



Rotary Club of Goleta

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Service Above Self

District 5240

Unite – Take Action!

Club Meeting Agenda

August 24, 2021

Members present: Jaime Alvarez, Brooke Armstrong, Sally Arnold, Ashlynn Cavaletto, Paul Clayton, Stan Darrow, Tammy Dobrotin, Frances Gilliland, John Glanville, Bob Grassa, John Hanna, Scott Missman, Eric Onnen, Allen Paneral, Mike Parsons, Mike Pitts, Catherine Remak, John Savrnock, Dick Temple, Tony Vallejo, Debra Weaver, Jay Wright
Zoom members: Stacy Alvarez

Visiting Rotarians & Guests: Dana Moldovan, A.G. Chris Baxter, 6 Santa Barbara Rotaract Club, Patty Evans

President's report:

- Thank you to those who helped make the barbecue happen!!
 - Huge thank you to Brooke, Scott, Jaime, and Mike Pitts
- September 1st anniversaries: Allen Paneral & Marty Plourd
- Amber Ohl was promoted to captain, moving her to Montana, and has sadly left the club, meaning the Youth Service chair is open
- Stacy is a new aunt, so she's been very careful with COVID precautions
- Martin is in Denmark right now
- Wants to do something for the Dos Pueblos Little League who got their equipment burnt with the arson incident at Girsh Park
 - Took suggestions (donating our pay & tell, doing a home run fundraiser)

District News:

- District conference October 8-10

Rotary Minute – Jim Smith (not present)

Committee reports:

Club Service – Scott Missman

- Thank you again to those who helped with the Dos Pueblos Ranch barbecue
- September 21st barbecue- Scott will not be present, so he needs someone to help plan put that together *last barbecue of the year!
- Booze box- good amount of beer and soft drinks, wine is gone

Community Service – John Glanville

- Saturday, Aug. 28th- Butterfly Beach clean up
 - Donuts will be provided

- California coastal clean up coming up

Fundraising – Stacy Alvarez & Catherine Remak

- Still in talks about getting a golf tournament together
- Deckers Week of Caring- at the end of September/ Early October, wants us to help with community service

Hospitality – Debbie Weaver

- Anniversary cards are being sent out

International Service – Jay Wright

- Morelia has a school that doesn't have a classroom; \$12,000 project
 - Looking for grants to help with this
 - Give Jay any ideas you have for fundraising for this project

Membership – Stan Darrow

- No update

Public Relations – Fran Gilliland

- Sent out press release- [Here is the Noozhawk article on Tammy's presidency](#)
- Send any pictures to Fran of community service, meetings, etc.

Vocational Service – Jaime Alvarez

- Attended a vocational service meeting
- Want to promote our club as well as make the youth aware of Rotary
- Any students that come to mind? Let Jaime know

Youth Services – open

Pay & Tell

- Eric- daughter is engaged & set the date for October 17 of this year, went on vacation- \$58
- Ashlyn Cavaletto- life coaching- \$20
- John G- learned some things about Rotary and the 88th rule (your age+years you've been in Rotary) & DP Little League- \$125
- Tammy- daughter in Tokyo as the representative for the US for the Paralympics & DP Little League- \$150
- John S- undergrad roommate came to visit- \$26
- Alan- \$100 to DP Little League
- Scott- match Alan
- Brooke- match Alan, his kids played for DP Little League
- Fran- match Alan
- Tony- match Alan
- Stacy- new nephew Sterling was born at 5lbs 18 inches- \$60- going to the DP fundraiser

Speaker – District Governor Dana Moldovan

- Assistant Governor of district 8, Chris Baxter introduced Dana
 - She has travelled the world for Rotary related services
 - Serves on the board of directors for multiple associations
 - Pepperdine Alumni
 - Paul Harris society member
- Talked about how fun our club is and how she would love to be a member if she didn't live so far away
- Dana's theme for the year: think different.
- We are here because we believe in service above self
- "Rotary is an iceberg; most of it is under the water, so you can't see it."
- Goals: reach out and help more people, want everyone involved, & increase capability to adapt
- Rotary International President Mehta reminds members to serve to change lives

- Rotary Days of Service: find an issue in the community that aligns with one of the 7 areas of focus and get Rotarians as well as non-Rotarians to work together
- Protecting the environment- a speaker is planned to present at the Rotary District conference
- Rotary Clubs are independent, but the district is always there to help and support
- Encouraged to check out the district website
- **District conference: most likely will be postponed due to travelling regulations; more details to come**
- International convention will be in Texas this year; she highly encourages you to attend
- Support the Polio fund; only 2 countries in the world in which polio is still a pandemic
- Rotary will most likely not be a present club in Afghanistan if the Taliban completely takes over; they won't like the idea of an American club
- Triple Crown: recognizing major donors & Paul Harris members
- Foundation Gala in Westlake: January 29th; not for sure as of right now with COVID
- Useful information on rotary.org; helpful advertising tools
- August is membership month; encourage people to join
- Dana wants to see our district be over 3,000 members by the end of the year

Birthday draw: February 27th