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Oak Park Rotary House

From a concept hatched around 2005, seven of District 5180's Rotary clubs connected to build, from the



ground up, a home in Oak Park to temporarily house families with children residing

a long distance from Sacramento needing inpatient long term care. Through the volunteer work of Rotarians, community volunteers, and private businesses donating hundreds of hours of labor, thousands of dollars' worth of materials, and monetary contributions the Oak Park Rotary House was opened to the first family in December 2012.

The Oak Park Rotary House is a two bedroom, one bath home within walking distance to UC Davis Childrens hospital. A family with a child who will be hospitalized for at least six months and live hours away from the hospital can qualify to stay in the house completely free for the duration of their child's treatment needs.

The home is owned and maintained by the Oak Park Rotary House Foundation and administered by UC Davis Childrens Hospital.



District 5180 is having an multi-club project at the house this **Saturday, March 9, 9 AM to 12 N**, involving spreading gravel into the grounds. The address is **4070 2nd Ave., Sacramento, CA 95817**. Contact Mike Bede for more information.

SS Point West Voyage Log



In one of the most exciting meetings of the year the 31st meeting of the 39th

Term of Point West Rotary at Del Paso Country Club was grveled in by PP Russ Fujii. Mia

Bojorquez led the Pledge of Allegiance. We sang "Happy



Trails." The Four Way Test was led by Dean Wilke. Lee Holmes shared a



video thought for the day. Bea Maurer and Mike Bede displayed the

trophy for the winner of the PWR Bowling Bash that is Saturday, 3/2/24 at Country



Club Lanes. They expect more than 50 people for the fun. Mike Bede an-

nounced a District Project to do some work around the Rotary House in Oak Park. Beth Schatz promoted the up-

coming tour of business to Balanced Body, on Friday, March 22 at 2 PM. Roger Gaskin and President Roger

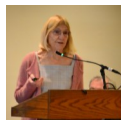
rang the bell today. Tom Knox intro-

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She described the Tevis Cup, an endurance horse ride from Lake Tahoe to Auburn. Chris Taylor, Rich Price, Don



Rodes, and Mary Lyn Kagan each gave some Happy bucks.

Mary Lyn Kagan an-

nounced her granddaughter's successful surgery. Dominic Porrino praised the Sight and sound team for their stellar work

in helping the speaker with the slide show. this

week were given by Paul Cunha, Gary

Pevey, and John Price. One of visiting guests won Gino's Opportunity but did not draw the Joker.



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Rotary Events

3/22/24 - Tour of Business—

Balanced Body. Signup at meeting.

3/23/24 - District 5180 Assembly, 8:00 am to 12:30 pm. Register at D5180 website.

4/13/24 - Rotary District 5180 South Area picnic

4/20/24 - Rotary District 5180 North Area picnic

5/17-19/24 - Combined Rotary D5150, D5180, & D5190 District

HAVE AN ATTITUDE OF GRATITUDE
~ Thomas S. Monson

PWR Meeting Calendar

Meetings Fridays, 7:30 AM at DPCC* (+ Zoom)

Mar 8 - Judge Michael Heavey

Mar 15 - at **Haggin Oaks Golf Course** - Wen Chen, Ph.D.

Mar 22 - Dan York and Cathy Lee, Sac and Carmichael Water Districts

Mar 29 - Dark

Apr 5 - Sanjay Varsghney, PhD.CFA

*(unless indicated)