

RI President 2014-15
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LOUISE ANDRES

LJGT Rotary President 2014-15
RON KOHL



calendar EVENTS and speakers

SEPTEMBER 2014

12.....LJGT Members to Discuss Real Estate
Ellen Bryson, Louis Scotti, Sandi Rimer, Romik Kesian

19.....Life Begins At Seventy
Alan Mindell

26.....Craft Beer History
Shawn Dewitt & Megan Dekorne

OCTOBER 2014

3.....A National Perspective on Drought in California
Carl Nettleton

THE GOLDEN ROTARIAN

SEPTEMBER
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SANDAG TROLLEY



JOHN W. HAGGERTY, P.E.
SANDAG Division Director of Rail

Mr. Haggerty oversees the engineering of all rail, bus, and bus rapid transit projects at the *San Diego Association of Governments (SANDAG)*. He leads a core group of principal engineers and project managers who implement capital projects from initial funding to construction.

His responsibilities include: the identification of projects; initial scope and budget estimates; project manager assignments; tracking and directing projects from preliminary engineering through operation; selection and oversight of consultants; approval of plans and specifications; right-of-way acquisition; systems design; schedule development; project resource allocation; funding; in-

tergovernmental relations; and support during construction.

Currently, Mr. Haggerty is working on the *Mid-Coast Corridor Transit Project*, a \$1.7 billion extension of the *San Diego Trolley* system from Old Town to University City. At the same time, he's overseeing *Trolley Renewal*, a \$600 million program to rehabilitate tracks, overhead wires, and stations along the Trolley Orange, Green, and Blue lines.

Earlier in his career, he served as the principal engineer for two key Trolley projects: 1) *The Mission Valley West Light Rail Transit Project* to extend the Trolley 5.8 miles from Old Town to Qualcomm Stadium; 2) *The Mission*

Valley East Light Rail Transit Project to extend the Trolley 5.6 miles through Mission Valley to La Mesa via an underground tunnel at San Diego State University. Mr. Haggerty also served as the project manager for the project that extended Trolley service to the City of Santee.

He has a bachelor's degree in civil engineering from California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo. A member of the American Society of Civil Engineers and the American Railway Engineering and Maintenance-of-Way Association, he resides in the City of San Diego and is married with two adult children.

Upcoming ROTD

SEPTEMBER 2014

12..... Dave Davis
19..... George Mannschreck
26..... Jay Hatfield

OCTOBER 2014

03..... Fary Moini
10..... Dianne Day



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 AUGUST 29 MEETING



Joseph A. Howell
Reporter

Pres. **Ron** gained control of the meeting once more and proceeded to have former La Jolla Golden Triangle Rotary President, **Linda Stouffer** present as Rotarian of the Day. **Linda** talked about how Rotary is a gift to us all. She also told us about her new job at Citizens Business Bank. **Linda** then gave props to another former La Jolla Golden Triangle Rotary President and now our District Governor, **Louise Andres**, who is having her district conference in Palm Springs on October 24-26. Please sign up now at www.Rotary5340.org.

Next on the agenda were announcements which included an Open Club Networking Event in Delmar on September 18, 2014. Contact **Sheila Henry** or **Laara Gervais** for information. Also on October 18, 2014 at La Jolla Golden Triangle Rotary Club will go to Ensenada, Mexico to paint a local school and spend two nights at a fabulous nearby resort. Contact **Jim Frost** for information.

Tom introduced our guests and visiting Rotarians.

Mike Schwarz, our fine, fine master, sporting a manly bandage over his left eyebrow acknowledged numerous high-fives. He also fined the 9 Fine Rotary ladies two dollars each who all met for "Girls Night Out" noting that when the ladies posed for their group photo none was wearing a Rotary pin! **Dr. Bucko** was also fined for being pinless when he was recognized by the San Diego Union's readers poll as San Diego's best cosmetic surgeon!

Bill Keane introduced our speakers, **Pauline Martinson** and **Vince Reardon** who spoke about the question of litter. In fact, the answer to litter is you! **Vince** told us that he gets out in his neighborhood and picks up litter. He encourages all of us to get out and pick up litter in our neighborhood! **Pauline** is the Executive Director of, "I Love a Clean San Diego" (ILACSD). ILACSD is San Diego's longest running environmental nonprofit which recently celebrated its 60th anniversary. **Pauline** passed around a jar containing the contents of a baby albatross's stomach which looked like stuff from my kid's junk drawer! We all need to stop littering. Quoting **Ghandi**, **Pauline** urged us to "Be the change you wish to see in the world!"

be the
CHANGE

Photos

FROM THE AUGUST 29 MEETING



Bill Keane
Photographer



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NEED PAINTERS



WE NEED PAINTERS,
SKILLED OR NOT,
FOR THE ROTARY
SCHOOL PROJECT
IN ENSENADA

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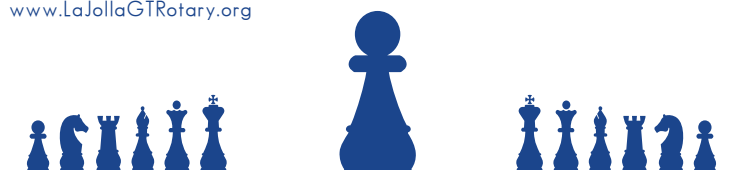
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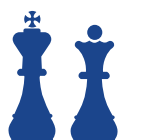
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2014 - 2015

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TREASURER Sharon Council
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PAST-PRESIDENT/FOUNDATION Brett Morey



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PAST PRESIDENTS

1986 - 2014

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	Brett Morey.....	2013/14
Rick Clark.....	1999/00		
Bonnie Brunner.....	2000/01		



ANTONIO J. GRILLO-LÓPEZ, MD, DSC (HC)

R A N C H O S A N T A F É , C A L I F O R N I A

Maria and **Antonio** grew up in Puerto Rico and lived not less than 10 miles from each other. However, they never met on the island. It was not until their college days that they met while on vacation in St. Thomas. As happened to Al Pacino in the Godfather, **Antonio** felt as if struck by lightning! A year later they were married and a year later had their first (of three) sons, **Tony**. **Antonio** wanted a career in the US Air Force (fighter pilot) and entered an ROTC program. Nevertheless, he quit ROTC (a four year program) when given the opportunity to complete his bachelor's degree in three years. This was a good thing as **Antonio** is scared of heights. He then joined the Army's Berry Plan in order to defer his service (Viet Nam War) until completion of Medical School. He quit the Berry Plan in order to complete his internship at Seton Hall Medical School's Hospital. He did but then got drafted into the US Navy. They

probably thought that being from an island it was a reasonable assumption that **Antonio** could swim. He spent two years active duty (and 6 in the reserves) attaining the rank of Lt. Commander and joining the ranks of Viet Nam War veterans. During this time he was never at sea although he was on most types on naval vessels (hospital ships, aircraft carriers, destroyers, cruisers, and nuclear subs). How he was able to achieve this is a story for some other day. Suffice it to say that again, this was a good thing as **Antonio** can swim but is prone to seasickness. Then he went on to complete his specialty training in Internal Medicine and subspecialty in Hematology and Medical Oncology. After an academic and private practice, he decided to develop a cure for cancer and did, but that is a story for another day. He won a bunch of awards but you are already familiar with that list. Eventually **Antonio** retired and keeps busy on advisory boards, boards of directors,

the Hope Funds for Cancer Research, his church, Notre Dame Academy (Carmel Valley) where he is on the Board of Trustees, and driving sport cars at high speeds on a racetrack. In his spare time he directs the Museum of The House of Puerto Rico San Diego at Balboa Park. **Maria** and **Antonio** have the four most wonderful grandchildren in the world (ours are cuter than yours), two boys and two girls, who live right here in San Diego. **Antonio** would have preferred an acting career but, hey, there's just so much you can do in a lifetime. Although he is no good as an artist, he finds painting (acrylics) therapeutic. He describes his style as beginners abstract, childish, primitive. He has not sold any paintings but has prevailed on a couple of friends to take some out of his hands. Let him know if you would like one. Rotary is a big deal for **Antonio** because of the fun and friendships but also because we help so many people through our many programs.

