

The **Kiwanis Club of Pacific Grove** wishes to thank all the supporters and volunteers for their generous help with the annual Good Old Days Pancake Breakfast.

The **Kiwanis Club of Pacific Grove** is a private, charitable international organization, dedicated to improving the lives of children and their community. The **Kiwanis Club of Pacific Grove** sponsors the Scout Troops, Cub Scout Packs, Pony League Baseball Teams, Lacrosse teams, athletic programs at Pacific Grove schools, science camps at elementary schools and organizes the Santa Project to help needy children.

The **Kiwanis Club of Pacific Grove** also supports the Meals on Wheels program, the Gateway Center, the maintenance of the building and Gazebo at Jewel Park, Salvation Army bell ringers, installing smoke detectors in every home in Pacific Grove and many more community service programs.

Go to <http://kiwanispg.org> to find out more about Kiwanis International and the **Kiwanis Club of Pacific Grove** and how you can join in supporting your community.

The **Pacific Grove Kiwanis Club** meetings are every other Thursday, at 7:30 am, at ***First Awakenings Restaurant*** 125 Oceanview Blvd. near the Aquarium.

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**The Kiwanis Club of Pacific Grove  
Pancake Breakfast  
Celebrates**

**Good Old Days**

**with**

**RAGTIME**

**The Piano Music of the Good Old Days**

Ragtime was the popular American music  
of the good old days.

Each "rag" selected was published on the same year of a notable  
historical moment in Pacific Grove's "Good Old Days".

Please enjoy your Kiwanis pancake breakfast  
and go back in time, to the good old days, with  
the ragtime piano time machine.

# **RAGTIME**

## **The Piano Music of the Good Old Days**

- 1. MAPLE LEAF RAG                      1899        SCOTT JOPLIN**  
**"THE KING OF RAGTIME"**  
The City of Pacific Grove celebrates its 10th Birthday.
- 2. SWIPESY CAKEWALK            1900        SCOTT JOPLIN**  
**AND ARTHUR MARSHALL**  
The Pacific Grove Natural History Museum is organized.
- 3. EASY WINNERS                      1901        SCOTT JOPLIN**  
The Pacific Improvement Co. collects the first toll (\$.25) for the 17 Mile Dr.
- 4. THE ENTERTAINER            1902        SCOTT JOPLIN**  
The last Pacific Grove horse drawn trolley car is replaced by "automobiles".
- 5. THE STRENUOUS LIFE    1903        SCOTT JOPLIN**  
President Theodore Roosevelt visits Pacific Grove. He is quoted as saying, "Chautauqua, is the most American thing about America". He wrote a book called The Strenuous Life. He is the 3rd President on Mount Rushmore.
- 6. THE CASCADES                      1904        SCOTT JOPLIN**  
The Japanese Tea Garden opens near Lover's Point underwater gardens.
- 7. FROG LEGS RAG                      1905        JAMES SCOTT**  
The first Feast of Lantern's Event. 1st Monterey Co. SPCA opens in PG.

- 8. DILL PICKLES 1906 CHARLES L JOHNSON**  
Pt. Pinos lighthouse keeper, Emily Fish, logged, " a violent and continued earthquake", on April 18th at 5:13 am. The lantern and tower were rebuilt.
- 9. ROSE LEAF RAG 1907 SCOTT JOPLIN**  
The light rose colored South African Drosanthemum Floribundum, that grows along the coast, blooms in April and May and attracts the Monarchs.
- 10. GRACE AND BEAUTY 1908 JAMES SCOTT**  
1st pipe organ concert, in the area, is performed at the Mayflower Church.
- 11. THE THRILLER 1909 MAY AUFDEHIEDE  
THE QUEEN OF RAGTIME**  
Oceanview Blvd. is built along the Del Monte Express railroad tracks.
- 12. HILARITY RAG 1910 JAMES SCOTT**  
Julia Platt builds 105 Grand Ave., now the Seven Gables Inn.
- 13. FELICITY RAG 1911 SCOTT JOPLIN  
AND SCOTT HAYDEN**  
Pacific Grove High School opens on Forest Ave - now the Middle School.
- 14. FASHION RAG 1912 CHARLES COHEN**  
Pacific Grove City Hall is completed, and the first council meeting is held.
- 15. PASTIME RAG #1 1913 ARTIE MATTHEWS**  
Pacific Improvement Co. donates land to the YWCA to become Asilomar.

**16. CASTLES HALF AND HALF 1914 JAMES REESE  
EUROPE**

Emily Fish, "The Socialite Keeper" retires, after 21 years of service.

**17. GEORGIA GRIND 1915 FORD DABNEY**

The Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce opens.

**18. PATRICIA RAG 1916 JOSEPH F LAMB**

The Monterey Boat Works is built near the present-day Aquarium.

**19. REFLECTION RAG 1917 SCOTT JOPLIN**

The first building is erected for the Hopkins Marine Station.

**20. SLEEPY HOLLOW RAG 1918 CLARENCE  
WOODS**

The El Carmelo Hotel is torn down and the lumber is used to build the Pebble Beach Lodge. The El Carmelo is replaced by Holman's Department store that soon becomes the largest department store between San Francisco and Los Angeles. The new Holman remodel is almost complete.

**21. NEW ERA RAG 1919 JAMES SCOTT**

The Pebble Beach Lodge and Golf Links open.

The 18th amendment to the United States Constitution begins The Prohibition and the 19th amendment grants women the right to vote.

It is a new era in Pacific Grove and across America.

It is a beginning of a new generation, new times, new Good Old Days, the Roaring Twenties and all that jazz.