

WESTWORD



In with the New, Out with the Old, and we just went Marie Kondo on West Rotary and gave la boot to the self anointed past King of West, Mr. Tim Banks! Great job Timmy getting us thru the year, amidst all this crazy Covid. A year to remember for sure, right? Thank you Timmy and his awesome Cabinet of little peons and servants.



And In with our newest President, the Big Kahuna himself, Mr. Andy Stanley!!!

Cowabunga and a big Shaka 🙌 to you Andy!

Did you know? Andy was born a haoli on the island of Hawaii? He's since lost his tan and golden tan but who knows, next year come June Demotion, I foresee lots of spray tanning, grass skirts, maybe a fire dance too? Cheers to a fantastic year Andy!

Can't appreciate the present and look forward to the future without first giving thanks to those that have paved the way before us. Pres Andy paid a quick tribute to a list of all our past presidents as well as special kudos to those Past Presidents that are still active in the club!

In the world of COVID, believe it or not, life still goes on. In fact, life has been created as we welcome Little Miss Lemon Rae Llanes, born to Romeo and Jill Waters @ 8lbs, 19.5". Congratulations Jill!!!

And of course, also means, we have a President Elect as well for the year, Miss Kelli State Farm Extraordinaire Davis! Too late now girlfriend, no turning back now! 😊



And the rest of Pres Andy's leadership team are as follows:

Past President - Tim Banks

President Elect - Kelli Davis

Treasurer - Paul Iumari

Secretary - Jill Waters

Sergeant at Arms & Cioppino -
Joanie Haenelt

Club Service - Ricki Peace

Community Service - Kevin Burton

Vocational Service - Chad Carpenter

Social Chair - Jacque Jans

Youth Service - Tim Werdel

Membership - Douglas Carothers

West Rotary Foundation - Al Sandrini

Rotary International - John Fallgatter

Westword - Dawson Li

The Big Kahuna's Goal for this year are plentiful, besides the obvious which is to continue being the best Rotary Club in Kern County..... Simply put, to ENGAGE. GROW. SERVE.

Our President would like to focus on growing our club so we can better serve our awesome community.

- We're going to try to keep all of us engaged via traditional in person meetings, remote video, social media, small groups, and this here Newsletter! Speaking of which, if you



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2020-21 PRESIDENT
BAKERSFIELD WEST ROTARY

**RETURN OF THE WILD,
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have pictures throughout the week, please send them my way! Otherwise, I will stalk you on social media and put things in here you that will certainly embarrass you and be sure to trigger a fine. Just sayin'... just do yourself a favor and get ahead of it and control the content... works wonders... just ask Miss Marketing Genius, Jacque Jans...

now back to the previously scheduled meeting...

- During the Kahuna's term, we will focus on the Five Avenues of Service:
 1. Club Service
 2. Community Service
 3. International Service
 4. Vocational Service
 5. Youth Service
- And the Return of Cioppino!! We need it, it's become our identity and not sure about you guys but I feel like without it, we're just another club....
- Building leadership in the club and empower members about projects they are passionate about
- Grow membership by focused outreach to members in the community. Special recognition to Doug, Al, and Tim for leading the charge on this one
- Focus on helping young people in our community
- Partner with other organizations locally with events that align with today's current conditions
- Children's Shopping Spree (formerly Child Spree)
- Partner with BWR Loren Stroope Foundation on local youth projects and continued campaign fundraising. Of note, the Foundation has given over \$1,000,000 since its inception. Yeah baby!!!



