A few weeks ago we had our rise against hunger event— we had some technical difficulties with packing the food so we donated a lot of extra food to the food bank! We will be hosting another meal packing event in April!

Big thanks to all of those involved in the Boys & Girls Club Thanksgiving dinner— we served over 300 people!

Rose Parade Announcement— we always help build a float every year! The building trip is scheduled for Saturday Dec 22nd— contact stephens@silcom.com for more info!

Food from the Heart Fundraiser this Saturday (Dec. 1st) from 1-4pm at the Old Paseo. There are 8 wine tasting rooms involved and tickets are $50 a piece.

Also please welcome Lynn Cederquist back as a new member! Welcome home!

We are always looking for new members, please see Carol if you want to refer anyone!
Guest Speaker: Kerri Burns - SB Humane Society

Kerri Burns, the Executive Director of the Santa Barbara Humane Society spoke today on all of the wonderful work being done at the Santa Barbara Humane Society. Kerri joined the staff in February, after working as a police officer and with PetSmart Charities. After doing animal search and rescue during 9/11 and after Hurricane Katrina, Kerri worked with FEMA to write new laws on how animals are to be treated in natural disasters, so that they can get the care and treatment that they deserve. The SB Humane society takes in animals who are homeless, provides basic medical treatment, works on educating the public, and provides services for animals to people who would otherwise not be able to afford it. During the recent fire in Malibu, the SB humane society brought in animals from local Malibu shelters so that those shelters would have space to care for lost or burned animals. Currently, the Humane society is looking to merge with 9 other local animal nonprofits in order to more effectively support local communities. Stop by their current campus and ask about their new plans for a state-of-the-art campus that will be a one-stop shop for all animal needs. Thank you for coming by Kerri - we are so grateful for all of the work you do in our community!

Pay and Tell

• Paul: $10 each for the recipients of the Man of the year and the volunteer of the year awards, and $10 for returning after a detached retina. We’re glad you are back!
• Tony: $70 for all of the Rotarians at the awards and $10 that Paul is recovered!
• Dick: $10 for a wonderful Thanksgiving in Las Vegas!
• Tim: $6.25 for launching his new BBQ sauce! Congrats!

Birthday Draw: January 20th, no winners!

Jim did a lovely Rotary Minute on how involved Rotary is on disasters worldwide, and the importance of asking people to join Rotary!

Transition House Secret Santa: We will be providing presents for 3 local families with children and we need to start shopping ASAP! On Friday Nov. 30th at 5pm meet at Hollister Brew to talk about gifts.

Parade: The Goleta Christmas Parade is on Saturday - we need volunteers! Please come at 4pm to help set up and patrol the streets! Contact Tony with more questions.

Poinsettias: We need help Friday with delivering the flowers. Please wear your Rotary shirts and meet at the Airbus staging area. Contact Brook Armstrong for delivery questions or Tammy Dobrotin with any other questions.

Holiday Party: On Dec. 18th at 6pm we will be having dinner at the club, then leaving at 6:45 for a light tour of the Goleta Area!! Thank you for organizing Eric! Make sure that you RSVP ahead of time to ensure that there are enough seats!
Our Club meets every second and fourth Tuesday of the month at 6:30pm at The Frog Bar & Grill on the Glen Annie Golf Course. 405 Glen Annie Rd, Goleta, CA 93117

Make up missed meetings at one of the following clubs:

- Goleta Noon
- Montecito
- Santa Barbara Sunrise
- Santa Ynez Valley
- Ventura
- Santa Barbara North
- Carpinteria
- Carpinteria Morning
- Santa Barbara Downtown
- Tuesday, Noon
- Tuesday, Noon
- Wednesday, 7:00 AM
- Wednesday, Noon
- Wednesday, Noon
- Wednesday, Noon
- Thursday, 11:45 AM
- Wednesday 7:00 AM
- Friday, Noon
- Elephant Bar Restaurant
- Montecito Country Club
- Santa Barbara Club
- Scandinavian Inn Solvang
- Holiday Inn
- Harry's Plaza Café
- Lion's Park
- Carpinteria Women's Club
- Double Tree Inn

THE OBJECT OF ROTARY

1. The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service.
2. High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying by each Rotarian of his occupation as an opportunity to serve society.
3. The application of the ideal of service by every Rotarian to his personal, business and community life.
4. The advancement of International understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional men and woman united in the ideal of service.

THE ROTARY FOUR-WAY TEST

Is it the Truth?

Is it Fair to all concerned?

Will it build Goodwill and better Friendships?

Will it be Beneficial to all concerned?