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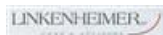


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Posted by Dave Lorenzen on Nov 02, 2012

CHANGE OF VENUE - Veterans Memorial Auditorium, Santa Rosa

CHANGE OF TIME - 11:30 am - 1:30 pm

Honoring our Veterans 12th Annual Tribute Keynote Speaker - Lt. Gen. Jack Klimp USMC, Retired

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Lieutenant General Jack W. Klimp was the Deputy Commandant for Manpower & Reserve Affairs, Headquarters, U.S. Marine Corps, Washington, D.C. from November 1998 until his retirement on 1 June 2001. General Klimp was born on Sept. 9, 1945 in Kalamazoo, Mich. He graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy in 1968 with a B.S. degree and was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Marine Corps. He also holds M.A. degrees in Public Administration and National Security and Strategic Studies. He is a graduate of the Amphibious Warfare School, the U.S. Army Command and General Staff College, and the U.S. Naval War College. After completion of The Basic School at Quantico, Va., he received orders to the Republic of Vietnam, where he received his initiation to combat as a platoon commander, company executive officer and company commander of Company G, 2d Battalion, 1st Marines. Subsequent command tours include: Companies B and C, 3d Reconnaissance Battalion; Company B, 1st Recruit Training Battalion, MCRD, San Diego; Marine Corps Recruiting Station, Phoenix, Ariz.; 3d Battalion, 5th Marines as well as Task Force Mogadishu and Marine Forces Somalia during Operation Restore Hope. General Klimp has served as an instructor at the Naval Academy and The Basic School. His staff assignments include tours as an Assistant Provost Marshal; Aide-de-Camp; Recruit Training Battalion Executive Officer; Recruit Training Regiment S-3; Marine Amphibious Unit S-4; Plans Officer for the Combined Forces Command in Seoul, Korea; Assistant G-3, 1st Marine Division; Chief, Field Training Exercise Branch; Chief, Exercise Division; Operations Directorate J-3; and Director of the Joint Operations Center, U.S. Central Command during Operations Desert Shield and Desert Storm. In March 1993, while serving as Commander, Task Force Mogadishu, during Operation Restore Hope in Somalia, he was selected for promotion to brigadier general. He was advanced to that grade on June 2, 1993, and assumed assignment as the Commanding General Marine Corps Recruit Depot and Commanding General, Eastern Recruiting Region, Parris Island, S.C., on June 25, 1993. General Klimp assumed his last assignment as the Commanding General, Marine Corps Recruiting Command, Headquarters, Washington, D.C. on July 21, 1995. He was promoted to lieutenant general on November 6, 1998, and was assigned as Deputy Commandant for Manpower and Reserve Affairs. Upon retirement,



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General Klimp joined Phoenix House in New York as Vice President and Director of the New York region and conducted drug rehabilitation programs throughout the city and the state of New York, for both adults and adolescents. He is now President of GAMA, Gas Appliance Manufacturers Association, a trade association headquartered in Arlington Virginia. His personal decorations include: the Defense Superior Service Medal; Legion of Merit; Bronze Star Medal with Combat "V"; the Defense Meritorious Service Medal; Joint Service Commendation Medal; Navy and Marine Commendation Award; Navy Achievement Medal; Combat Action Ribbon; and the Korean Order of National Security Merit Samil Medal.



Music by the Santa Rosa High School Symphonic Band

Rotary and Kiwanis members are requested to host a veteran.
Contact your club's representatives for tickets and/or the name of a veteran to invite.
Veterans may contact any Rotary or Kiwanis Club to obtain tickets.



Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar 2011-12
Posted by Dave Lorenzen on Nov 02, 2012

Kristin Fladseth - "Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar 2011-12"

Kristin Fladseth, District 3120 2011-12 Ambassadorial Scholar.

An Ambassadorial Scholar, by RI definition is "an Ambassador of Goodwill on a Cultural Exchange".

There have been over 41,000 Scholars since 1947, with an average funding of \$26,000 each. Kristin spent her yearlong Scholarship at the London School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine, working on a dissertation to finish her MSC in Public Health.

Her selection as a Scholar was not surprising, based on the numerous local and international projects she has participated in over the last few years;

- "Girls On The Run" – Vermont
- MedLife – Riobamba, Equator (working on HIV prevention)
- Tucker Foundation International Fellow (Dartmouth Fellowship) Huancayo, Peru
- Alternative Spring Break Trip – Dominican Republic (Dominican/Haitian Sports Health Camp)
- Grassroots Soccer – Kimberly, South Africa (HIV Prevention Mission)

Kristin's Future? Become an expert in Global Health & Epidemiology.



Two New Paul Harris Fellows
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The Paul Harris Fellowship is named for Paul Harris, who founded Rotary over 100 years ago. The Fellowship was established in his honor in 1957 to express appreciation and recognition for a contribution of US \$1000 to the Rotary Foundation. A Paul Harris Fellow is an individual who contributes \$1,000 US or in whose name that amount is contributed. Every Paul Harris Fellow receives a pin, medallion and a certificate when he or she becomes a Fellow. This identifies the Paul Harris Fellow as an advocate of the Foundation's goals of world peace and international understanding.

A multiple Paul Harris Fellow is a Paul Harris Fellow who has contributed, or in whose name is contributed, additional US \$1000 gifts to the Foundation.

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This week we saw the presentation of **2 new Paul Harris Fellow's**, both from the John Jones family, son-in-law **Daniel Castro**, and daughter-in-law **Jenny Jones**.

Congratulations to the entire Jones family!



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Sunrise Rotary has a long history of supporting the Foundation of Rotary International. In our first year of existence, a member of the Rotary Club of Redwood City, Ted Kruttschnitt offered every member in then District 513 a \$50 match for a \$50 contribution to the Foundation. And from that day on, Sunrise continued the tradition of matching a new member's \$50 contribution, to begin their support to the Foundation. As a result, Sunrise has amassed a tremendous number of Paul Harris Fellows, 278 at the time of this writing. You can find the continually growing list posted on our web site. Here is where; On the main page of the website, left column, under SITE PAGES, click on "About Our Club". On the About our Club Page, left hand column, click on "Sunrise Paul Harris Fellows". The lists of PHF's are listed chronologically, starting with Delbert Raby, 1/1/1981. Currently the spans 7 pages, and at the bottom of each page, is a link to the next page. Additionally, you can jump to any of the pages, as they are listed in the left column, 1 thru 7.

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Santa Rosa Sunrise is a 100% Paul Harris Fellow Club. To date, Sunrise has 278 Paul Harris Fellows!

Name	Became PHF	Name	Became PHF
Raby, Delbert A.	1/1/1981	Van Der Horst, Wim	1/1/1983
Anderson, Dana	8/22/1983	Gorman, Raymond	7/23/1986
Clark, Robert A.	2/11/1988	Julian, Archie	2/17/1988
Treleaven, Peter L.	7/7/1988	Jacobson, Carl	4/25/1989
Eddinger, Clifford C.	2/7/1990	Doolittle, Gary	3/21/1990
Lambert, Daniel	3/30/1990	Lorenzen, David C.	3/30/1990
Seegmiller, Kent	6/11/1990	Taylor, Keith L.	10/26/1990
Raby, Harriett	11/26/1990	Dolinsek, John	1/29/1991
Brown, David N.	4/17/1991	Pratt, Marilyn E.	4/30/1991
Panas, Michael	5/9/1991	Smith, Warren A.	5/30/1991
Van Cleave, Eric	5/30/1991	Reyes, Bruce A.	10/1/1991
Carlenzoli, Leroy	10/26/1992	Finch, Howard A.	11/23/1992
Jones, R. John	11/30/1992	Jacobson, Judy Lynn	12/26/1992
Kingsley, Robert M.	6/4/1993	Intner, Frederica J.	9/25/1993
Ponseti, Rhoann J.	10/29/1993	Hauck, Linda	11/1/1993
Doolittle, Carolyn	11/9/1993	Treleaven, Marie K.	11/15/1993
Wallace, Mathew J.	1/30/1994	Walker, Stanley	4/13/1994
Aita, Nancy	4/27/1994	Abramson, Al	5/16/1994
Yaeger, Mike	6/1/1994	Lockner, F. Russell	10/4/1994

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Celebrating November "Rotary Foundation Month" 278 Paul Harris Fellows, and growing.

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Special Dates for November

Posted by Dave Lorenzen on Nov 01, 2012

Birthday's and Anniversaries for November

Member Birthdays

Name	Date
Petro, Ken	Nov 08
Hoberg, Peter	Nov 15
Childs, Max	Nov 23

Spouse Birthdays

Name	Spouse Of	Date
Nicolette, Phoebe	Lewis, Rick	Nov 01
Smith, Wendy	Smith, Warren	Nov 01
Coffey, Judith	Coffey, Harry	Nov 15
Randolph, Betsy	Randolph, Richard	Nov 19
Seaman, Lou Ann	Kelly, Mike	Nov 22

Anniversaries

Name	Spouse Name	Years	Date
Kelly, Mike	Seaman, Lou Ann	13 years	Nov 08
Holder, Scott	Holder, Tricia	22 years	Nov 10
Coffey, Harry	Coffey, Judith	43 years	Nov 22

Remember the Pictures

Posted by Max Bridges on Oct 18, 2012

Check Out the Pictures from the Weekly Meetings



On a regular basis, our resident photo pros **Warren Smith** and **Steve Davis** submit pictures of what is going on at the weekly meetings. You can always find the most recent pictures at the websites photo journal called "**Meeting Sighting**" Please not that all the meeting photos for the entire Rotary year are at this location with the most recent on the last page.

Thanks for all the great pictures Warren and Steve! [Link to Meeting Sightings](#). The most recent are on the last page!

Additional photos may be found on the [SR Sunrise Facebook Page](#).

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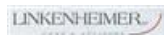


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Fred Ptucha

World Peace



Fred is a Vietnam Veteran, one of the original founders of Climbers for Peace (CFP) and has participated in all 6 CFP adventures. He has three daughters and one son. His oldest daughter, Laura, participated in CFP 1 and 2 and daughter Lindsey participated in CFP 3. His son Alex and wife Jeannette were part of CFP 6.

He was a co-founder and is the current president of the Sister Cities programs between Cherkassy, Ukraine and Santa Rosa.

Fred is a past president and current member of Veterans for Peace, Chapter 71. He works as a financial advisor helping companies and individuals invest their money in a socially responsible way that is consistent with their ethical and moral values.

"The people-to-people relationships developed over the past 10 years of CFP adventures are wonderful. They feed my soul and give me hope for the future, especially in difficult times.

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Climbers for peace web page.



Honoring Our Veterans

Posted by Max Bridges on Nov 08, 2012

12th Annual Tribute at Veterans Memorial Auditorium



Rotarians, Kawannians and some 800 veterans shared bag lunches and comradery, enjoyed music provided by the Santa Rosa High School Symphonic Band and an inspiring presentation from Lt. Gen. Jack Klimp, USMC retired.



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[Link to more Veteran's Day lunch photos](#)

News from Rotary International

Posted by Max Bridges on Nov 09, 2012

Rotarians respond in the aftermath of Hurricane Sandy



Top: Rotaractors at the Rotary-UN Day distributed 350 boxed lunches to the Bowery Mission in New York City on 3 November. Photo by Joe Clark Bottom: Members of the Rotary Club of Murray, Kentucky, USA, fill a truck with relief supplies.

Rotary International on Facebook

Rotary districts in New York and New Jersey have mobilized to provide relief for communities affected by Hurricane Sandy, which slammed into the northeastern United States on 29 October.

More than 160 people in the United States and the Caribbean were killed by Sandy's

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- ➔ Rotarians active in supporting polio eradication on World Polio Day
- ➔ Rotary-UN Day focuses on promoting global peace
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powerful wind gusts and storm surges, which left tens of thousands without shelter and millions without electricity. Some areas remain without power more than a week later.

"The destruction is unthinkable," says Bonnie Sirower, governor of District 7490 (New Jersey). "There are towns up and down the coast that have been completely wiped away. Several Rotary districts, including mine, have suffered immense damage."

Sirower's district and five other affected districts (7230, 7250, 7260, 7500, and 7640), which include parts of New Jersey, New York, and Bermuda, are coordinating much of the Rotarian relief effort by [collecting funds](#) and supplies for hard-hit communities. The aid will be distributed equally among the six districts to use where they feel the most need is, says Sirower.

Sirower says truckloads of clothes, blankets, cleaning supplies, and ready-to-eat meals and other nonperishable food have been arriving in the affected districts. Teams of Rotarians have worked around the clock since the storm hit to sort the items and determine where to deliver them.

Mario Moran, governor of District 7250 (New York), was shocked by the devastation in his district.

"Cars have been totally inundated, homes destroyed, furniture, and appliances scattered on muddy streets," says Moran. "It brought tears to my eyes seeing the look of so many people walking in despair after five days of sudden homelessness."

But Moran says he's also seen incredible acts of selflessness. "People in the streets with barely anything for themselves were offering me the very little food they had. Such generosity was amazing to witness."

Rotarians act quickly

"The response from Rotarians is nothing short of amazing," says Sirower. "The day before the storm hit, I was receiving calls from clubs around the world asking what they could do to help. We have three warehouses in my town full of supplies that Rotarians have sent to us."

Governor John Andrews of District 7640 says his neighborhood in Ocean City, New Jersey, looks like a war zone.

"It was heartbreaking to see blocks and blocks of homes destroyed," says Andrews, whose home suffered minor damages but lost electricity. "I was very lucky, but you have to pay back that luck, and that's what Rotarians all over this region are doing."

Andrews says he's received emails and phone calls from clubs and districts worldwide offering help.

"All of our districts are so used to giving in emergencies like this, it feels so different to be on the receiving end," says Andrews. "The support shown to us throughout the Rotary world shows we're not alone during this recovery."

Governors of the six affected districts are asking Rotarians to send donations to their Hurricane Sandy fund. To learn how to donate and to read news updates, visit [their website](#).

Other relief efforts:

- The Rotary Club of Murray, Kentucky, USA, is delivering a truckload of clothes, tools, packaged meals, and other relief items to Rotarians in Freeport, New York. Members have also collected more than \$1,000 for the affected area.
- Rotarians in District 7530 (West Virginia, USA) collected 20 generators, and the Rotary Club of Tucker County, West Virginia, is distributing them in areas left without power by several feet of snow.
- Rotaractors at the Rotary-UN Day distributed 350 boxed lunches to the Bowery Mission in New York City on 3 November.
- ShelterBox has deployed a response team to distribute temporary shelter and emergency supplies to evacuees. The team is working with Rotary clubs to identify the hardest hit areas. Hundreds of blankets have been sent to shelters.



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RI President's Message

Posted by Max Bridges on Nov 12, 2012

November 2012



Dear fellow Rotarians,

There are many ways to describe our Rotary Foundation. But I think of our Foundation literally – as the foundation for all of Rotary.

We do not often think about the ground beneath our feet. We do not often think about the walls that are holding up our house. We take them for granted. We think about them only when they are not there.

Not long ago in Japan, the ground fell out from under our feet. On Friday, 11 March 2011, a magnitude 9 earthquake shook Japan to its very core. More than 15,000 people died, nearly 6,000 were injured, and another 4,000 are still missing. The total losses of the disaster are estimated at over US\$300 billion.

In a matter of hours, half a million people in one of the world's wealthiest and most developed countries lost everything. They went from living in comfort and security to facing an uncertain future in school gymnasiums, tents, and ruined buildings.

In Japan, we are used to earthquakes. We thought we were ready for anything. But no one ever expected anything like this.

What happened on that day changed Japan, and everyone who lives there. It has made us realize how fragile our lives are. And it has made me realize how little separates me from the people I help through Rotary.

It is easy to look at the people we help through our Foundation as somehow different from ourselves. They live far away. We do not know their language or their culture. We do not know what it is like to have no running water, no sanitation, no health care, no education. We look at pictures, and we read stories in the news about poverty, wars, and disasters. We see, from so far away, the people who are living through such terrible times. But it is hard to put ourselves in their place.

Today, I tell you that there is nothing at all separating us from the people we help. We are all the same. Only the circumstances surrounding us are different.

Through our Foundation, we have the power to live the words of our Foundation's motto: Doing Good in the World. Through it, we can do so much more good than we could ever do alone. And it matters so much – to people just like us.

Sakuji Tanaka
President, Rotary International

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The Vocational Service Talks page lists the members we have the summary of Vocational Talks for. Once you click on any of these linked members, you will be prompted to log in, as it requires a members account to view these summaries. If you do not remember your log in information, contact our Web Editor (Dave Lorenzen) for that information.


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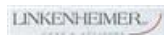


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Viet Nam Revisited

Posted by Max Bridges on Nov 15, 2012

Fred Ptucha

Viet Nam Veteran and World Peace Advocate



Fred fascinated Sunrisers with his personal experiences and insight into all aspects of the Viet Nam War as well as his observations upon returning to Viet Nam some thirty years later and his strong opinions on the true cost of war and the rampant militarism and military spending in our country.

This was a really great program.



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Let me explain where your gifts go. When a child goes into an emergency foster home in Sonoma County they are given a blue duffel bag with the basic things they will need in their first days in their new home. This blue bag is the child's to keep and helps make the transition to their new home a little easier. The bags include several changes of clothing, pajamas, diapers/underware, a book, a toy, a stuffed animal, toiletries and a special hand-made quilt. The bags serve children from 0-8 years old.

Here is the Blue Bag Wish List (clothing is really needed):

Babies (boys & girls) Sizes preemies, newborns, 3 months, 6 months, 9 months, 12 months, & 18 months

Short-sleeves & long-sleeve shirts

Pants

Sweats

Sweatshirts

Pajamas

Socks

Soft hats

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Other baby needs: receiving blankets, stuffed animals, books, teething and other baby toys

Toddlers (boys & girls) Sizes 24 months/2T, 3T, 4T, 5T

Short-sleeves & long-sleeve shirts

Pants

Sweats

sweatshirts

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Jackets

Pajamas

Underwear

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Additional information may be found at the web sites for [Sonoma County Foster Care](#) and the [Valley of the Moon Children's Foundation](#).

Please bring unwrapped items to our Holiday party December 15th at Jennifer's house or contact us. If you don't feel like shopping, cash donations are always welcome.

[Sunrise Veteran](#)

Posted by Max Bridges on Nov 15, 2012

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As part of our 2012 Veteran's Day observation, Ezbon shared his experiences serving as a medic in Viet Nam.

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News from Rotary International

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General Secretary John Hewko, center.

Ninety Rotarian cyclists from clubs throughout the United States took part in the EI Tour de Tucson on 17 November in Arizona, raising more than US\$320,000 for polio eradication.

RI General Secretary John Hewko and his wife, Marga, were among the Rotarians, friends of Rotary, and family members who hit the pavement along with 9,000 riders from around the world in the charity bike ride, sponsored by the University Medical Center in Tucson, Arizona, completing distances of 42, 60, 85 or 111 miles. The Hewkos also exceeded their goal of \$111,000 in pledges, raising more than \$200,000 for the ride.

Rotarians have been taking part in the ride since 2009, when the End Polio Now campaign was designated an official beneficiary of the race, allowing Rotary to enroll cyclists to gather pledges for the campaign. In that first year, 27 cyclists raised \$35,000. The number has grown steadily since.

This year's festivities included a pre-ride dinner the night before. Rotarians also staffed a water station along the route, and a booth at the finish line where finishing cyclists could gather and learn more about Rotary and polio eradication.

Since 1985, Rotary and its global polio eradication partners have spearheaded the effort to rid the world of the crippling disease. Cases have dropped to an all-time low -- there were fewer than 200 worldwide in 2012 as of 31 October -- and only Afghanistan, Pakistan, and Nigeria remain polio-endemic.

But a \$700 million funding shortfall for the Global Polio Eradication Initiative threatens to impede progress. Already the funding gap has curtailed scheduled immunization activities in polio-affected countries. If eradication fails and polio rebounds, up to 200,000 children per year could be paralyzed.

Rotary is ramping up its advocacy work in the 200 countries and regions where Rotary clubs exist to encourage every national government to commit to help meet the shortfall. Visitors to www.endpolionow.org can lend their voice to the advocacy efforts by signing a petition for world leaders. Supporters can also upload their photos to be part of the [World's Biggest Commercial](#), a new initiative to promote polio eradication launched on World Polio Day.

Learn how you can still [contribute to the ride](#).



Culinary 2012 Photo Memories

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This year's extremely successful Culinary Classic Fundraiser was also a great experience by all those who attending. Club Photo Ace Warren Smith took well over 150 great photos, and are now posted to our web site for everyone's enjoyment. Check them out and share them with your guests who helped make this such a successful event!

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Not long ago in Japan, the ground fell out from under our feet. On Friday, 11 March 2011, a magnitude 9 earthquake shook Japan to its very core. More than 15,000 people died, nearly 6,000 were injured, and another 4,000 are still missing. The total losses of the disaster are estimated at over US\$300 billion.

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In Japan, we are used to earthquakes. We thought we were ready for anything. But no one ever expected anything like this.

What happened on that day changed Japan, and everyone who lives there. It has made us realize how fragile our lives are. And it has made me realize how little separates me from the people I help through Rotary.

It is easy to look at the people we help through our Foundation as somehow different from ourselves. They live far away. We do not know their language or their culture. We do not know what it is like to have no running water, no sanitation, no health care, no education. We look at pictures, and we read stories in the news about poverty, wars, and disasters. We see, from so far away, the people who are living through such terrible times. But it is hard to put ourselves in their place.

Today, I tell you that there is nothing at all separating us from the people we help. We are all the same. Only the circumstances surrounding us are different.

Through our Foundation, we have the power to live the words of our Foundation's motto: Doing Good in the World. Through it, we can do so much more good than we

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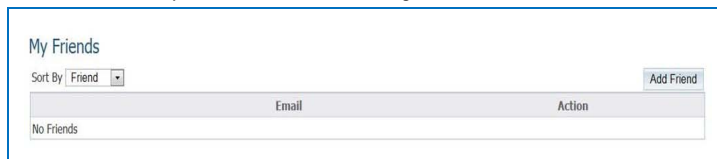
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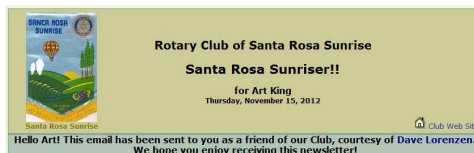
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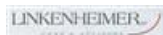


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Let me explain where your gifts go. When a child goes into an emergency foster home in Sonoma County they are given a blue duffle bag with the basic things they will need in their first days in their new home. This blue bag is the child's to keep and helps make the transition to their new home a little easier. The bags include several changes of clothing, pajamas, diapers/underware, a book, a toy, a stuffed animal, toiletries and a special hand-made quilt. The bags serve children from 0-8 years old.

Here is the Blue Bag Wish List (clothing is really needed):

Babies (boys & girls) Sizes preemies, newborns, 3 months, 6 months, 9 months, 12 months, & 18 months

Short-sleeves & long-sleeve shirts

Pants

Sweats

Sweatshirts

Pajamas

Socks

Soft hats

onesies

Other baby needs: receiving blankets, stuffed animals, books, teething and other baby toys

Toddlers (boys & girls) Sizes 24 months/2T, 3T, 4T, 5T

Short-sleeves & long-sleeve shirts

Pants

Sweats

sweatshirts

sweaters

Jackets

Pajamas

Underwear

Socks

Other toddler needs: toys & stuffed animals

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Children's Sizes (boys & girls) Sizes 5-6, 7-8

Short-sleeves & long-sleeve shirts

Pants

Sweats

Sweatshirts

jackets

Pajamas

Underwear

Socks

Additional information may be found at the web sites for [Sonoma County Foster Care](#) and the [Valley of the Moon Children's Foundation](#).

Please bring unwrapped items to our Holiday party December 15th at Jennifer's house or contact us. If you don't feel like shopping, cash donations are always welcome.

News from Rotary International

Posted by Max Bridges on Nov 21, 2012

Rotarians respond in the aftermath of Hurricane Sandy



Top: Rotaractors at the Rotary-UN Day distributed 350 boxed lunches to the Bowery Mission in New York City on 3 November.

Bottom: Members of the Rotary Club of Murray, Kentucky, USA, fill a truck with relief supplies.

Rotary districts in New York and New Jersey have collected more than US\$90,000 for relief efforts following Hurricane Sandy, which slammed into the northeastern United States on 29 October.

Six affected districts (7230, 7250, 7260, 7490, 7500, and 7640, which include parts of New Jersey, New York, and Bermuda), have been coordinating the efforts aimed at meeting the needs of hard-hit communities. Rotarians worldwide have contributed to the fund. A portion of the donations, \$13,000, has been spent on generators and gift

cards.

More than 160 people in the United States and the Caribbean were killed by Sandy's powerful wind gusts and storm surges, which left tens of thousands without shelter and millions without electricity. Some areas remain without power weeks later.

"The destruction is unthinkable," says Bonnie Sirower, governor of District 7490 (New Jersey). "There are towns up and down the coast that have been completely wiped away. Several Rotary districts, including mine, have suffered immense damage."

Sirower says truckloads of clothes, blankets, cleaning supplies, and ready-to-eat meals and other nonperishable food have been arriving in the affected districts. Teams of Rotarians have worked around the clock since the storm hit to sort the items and determine where to deliver them.

Mario Moran, governor of District 7250 (New York), was shocked by the devastation in his district.

"Cars have been totally inundated, homes destroyed, furniture, and appliances scattered on muddy streets," says Moran. "It brought tears to my eyes seeing the look of so many people walking in despair after five days of sudden homelessness."

But Moran says he's also seen incredible acts of selflessness. "People in the streets with barely anything for themselves were offering me the very little food they had. Such generosity was amazing to witness."

Rotarians act quickly

"The response from Rotarians is nothing short of amazing," says Sirower. "The day before the storm hit, I was receiving calls from clubs around the world asking what they could do to help. We have three warehouses in my town full of supplies that Rotarians have sent to us."

Governor John Andrews of District 7640 says his neighborhood in Ocean City, New Jersey, looks like a war zone.

"It was heartbreaking to see blocks and blocks of homes destroyed," says Andrews, whose home suffered minor damages but lost electricity. "I was very lucky, but you have to pay back that luck, and that's what Rotarians all over this region are doing."

Andrews says he's received emails and phone calls from clubs and districts worldwide offering help.

"All of our districts are so used to giving in emergencies like this, it feels so different to be on the receiving end," says Andrews. "The support shown to us throughout the Rotary world shows we're not alone during this recovery."

Governors of the six affected districts are asking Rotarians to send donations to their Hurricane Sandy fund. To learn how to donate and to read news updates, visit [their website](#).

Other relief efforts:

- The Rotary Club of Wall Street New York, is collecting funds this Thanksgiving to help feed more than 5,000 people at the Bowery Mission shelter, many of whom are victims of the storm. The club hopes to collect enough to purchase 200 turkeys. Members are also working with Nazareth Housing on long-term rebuilding projects including purchasing heaters, generators, and furniture for families who lost everything in the storm.
- The Rotary Club of Murray, Kentucky, USA, is delivering a truckload of clothes, tools, packaged meals, and other relief items to Rotarians in Freeport, New York. Members have also collected more than \$1,000 for the affected area.
- Rotarians in District 7530 (West Virginia, USA) collected 20 generators, and the Rotary Club of Tucker County, West Virginia, is distributing them in areas left without power by several feet of snow.
- Rotaractors at the Rotary-UN Day distributed 350 boxed lunches to the Bowery Mission in New York City on 3 November.
- ShelterBox has deployed a response team to distribute temporary shelter and emergency supplies to evacuees. The team is working with Rotary clubs to identify the hardest hit areas. Hundreds of blankets have been sent to shelters.

2012 Winter Warmth Coat Drive

Posted by Dave Lorenzen

2012 Winter Warmth Coat Drive

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Culinary 2012 Photo Memories
Posted by Dave Lorenzen on Nov 16, 2012

Culinary 2012 Photo Memories!



This year's extremely successful Culinary Classic Fundraiser was a also a great experience by all those who attending. Club Photo Ace Warren Smith took well over 150 great photos, and are now posted to our web site for everyones enjoyment. Check them out and share them with your guests who helped make this shuch a successful event!

[LINK TO THE 2012 CULLINARY CLASSIC PHOTO JOURNAL](#)



Special Dates for November
Posted by Dave Lorenzen on Nov 01, 2012

Birthday's and Anniversaries for November

Member Birthdays
Name

Date

Petro, Ken

Nov 08

Hoberg, Peter

Nov 15

Childs, Max

Nov 23

Spouse Birthdays

Name	Spouse Of	Date
Nicolette, Phoebe	Lewis, Rick	Nov 01
Smith, Wendy	Smith, Warren	Nov 01
Coffey, Judith	Coffey, Harry	Nov 15
Randolph, Betsy	Randolph, Richard	Nov 19
Seaman, Lou Ann	Kelly, Mike	Nov 22

Anniversaries

Name	Spouse Name	Years	Date
Kelly, Mike	Seaman, Lou Ann	13 years	Nov 08
Holder, Scott	Holder, Tricia	22 years	Nov 10
Coffey, Harry	Coffey, Judith	43 years	Nov 22



Web Site and Bulletin "Tips & Tricks"

Posted by Dave Lorenzen on Nov 16, 2012

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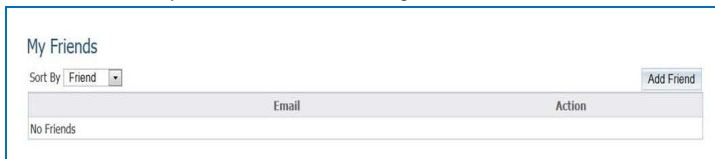
One of the best communication tools Santa Rosa Sunrise has is our weekly bulletin, emailed to the membership every week with information about what the club is doing, has planned, photos, and links to events and other important information. Not only is it available to the entire membership, but it is also something that can be emailed weekly to potential members, or friends of the club and its membership. Adding a "friend" is easy as 1 ... 2 ... 3.



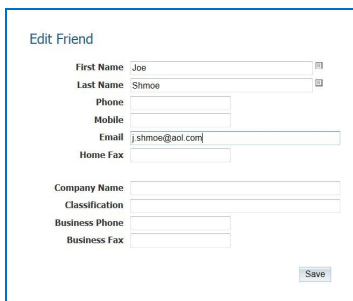
From the main website, go to the Login in the main menu banner, and log in with your membership provided account (if you have lost this, contact the clubs web administrator to find out yours). A successful log in will take you to the default Admin Page.

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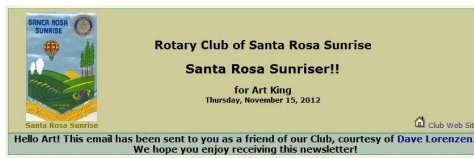
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to add is First Name, Last Name and Email. Then hit save. Now, every week, each of your friends will receive an emailed copy of



our club bulletin, addressed to them, courtesy of you!



Remember you can always find the "Tips & Tricks" articles at [About Our Club / Web Page and Bulletin Tools.](#)

Bulletin Tools.

Next Week's Topic: "Photo Journal Archive"



Remember the Pictures

Posted by Max Bridges on Nov 22, 2012

Check Out the Pictures from the Weekly Meetings



On a regular basis, our resident photo pros **Warren Smith** and **Steve Davis** submit pictures of what is going on at the weekly meetings. You can always find the most recent pictures at the websites photo journal called "**Meeting Sighting**". Please note that all the meeting photos for the entire Rotary year are at this location with the most recent on the last page.

Thanks for all the great pictures Warren and Steve! [Link to Meeting Sightings](#). The most recent are on the last page!

Additional photos may be found on the [SR Sunrise Facebook Page](#).

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