



**ENGAGE
ROTARY**



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LIVES**

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- 5.16 **Committee Report**
Memorial Day Program
- 5.23 **Community Service**
- 5.30 **San Diego History Center**
*The Role of the
Military in San Diego
Gabe Selak*
- 6.6 **Youth Services**
Dianne Day

THE GOLDEN ROTARIAN

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- EDUCATOR - OF THE YEAR AWARDS

The "Educator of the Year" award is presented each year by our club to honor teachers and counselors from our community for the special contribution they make to the academic and personal growth of their students.

The award was created in 1999 by the Vocational Committee as a means of recognizing and supporting the critical role of the people in our schools who have the most immediate and lasting impact on our kids...the teachers and counselors. Our program is actually modeled after a similar program sponsored by the Minneapolis/St. Paul Rotary club and was introduced to our club by Irwin Rubenstein.

Each year, eight schools are invited to submit nominations from their teacher/counselor staffs. The eight schools are public and private and include elementary, middle and high school grades. The eight nominating schools have a combined teacher/counselor population of approximately 600. Administrators, teachers, parents and students are offered the opportunity to nominate a teacher or counselor they believe has made a special contribution to helping students grow academically and personally.

Each nomination must be supported by at least two individuals. Letters of recommendation supporting the nominations from administrators, colleagues, parents and students are also considered. The nomination materials include information on the

nominee's education; professional background, experience and community activities. It is truly an uplifting experience reading the nominations and discovering how professional, competent and dedicated the nominees are. The comments from parents, colleagues and students make it very clear that these are special people who make an important difference in young peoples' lives in and beyond the classroom.

Once the nominations are submitted, they are compiled and circulate to five anonymous club members as judges for the final selection process. The judges independently select four finalists from the field of nominees and designate one of the four finalists as the winner. This year, the winner of the "Educator of the Year" award will receive a monetary award of \$1,000 and will also be designated a Paul Harris Fellow. The three other finalists will receive \$300 each. The winner and finalist will also receive a personal plaque and their schools will receive a perpetual plaque to commemorate the award. Since 1999, our club has awarded over \$28,000 in monetary awards to the winners and finalists.

Today's program should also be a day to honor educators everywhere, present and past, who have made a positive difference in students' lives. So, take a moment to stop and remember that special, favorite teacher or counselor from your school days...and the winner is...

Upcoming ROTD

May 16.....Marty Rosenstein

May 23..... Seth Koeut

May 30.....Dennis Bucko

June 6.....Sandra Sher

June 6..... Irwin Rubenstein



For Rotary, The Four-Way Test is the cornerstone of all action. It has been for years, and it will be in the future. Of the things we think, say or do

ROTARY 4 WAY TEST

---- 1 ----

Is it the **TRUTH**?

---- 2 ----

Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?

---- 3 ----

Will it build **GOODWILL**
and
better **FRIENDSHIPS**?

---- 4 ----

Will it be **BENEFICIAL**
to all concerned?

As Rotarians, we should have The Four-Way Test in mind in every decision we make, all day long. Our utmost responsibility is to Speak The Truth, to Be Fair, to Build Goodwill and Better Friendships, and to do our very best in all situations.

4 Way Test was developed
in 1932 by
Herbert J. Taylor.

Report

FROM THE MAY 2 MEETING



Joe Howell
Reporter



Dr. David Tansey was our Rotarian of the Day. Did you know he is a Charter Member of our club? He told the club of his life journey first by wearing a hard hat and telling us about his work as a CEO of a family owned aircraft pulley manufacturer and then putting on a bolo tie and telling about his 34 year career as a psychologist.

Rick Binder introduced our guests which included **Kurt Jorgensen** who is running for public office and **Jennifer Schaefer**. There were two visiting Red Badge Rotarians, **Will Creekmuir** and **Jonathan Moffitt** of the La Jolla Village Group. **Rick** also acted as fine master as **Will Moore** was absent. He had everyone stand who wasn't wearing a Rotary pin. Two dollar fines for all or four dollars to purchase a new pin. This writer now has four pins.

Medical minute: **Sharon Council** had a medical procedure, and former

member **Denise Keller's** infant daughter tragically has Leber Congenital Amaurosis- a disease characterized by severe loss of vision at birth. Reach out to these special people.

CLUB ANNOUNCEMENTS:

Jackie Riley, subbing for **Alan Galgut**, indicated that on May 28, 2014 we will have another Veterans Administration Hospital visit and **Jackie's** annual "Dress for Success" campaign needs both men's and women's suits to help those needing help. **Ellen Bryson** told the group that the Community Service meeting was right after the meeting. **Linda Stouffer** wants everyone to buy and sell tickets to the First Annual Golden Triangle Arts and Craft Beer Festival will be on June 28, 2014 at the Nobel Athletic Fields and Recreation Center in La Jolla from 10 AM to 4 PM. Let's make this a real success! **Laara Gervais** told the group about the Spring Fling Business Mixer Event on May 15, 2014 at Frost Hardwood located at 6565 Miramar Rd., San Diego, CA 92121 from 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM. **Dave Davis** announced that the California COGS donated another hundred dollars to our group and are playing at the Golden Triangle Arts and Craft Beer Festival. **Kathleen Roche Tansey** indicated there will be an International Service Committee meeting at Harry's next Wednesday, May 8, 2014. **Dave Wiegman**, subbing for **Bill Busch**, announced that we should wear our school colors because our next meeting will be centered around

awarding our annual, "Educator of the Year" award. **Ron Kohl** encouraged everyone to go to the District Council "Governor's Dinner" Dinner where our own **Louise Andres** will be installed as District Governor on June 24, 2014 at the Crowne Plaza Hotel in Mission Valley!

Did you know that our work the Family Justice Center was the subject of an article in the La Jolla light?: <http://www.lajollalight.com/2014/04/30/la-jolla-rotarians-refurbish-domestic-violence-center/>

Dori Beatrice-Griffith introduced our Speaker of the Day, **Margie Blanchard**, a compelling motivational speaker who spoke to the group about how to help management manage employees more effectively. Of note she indicated that businesses should study how nonprofit organizations are able to get things done!



Photos

FROM THE MAY 2 MEETING



Bill Keane
Photographer



MAY

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SPRING

FLING

BUSINESS MIXER

5:30 PM - 7:30PM



Laara Gervais told the group about the Spring Fling Business Mixer Event on May 15, 2014 at Frost Hardwood located at 6565 Miramar Rd., San Diego, CA 92121 from 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM

CONTACT

Laara Gervais . . .

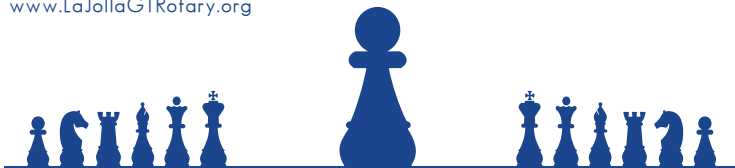
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LJGT ROTARY LEADERSHIP

2013 - 2014

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PRESIDENT ELECT (2014-15) Ron Kohl
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PAST-PRESIDENT/FOUNDATION Susan Schwarz



BOARD OF DIRECTORS

2013 - 2016

DATES COMPLETED

Joseph Howell.....2014	Will Moore.....2015
Erik Mjoen.....2014	Ajay Asher.....2016
Krishna Arora.....2014	Alex Monroe.....2016
Dave Wiegman, III.....2015	Jacque Reilly.....2016
Allan Galgut.....2015	



COMMITTEE CHAIRS

2013 - 2014

CLUB SERVICE.....	Keith Jeffers & Tony Grillo
COMMUNITY SERVICE.....	Ellen Bryson & Alex Monroe
YOUTH SERVICE.....	Dianne Day
INTERNATIONAL SERVICE.....	Cynthia Villis & Kathleen Roche-Tansey
VOCATIONAL SERVICE.....	Sheila Henry
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PUBLISHER.....	Ajay Asher



PAST PRESIDENTS

1986 - 2013

Dewey McDowell.....1986/87	Jim Davies.....2001/02
Ted Owen.....1987/88	Don Hoover.....2002/03
Reint Reinders.....1988/89	Pam Russell.....2003/04
Dan Mitrovic.....1989/90	Mike Schwarz.....2004/05
Steve Brown.....1990/91	Cynthia Villis.....2005/06
Ron A. Phillips.....1991/92	Dale Barnes.....2006/07
Bobby Foushee.....1992/93	Jay Hatfield.....2007/08
Pete Griffith.....1993/94	Linda Stouffer.....2008/09
Bill Radcliffe.....1994/95	Louise R. Andres.....2009/10
Carl Lower.....1995/96	Dory Beatrice Griffith.....2010/11
Michael Bardin.....1996/97	Romik Kesian.....2011/12
Robert Vaughn.....1997/98	Susan Schwarz.....2012/13
Mil Phillips.....1998/99	
Rick Clark.....1999/00	
Bonnie Brunner.....2000/01	



JIM FROST

I was born in San Diego, the youngest of five kids, whose roots arrived in San Diego in the late 1800's. Growing up in the Point Loma area and whose family were active members of the San Diego Yacht Club, I was introduced to sailing and tennis. While in Point Loma High, I played on the Point Loma High tennis team and won the 110 Nationals sailing regatta in Ocean City New Jersey 1974. I still participate in those sports, along with skiing, scuba diving, and occasional surfing. My love of scuba diving has taken our family to many exotic waters, such as Grand Caymans, Fiji, Cook Islands, Great Barrier Reef and annually on the family boat "Yacht Helen" to Catalina Island.

I graduated in 1978 from University of Oregon (GO DUCKS!!!) with a BS in business management and was active in the SAE (Sigma Alpha Epsilon) fraternity from 1975-78. I married my college sweetheart, Kim Kellum, in 1979 and we moved to Utah

to start our careers. I spent two years working at Weyerhaeuser in the wood products business and Kim with US Forest Service in recreation. During the winter months, Kim worked at Snowbird tickets, which allowed me to get a \$5.00 season pass.

With a job offer from my father at the family lumber yard, we moved to Memphis TN to attend Lumber grading school before we moved to San Diego. We returned to San Diego in 1981 and have lived in Encinitas for the last 26 years. We have three children: Nick, 30 (graduated from the University of Washington), Ryan, 27, (graduated from Northern Arizona University) and Kayla, 22, (who graduate from University of Puget, and is now traveling in South America on her way to the World Cup). Currently, I am President/General Manager of the family lumber business. (Founded by my grandfather in 1911). My cousin Gordon (GT - a Rotary Club 33 member) and Byram my nephew are also involved in

the family business. I am past president of the San Diego Lumberman's Club, Pacific Coast Wholesale Hardwood Distributors Association and served on the board of San Dieguito Tennis Club.

This year has been special with the birth of our first grandson and celebrating 35 years of marriage to Kim

Recently, I helped out at the Family Justice Center and have been involved in all of the clubs Pendleton projects. I really respect this group of individuals for all the good you have done at home and abroad and look forward to serving the club in the future.

