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*"Inspire others with your story."*

Program: May 4, 2017

**RYLA**

**Felix Wang and Darin Arrasmith**



Program: April 27th

**Chili Cook-Off**

**Merissa Buss, Chair**

The Chili Cookoff is in 3 more days! Happily we are expecting beautiful weather. **Marissa Buss**, Chairman of the Chili Cookoff committee, showed pictures from last year's Cookoff. She and the committee of **Nelson Buss, Vicki Arndt, Russ Cornwall, Paul Dryman, Jennifer Strong** and **Ernie Sandlin** gave us an overview of the upcoming event this Sunday at the Thousand Oaks library compound (Conejo Creek North). They reviewed details of the site, parking, vendors, beer booths, supplies and other information. Assignment sheets are on the tables. We are looking forward again to Cal Henry's delicious Road Kill Chili in the volunteer area

We are having 45 chili cooks, 18 other-food vendors, and 25 shopping vendors. We are projecting making over \$100,000. Over 17 years, the CCO has raised \$690,000 for local charities. Once again the Conejo Club is joining us, hosting a car show with over 100 cars.

## Thousand Oaks Rotary

### Minutes of Meeting

April 27, 2017



**Mike Hebert**, our Executive Secretary, opened the meeting with the Inspirational Moment and salute to the Flag. **Nelson Buss** led us in singing *God Bless America*. That was followed with our singing Happy Birthday to President-Elect **Tim Weaver**.



**Jeff Borenstein** introduced our guests today: Honorary member and Past President **Skip Roberts**, former member Raul Gutierrez, guest of **Cal Henry**; and Dean Franklin, guest of **Paul Dryman**.

### FINE SESSION:



**David Masci** asked a series of questions, primarily fining members of the International Committee and the Chili Cookoff Committee, asking each respondent to select the next victim from their committee

Those fined were **Maria Prescott, Richard Williams, Nelson Buss, Paul Dryman, Mike Murphy, Martin Anderson, David Stowell, and Janeen Holmes**.



### BIRTHDAYS



May 01 Schwabauer, Jennifer

May 04 Wilson, Denis

May 11 Paulucci, Pat

May 20 Murphy, Mike

May 29 McCoy, Pat

May 30 Robinson, Carol

### ANNIVERSARIES

May 01 Overton, Dan & Casey  
Goldberg,

May 06 Lallo, Matt & Teresa

May 10 Irwin, Jacqui & Jon

May 15 Henry, Cal & Karen

May 15 Lemmo, Rick & Lou Ann

May 17 Lundberg, Kyle & Genevieve

May 18 Sandlin, Ernie & Jean

May 19 Buss, Marissa & Danny  
Lampert

## ANNOUNCEMENTS



**Still-President Robert Bianchi** introduced **Maria Prescott**, chair of the Allocations Committee. The committee includes **Vicki Arndt** and **Pat Paulucci**. The Allocations Committee will be meeting on May 23<sup>rd</sup> or 24<sup>th</sup> to consider allocation requests. If you have suggestions or requests, contact **Maria** before then. One of the goals of our club is to support those organizations to which our club members donate their time.



We applauded our president-elect, **Tim Weaver**, and president-elect-elect **Karen Furnari**. **President Robert** sadly announced the resignation of **Anne Savko** from the club.



**Robert** awarded Perfect Attendance pins to **Tanya Caligiuri** (8 years), **Lois Curran-Klein** (8 years), **Paul Dryman** (12), and **Greg Kusnierek** (12 yrs, 3 perfect attendance).



**Karen Furnari** and **Nancy Wohl** said there will be a Shakespeare performance at CLU of "Love's Labor Lost" on Saturday, July 8<sup>th</sup>. It is a Rotary social; we can bring our own wine, and there will be a catered dinner.



**Ken Warner** announced the next blood drive on May 4<sup>th</sup>.

**Bob Lewis** announced the Fireside Chats for May 25<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup>. Signup sheets on the tables.

**Dave Stowell** reminded us that immediately following this meeting, we are going to the Conejo Free Clinic for a tour, as the dental clinic is being installed. Over \$120,000 is from Rotary International via our international grants.



**\$1.518 billion**

**RI's Contribution since 1985!**

**Program: May 11**



**Conlon/  
Rothchild  
awards**

**Steve Stanley &  
Tammie Helmuth**



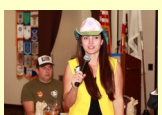


## HAPPY \$\$\$\$\$\$

**Jennifer Schwabauer** carried the cup.



**Chris Lamia** celebrated for those who've pledged to contribute to the Conejo Valley Free Clinic Dental grant, and also his 25th wedding anniversary.



**Marissa Buss** thanked the Chili Committee for all their hard work!



**Nelson Buss** let everyone know about his Relay 4 Life fundraiser at Drought's Pizza Thursday April 27. (They raised \$300 that night, and he saw **Dave Wender**)



**Michael Magasinn** was happy to thank **Ken Kosoff** for a great experience with the Lunch with the Judge. The kids from Conejo Valley High School were terrific and Judge Wright was amazing with them.



**Megan Lopez** gave a very happy dollar for expecting their first baby. The delivery is due in Sept.



**K.T. Connor** shared the email she received last week inviting her and **Jere** to fly back from the Rotary convention with the Carter Center supporters and the Carters. It's on the charter flight to the Carter Center retreat in Lake Tahoe, which **KT** and **Jere** had already registered for. but considered driving up to from TO.



**María Prescott** welcomed a new baby grandson, one week old-- having arrived at 12:01 pm (during the weekly Rotary meeting of April 20th!) She was also happy to see Skip Roberts and Raúl Gutierrez in attendance at the meeting.



**Barbara Cornwall** give special mention to **Cal Henry** for agreeing once again to make his special chili for the volunteers at the Cook-Off coming up. Only she called it "road rage chili" rather than "roadkill chili." But she was soon corrected.



## HAVE YOU READ THE DISTRICT 5240 NEWSLETTER?

(If not, you're missing some good stuff. See a wee bit of it below.)

In Global Grants for this year, we have 12 grant applications totaling \$97,382 of the \$113,623, with a few more applications being worked on for submission soon. This includes a very innovative Global Grants done by the Rotary Club of Thousand Oaks to support a local medical clinic. Read about it in your emailed issue.



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## PAST PRESIDENTS

### ROTARY CLUB OF THOUSAND OAKS

59-60 JOHN HEYWOOD	88-89 KENNETH ROBERTS
60-61 MARV BURROW	89-90 JEFF BORENSTEIN
61-62 ROSS DUSKIN	90-91 DENNIS GILLETTE
62-63 ROY McCOMBER	91-92 MERV KOPP
63-64 PAUL PACE	92-93 TOM GLANCY
64-65 JOHN CONLAN	93-94 HUGO ROCHE
65-66 CARLOS SCURIA	94-95 BRIAN BACK
66-67 MERRILL DARLING	95-96 TONY KOUROUNIS
67-68 PHIL OZAB	96-97 JACK CAINE
68-69 WILLIAM VANDERZWANN	97-98 DICK WIELER
69-70 ALVIN J. HOTZ, JR.	98-99 JUDY ST. JOHN
70-71 BEN CRANMER, JR.	99-20 MIKE GONZALES
71-72 GLENN GOODWIN	20-01 NEIL SCRIBNER
72-73 GEORGE VASLIEFF	01-02 BOB BIERY
73-74 HENRY STILL	02-03 HARRY SELVIN
74-75 JOHN TUEL	03-04 RICK LEMMO
75-76 KENNETH HANSON	04-05 DOUG TAPKING
76-77 DAVID HUANG	05-06 KATHY HILL
77-78 WILLIAM HAAS	06-07 PETE TURPEL
78-79 FELIX MASCI	07-08 VICKI ARNDT
79-80 HARLAND JONES	08-09 MARTIN ANDERSON
80-81 DAVE WENDER	09-10 KEITH PARKS
81-82 GEORGE GIBB	10-11 FRANK CORRIGAN
82-83 NORMAN NAGEL	11-12 RICHARD WILLIAMS
83-84 BILL PETERSON	12-13 SUSAN MURATA
84-85 MIKE O'BEIRNE	13-14 CAROL FREEMAN
85-86 MARV SOSNA	14-15 NATE HARIMOTO
86-87 FRED FERRARINI	15-16 MIKE MURPHY

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