



THE ROTARY CLUB OF SIMI VALLEY



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HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY—EARLY!



The Emperor MIA

The Good Doctor aka the Emperor was MIA from last week's meeting. He gave some excuse.... Anyway—there was no ***Health for Self Tip***. I am sure he will make up for it this week. He has covered just about every inch of the human body ... what's left? We will just have to stay tuned.

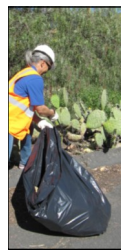
Some Announcements:

March 19—Bolio (see Hal)

April 6 — Joint Club Meeting, Simi and Moorpark Clubs (see Terry)

April 20 — Paul Harris Night (see Michele)

The Tierra Rejada Clean-up And a Fun Time Was Had By All



Looking dapper in orange vests, club members picked up debris along Tierra Rejada Road on Saturday. Some trash highlights—lots of golf balls, a few latex gloves, and a plastic car bumper.

Celebrating Birthdays, Anniversaries and Club Anniversaries

Birthdays

Bob Landegger 3/06
Kelly Gaines 3/07
Rocky Rhodes 3/11
Tristian Rodriquez 3/16
Allan Mann 3/21
Kate Obrien 3/29

Spouses

Sunny Landegger 3/13
Darin Gaines 3/17
Ann Lindeen 3/29

Anniversaries

Dana Apple and Bobby
Coolures 3/7/1992

25 Years

Ginny and Jeff Hayward
3/27/1999

18 Years

Club Anniversaries

Matthew Hortt 3/01/2016

1 Year

Gordon Lindeen 3/01/1972

45 Years

Gary Whitney 3/08/1994

23 Years

Kelly Gaines 3/11/2014

3 Years

Christina Orta 3/27/2014

3 Years

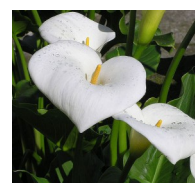
"The best way to find
yourself is to lose your-
self in the service of
others."

...Mahatma Gandhi

Our Condolences to

May Culbertson on the
loss of her mother.

Our thoughts and prayers
are with May and her
family.



Lew Fry Reminding us That Character Counts

The Woodsman and the Leprechaun

Long ago, a woodsman saved the life of a leprechaun and was given one wish. The woodsman thought for a long time and finally wished that each of his three daughters find a good husband.

But the leprechaun was full of games. "How am I to know what's good in your mind? I'll give them husbands, but you can name only one quality and it's got to be the same for all. What'll you have? I can make them clever, strong, beautiful, rich – you name it."

The woodsman said, "Then give me men of good character."

The leprechaun wasn't done playing. "And how am I to know what good character is?"

"Do you have children?" asked the woodsman. "I do," said the leprechaun.

"And do you love them?"

"More than life itself."

"Then give my girls the kind of men you want for your children."

"Ah," the leprechaun said, "then you shall have honorable men with kind and loving hearts. And I'll throw in a strong conscience too."

The woodsman was a shrewd man and a good father. He knew the well-being and happiness of his children depends on the quality of their relationships. The quality of their relationships depends on the quality of the people they are with.

But what if the woodsman was asked what one quality he wants in his own daughters? As a wise father he would again ask for good character. Whether it's in one's spouse or oneself, cleverness, good looks, and money are nice, but in the end the most essential quality of a good life is good character.

