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## **Malibu Rotary Club Surfwriter**

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Malibu Rotary Club President David Zielski

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- **Next Regular Malibu Rotary Club Meeting November 18 in Pepperdine University Malibu Upper Drescher Graduate Campus LC 152 with fellowship at 11:30 a.m and meeting starting at 12:00 noon. Speaker will be Jeff Ryan, who will be talking about "Kilimanjaro, Fear, and Rotary"**
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Check [Calendar](#) on Malibu Rotary website [www.maliburotary.org](http://www.maliburotary.org)

- **Rotary International Website: [www.Rotary.org](http://www.Rotary.org)**
- **Rotary District 5280 Website: [www.rotary5280.org/](http://www.rotary5280.org/)**
- **RI President (2015-2016) K.R. Ravindran**
  - **Rotary District 5280 Governor (2015-2016): D.J. Sung**

## **Malibu Rotarian Tiffany Venable Explains How Her Background as an RN Led Her to become a founder her own company: Assisted Home Living Inc.**

**Tiffany Venable has been a Registered Nurse in ICU at West Hill Hospital for 16 years. While there she saw the need for a business she founded in 2013, Assisted Home Living Inc. The mission of the company is help the elderly and seniors to maintain their ability to live in their own home independently with dignity and respect.**



Tiffany was born in Cleveland, and from an early age it was expected she would become a nurse. It was the profession of her grandmother and others in her family. Growing up she thought they were all doing it for the same reason—to nurse the ill back to good health. Later Tiffany found out that her grandmother suggested nursing because she felt that was the best way the young ladies in the family could meet and marry a doctor.

Tiffany stuck with her original reason for choosing the profession—to help people. Tiffany becomes close to the patients she cares for, and realized that there needs went beyond the healthcare they received at the hospital. One of her patient's had breast cancer, and when she was dismissed to go home from the hospital she was going home to a husband who had Alzheimer's Disease. Tiffany's patient had been the care giver for the husband. There were no close relatives nearby. The family needed help at home and Tiffany tried to help.

Through the years Tiffany had built a network of people who could provide in-home services for people who need this service. Tiffany points out that there are plenty of very expensive assisted living facilities that seniors can move into. Most people want to stay in their own home as long as they can.

Assisted Home Living Inc. Is an affordable alternative for seniors and elderly who wish to live in the familiar surroundings of their home but require non-medical in home assistance or caring companionship. Its caregivers are friendly, trustworthy, highly trained individuals who assist seniors with daily tasks that have become difficult. They are carefully chosen, closely supervised, insured, and bonded.

More than 7.6 million Americans receive in home care, according to the U.S. Census Bureau. The number is much greater when you consider that it does not include informal care which is care given by a friend or family member. Home care is generally defined as non-medical support services delivered at the home of the senior. The aim of home care is to allow seniors to remain at home longer rather than enter an assisted living community, nursing home or other type of senior care.

Stay at Home Caregivers are Available from Tiffany's company 4 to 24 Hours a Day. The company provides Home Health Aide; Skilled Nursing; Pet Care; Transportation Setup and Assistance; Shopping/Errands Help; Home Cleaning/Light Housekeeping; Help To Manage Alzheimer's Disease At Home; Medication Reminder Programs; Daily Living Activities Support (bathing, dressing, etc); Assistance with transportation, meals, shopping, and more.

Tiffany says the Medicare does not pay for this service—it is cash only.

Costs for the services depend on needs, but is usually about \$28.00 per hour for the first 8 hours, and the hourly fee increases when the need is for greater than an 8 hour day. Although Tiffany's company started out only servicing the Los Angeles County area she has recently expanded into Santa Barbara.

For more information about Assisted Home Living Inc got to the website <http://assistedhomelivinginc.com/> or phone (844) 879-0909.

Tiffany is still working as an RN at West Hills Hospital and besides being the President of Assisted Home Living Inc. Tiffany is the mother of three children, boys aged 26, 10 and 9, and is also a polo player.

The picture below from Tiffany's facebook page illustrates these aspects of her life.



### **Malibu Rotary Gift Baskets for the Rotary Foundation Dinner and Auction**



There will be two baskets at the Rotary Foundation Dinner and Auction on November 14 at Loews Hotel in Santa Monica that were donated by the Malibu Rotary Club. **Picture Left is a basket with one of the 2015 Special Olympics World Games Rotary T-Shirts—there are 20 shirts that will be auctioned off. The basket to the left is the “Taste of Malibu” gift basket that contains gift certificates to Malibu restaurants (Christie’s, Saddle Peak**

**Lodge), bottled of Malibu wines, and other goodies with about \$500.00.**

## **Other News and Guests at Last Malibu Rotary Club meeting**

Malibu Rotary Club President Elect **Delvin Glymph** presided over the November 4th meeting of the club while Malibu Rotary Club **David Zielski** was still in Africa setting up and checking on Raincatcher installations.

**Margo Neal** who is the Rotary District Chair for Music at the Art Pageant that will be held March 5 at LMU, announced that she has been in contact with the vocal teacher at Malibu High School, Amy Locke, and a date has been set for the Annual Malibu Rotary Club Middle and High School Vocal Music Competition—January 20<sup>th</sup>. That date the music competition—probably at 6:00 p.m., will be in lieu of our regular meeting. A venue is still being secured. In past years it has at various locations, and we are trying again to have it at Pepperdine University Raitt Recital Hall.

The Malibu Rotary Club is again going to send two high school students to Rotary Youth Leadership Assembly this year which is April 29<sup>th</sup> through May 1 at Alpine Conference Center in Blue Jay, CA. **David Baird** will be fielding applicants. The application will soon be posted on our Website for interested students. The club will be sending reservations and payment check for the two students (but not their names) to the district office before Dec 20.

## **Guests**

Guests at the Nov 4 meeting included past Rotary Member **Beth Mohiuddin** and husband and frequent speaker **Qadir Mohiuddin**. Also attending was **Jack Sherrer** who will be speaking to our club on December 16.

## **Malibu Rotary Club Supports RainCatcher**

David Zielski, Executive Director of Raincatcher makes regular trips to Uganda and Kenya to Raincatcher installations and maintenance. In February The latest video showing what David and the Raincatcher people are doing in Africa was shown at the Malibu Rotary Club meeting on August 20. A link to the video is now on the MalibuRotary.org website. The direct link to the video is at:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=59rzOcm-RLo&list=UUFetq8NgjhXhtkVf0idcQUg>

## Calendar (for details on these programs see [malibuRotary.org](http://malibuRotary.org))

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Speaker	Date	Topic
Veterans Day Speakers @ Legacy Park	Nov 11, 2015	Malibu Rotary joins Malibu Chamber Celebration of Veterans Malibu Rotary joins Malibu Chamber Celebration of Veterans helping set up at 10:00 a.m. The event starts at 11:00 a.m.
Rotary Foundation Celebration	Nov 14, 2015	Rotary Foundation Celebration "Seaside Serenade" at Low
Jeff Runyan	Nov 18, 2015	Kilimanjaro, Fear, and Rotary Jeff Runyan, Managing Member of Runyan Capital Advisors, <b>WEDBUSH SE</b>
NO MEETING	Nov 25, 2015	
Teddy Roosevelt	Dec 02, 2015	Teddy Roosevelt

Speaker	<u>Date</u>	Topic
		Theodore Roosevelt was a soldier and statesman who personified a vigorous nation on the cusp of greatness. At meetings, luncheons, and banquets, Joe Wiegand's Theater man theater performance, Joe Wiegand's T
HOLIDAY PARTY	Dec 09, 2015	Evening Holiday Party--No Regular meeting
Jack Sherrer	Dec 16, 2015	Turning a short term weakness into a long term growth
NO MEETING --HAPPY HOLIDAY	Dec 23, 2015	
NO MEETING	Dec 30, 2015	
David Zielski	Jan 13, 2016	Club Assembly -- 6 month Rotary Year Review David Zielski and Malibu Rotary Club leadership review the
Rotary Peace Conference	Jan 15, 2016	Rotary Peace Conference in Ontario, CA Jan 15-16
Malibu Middle and High School Singers	Jan 20, 2016	Annual Malibu Rotary Club Middle and High School Singing
Rotary District Humanitarian Trip tp Panama	Jan 27, 2016	Rotary District Humanitarian Trip tp Panama Jann 27-Feb 1
Don Rudkin	Jan 27, 2016	Pepperdine's New Masters of Science in Accounting
Rotary District Breakfast #3	Feb 11, 2016	Rotary District Breakfast #3 at Westin LAX Hotel, 5400 Cen

Speaker	<u>Date</u>	Topic
Rotary District Breakfast #4	Apr 05, 2016	Rotary District Breakfast #4 at Westin LAX Hotel, 5400 Cen
David Zielski	Apr 13, 2016	Malibu Rotary Club Assembly--Open Discussion to Bring Cl This will be a club assembly to provide and opportunity f completion.

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- See more at: <http://portal.clubrunner.ca/2529/Speakers#sthash.NKP1WdOG.dpuf>