

July 26th, 2012



ROTARY SCOOP



**President
Rick Phelps**

PROGRAM

July 19th

Tim Bartley - Fly Fishing Faire

Today's program was presented by Tim Bartley. He is coordinating the 2012 Fly Fishing Faire put on by the Southwest Council of the Federation of Fly Fishers (FFF). The fair will take place from the 13th to the 16th of September. It will include on the water workshops from Bishop to Bridgeport. Workshops, programs and events will be headquartered at Cerro Coso and will also take place at the Edison Theater and Mammoth High School.

The FFF was founded in 1964. They were the earliest proponents of catch and release fishing. They're a nonprofit located in Livingston, Montana. The FFF has a well-respected program for certifying casting instructors. There are 15 regional councils throughout the U.S. They also have projects for wounded warriors and breast cancer survivors.

The upcoming festival is a first for FFF. In addition to on the water workshops, it will include classes in learning to fly fish, casting instruction and fly tying. There will be a film series and conservation lectures. Additionally, activities for non-fishing spouses are planned to include photography workshops and Eastern Sierra touring opportunities.

To preregister, go to www.regonline/flyfishingfaire

You can also access the Faire through the Southwest Council website, <http://southwestcouncilfff.org/>

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

JULY 26	John Stavio The STEM (Science Technology Engineering and Math Program)
AUG 2nd	Lori Ciccarelli - Dancing with Docs
AUG 9th	Mackie & Leslie Dawson - RYE - Korea
AUG 16th	Club Assembly
AUG 23rd	Stacy Corless
	Mammoth Mountain Community Foundation

Fellow Rotarians,

Last week I attended the Rotary Club of Westchester in the LAX area. They were having a joint meeting with the Culver City Club and the program was about Rotary Youth Exchange (RYE). The speaker was a RYE student returning to Sweden after a year at Culver City High School. The exchange was not only enriching to him, but to other students and the sponsoring Rotary Clubs. We can look forward to the same type of experience when our first RYE student — Jemin Choi — arrives from South Korea in a few short weeks.



JULY BIRTHDAYS

Ase McCarrell 4th
Hector Gonzales 12th
Woody White 14th
Dan Wright 23rd

ANNIVERSARIES

Bill & Sherry Taylor 1st
Larry & Lu Bush 25th

MHS Interact Club needs your help!

Bluesapalooza is around the corner and we are doing a fundraiser by selling parking places. We will have three 4 hour shifts each day starting 9am until 7pm with 1-2 adults and 3-4 students. We will need coverage at both the North end and South ends of Minaret.

This is an excellent opportunity to work with our youth and help raise funds to support Rotary projects.

Please contact Rich Boccia to sign up.
760-709-6616

Rotary Foundation

Rotary District 5190 Foundation Seminar 7/21/12

President Rick Phelps and incoming Foundation Chairman Don Sage attended the District 5190 foundation seminar at Incline Village Saturday.

There are a lot of changes in RI Foundation policies coming up in the next year. Generally they represent improvement both in management and transparency. For a view of the future suggest that you Google ROTARY FUTURE VISION

We plan to have a series of short presentations at Rotary meetings to explain the changes and clarify RI Foundation for our members.

Our new District is really impressive. All the speakers kept to their subjects and to their allotted times. The seminar was well organized and to the point. It looks like district 5190 has been a good move for us.

Don Sage

