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LA JOLLA GOLDEN TRIANGLE ROTARY CLUB'S NEWSLETTER

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*Lexicographer, linguist, and
co-host of the America's pub-
lic radio show about language,
A Way with Words.*

A Way with Words

SPEAKERS
AND EVENTS



FEBRUARY 2019 - SPEAKER

15..... Linda Canada
Japanese Americans in SD

22..... Dan Chong
Peace

MARCH 2019 - SPEAKER

01..... Dianne Day & Louise Anders
4 Way Speech Contest

08..... Wendy Wilson-Gibson
Bonita Museum and Cultural Center Executive Director



Martha Barnette and Grant Barrett
co-hosts of A Way with Words



www.waywordradio.org

A Way with
Words



REPORT

from the 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

ROTARIAN OF THE DAY

Barbro Kirkpatrick was our Rotarian of the Day. A longtime member of America's Foreign Service and former Ambassador to the Republic of Niger, **Barbro** has served as an advocate of American foreign policy and diplomacy for many years. **Barbro** described the foreign service as serving through words and highlighted that there is much more work to expand equality of opportunity in the foreign service for women. To her, true equality will be reached when there are an equally amount of incompetent women in power as there are men. However, we doubt that there are that many incompetent women out there in the world.

Barbro has also extensively travelled the world and seen how Rotary has had an impact around the world, especially through its work eradicating polio. **Barbro** also presented a concept of a Four Way Test to evaluate how Rotary projects are performing, by asking (1) is the need for the project still there, (2) is the project still getting results, (3) is the project still useful, and (4) is the project still benefitting some number of people. **Barbro** believe that Rotary has a great impact but that Rotary's involvement often goes unnoticed, and that Rotary should work to

better promote the work that it is doing.

GUESTS

We were joined by **Lori Bende's** family, who were dressed in their scouting regalia in preparation to be interviewed by KUSI. Today was the first day that girls were allowed to participate in the Boy Scouts. Rotoractor's, **Tiffany, Bradley, Joe,** and **Eden** were in attendance, as were **Katherine** and **Linda**, who were visiting from the Downtown Breakfast Club. The Club also gave a standing ovation and a gift to the fine Marriott staff that have faithfully hosted and served the club since its inception.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sheila Henry announced her upcoming pet food drive for Pets Without Walls. **Cynthia Villis** announced the Rotary Peace Forum on human trafficking that is going to take place at USD on February 23. **Fary Moini** was welcomed back from Afghanistan and **Mario Grillo** was inducted as an honorary member.

Richard Papike led the collecting of fines and high fives and a total of \$146 dollars was collected.

STUDENT OF THE MONTH

Our student of the month was **Elizabeth Moscaro**, who has

shown great improvement in her grades since being involved in a car accident during her junior year. She has developed a love of math, is involved in the Gardening and Ecology Club at Preuss, and is passionate about helping others. Having overcome great challenges in her life, we expect that she will go on to achieve great things.

SPEAKER OF THE DAY

Jose Cruz, CEO of the San Diego Council on Literacy, was our speaker today. He came to thank our club for their help in the fight to promote literacy in the community, including our involvement in donating books to children. **Jose** showed a video that highlights the profound developmental delays that occur in children who are not fortunate enough to be raised in an environment that promotes literacy. Many of the obstacles that these children face are governed by where they are born and the lack of resources in their local communities. However, with the help of dedicated advocates like **Mr. Cruz**, there is hope that many young children in San Diego can gain access to books, increase their literacy, and gain access to the opportunities that are opened up as a result.





PHOTOS

from the last meeting



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15..... Sheila Henry
22..... David Tansey

MARCH 2019

01..... Bonnie Arora

ROTARIAN
OF THE DAY

Paul P. Harris
FOUNDER OF ROTARY INTERNATIONAL
The first Rotary meeting was held February 23, 1905

Born April 19, 1868 in Racine, Wisconsin

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THE ROTARY TRAIL

Western Hemisphere Eastern Hemisphere

PAUL P. HARRIS PLAZA

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