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**SPEAKERS
AND EVENTS**

APRIL 2017 - SPEAKER

14..... Bobbi Brink
Lions Tigers and Bears

21..... Dave Kramer
Chairmen's RoundTable, a free resource for CEO's

28..... Nancy Gatschet
American Lung Association

MAY 2017 - SPEAKER

05..... Dianne Day, Erik Mjoen

T **TODD** ELVINS

Co-lead National Speakers Bureau
Citizens' Climate Education



Citizens' Climate Lobby

<http://citizensclimatelobby.org>

Todd Elvins is an engineer, entrepreneur and executive with 25-years of experience leading technology businesses. For ten years starting in 1988, he teamed with earth, ocean, and space scientists at the University of California San Diego Supercomputer Center. Today, Elvins co-leads Citizens' Climate Lobby's National Speakers' Bureau and is a CCL California State Coordinator. He holds a PhD in Engineering from UCSD.





APRIL 2017

07.....Sheila Henry
14.....Andrea Brannan
21.....Ellen Bryson
28.....Kathleen Roche Tansey

REPORT

from last meeting



THE FOUR WAY TEST

OF THE THINGS WE
THINK, SAY OR DO

01 IS IT THE TRUTH?

02 IS IT
FAIR TO ALL
CONCERNED?03 WILL IT
BUILD GOODWILL
AND BETTER
FRIENDSHIPS?04 WILL IT BE
BENEFICIAL
TO ALL
CONCERNED?

HERBERT J. TAYLOR

APRIL BIRTHDAYS

PETER HARRIS 01

WAYNE SANDERS..... 03

WAYNE DAVIS 08

KATHLEEN ROCHE-TANSEY 09

JIM DAVIES 14

CARL LOWER 15

MARTY ROSENSTEIN..... 20

FARY MOINI..... 28

President Antonio opened the meeting in fine style. We are happy to have him back!

Bill Busch was the ROTD. He discussed his book - The Money Ride, now in 3rd edition. Bill discussed the power of our thoughts and what they can bring to us. He has an online course based on his book. Three members of our club were very helpful to him as he worked on his book: Cynthia Villis gave him an entrée to USD and his book is being used in one of their programs. Romik Kesian and David Tansey were great helps also. If we go on Amazon and buy the third edition, he will donate the royalties to the Club in honor of George Mannschreck. What does a budget get you? Apparently a lot! Bill showed beautiful photos from his world travels, all done on a budget. Very inspiring!

Rick Binder dazzled us with visitors' introductions. Sara Hogue introduced her vivacious son who is considering joining the Club. Brett Morey had two guests: Skyler Lane and her friend Darian, who is interested in becoming a realtor. Lots of potential realtor mentors in our dynamic Club! Skyler's parents Scott and Jan were here also. Jacquie Reilly introduced her guest, who was excited to be here. Alex Monroe introduced Amy Chau, who has a mutual client. She is an estate attorney and may be interested in joining the Club. Sabrina Ali from Preuss school and her mother were here, and were also introduced later in the meeting.

Brett Morey presented the 2017 Life Saver Award to Skyler Lane, on behalf of the Vocational Service Team and the LJGTRC. Skyler started a field experience job with the County of SD Aging and Independent Services meeting. She was getting ready to attend a meeting, and a man fell to the floor outside the meeting room, struck by a heart attack. Skyler was able to respond quickly, got 911 called, got the AED and started compressions. She was able to save his life! She met him recently and they will be bonded for life.

Steve Brown filled in for Marty Rosenstein to honor the Preuss School Student of the Month. Sabrina Ali and her mother, Sahara, are from Somalia. Sahara Ali knows two people who have worked with Rotary, and she is from a town in Ethiopia where our Club has a project. Amazing! Sabrina was named Preuss School Student of the Month. Sabrina described her journey at Preuss and how she became determined to give

her all to her studies. She will be the first person in her family to attend a 4-year University. She has been accepted into UCSD and wants to pursue a career that gives back to others, and to her community. She worked with fellow students to create a small library in her community, in an effort to increase literacy. She has learned that small actions can add up to big changes. Very inspiring!

Will Moore, Finemaster Extraordinaire, jumped into action. He was recently reading the SD Business Journal - Ellen Bryson was interviewed by the Business Journal about a property she is representing in Mission Hills. Ellen did a good job in the interview, and was fined for her great representation of the Club. Bev Fritschner gave a high five for Bill Keane for a great TV performance. Brett gave a high five for Skyler Lane, and for visits from his beautiful children. Eric gave a high five in honor of Brett, who is so good at bringing people to our club. There was a high five in honor of the Oregon Ducks!! Pete gave a shout out to the Cardinals. Kourtney gave a high five for her joy in being here at the meeting.

Alex Monroe, Auctionmeister to the Stars, auctioned several items: A Rotary rain jacket went unbidden. Ina von Ber donated an overnight visit with a Tesla - Alex won it for \$75. One of the vendors of the Q festival gave 4 \$50 gift cards (Slate 50/50). One was auctioned off, and there are three to go in coming weeks.

Rich Papike is doing a wonderful job raising sponsorship for the Q festival. Go Rich!!!

Sharon Council can invoice you for festival tickets - please see her if you'd like to be invoiced.

Rick Clark discussed Operation Pendleton 2017. Everyone who is going should meet at 7:15 at the Braille on April 1. The team will be painting 4 buildings, assembling several picnic tables, and will distribute "Morale toys" - table tennis, air hockey, etc. including 8 pool cues that are camouflaged.

Gloria Harris announced that sign-ups are available for the networking table. This is a great way to share what you do outside of Rotary with other members.

Ellen Bryson will be leading volunteers in making Easter baskets next week at 10am. Somebunny can

volunteer to help!

Our speaker was Dr. Patricia Marquez, Dean of the Kroc School of Peace Studies (KSPS) at USD. She was introduced by the Director of Development and Alumni Relations for the Kroc School. Dr. Marquez has been Dean of the KSPS for 3 years, and was a USD Professor of Business from 2007 until she was named Dean. Dr. Marquez takes students all over the world to learn in real settings, and has already established 3 Centers on the USD campus. A Center per year of her appointment - very cool.

She discussed her history and why education is so personal to her. She grew up in Venezuela and saw great contrasts of wealth and poverty. Her family stressed education and our role in our communities. She was admitted into Andover to learn English, and went to college in Maine at Bowdoin. This exposure to liberal arts, even as a math major, were very important. Her global education in Venezuela and the US had a big impact. She excelled at research and writing, and wrote a book about street children.

Her dream for the future: in 50 years, everyone will think peace and justice are common areas of study and reflection, not unusual. The USD KSPS was the first stand-alone School of Peace and Justice in the US. The KSPS focuses on 4 things: education, knowledge generation, impact and convening.

Not only is Dr. Marquez a dynamic leader and speaker - we found out she can tango!

Also, Drs. Marquez and Grillo-Lopez are engaged in a rum-off, to determine the source of the best rum. The winner is yet to be determined. This reporter feels certain they need a third judge, to avoid a tie vote.

President Grillo-Lopez did not end the meeting with a joke today, but with a great life lesson that is no joke! "According to the theory of aerodynamics, as may be readily demonstrated through wind tunnel experiments, the bumblebee is unable to fly. This is because the size, weight and shape of its body in relation to the total wingspread make flying impossible. But the bumblebee, being ignorant of these scientific truths, goes ahead and flies anyway - and makes a little honey every day!" (Ross E. Hutchins - Insects, p. 68, 1968)



PHOTOS

from the last meeting



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(CAMP TALEGA)
Presents the Eagle Award to
La Jolla Golden Triangle Rotary Club
For Operation Camp Pendleton 2017
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April

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AUCTION

MATCHING NECKLACE AND EARRING SET



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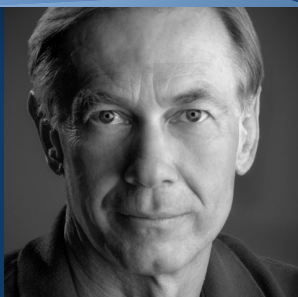


UPCOMING
ROTD

APRIL 2017

14..... Jim Davies
21..... Joe Matibag
28..... Michael Bardin

ROTARIAN
OF THE DAY



BILL KEANE
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What I love doing every day!

I grew up in Pasadena, the home of the Huntington Library, home of so many classic portraits. As I was growing up, my parents always made portrait photography part of our lives, as it had been when they were growing up.

As my own children grew, I developed a deeper appreciation of how important those photographs had become in my life. Because my parents passed away when I was in my 20's, these memories of my family have become my own link to the past, and a way my family now can connect with their history.

As my interest in photography grew, enhanced by a degree in the Classics, he also developed an interest in portrait painting, especially studying the work of Sargent, Renoir, Cassat and Rockwell. Trips to galleries in the Louvre and Orsay, the Getty, the British Museum and Chicago Art Museum gave me the opportunity to absorb how other portraitists created their looks.

My early photographic career, too, instilled the values of composition as well as simple but effective lighting in the creation of portraits. Work with masters like Philip Stewart Charis, Monte Zucker and Dean Collins honed the look. Instructing other photographers around the country, writing for the PROFESSIONAL PHOTOGRAPHER and earning the title of Craftsman Photographer taught the value of studying my craft.

I started photographing weddings from my dorm room at the Claremont colleges back when Nixon was president and film was the only way to record images. A great deal has changed since 1968, but my fascination with photography, and ultimately the stories of the people I have photographed, has made every day of my 48 years as a portrait photographer as interesting as the first. I consider myself very fortunate to be involved in what I love doing every day.



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