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District Governor Jeff Orth Visits



District Governor Jeff Orth has been a Rotarian for 17 years and has been an active member of the Gilroy Club. In his visit he presented "Order of the Stinking Rose" awards to club members who do important work for the club, but "behind the scenes." With his Gilroy background, the implication is



these members may be garlic-like in their smell but the club would certainly miss their flavor if they were to stop what they are doing. District Governors typically provide an inspirational talk on their experiences in Rotary and to encourage all to be stronger in their Rotary service and commitment. Governor Jeff was very successful in his endeavor.



He noted several distinctive people and activities in our club – our distinctive flag salute, how thrilled everyone seemed to be to see the DG, the fact that Rich Bennett just learned that he is hosting a meeting in his home, that Shamekka has been a "miracle worker" with the website, that Don Price's Foundation giving status chart is "a work of art" (especially when compared with Larry D's, he might have added), that we just had a meeting at a place called the Three Sheets Bar, and that Mayor David is willing to "trade up" in his contribution level.



He called attention to some exemplary club activities including awarding three scholarships, recognizing Community All Stars, the Let's Go Fishing day, the bike assembly and distribution, and the Coaniquem Burn Center roles. Could you do more? Could you find someone to bring to Rotary within the next 90 days? (Many stood to affirm their commitment.) He noted that the chance for lasting peace comes not from government organizations, but from



someone like Rotary. He noted that the United Nations was formed mostly by Rotarians, that Rotarians were able to achieve a cease fire in Sri Lanka hostilities to serve the local children, and that the Rotary Foundation was about to celebrate its 100th anniversary next year in Atlanta.



Around the Room



Since this is an Olympic year, the DG handed out Gold, Silver and Bronze coins to contributors to The Rotary Foundation. There were no Silver medalists this year; we'll leave it to the reader to decide who's gold and who's bronze. Thanks to all the contributors. Don reminded all of his good friend, Arch Klumpf, who established TRF 100 years ago.

Don Price, who is a big donor to various Dublin Rotary projects, has



contributed \$1,000 to the Dublin Rotary Foundation, our local fund aimed at establishing as much as \$1 million for local charitable causes. We are one-quarter of the way there. He is now a Ted Hoffman Junior Fellow, wait; perhaps that should be a Ted Hoffman, Jr. Fellow. That's Marilyn Hoffman and Foundation Presi-



dent Lee Denlinger present the award.



Recall that the Governor feels that inducting someone into a group called the "Order of the Stinking Rose" is a good thing, even though it does not sound like it. The photo depicts the group who were so honored and were described as doing good for the club, but "behind the scenes." You decide if these guys really fit that description or were they selected primarily because their personal odor?



Bryan Benton is working with students this year; here he presents DHS's Kavina Fong.

Also, we recognized Dave Haubert as the most famous and productive celebrity waiter at the recent Dublin

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Around the Room, continued



Partners in Education fund raiser. Both Don Biddle and Bill Moy are DPIE Board Members. That's the mayor's award for his top award. Don Price is certainly in the news today. The District Governor presented a recognition plaque commemorating Don's lifetime TRF donations of \$10,000. Congratulations to Don.

New Member Daniel Hodsdon

Dan is an attorney with East Bay Family Law and Mediation, located on Dublin Boulevard. He recently opened his practice in Dublin after working for nine years with three other law firms in San Francisco, Burlingame and Martinez. He lives in Castro Valley with his wife Tammi and their two children, ages 4 and 2. He attended high school at California High in San Ramon and received his undergraduate degree at UC Berkeley and later law school at USF. He follows UCB sports and the Raiders and, prior to kids, enjoyed playing tennis and basketball.



While in college he was a member of Alpha Phi Omega, a coed service fraternity. He says it was a way to volunteer and help in the community while also meeting new people and making friends. Sound familiar? So when his Rotarian friend in Newark recommended he join a local club, he had the same goal – meet new people and get involved in the community. He has been very involved in other organizations including the Second Harvest Food Bank and at Haven House, which serves low-income and home-less families. He has served with the San Mateo County Bar Association Barristers.

He practices family law and covers all the bases – divorces, child support, custody, spousal support and property divisions. He is proactive in his cases, trying to resolve cases quickly and amicably. We welcome community service oriented Dan Hodsdon to Dublin Rotary!

Coming Events

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| Tuesday, November 22 | No meeting, Thanksgiving break |
| Saturday, December 3 | Holiday Party at Bennett's |
| Tuesday, December 6 | Tim Sbranti, Updates from Washington, D.C. |
| Tuesday, December 13 | Regular Meeting, Library |
| Tuesday, December 20 | Regular Meeting, Library |
| Tuesday, December 27 | Enjoy the holidays! |





DUBLIN ROTARY MEMBERSHIP

*Ackley, Dennis '97•
Anyosa, John '14
*Bennett, Rich '95•
Benton, Bryan '13•
Biddle, Don '05•
Boschetti, Rich '12•
Brown, Alan '13
Brown, Tinarsha '16
*Carvacho, Bo '08•
Ceizler, Harold '69•
*Damaser, Larry '09•
*Delaporte, Tim '09•
Della, Kamal '11•
Denlinger, Lee '04•
*Dunlop, Mona '94•
Fisher, Gary '16
Grier, Kevin '16
Hanke, Steve '12•
Haubert, David '13
Herbstman, Cliff '68•
Herrera, Beverly '15
Hodsdon, Daniel '16
Ichiuji, John '83•
Jenkins, Stephany '11
Johnson, Pamela '07•
*Kinzel, Chris D. '87•
Kulick, MC '09•

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Pension Consulting
Restaurant
Retired
Barrel-busting
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Realtor
Sports
Dentist
Insurance
Financial
Real Estate Investments
Educator
Travel
Retired
Education
Education
City Council Member
Telephone Wizard
Realtor
Family Law
Dentistry
Real Estate
Retired
Traffic Engineer
Content Marketing

*Kyle Michael E. '75•
Lee, Alvin '14
*Leuchi, Jeff '96•
Manuchehri, Parvin '11•
Marty, Shamekka '16
*Mazur, Ron '85•
*Miller, Dennis J. '79•
*Moy, William '89•
*Price, Don '09•
Pringle, Patty '13
Raney, Ed '96•
Rouse, Megan '14
Ruhullah, Yusuf '14•
*Shurson, Stacey '90•
Smith, Linda '12
Stanford, Athena '06
Strah, Melissa '13
Sullivan, Don '84•
Tan, Larry '16
*Thalblum, Janine '09•
*Tucknott, Bob '73•
Watanabe, Jerry '72•

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