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calendar  
**EVENTS**  
and speakers

## SEPTEMBER 2015 - SPEAKER

25.....Beekeeping Development in Africa  
• Kris Fricke •

## OCTOBER 2015 - SPEAKER

02.....Public Utilities Customer Advocate Presentation  
• David Akin •

09.....San Diego Honor Flights  
• Jeffrey Hall •

16.....Initiative to Prevent Women from Bleeding -  
to Death at Childbirth

“Healing the world through Art”



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I was born in 1950 and was raised in Los Alamos, New Mexico where I met my life long love and companion. **Jack** and **I** have been married 45 years and have 8 children and 26 grand children and 1 great grandchild. **David** was our fourth child and was born severely disabled. He required constant care. Despite his many health challenges and physical limitations **David** inspired our entire family and everyone who knew him with his joyful, radiant, attitude. It was a privilege to care for him and in return he showed us the power of the human spirit. When **David** passed on in 2008 at the age of 30, the **David Fellers Healing Art Foundation** was established to honor his life. I am the executive director of the foundation, which provides aid to disabled individuals living in countries where access to medical care or equipment is very limited.

When I'm not busy with the foundation I'm busy with my family. I love being active! I cherish being a mother and grandmother. For me life is filled with untold joy and satisfaction! In my free time I enjoy landscape painting, traveling and many out door activities!



Ryan Albrecht  
Reporter

# REPORT

from last meeting



Susan Schwarz  
Coordinator

## UPCOMING REPORTER

### SEPTEMBER 2015

18.....Rick Binder  
25.....Andrea Brannan

### OCTOBER 2015

02.....Rich Papike  
19.....Ivan Mwanja  
16.....Jim Davies  
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

## Who has been feeling HOT HOT HOT?

Let's all welcome back **Barbara** and **Alex** from their lovely summer vacation!

Who has been feeling Hot Hot Hot? Fine-**Master Morey** will not let off those with air conditioning so easily.

**Will Moore** is our Rotarian of the Day on what has turned out to be a unique day that none of us will ever forget. September 11th holds a special place forever etched into our memories. As he recalls being a 3rd-year law student at Columbia, going through his typical morning routine ordering his 'double-egged cheese on a roll' sandwich on what was actually the cliché gorgeous day suddenly turned into one of the darkest days in our history.

Having never been, I'm not too familiar with New Yorkers but apparently like San Diego, a lot of the residents are from another place. He recalls firetrucks returning home covered in white dust, and missing people signs that were initially put up that lasted for months.

I feel very fortunate to be involved with such a good group of people who try to incorporate these values on a daily basis, thank you all of you!

**In other news...** Our meeting was riddled with many guests as Jacquie and her membership team did an awesome job by having a handful of visitors present!

Not only is **George** already back on his boat, he is playing golf again as well, and being awarded a handful of rounds for being such a legend.

Our immediate past president can't stop giving gifts but alas! His final gift given to **Alex Kirkpatrick**.

**Louis Andres** brought us news about sharing time and helping with the VA

hospital as she was initially worried but turns out they LOVE fried chicken and it was incredible time spent.

**Linda Stouffer** wants us to come join her for some Fun Fun Fun at the road rally February 6th pre-Valentine/pre-Superbowl in what is sure to be a blast in Dana Point.

Our beloved auctioneer, Alex shares his talents to bid off a fantastic wine tasting with the best views in San Diego as **Bonnie & Krishna** generously gift their tickets to the club.

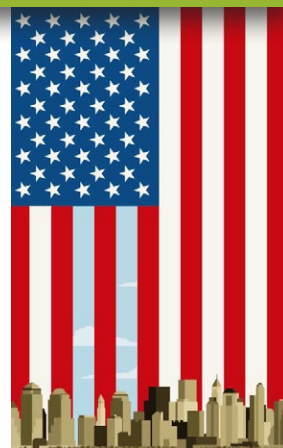
We had some spectacular speakers from the Business Journal of San Diego as their President and Publisher **Armon Mills** & Editor in Chief **Nels Jensen**, give a tag team presentation on how journalism is constantly evolving with a ton of change and growing responsibility in order to deliver their news in either quality gloss print or on the many digital devices we all use today.

As we celebrate the journals 35th anniversary we learn that they are truly the community of business. They host monthly events that range from 300-1,000 guests. In today's business, especially in America we find that the top business professionals are making it happen at networking events chest-to-chest connecting with other professionals.

We should also acknowledge their generous contribution printing 20,000 copies of the profile of the history of the marines and donated to MCRD (Marine Corps Recruit Depot) Command Museum that is selling for \$5/copy, hoping to raise \$100,000!

*Until next time folks, thanks for tuning in!*

-Ryan Albrecht



IN MEMORY

9/11/01



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In a time when all crazy has broken loose it's best that we take a moment to try to enjoy what is really around us and focus on the present by doing something normal.

This became a time where race, religion, social economic class, and any other differences were all cast aside for the common good. Where brothers and sisters took up with one another to help each other, show each other love and grow stronger again.

-Ryan Albrecht

Correction to Report from 8/28/15: Under High-5s - "Sheila Henry's son published a book."



**Bill Keane**  
Photographer

# PHOTOS

from last meeting



## The President's MESSAGE



**Bev Fritschner**  
President

### DISTRICT NEWS

#### MILLIONS FOR HOPE FOUNDATION GALA

Del Mar Fairgrounds - Mission Tower  
2260 Jimmy Durante Boulevard  
Del Mar, CA 92014

**Saturday, October 17, 2015**

6:00pm-7:00pm  
No host reception

**7:00pm**

Dinner with wine included  
Choice of short ribs, salmon, or vegetarian  
Special Guest Rotary International President K.R. "Ravi"  
Ravindran

*This black tie optional event will take place at the, and feature an evening of inspiration, entertainment, and dancing. Admission to the gala of the year is only \$85, thanks to the generosity of sponsors including Citizens Business Bank. Register through the Rotary 5340 website.*

#### DEVELOPMENT ACADEMY

**October 3, 2015 | 8.30 – 3.30**

USD Joan Kroc Peace and Justice Center

Early Registration: \$25.00 | \$30.00 Registration Fee beginning August 31

I encourage present and future leaders of our Club to attend this interactive session; this is a three-part program that you may begin at any time.

- Learn about all aspects of Rotary
- Develop leadership skills
- Connect with Rotary peers

Peace Leadership Seminar

**September 26 | 9.00 – 12.30 PM**

Ronald McDonald House

2929 Children's Way | 92123

*Sponsored by District 5340 Pathways to Peace Committee. This Peace Seminar is for Club Peace Chairs and for those with an interest in Rotary's peace initiatives and how Rotary is working to become an ever-greater force for peace at home and throughout the world.*

## DATES

FOR YOUR CALENDAR

#### PEACE LEADERSHIP SEMINAR

**September 26**

Saturday: 9:00 Am – 12:00

*Ronald McDonald House*

#### ROTARY LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE

**October 3**

Saturday 8:30 – 3:30

*USD Joan Kroc Center*

#### MILLIONS FOR HOPE FOUNDATION GALA

**October 17**

Saturday: 6:00 PM

*Del Mar Fairgrounds*

#### ROTARY SEVEN BRIDGE HIKE AND POTLUCK

**October 24**

Saturday: 9:00 AM

*Linda Stouffers' Home*

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**Dave Wiegman**  
Coordinator

### UPCOMING ROTD

**SEPTEMBER 2015**  
25.....Rick Clark

**OCTOBER 2015**  
02.....Louis Andres  
09.....Pete Griffith

# ROTARIAN OF THE DAY

## Joel Candib and family



I began my life as a newborn baby born in the Bronx in New York. My family lived in an apartment just up the hill and only a few blocks from Yankee Stadium. I could actually see the stadium from my bedroom window. My mother tells me I used to play in the neighborhood park with **Mickey Mantle's son**. **I am sure that I taught him everything there is to know about hitting a baseball.**

Eventually, I grew up. After I graduated from Brooklyn Technical High School, one of 3 specialized math and science high schools in New York, my family moved across the country and I ended up living in Los Angeles. I attended Santa Monica City College from 1972 until 1974. While I was there I was in a business law class with another student named **Arnold Schwarzenegger**. That was during the phase in his life when

he was competing for Mr. Universe. **I taught him everything there is to know about bodybuilding and politics.**

I transferred to San Diego State in 1974 and graduated in 1976 with a BS Degree in Accounting. I earned my CPA Certificate and started practicing accounting in San Diego as a sole practitioner. Although I enjoyed a successful practice, after about 15 years in the industry, I began to feel that I did not want to practice accounting for my entire working life. The opportunity arose to sell my practice and I took it... although I had no idea of what I was going to do next.

Fate took over and a series of fortunate events led me to New York Life. Then, in 1993 I began my career as a Financial Services Professional. My prior career and years of experience in CPA practice has greatly enhanced my ability to advise and work with my clients. I am able to

bring a unique value added to the table that few in my industry are able to bring. This is especially true with regard to my clients that are business owners.

I have been married for 18 years to Kris and we have 2 remarkable children. **Kris** has enjoyed a 20 years career as a third grade teacher. My son **Alec**, is a Junior at Scripps Ranch High School. He is very active in the music program and marching band there. He also is a member of the San Diego Youth Symphony. My daughter **Katie** is in 7th grade at Marshall Middle School. She is active in their music program and she also is enjoying a successful career playing youth softball. **Kris** and **I** seem to spend every waking moment getting them to the all of places that they need to be. And then home again.

***My family has taught me everything there is to know about life.***



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