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**ROTARY:
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Leaders Outline Plans for Year



At new President **Patty Pringle's** first meeting, she and her key people described what's planned for the Rotary year. **Mona Dunlop**, the Community Service Director, discussed our plans to continue serving lunches as the Senior Center each month and help where possible with other services for the seniors. We'll continue to feature the Veteran's event and the Community All-stars, and this year will also participate in the Special Olympics in June and in Dublin's Pride Day.



Bo Carvacho is the speaker chair for the year and has several top notch speakers already lined up – a memory trainer and a Coaniquem speaker to begin with, more to follow.



Lee Denlinger has served as the Rotary Club Foundation Chair for the past year. Lee is a school teacher so is not able to attend most of our regular meetings. She has been very active at the District 5170 level in a variety of roles over the years, even heading

up conference entertainment. The Club Foundation is coming into its own with balances approaching \$300,000. The trustees developed the mission statement and are devising procedures to encourage and recognize individual donations – last year Don Price headed up a plan that raised \$8,800, mostly from club members. The Foundation awarded \$7,000 in scholarships this past school year. They hope to raise the fund to \$345 K in the coming year!

Kamal Della has headed the Rotary Foundation leadership in the past and is at it again. How can you argue against motherhood? Kamal and RI certainly can't; it is one of the main planks of the RI Foundation along with literacy, clean water, polio and other vaccinations and peace! This year we have about \$5,000 coming back to the club from funds raised in previous years, to be invested in the community. We can contribute to RI with cash, a check, credit cards, or through direct bank deposits.

Rich Bennett is back as the International Service chair. Rich has overseen some huge international projects over the years and is currently handling a project in Nicaragua.



Ron Mazur looks forward to his year as Club Service chair. The bike building project is back – last year the club purchased, assembled and distributed 76 bicycles. This year Dan Hodsdon is added to the bike team. Ron anticipates repeat performances for two big fund raisers

last year – Splatter and St. Patrick's beer sales. We are fortunate to be selected for these projects. We cleared over \$30 K on these two projects last year; this year Splatter (on September 16) has the prospects for increased profits. Dennis Miller will have a major role again this year. One of the reasons we

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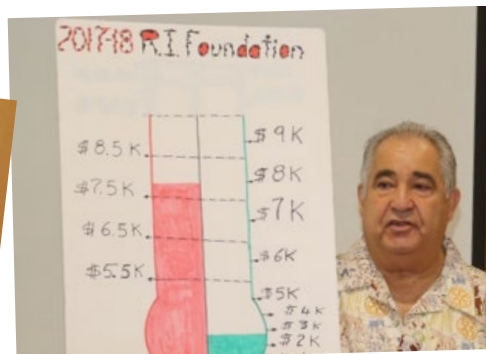
President Patty welcomed Area 4 Governor **Millie Siebel** and District Governor **Orrin Mahoney** to her second meeting, not counting the great social last week at Berevino Ristorante (see photos elsewhere). The new club leaders (above) met with the DG prior to the meeting along with Bo and **Parvin**. Patty announced the appointment of **Luc-trica Lewis** and **Alan Brown** to the Public Information Committee, to help publicize Rotary in the community.



In other news, **Betty Ojo** presented her district 9110 banner to Patty. She also received some moonshine from Tennessee from **Lee**, a fancy piece of jewelry from **Alan**, and a monologue from **Bob**, describing what can happen when your airplane radio fails and you simply try to follow instructions.



The Governor mentioned that Dublin has the largest collection of Paul Harris Society members, all of whom committed \$1,000 for the year. Thanks to all. **Kamal**, seeking to reach a goal of \$9,000 for the year, has been helped out substantially by these givers. And let's not forget **Jeff**, who described this guy who walked into a bar with a wheelbarrow of asphalt saying, "Bartender, one for me and one for the road." (I guess you had to be there; it seemed funny when Jeff said it.) And we welcomed **Marelyne Devi**, her daughter **Melisha** and her mother Ruth.





Have You Ever Thought About Rotary?



Have You Ever Thought About Rotary? For District Governor Orrin Mahoney, those are the “six magic words” he asks folks he meets who could be future Rotarians. At his presentation last Tuesday, we learned about his background, his plans for the year, and what he thinks the role of the District and its leaders should be. We learned that he was a marketing leader for Hewlett Packard for 35 years, is active in the community including service as the mayor of Cupertino and President of his club, and has actively participated in numerous Rotary trips around the world.



He spoke about the changes in Rotary membership. Membership in Rotary has been evolving at the club and district level, but the most recent Council on Legislation (which occurs every three years in Rotary) formalized dramatic membership changes.

There were only two kinds of membership in the past – regular or honorary. Now clubs may have alternative memberships such as corporate,

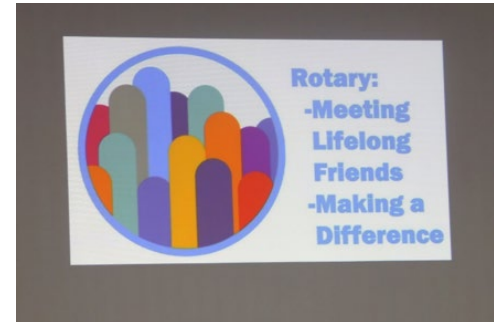
associate, family, etc. The qualifications for membership used to be “position as proprietor, partner, etc. of business or profession; retired; or be a community leader”. The new requirements are “Adult persons who demonstrate good character, integrity, and leadership; possess good reputation within their business, profession and/or community; and are willing to serve in their community and/or around the world”. There is also new flexibility in meetings and attendance. Currently, clubs meet once a week with members terminated if they don’t meet or make up fifty percent of the meetings. New: Must meet two times per month (there is no definition of “meeting”); the club may set attendance requirements; and the club may modify or eliminate termination policies for non-attendance.



The District has adopted a different approach to its role in Rotary, reflected in the District 5170 Mission Statement: ***The Mission of Rotary District 5170 is to both INSPIRE and SUPPORT the clubs of the District through the use of multiple communication tools, training programs, motivating events, and supporting infrastructure.*** In other words, the District is here to help the clubs do the business of Rotary. Expressed as priorities and goals, these are: Communication, Events, Training, Infrastructure, Membership, Public Image, and The Rotary Foundation.

As it turns out, many of the Rotary activities involves club activities that don’t directly involve other clubs. A main Rotary activity that involves multiple clubs is Youth Service. This includes Interact (high school clubs

supported by local Rotary clubs), RYLA (Rotary Youth Leadership Academy), Youth Exchange, Speech Contest and Youth Protection. Each of these involves extensive involvement of other clubs.



His enhancement of this year’s Rotary theme is expressed in the final photo.

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are in a good position for profits on these projects is the umbrella insurance offered by Rotary which might otherwise cost more than \$10K per event.

Bill Moy reported that Fireworks sales went well at the two booths shared by Rotary, DPIE and Wells Band. Last year each organization cleared about \$11,000. With gross sales of \$115,000 this year, Bill expects similar profits.



Thanks to Bill and **Tim Delaporte** for heading up fireworks sales.

Rich Boschetti will be the membership chair this year. Rich advises us to reach out to our friends and be friendly to our guests. About 7 or 8 members dropped out last year; we need to replace them.



DUBLIN ROTARY MEMBERSHIP

*Ackley, Dennis '97•	Sheet Metal	*Kyle Michael E. '75•	Attorney
Anyosa, John '14	Advocate	*Leuchi, Jeff '96•	Printing
*Bennett, Rich '95•	Pension Consulting	Lewis, Luctrica '16	Education
Benton, Bryan '13•	Restaurant	Manuchehri, Parvin '11•	Financial Planning
Biddle, Don '05•	Retired	Marty, Shamekka '16	Life Coach
Boschetti, Rich '12•	Barrel-busting	*Mazur, Ron '85•	Real Estate
Brown, Alan '13	Business & Security	*Miller, Dennis J. '79•	Chiropractor
Brown, Tinarsha '16	Realtor	*Moy, William '89•	CPA
*Carvacho, Bo '08•	Sports	*Price, Don '09•	Recreation Vehicles
Ceizler, Harold '69•	Dentist	Pringle, Patty '13	Tax Advisor
*Damaser, Larry '09•	Insurance	Raney, Ed '96•	CPA
*Delaporte, Tim '09•	Financial	Rouse, Megan '14	Financial Planning
Della, Kamal '11•	Real Estate Investments	Ruhullah, Yusuf '14•	Medical
Denlinger, Lee '04•	Educator	*Shurson, Stacey '90•	Insurance Broker
*Dunlop, Mona '94•	Travel	Smith, Linda '12	Economic Development
Fisher, Gary '16	Retired	Stanford, Athena '06	Sales Manager
Grier, Kevin '16	Education	Strah, Melissa '13	Dental
Hanke, Steve '12•	Education	Sullivan, Don '84•	Retired
Haubert, David '13	City Council Member	Tan, Larry '16	Insurance
Herbstman, Cliff '68•	Telephone Wizard	*Thalblum, Janine '09•	Insurances
Herrera, Beverly '15	Realtor	*Tucknott, Bob '73•	Electrical Contractor
Hodsdon, Daniel '16	Family Law	Watanabe, Jerry '72•	Orthodontist
Ichiuji, John '83•	Dentistry		
Jenkins, Stephany '11	Real Estate		
Johnson, Pamela '07•	Retired		
*Kinzel, Chris D. '87•	Traffic Engineer		
Kulick, MC '09•	Content Marketing		