SACRAMENTO VALLEY MULTIPLE MYELOMA SUPPORT GROUP AGENDA
July 6th, 2019 10 a.m.–12 p.m.

Welcome and News

a. Introduction of New Members

b. Passing of two of our long time members—Jana Kasai-Hansen and Miles Minnies—Pass around cards.

c. Next Meetings - August 3rd Yvonne Bossert Clinical Nurse Consultant from Celgene, September 7th Dr. Wolf or one of the other doctors from UCSF, October 5th Dr. Kristina Kupreeno DMD, November 2 Dr. Rosenberg from UC Davis, December 7 Potluck, January 4th Kelly Cox from the IMF.

d. Donations--$27 in cash donations and $20 in a check for June. We spent $11 on supplies so our current balance is $570 cash and $915 IMF account for a total of $1485. We will mail donation checks to IMF and will receive credit in our account. If you wrote a check, you will receive a letter showing your donation is tax exempt for your income taxes (if you itemize)

e. Upcoming Educational Event: MMRF--Vaccines and Monoclonal Antibodies, Wednesday July 10th, registration on the MMRF website.

f. Support Group Yearly Survey Update - please complete attached survey and return.

g. FDA Approval of Darzalex, Revlimid, Dex for new diagnosed patients ineligible for stem cell transplant.

h. Potluck after break outs.

Caregivers and Patient Breakout—remember the group feedback: get around to everyone during sharing (limit time to speak to 5 minutes); caregivers can come to patients’ breakout.

Organizations Providing Myeloma Support
IMF Infoline 1-800-452-CURE (2873) is staffed M-F 9am to 4 pm PST
LLS Information Resource Center (IRC) 1-800-955-4572 is staffed 9 am to 9 pm EST
MMRF (Multiple Myeloma Research Foundation) - www.MultipleMyeloma.org
IMF (International Myeloma Foundation) - www.Myeloma.org
LLS (Leukemia and Lymphoma Society) - www.lls.org
CancerCare - www.CancerCare.org
Myeloma Crowd - www.myelomacrowd.org

Announcement - If you are feeling ill, coughing, or sneezing, please do not attend! Myeloma patients are much more susceptible to getting sick because of our poor immune system.