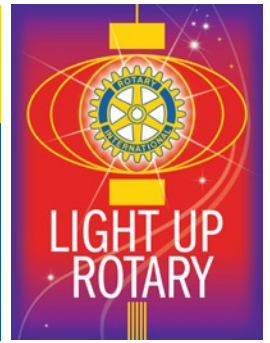


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What's New at the Reagan Presidential Library



Melanie Salvesen is the Marketing Outreach Assistant for the Ronald Reagan Presidential Foundation and will be speaking about The Ronald Reagan Presidential Library and Museum. She will focus on their newly renovated state-of-the-art interactive galleries, special exhibits, upcoming events and educational outreach programs.

Before coming to The Reagan Foundation in August of 2010, Melanie worked at GE/NBC Universal for over 15 years and created large events and business development opportunities for technology companies all over southern California. Before moving from Chicago, Melanie held a Series 3 as a Commodities Broker and was a Company Manager of many equity productions including Driving Miss Daisy and Steel Magnolias.

Melanie holds a Master of Business Administration from Woodbury University as well as a Bachelor of Arts in Economics from Northwestern University in Evanston, Illinois. She is a member of the Producer's Guild of America.

The Ronald Reagan Presidential Foundation is the nonprofit organization created by President Reagan himself and specifically charged by him with continuing his legacy and sharing his principles—individual liberty, economic opportunity, global democracy and national pride. The Foundation is a non-partisan organization which sustains the Ronald Reagan Presidential Library and Museum, the Reagan Center for Public Affairs, the Walter and Leonore Annenberg Presidential Learning Center and its internationally recognized, award-winning Discovery Center, and the Air Force One Pavilion.

Our speaker acts as “ambassador” for individual tourists and adult/senior tour groups seeking to visit the Ronald Reagan Presidential Library and Museum. The Marketing Outreach Assistant is responsible for assisting with Tourism Industry Tradeshows, giving Library presentations at Rotary and Republican Clubs, creating partnerships with local hotels and Chamber of Commerces, and visiting/attending other similar events to promote tourism to the Reagan Library.



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5K
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OCTOBER 18, 2014

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Recap of September 03 Meeting

Terry Schaeffer started off the meeting with his invocation. Staci Johnson RoseAnn Hill and Clyde Reynolds led us in 'God Bless America.'

Lucas Johnston, our club's exchange student advisor, presented our new student, Christhian Pazmina, to the club. Christhian spoke briefly about his excitement at being here where he will be attending Ventura High School.

President Rob performed his first induction for Ranjeet Bajwa, an optometrist, who also happens to be a newlywed!

In announcements, Mario de la Piedra reminded members to encourage runners to sign up for the Oct. 18 Color Run. Ellyn Dembowski gave details and directed members to the sign-up sheets for the September 17th club social at the Ventura Yacht Club. Steve Doll appealed for volunteers to help staff the Ventura Marathon and Beach Party Bicycle Ride and beer pouring.

Hank Chandler, in his Rotary Moment, shared a cause for which he is very involved that deals with victims of Shaken Baby Syndrome.

Program

Speaker Sean Bhadwaj returned to the club to update us on the Aspire3 program which has been part of the Ventura Unified school program since November 2012 and has proven to be wildly succesful. By December some 500 students at five school sites may be involved.

Aspire3 focuses on entrepreneurship, both as a process and an essential, teachable set of skills. Theycreate customized experiences that engage students with challenging, real world problems and motivate students to develop talents and tools to think critically, create solutions and lead positive community change.

Sean ended the presentation by appealing to club members to participate as mentors to ask questions and encourage the students to succeed.

Today's Program *The Ronald Reagan Presidential Library*

Introductions:	Mario de la Piedra
Rotary Moment:	Greg Kincaid
Fining:	Dick Hatcher

Future Programs

Sep 17	District Governor Visit
Sep 24	Member Spotlights
Oct 1	The Importance of a Colonoscopy



Christhian Pazmina presents the Ecuadorean flag as he introduces himself.



Guest Speaker Sean Bhaddwaj updates the club on the Aspire3 program.



President Rob vanNieuwburg inducts Ranjeet Bajwa as our newest member.



Clyde Reynolds and Staci Johnson sing 'God Bless America.'



Ellyn Dembowski invites everyone to the next Club Social on September 17.



Terry Schaeffer handles the introductions.



Mario de la Piedra reminds everyone of the October 19 Color Run.



Steve Doll appeals for volunteers for the Ventura Beach Party and Marathon.



John Brant's dog, Dillon, comforts cyclists at the Santa Paula rest stop..



Christina Rust, President Rob and Jeff King staff the Moorpark rest stop.



Sheila Fatarelli, Curtis Cormane, Ron Calkins and Irene Henry served up beers near the pier.

Ventura Rotary Social Event Ventura Yacht Club Wednesday, Sept. 17, 5:00 p.m. BBQ provided, pot luck and BYOB

September Birthdays

Norm Blacher, Sep 04	Larry Dawes, Sep 23
Christina Rust, Sep 08	Larry Rasmussen, Sep 24
Indy Batra, Sep 09	Joe Richards, Sep 25
Sherry Scott, Sep 12	
Mike Anderson, Sep 13	
Fred Bysshe, Sep 16	
John McConica II, Sep 17	
Staci Johnson, Sep 20	
Steve Bradvica, Sep 22	

September Anniversaries

William J. Kearney, Sep 10
Albert McCartney, Sep 12
Ed McCombs, Sep 12
Michael Scar, Sep 29

Ventura Beach Party

Several Rotarians volunteered their time to help make the festivities over the last weekend a success. Whether staffing the rest stops for the Saturday Bicycle Ride or pouring beer at the Beach Party following the Marathon on Sunday, club members worked to raise funds for our Third-grader Dictionary Project.



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