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LA JOLLA GOLDEN TRIANGLE ROTARY CLUB'S NEWSLETTER

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SPEAKERS AND EVENTS

JANUARY 2020 - SPEAKER

17..... Accounting Tips and information for Taxes
Vocational Panel (Emidio, Melanie)

24..... International Assembly
Ravi Ravindran

31..... City Attorney's Office suing the opioid industry for the
havoc they have caused in San Diego
Marni Von Wilpert

FEBRUARY 2020- SPEAKER

07..... Human Trafficking
Mary-Ellen

14..... V Day special
Pam Russell

21..... Maintaining Mobility
Brittany VanSchravendijk

SCRIPPS COASTAL MAPPING & CLIFF EROSION PROGRAM



Adam Young is an associate project scientist in the Integrative Oceanography Division and Center for Coastal Studies at Scripps Institution of Oceanography, UC San Diego. Young is also a research affiliate of the Scripps Center for Climate Change Impacts and Adaptation.

Young's research focuses on coastal physical processes and quantitative coastal evolution on time scales important to modern society. He is specifically interested in coastal erosion, hazards, geomorphology, sea level rise, sediment budgets, and anthropogenic influences on the coastal system.

Young uses field based and remote sensing instrumentation including lidar, seismometers, ocean wave sensors, video monitoring, drones, photogrammetry, and micro-erosion meters to quantify coastal process interaction. His studies have focused intensively on the California coast, but he has also studied other coastlines including Australia, New Zealand, France, UK, Hawaii, and North Carolina.

Young's research has received state and national awards, international media attention, and recognition by the California State Senate for excellence.

Young received his BS in civil engineering from Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo and his MS and PhD from UC San Diego Jacobs School of Engineering. He previously worked as a postdoctoral scholar at UC San Diego and Scripps and was a visiting fellow at the University of Wollongong, Australia and the University of Massachusetts Boston.

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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

President Kim called the meeting to order by welcoming Rotarians and guests to the Most Dynamic Rotary Club in the world. She then introduced the Rotarian of the Day, **Dave Davis**. His invocation was the SAE Fraternity prayer, which apparently our club has a few of his frat brothers as members. **Dave** introduced his band, the **California Cogs** and presented the club with a check from a fundraiser the band played at recently. He brought his remarks to a close and turned the mic back over to **Kim**.

Ranjan Lahiri was brought to the podium to introduce visiting Rotarians and guests. Impressively there were a few guests who decided to brave the balmy fifty degree freeze we experienced on this December morning. **The California Cogs** sure do have a loyal following!

President Kim then share a few announcements:

- *Last meeting of the decade. The club will be DARK on 12/27 and 1/3. Our first meeting of 2020 will be on Friday, January 10th.*

- *Kim thanked Lori Bende and Sara Miceli for planning a terrific holiday party. Fun was had by all in attendance.*

President Kim then asked our club's go to animal impressionist, **Jim Davies** to the podium. **Jim** thanked all of those who joined in the holiday fun decorating the YMCA OZ home, while sharing photos of the festive day.

Fine Master extraordinaire, **Brett "the Surf Shredder" Morey**, took to the podium with **Jeffrey the Giraffe**. He recognized the December birthdays, inquired about **Dave Davis's** appraisal of stadium, and gave a shout out to those walk in the 130th Tournament of Rose's Parade. He then opened the floor to high \$5s.

Irwin Rubenstein is celebrating his grandson's bar mitzvah and his family all coming together for the event. **Jacquie Reilly** gave a HIGH \$30.50 for retiring after 30 years and 6 months.

Congratulations Jacquie!!!

Excited to see how you stay busy in retirement!

President Kim then introduced the main event, **The California Cogs** who serenaded us with holiday classics, and hits from the 60s and 70s. **Brett** led a mambo line, **Steve Balch** and his wife boogied down, and **Denny** begrudgingly danced the morning away.

This report will find its readers in a new decade. Here is to the next 10 years of "Service Above Self!"

Hope the holidays were fun, warm, and joy was had by all!





PHOTOS

from the last meeting



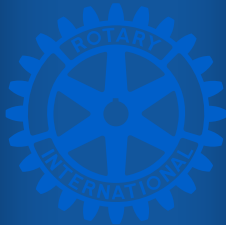
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LJGT ROTARY LEADERSHIP 2019 - 2020

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ROTARIAN
OF THE DAY

TONY GRILLO



Tony was born in Portsmouth, Virginia while his father was stationed at the Naval base.

Shortly thereafter, the family moved back to Puerto Rico. The Grillo family moved from Puerto Rico to Ann Arbor Michigan, just in time for **Tony** to complete high school there. After high school, he obtained a degree in Mechanical Engineering from Cornell University, a Masters in Engineering from Penn State, and an MBA from Pepperdine.

Tony has a beautiful wife (**Janet**), and two awesome daughters. Alex is now 21 and will graduate this year from Elon University in North Carolina. She has applied to PhD programs and already has two interviews. **Marin** is now 18 and a freshman at Syracuse University studying International Relations. She believes, she will follow her undergrad education with law school.

Best wishes to all for a great 2020!!

