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LA JOLLA GOLDEN TRIANGLE ROTARY CLUB'S NEWSLETTER

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calendar  
**EVENTS**  
and speakers

## OCTOBER 2015 - SPEAKER

30.....Inside the San Diego Central Library  
• Jay Hill •

## NOVEMBER 2015 - SPEAKER

06.....KPBS - A Growing Passion  
• Nan Sterman •

13.....Qualcomm in San Diego  
Director of Marketing, Qualcomm  
• Gemini Babla •



**American  
Red Cross**

### BILL EARLEY

*Regional Chief Executive Officer  
American Red Cross of San Diego/Imperial Counties*



## PREPARE San Diego

**Bill Earley** is the Regional Chief Executive Officer for the San Diego/Imperial Counties Chapter of the American Red Cross. Appointed in July 2014, Bill furthers the organization's mission in the community through leading the chapter's disaster preparedness initiatives, emergency relief efforts, services to members of the armed forces and their families, and more. Bill also provides key directional oversight for *Prepare San Diego*, a four-year regional resiliency initiative driven by the Red Cross to help prepare the San Diego region for human emergencies and disasters.

With over two decades of experience and leadership in San Diego's business community, Bill brings a unique perspective

to his new position. Prior to joining the Red Cross, Bill spent over 24 years at McKenna Long & Aldridge (formerly Luce, Forward, Hamilton & Scripps) holding various titles, including Executive Committee member, Practice Group Leader, Strategic Planning Chair and partner. In early 2014, he established his own law and management consulting firm, The Earley Group, while pursuing other community projects. He holds a Juris Doctorate from Georgetown University Law Center.

Bill's varied background and interests include experience as a sportscaster on television, radio and internet, political aide and legal extern in the U.S. Senate, athlete and three-time Ironman

triathlete, and dedicated community advocate.

A San Diego native and graduate of San Diego State University, Bill is committed to community service, as showcased by his U.S. Congressional Gold Medal Award. Over the years, Bill has participated in over a dozen regional nonprofits, boards and public service agencies in San Diego. Some of his past and present involvement in the community includes The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society, SDSU Alumni and Campanile Foundation, San Diego Rotary (Club 33), San Diego Regional Chamber of Commerce and LEAD San Diego.

Bill, his wife Ginger and daughter reside in San Diego.

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**Jim Davies**  
Reporter

# REPORT

from last meeting



**Susan Schwarz**  
Coordinator

## UPCOMING REPORTER

**OCTOBER 2015**

23.....Tom Hinton  
30.....Linda Andrews

## THE FOUR-WAY TEST OF THE THINGS WE THINK, SAY OR DO

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?**

~Herbert J. Taylor

**President Bev Fritschner** called the meeting to order at 7:15...7:20 AND 7:29.58....

Caught **Bonnie Arora** making a face in her oatmeal, really Bonnie!



**Bev** introduced the "ROTD" **Ryan Albrecht**. **Ryan** shared a few quotes such as "Love the Life you Live and Live the Life you Love". He then led us in the pledge. Born and raised in Chicago, graduated from University Texas. **Ryan** shared some photos of his recent surprise engagement to his beautiful fiancé.



**Tom Stocking** introduced the hosts and guests that included **Travis Ward** and his guests **Linda and George Murphy**. **Antonio Grillo Lopez** and his wife **Maria**, **Dianne Day/Jan Bernardy**, **Rick Clark** and his wife **Nilsa** of 44 yrs., **Michael Bardin** and his wife **Arlene** of 49 yrs., **Jacquie Reilly/Brian Bollard's**, **Dave Chong** and his son **Danny**.

Visiting Rotarians included Guest Speaker **Dr. Anders**, **Dr. Zeidou**,

**Dr. Asma**, **Travis Ward**, **Dr. Janice Kurth**, **Chuck Pretle** and **Fay Sultz**.

**Bev** continued with club announcements that included Seven Bridge walk on October 24<sup>th</sup>, upcoming Road Rally in February, **Fay Sultz** announced an upcoming Coronado mixer on October 28<sup>th</sup>.

**Jacquie Reilly** provided a membership update and acknowledged **Rick Binder** and **Sheila Henry** for their recent efforts.

**Dave Weigman** is looking for additional members to volunteer to be Rotarian of the Day.

**Kevin Carlson** announced an upcoming hands-on painting project on November 21<sup>st</sup> at the Police Traffic Division located on Arrow Drive, in Kearney Mesa.

**Brett Morey** 1<sup>st</sup> quarter fine Master passed the collection can to **Tom Stocking** 2<sup>nd</sup> quarter fine master.

**Bev** recognized **Dory Beatrice** for her effort in coordinating the recent "From the heARTS" fund raising event that has been postponed due to lack of ticket sales.

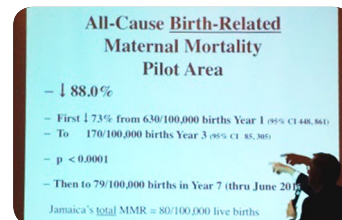
**Steve Brown** recognized and handed out pins and inscribed crystal to the following members **Kim Schaeffer**, **Cynthia Villis**, **Rick/Nilsa Clark**, **Antonio/Maria Grillo Lopez**, and **Mike/Arleen Bardin** for their Bequest commitment to Rotary.

**Barbara Kirkpatrick** introduced the club's guest speaker **Dr. Anders Seim**, a Norwegian Family Physician who is introducing disease eradications methods to save women's lives

and protect their dignity by rapidly preventing obstetric fistula.

He introduced **Doctors Zeidou and Asma** that have been assisting him.

**Dr. Anders** provided a power point presentation that included photos of small nomadic villages in Africa where many of the young women reside. He shared many facts about (3) three primary concerns:



- 1-2 million women die giving birth or a short time after
- 3-5% babies are born dead or die within 30 days of birthing,
- Obstetric Fistula- 2 million women currently have this problem, 50,000 -100,000 new cases each year.

Issues contributing to the problem include the lack of proper facilities, bedding, equipment and ambulance transportation etc.

The good news, by educating families and young women the importance of getting proper healthcare, having husbands written healthcare consent, implementing 3 step process to prevent bleeding has had significant impact such as; eliminating deaths due to obstructed labor mortality, birth deaths have been reduced and deaths due to bleeding have been eliminated.

The meeting was closed with a choice joke from the Master jokester **Frank Mc Grath**.



**Bev Fritschner**  
President

## OTHER DATES FOR YOUR CALENDAR

**December 12 | Holiday Party**

*Details to Follow*

**January 15-16**

Rotary World Peace Conference  
Ontario, CA

**January 17-23**  
International Assembly

**January 20**  
International District  
Governors Elect Dinner  
*Details to Follow*

**February 6**  
Road Rally

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Bill Keane  
Photographer

# PHOTOS

from last meeting



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## LJGT ROTARY LEADERSHIP 2015 - 2016

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VICE PRESIDENT ELECT (2016-17) .....Alex Monroe  
TREASURER ..... Sharon Council  
SECRETARY .....Rick Binder  
PAST-PRESIDENT/FOUNDATION .....Ron Kohl

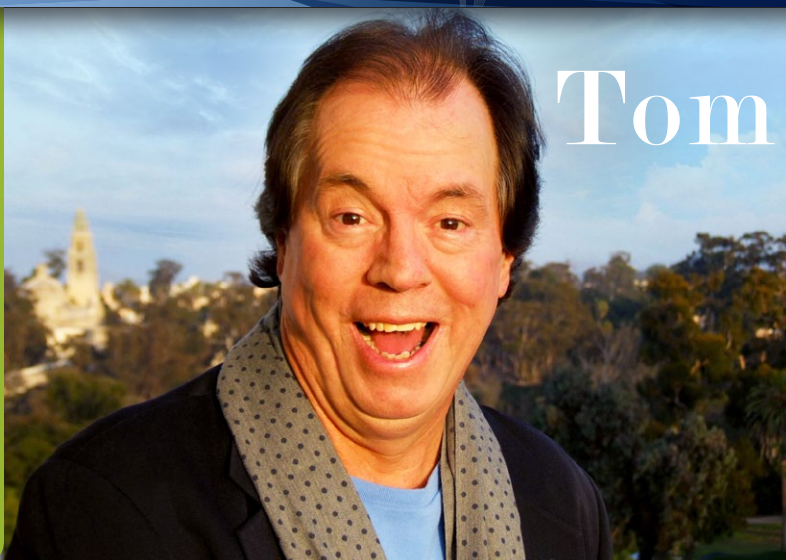


**Dave Wiegman**  
Coordinator

### UPCOMING ROTD

**OCTOBER 2015**  
30..... Open

**NOVEMBER 2015**  
06.....Tom Stocking  
13..... Name



## Tom Hinton

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# ROTARIAN OF THE DAY

**Tom Hinton** joined the La Jolla Golden Triangle Rotary Club in January 2014. He serves as Co-Chair of the Vocational Committee. Tom enjoys golf, travel, songwriting and Irish whiskey!

Tom is president and CEO of CRI Global, LLC, a San Diego-based company that manages large non-profit associations and produces leadership retreats and strategic planning sessions for companies and government agencies.

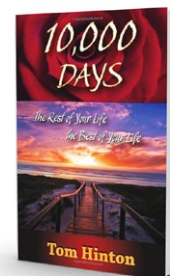
Tom is also a professional speaker. Since 1989, he has delivered over 1,000 corporate, association, and government audiences with his speeches and workshops on business and personal growth topics including: *Employee Engagement, Life Balance, Creating a Culture of Excellence in the Workplace, and Building Your Business with Broadcast Customers.*

Tom has addressed audiences in the United States, Canada, Germany, Japan, Singapore,

China, Korea, Thailand, Mexico, Ireland, Spain, Portugal, France, England, Austria, Sweden, Norway, Denmark and Scotland.

Tom is the author of five books including *The Spirit of Service* and *Leadership Lessons I Learned on the Links: 72 Ways to Par the Course of Business and Life*. He is the co-author, along with Wini Schaeffer, of *Customer-Focused Quality: What to Do on Monday Morning*. His book, *10,000 Days: The Rest of Your Life, the Best of Your Life!* was recognized as the Gold Medal winner of the 2012 eLit Book Awards. His newest book, *Passages: The Book of Daily Inspirations and Exercises from The Course of 10,000 Days*, will be released on November 19th at [www.amazon.com](http://www.amazon.com) and other major online retailers.

Tom is a native of Washington, D.C. and a graduate of the University of Maryland. He has two daughters – Lt. Megan Hinton, USN, based in Quantico, VA; and, Rebecca Hinton, a teacher in Philadelphia.



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