



The Rotary Club of Dublin, CA 2019-2020

The Dublin SHAMROCK

District Attorney Nancy O'Malley Speaks

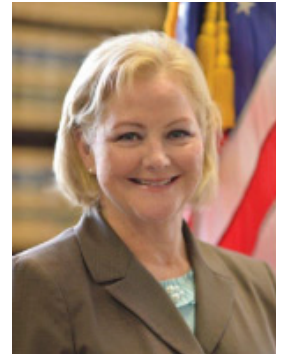


At a recent meeting, DA O'Malley continued her recent informative visits to Dublin Rotary to provide a glimpse of the activities of her office. We viewed a brand new video describing herself and her office and also saw a slide presentation of opportunities, challenges and goals of her office.

The DA's Office prosecutes criminal and specific civil cases for the 1.5 million residents in Alameda County. Her office has about 150 attorneys operating from nine offices. The District Attorney is mandated by the California Constitution and the Government

Code to review, charge and prosecute criminal violations of the laws of California. In addition, the District Attorney's Office has the responsibility of:

- Prosecuting actions in the Juvenile Justice system involving conduct that, if committed by an adult, would be a criminal matter
- Bringing civil & criminal actions involving consumer fraud, including real estate fraud, mortgage fraud, insurance fraud, medical fraud and financial fraud, and crimes committed against elders and dependent adult populations
- Bringing legal actions to ensure environmental protection
- Ensuring victims of crime are aware of their rights, and those rights are upheld and enforced
- Arranging for crime victim support services including psychosocial services and the processing of claims to the Victims Compensation and Government Claims Board on their behalf
- Advocating for the court to order legally appropriate restitution on behalf of crime victims and the State of California-Victims of Crime Fund



While carefully avoiding casting stones at the legislature and governor, she noted that among the challenges of her office are handling the mandates of new legislation dealing with such topics as firearm enhancements, prison terms, murder sentencing, flight rules, public records access, along with recent judicial decisions on youthful offender hearings, body camera rules, crimes against women, and victim compensation, among others.

Presenting her office as a guardian of people's rights, she noted that they have served 15,000 victims, including 1,200 in the Tri-valley with 90,000 services provided. Nearly \$10 million in restitution orders were made. O'Malley noted substantial progress has been made in the area of human trafficking and in eliminating the backlog of untested sexual assault kits.

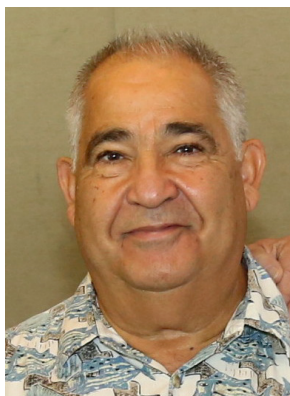
After serving in the DA office for 35 years and then as its head for ten years, her main personal priorities are identity theft, real estate fraud, truancy, environmental protection and domestic violence. The goals of her office include bail reform, pre-trial release, juvenile justice reform, and support for those reentering society after incarceration.



News from Dublin Rotary!

Kamal in for 21-22!

Yes, Kamal Della has been elected to serve as President Elect Nominee, meaning he will lead the club in 2021-22. Kamal was unanimously elected to the role. Since joining the club in 2011 he has served in many key roles on the Club's Board of Directors and also in leading various club events. He is also very active in District 5170 leadership and recently attended a Rotary Zone event in which incoming District Governors were trained. In the photo he joins past, present and future club Presidents. Kamal sets a positive example for the rest of us to demonstrate the motto, Service Above Self. Congratulations, Kamal!



More Leaders Tim Delaporte was awarded the Rotarian of the Month award to recognize his 24/7 service (literally!) during our very successful fireworks sales on Tassajara Road. The location was fruitful and he was instrumental in making the event a major financial accomplishment. Tim was quick to recognize the role of Bill Moy, who has more than 20 years of Dublin Rotary fireworks history. Patty Pringle was awarded a recognition pin for contributing \$4,000 to the Rotary Foundation. Don Price is eager to get the rest of us to pledge and pay at least \$200 for our annual contribution.



Recent Greeter Namrata Berry, she with the brand new MBA, told us of her two kids and senior at DHS and a fifth grader at Dublin Elementary and her Microsoft-employed husband. She once again expressed her interest in youth service. The even more recent greeter, Rich Boschetti, noted his background includes SLO, UCB, Folgers Coffee, and a skeptical St. Mary's leader who reluctantly admitted Rich after some pushy perseverance on his part. After 14 years as a middle school principal, 27 years of marriage, stints with Jr. Achievement and banking, he now is the after-school coordinator for DPIE, a very successful venture. Rich was looking forward to his trip to Memphis to take in the Ole Miss vs. UC Berkeley football contest, also a successful venture. And Da Mayor welcomed Evan Schwaegerle, son of Rotarian Gary, in commemorating Evan's Eagle Scout award, recalling his own achievement of that same award, decades earlier. And we welcomed serious visitor Dominick Piegaro, who has designs on our membership.



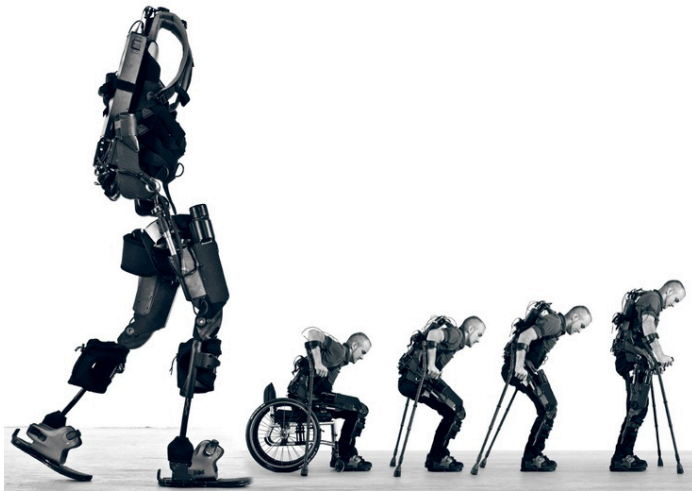




Rehab of Stroke Victims



Kathleen, Susanna and Glen, stroke rehabilitation specialists from Castro Valley's Eden Hospital, were recent speakers. Eden Hospital, our own major trauma center, provides services to 700 stroke victims each year, with about 40 percent of them from the Tri Valley. Castro Valley Rotary is helping to sponsor fund raising to purchase one of the Ekso robotic exoskeleton for Eden. As noted in the illustrations, the device is an important step in helping victims learn to walk on their own again. The fundraising aims to raise \$107,000.



Linda Smith Named City Manager

Linda Smith, a Dublin Rotarian since 2012 was recently named Dublin City Manager to succeed Chris Foss when he retires at the end of 2019. Linda came to the City of Dublin in 2009 as the Economic Development Director and Public Information Officer and for the past six years has served as the Assistant City Manager. Her earlier career included stints at the cities of Brentwood and Tracy. Congratulations to Linda.





Seventeenth Century Nun's Prayer *

(Could be called The Mature Rotarian's Prayer!)



Lord, thou knowest better than I know myself that I am growing older and will someday be old. Keep me from the fatal habit of thinking I must say something on every subject and on every occasion. Release me from craving to straighten out everybody's affairs. Make me thoughtful but not moody; helpful but not bossy. With my vast store of wisdom it seems a pity not to use it all, but Thou knowest Lord, that I want a few friends at the end.

Keep my mind free from the recital of endless details; give me wings to get to the point. Seal my lips on my aches and pains. They are increasing and love of rehearsing them is becoming sweeter as the years go by. I dare not ask for grace enough to enjoy the tales of other's pains, but help me to endure them with patience. I dare not ask for improved memory, but for a growing humility and a lessening cocksureness when my memory seems to clash with the memories of others. Teach me the glorious lesson that occasionally I may be mistaken.

Keep me reasonably sweet; I do not want to be a saint—some of them are so hard to live with—but a sour old person is one of the crowning works of the Devil. Give me the ability to see good things in unexpected places and talents in unexpected people. And, give me, O Lord, the grace to tell them so.

*Source: Blog of former member Ward Tanneberg, quoting as follows: *This Prayer was posted on 25 May 2019 by Willy and Pen, newsletter of the Europe and Middle East Young Friends (EMEYF), a loose group of Quakers aged 18 to thirty-ish from all over Europe and the Middle East.*

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*Damaser, Larry '09•
*Delaporte, Tim '09•
Della, Kamal '11•
Denlinger, Lee '04•
*Dunlop, Mona '94•
Grier, Kevin '16
Haubert, David '13
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Hodsdon, Daniel '16
Ichiji, John '83•
Johnson, Pamela '07•
*Kinzel, Chris D. '87•
*Kyle Michael E. '75•

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Retired
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Attorney

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*Miller, Dennis J. '79•
*Moy, William '89•
*Price, Don '09•
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*Pringle, Patty '13
Prilutsky, Michael '18
Raney, Ed '96•
Rouse, Megan '14
Smith, Linda '12
Strah, Melissa '13
*Thalblum, Janine '09•
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*Tucknott, Bob '73•
Watanabe, Jerry '72•

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