

THE GOLDEN rotarian

LA JOLLA GOLDEN TRIANGLE ROTARY CLUB'S NEWSLETTER

APRIL 17, 2015

Meeting Location for April 17, 2015.....Embassy Suites

www.lajollagoldentriangle.org



Cheryl Shields

A NIGHT TO REMEMBER PROM

Cheryl Shields is the Founder/Director of *A Night to Remember Prom*. This is a FREE first-class prom for developmentally disabled or physically-challenged high school students who are integrated one-on-one with a volunteer mainstream student who serves as their host for the evening, making sure the Guests are the stars. *A Night to Remember Prom* was launched in 2011, with the goal to love, honor and celebrate students with special needs and to integrate these students with mainstream hosts so they develop an understanding and build new friendships. This 501(c)3 organization receives charitable contributions used to reimburse actual expenses of each year's event (no one, including **Cheryl**, takes a salary). Over the past 4 years, over 2,500 students have attended this event. They are expecting 850 students from 70 schools to attend in 2015.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

APRIL 17, 2015

APRIL 19, 2015_ 3PM

Rotary Youth Leadership
Awards in Idyllwild, CA.

APRIL 20, 2015_ 12:30-4PM

Preuss School Career Day

APRIL 25, 2015 SATURDAY

Five La Jolla Club Rotarians at
Work Day

APRIL, 28, 2015_ 5:30-8:30PM

4 Way Test Speech Contest
California Center for the Arts,
Escondido

MAY 2, 2015

Golden Triangle Arts & Craft
Beer Festival

MAY 9, 2015

Road Rally: Contact Joel Can-
dib for details.

JUNE 06 - JUNE 09, 2015

Rotary International
Convention in Sao Paulo, Brazil

JUNE 23, 2015 5:30-8:30PM

District Council/Governors
Dinner Location T.B.D.



REPORT

from last meeting



Joel J. Candib
Reporter

The meeting was called to order by **President Ron Kohl** at 7:30. **Ron** introduced our Rotarian of the Day **Lori Bende**. **Lori** came up with her daughter **Rhoda** who helped lead us in the Pledge. **Lori** gave us an update of all of the things that have been going on in her life, business and personal. She also thanked all of the Club Members who have assisted her in the past. Finally, she announced that she was becoming a Silver Donation Supporter or our *Fund Raiser Festival* on May 2. Thank you **Lori!!!** • **Tom Stocking** introduced the guests: **Dr. Anthony Grillo-Lopez** brought his wife, **Maria**. **Lori Bende** brought her Husband **Joost** and their cute little twins: **Ronald** and **Rhoda**. **Erik Mjoen** brought 4 students from Preuss: **Dylan Duong**, **Johnny Hayes**, **Maron Lemmi** and **Billy Luon**. These students are going to be participating in the Model UN and they are here to present their arguments. • Finally, **Tom** reminded

us that Sat., April 25 is *Rotarian at Work Day*. • **President Ron** then pointed out the Yellow sign up sheets for the *District Promote/Demote* event on: June 23. Also, regarding our Fundraiser, if you have any unsold tickets, please turn them back in to **Tom Elliott** so that we can donate them to the Military. • **Babro Kirkpatrick** and **Tom Hinton** reminded us of the upcoming *Career Day on Monday April, 20*. Thank you to all that are participating. • **Joel Candib** announced the *Road Rally to be held on Sat. May 9*. A terrific and memorable event is planned. Sign up sheets are on the tables. • **Erik Mjoen** announced the Model UN program and Student Presentations to be held this weekend, Saturday and Sunday, at the *UCSD Center for Peace and Justice*. We then heard the position speeches from each of the four students participating from the *Preuss School*. GREAR JOB!!! • We greatly thank **Lisa Galstian** for her idea for the auctions to raise additional money for the club. So far we have raised over \$3,700!!!! Today's auction was moderated by **Denny Jacobs** and it was for a \$50 gift card for Yanni's Restaurant in Scripps Ranch. It was sold for \$70. Thank you. • We then had a round of Hi 5's from **Jim Frost**, **Steve Brown**, **Erik Mjoen** and **Tom Stocking**. • **Kathleen Tansey** then introduced our main speaker: **Anne Hoiberg**. **Anne** is currently the President of the Women's Museum of California. **Anne** spoke about Woman's Rights, Violence against women, the human and economic costs of domestic violence, equal pay and political participation, the percentage of public office holders that are woman across the world. She presented interest and eye opening information. • **President Ron** then closed the meeting as always with a humorous thought for the week.



ANNOUNCEMENT - EVENT ON JUNE 20

Join your fellow Rotarians at the home of Emidio DelConte in Scripps Ranch for a pre-show party, followed by a brief drive to Scripps Ranch Theatre to enjoy the comedy named **BEAU JEST**. (a great romantic comedy).

You can enjoy this terrific evening (including drinks, food, and your ticket) by sending your check for \$50 per person to Roger Drexler at 2308 Geranium Street, San Diego 92109, or give it to me at a Rotary event. **THE PARTY ON JUNE 20 STARTS AT 5:30PM AT EMIDIO'S HOUSE**. Come join in a great evening with your Rotary friends!





FUN FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY!

Supports more than 45 local non-profits & programs through the **Rotary Club of La Jolla Golden Triangle**.

OVER 100 CRAFT AND ART VENDORS!
— BUY SOMETHING FOR MOM FOR MOTHER'S DAY —

MUSIC BY THREE LIVE BANDS!

GIANT BOUNCE HOUSE* FOR THE KIDS!

— Food for purchase from onsite food vendors —

Beer and Wine Garden

Tickets: \$25 in advance • \$30 day of
(age 21 or over with valid ID only)

Unlimited beer and wine tasting from dozens of local breweries and wineries

See website for sponsors, breweries and wineries listed

MAY 2, 2015
noon–5:30 p.m.



**Nobel Athletic Fields
& Recreation Center**

8810 Judicial Drive, San Diego, CA 92122
—West of I-805 from Nobel Drive

**BUY TICKETS
NOW**

*\$5 donation suggested for access to all children's activities including two spectacular jumps!

**WANT TO
BE A VENDOR?**

**Art & Craft – \$40
Food – \$100**

Sign up on website

For more information visit www.lajollagrotary.org

PHOTOS

from last meeting



Bill Keane
Photographer



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LJGT ROTARY LEADERSHIP 2014 - 2015

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ROTD

rotarian of the day



Wayne Davis

My early days - some 70 years ago, started in the small town of Santa Paula, California, most famous for the home of the Union Oil Museum, the Santa Paula Airport where many celebrities maintain historical aircraft and is still proud of its original title of Lemon Capital of the World - although I think they grow as many avocados as lemons.

My maternal grandparents started the original Airport Cafe in the late '40s and for a 7 - 8 year old boy, being able to be around and up close to the flying machines was an amazing time. My mom was a nutritionist for the local High School and Dad was a ready-mix concrete truck driver - whowould take me along on some of his concrete deliveries - including a couple of the old-time cowboy movie star ranches ocated in the area. Most famous of which was **Joel McCrea**, which probably doesn't mean much to the younger crowd here, but for a kid, it was quite a big deal.

About the 4th. Grade, my best pal got a trumpet, so of course had to have a trumpet. And to my great surprise, my parents took me right out and bought me a brand new trumpet. And so it started - me and my pal competing with one another from that point on through high school - vying back and forth for 1st. & 2nd. chair trumpet. We ended up going our separate ways for college, but I was determined to become something I could do with my trumpet - but boy howdy - once I got out my little town of Santa Paula and into the "big-time" in college - these other guys really knew how to play that thing - so after about a year and a half as a music major I abandoned that dream and ended up in a architect's office working part-time to pay for school. One thing led to another - and after another eight years of a combination of education and "on-the-job" experience --- well here I am as an architect.

Family - what a great one I am fortunate to have. A very loving wife, **Joy** three children, **Steven, Michael** and **Phoenix** and 2 grand children. **Joy** is Associate Director of Admissions at The Bishops School, **Steven**, who is single, is a Contract Sales Manager for Pratt-Whitney where his major client is a Japanese company supplying aircraft engines for their commercial and some military aircraft. This takes him overseas and to the east coast quite often to meet with his counterparts. **Michael** is my dreamer - he is currently a designer at Schmidt Fire Protection Company but is a passionate home brewer of craft beers - specialty en great IPA's. **Mike's** wife **Sarah** is with Silvergate Bank and is constantly moving up in her job. Phoenix is our most adventurous daughter. Since graduating from college, she has lived in Hawaii, Paris, Corsica and New York. NewYork is where she met her husband - **Moni Ozgillik** - yep - this is our Turkish connection. **Moni** had 2 spanish restaurants when they met - and after a few months dating, he invited her to go with him to Turkey and travel the Mediterranean coast where he grew up. Well, we now have a fixed family setting in Turkey with 2 grandchildren, Brooklyn 6, and Mete 4. We go there about every 18 months and they come here twice a year - but are now seeking to get reestablished here with a home - so that is our current focus.

So - what a wonderful life - family and Rotary, how could it be any better.

APRIL 2015 - ROTARIAN OF THE DAY

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