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"Inspire others with your story."

Program: November 10th

Honoring our Veterans: A Man Named Jennings

JANNETTE JAUREGUI, VENTURA AREA COUNCIL ON AGING

PROGRAM: November 3rd

The Rotary Foundation

David Masci, Foundation Chair

Richard Williams, TO Foundation Chair



David Masci opened the presentation by reminding us of the 100th anniversary of the Foundation and the challenge of District Governor Nick Frankel to encourage 100% contributions of at least \$26.50 from the clubs. Our club met that goal as did 48 out of the 74 district clubs.

David then gave an engaging presentation beginning with his own history with Rotary, starting as a young boy with a father who was actively involved. He noted that his experience as a Rotary exchange student in Japan especially honed his sense of the impact of the Foundation and Foundation giving.

Masci then laid out the different levels of giving to the Foundation. These ranged from automatic contributions each month or quarter, to estate planning and donation of airmiles. All of these donations end up supporting Rotary's major local and worldwide projects to make the world a better place. **David** listed some of the local projects for which our club received grants from the Rotary Foundation.

David turned the rest of the program over to **Richard Williams** who described the plans of the Thousand Oaks Rotary Foundation, which is building a reserve to provide scholarship, among other things.



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BEING ABOUT BUSINESS: The Rotary day at the UN

WATCH IT LIVE! [UN Web TV](#) Saturday, November 12th!



From the United Nations' earliest days in the aftermath of World War II, the organization's humanitarian mission has always dovetailed with Rotary's efforts to **administer aid and build peace**. This year's Rotary Day at the United Nations, 12 November, will highlight **the role businesses can play** in that collaboration as we work toward a more just and equitable world.

The theme of this year's gathering at UN headquarters in New York City, **"Responsible Business, Resilient Societies,"** recognizes Rotary's role at the intersection of commerce and cause. As leaders in their professions and communities, Rotary members often use their professional skills and networks to advance social causes, particularly economic development. **See more:**

<https://www.rotary.org/myrotary/en/news-media/rotary-day-un-highlights-role-business-building-better-world>

T.O. Rotary Club: SERVICE ABOVE SELF

Reaching Out to Tijuana:



Matt Lalla and **Theresa**, **Roger Benson** and **Marilyn**, **Felix Masci** and **Barbara**, and **Lois Curran-Klein** and **David** joined our Rotary friends in Tijuana and shared some of our resources with them. Rotarians from several clubs took the train to San Diego, then went on with their hosts across the border to visit their companion clubs and some of the projects they share.



Reaching out to International Exchange Students:

Captain David Klein, Captains Barbara and Russ, and Captains Roger and Greg host the students here for the District Conference.





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Thousand Oaks Rotary Minutes of Meeting November 3, 2016



David Butcher shared an Inspirational Moment using humorous quotes that inspire him to get out of bed in the morning. He shared, for example, that "I know worry works because nothing I worry about ever happens." **Dan Overton** led us in song : God Bless America

Tanya Caligiuri then introduced visiting Rotarian **Bill Foy** from Simi Sunrise. Other guests included **David Masi's** mother, Barbara, Kevin and Amy Mattison, guests of **Christal Doyle**, and Miguel Borunda, guest of **Ken Kossoff**.



President Robert Bianchi then presented Perfect Attendance Pins: **John Bradley**- 6 years Rotary, 6 years perfect attendance; **Chris Steele**-10 years Rotary, 9 years perfect attendance; **Ken Warner**-43 years Rotary, 43 years perfect attendance; **Dan Overton**-28 years Rotary, 8 years perfect attendance

Program: November 17th

The Legends and Lore of Thanksgiving

Robert E. Dempster



BIRTHDAYS

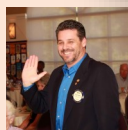
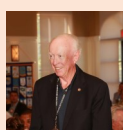
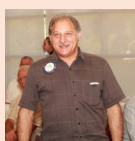
Nov 02 Burns, Dave
Nov 03 Furnari, Karen
Nov 04 Kusnierek, Greg
Nov 07 Pederson, Steve
Nov 09 Cornwall, Barb
Nov 09 Tyloch, Trevor
Nov 12 Morrison, Matt
Nov 17 Masci, Felix
Nov 18 Bianchi, Robert
Nov 18 Runnells, Cary
Nov 20 Lopez, Meghan
Nov 23 Gooch, Herb
Nov 23 Parks, Keith
Nov 24 Biery, Bob
Nov 26 Connor, K. T.
Nov 28 Scioscia, Mike
Nov 28 Wohl, Nancy

ANNIVERSARIES

Nov 04 Moors, Don & Nanette
Nov 07 Steele, Chris & Bill
Nov 07 Yanez, Natalie & Josh
Nov 09 Savko, Anne & Steiner, Matt
Nov 09 Wender, Dave & Diane Marie
Nov 11 Scribner, Neal & Tricia
Nov 16 Goodman, Bart & Michele
Nov 19 Kossoff, Ken & Klugman, Donna
Nov 20 Freeman, Carol & David
Nov 22 Baker, Larry & Skogi
Nov 22 McClellan, Andrea & David
Nov 25 Jones, Patricia & George
Nov 29 Torres, Jesus & Monica

FINE SESSION

Fine Master **Martin Anderson** (donning a Chicago cubs baseball cap) asked about how to conduct a fine session. Members fined: **Hugo Roche, Richard Williams, Paul Dryman, David Masci, Patricia Jones, Russ Cornwall, Patricia Jones, Tim Weaver, David, Chris Lamia, Mark Sellers, Pat Paulucci, Maria Prescott, Joani Pappas, and Bob Biery.**





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HAPPY \$\$\$

Heather Donley carried the cup for Happy Dollars.



Patricia Jones noted that there were Thanksgiving cards on tables made by Casey Overton for seniors. Also a reminder to contribute gently used items including small furniture to Senior Concerns as their thrift store is running lean. Other contributors were Felix Masci, Michelle Nash, Trevor Tyloch, Jim Friedl, Paul Dryman, Bob Lewis, Nate Harimoto, Sharon Renshall, Lois Curran-Klein, Joani Pappas, Jere Robings, Dave Wender, Steve Pederson, Andrea McClellan, Mike Hebert.





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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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