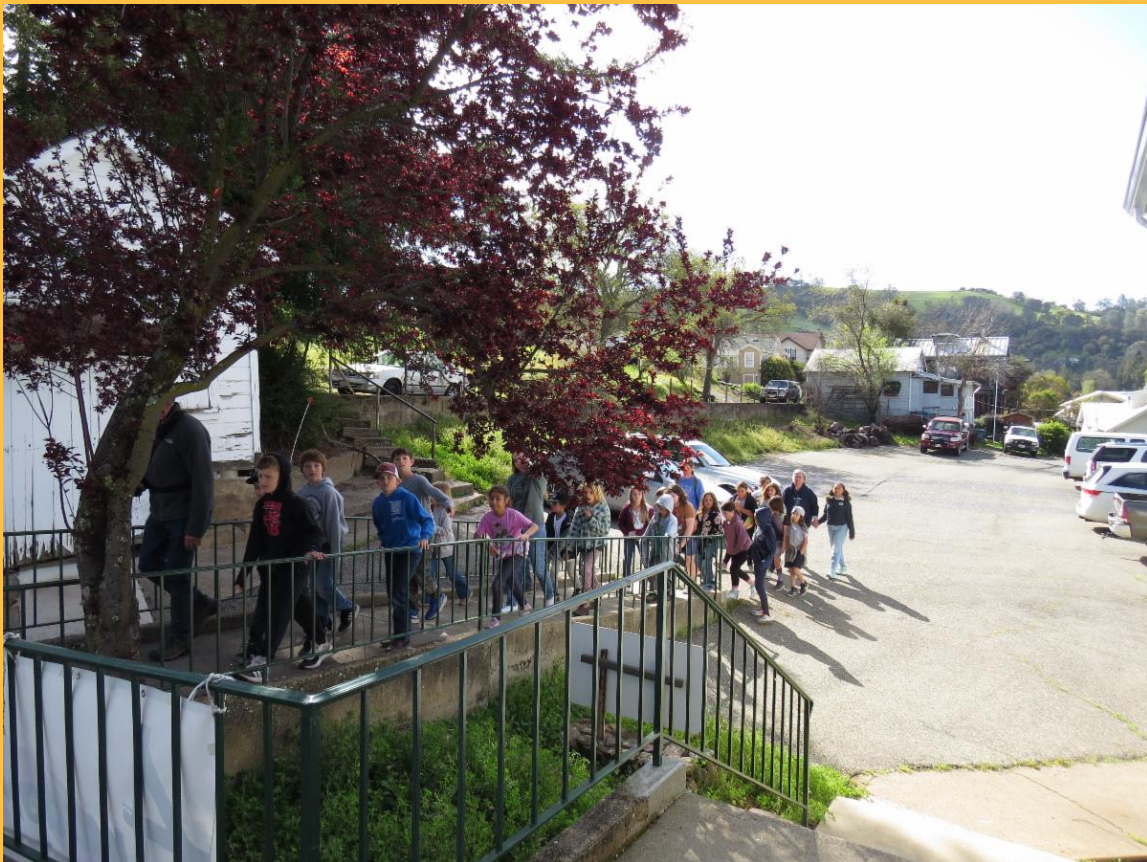
Sutter Creek Community Benefit Foundation

April Newsletter, 2024

Special Edition Newsletter

Apologies to you all for the tardiness of this (or last) month's newsletter. We'll hope you find it worth the wait.

March 26, 2024 was a special day here in Sutter Creek. Mrs. Churchill and Mrs. O'Neill-Luevano, are both teachers at the Sutter Creek Elementary School on Spanish Street near the high school. They arranged with Frank Cunha, Director at the Knight Foundry, for their 3rd grade classes to take a walking tour of the town visiting various historical sites and public offices.



Kelly Churchill, aided by Susan Dorris with high school volunteer Ashlyn Churchill, and Kelly O'Neill-Luevano aided by Eva

Modesti, wrangled two herds of sight-seeing 8 and 9 year olds safely through town. The group visited the Monteverde Store where Lisa Klosowski showed them what a “supermarket” looked like over a century ago.



They then hiked up the hill to the Historic Grammar School where they all wrote their names on real blackboards with real chalk.





Frank Cunha (from Knight Foundry), along with Tim Murphy and Rick Champlin (from SCCBF) made sure each student and their teacher had an opportunity to ring the old school bell, and tried to answer zillions of questions.



Afterward, each class assembled on the front steps for a picture in the 19th century tradition. Claire Gunselman also brought Mrs. Watt's 1st and 2nd graders for a quick break in their day.





From there everyone headed over to the Knight Foundry.



Once arrived, Ron Edgar of Knight Foundry, explained principles of leverage, fulcrums, and 3rd grade level physics.



Frank Cunha showed a film featuring the Foundry in operation and explained Foundry equipment used in melting metal and pouring the molten metal into molds and forms to make machinery.



Everyone then marched across the bridge to Minnie Provis Park for a picnic lunch in the sunshine.



Local historian Frank Tortorich, a retired teacher, told stories along the route down Main Street to the auditorium and Foundry.



After lunch it was off to the Historic Fire Station where Sutter Creek Police and fire personnel answered questions and demonstrated vehicles including lights and sirens – MUCH to the delight of the students!

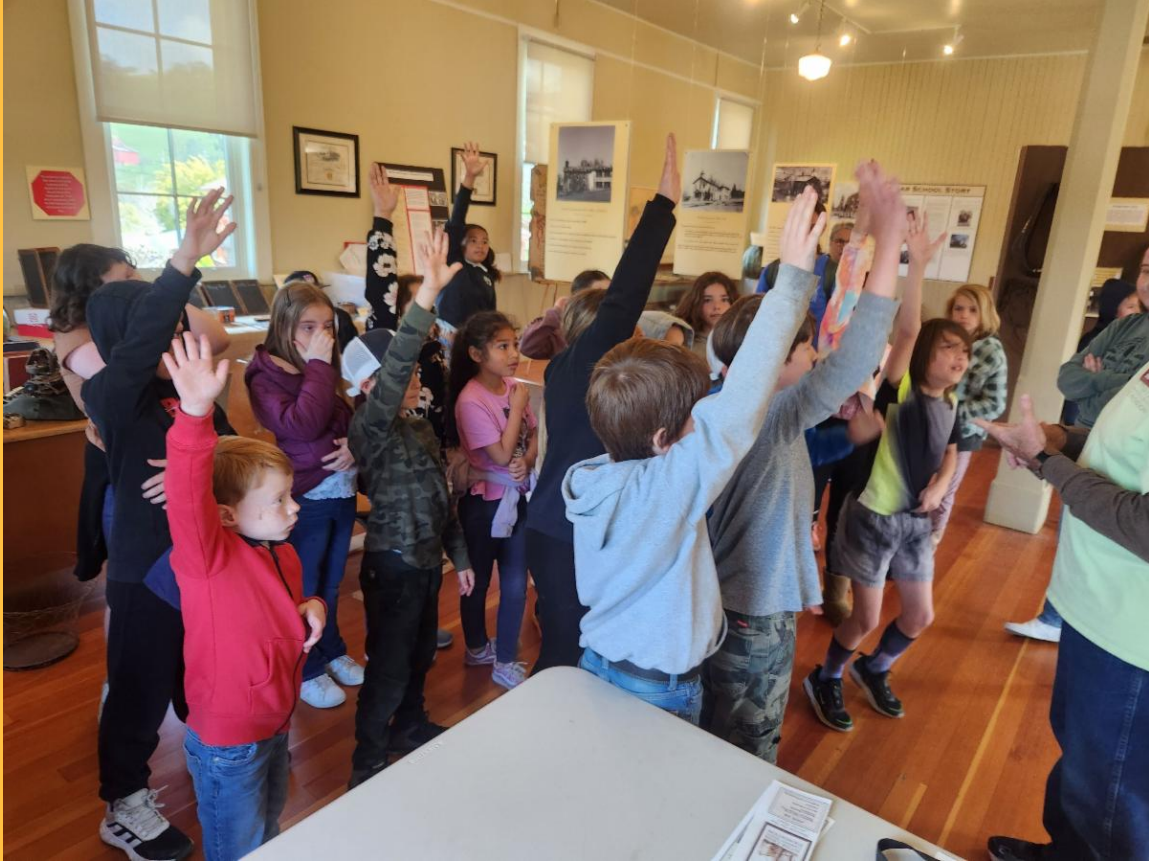






From the perspective of this writer, I think parents and teachers alike should be extremely proud of these very young children.





They were all well behaved, attentive, curious, and polite. SCCBF was delighted to have been a part of this project and hope to be invited again in the future.

Congratulations Sutter Creek!

SCCBF

FREE LECTURE

To Reserve A Seat

Email

Info@SCCBF.Org

(Seating is Limited)

Lectures are Held at the Historic
Sutter Creek Grammar School
Sutter Creek, CA



Martin Ryan

**25th Amador County Sheriff with 6 Generations of
Family in Amador County**

Saturday, April 20, 5:00 pm

**Learn about his 46 years in law enforcement,
with his last 15 as the elected Sheriff, as well
as his family's deep roots in Amador County**

Come Early and Visit SCCBF's museum room at the school.

PARKING: Look for a sign on Broad Street to access the large area for parking behind the primary school. If you need a more level access to the rear of the building, the small upper parking lot will also be available. To enter this lot, go up Randolph Street and turn left on Fullen. Follow the road around into the lot. Most of the parking spaces are not marked, so please park diagonally along both sides.

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