

# ROTARY CLUB of Rotary

# ALO ALTO, CALIF. Piniön

MEETING OF: March 1, 2004

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## ROTARY SPORTS PAGE HEADLINES



### 25 WINS and NO LOSSES & THE STANFORD/SMULLIN BASKETBALL CHALLENGE

#### TIP-OFF

**SKIP HOYT** came flying onto the court just in time for the opening tip-off of

“America the Beautiful”. The backcourt was controlled by **JOHN BRACKEN** as he set up the play.

## VISITING TEAM

Former Coach **GEORGE WHEATON** introduced the Visiting Players including: **WALT D'ARDENNE** from Almaden Valley, **JOHN CREWS** from Santa Fe, New Mexico, **ROY LANE** from Los Altos, **JANE REED** from Los Altos, **SALLY MAHONEY** from the Palo Alto University Club and **DICK HENNING** from Los Altos. The scorekeeper couldn't keep track of the names of all the substitutions.

## “THE BEST OF TIMES”



**BOB WHITEHAIR** challenged us with the **VISION** to face the future with optimism. While being realistic and acknowledging problems, our positive commitment to improve our lives is essential. Even Dickens might agree.

## BOOSTER CLUB



Chief Official **KAREN BROSSI** called the game perfectly by collecting numerous \$25 contributions from Stanford fans to celebrate the season.

**ANNETTE GLANCKOPF AND DIANA**

**DIAMOND** joint ventured a President's Club membership to celebrate their trip to the Yucatan.



## WHAT'S COMING UP

March 8th -- Micheal Becker -- Rotary International Group Study Exchange 2003

Mar 15th -- Laura Roden -- Venture Capital Investment Update in Silicon Valley

Mar 22nd -- New Members Presentations

## HALF TIME ANNOUNCEMENTS

\***MIKE COUCH** recovered his flamingo from the Crab Carnivale from **DICK HENNING** for a contribution of only \$50 to the club. However, at the end of the program it appeared to be in the possession of **ANNETTE GLANCKOPF**.

\*The early score from the Carnivale predicts a winning record 10% better than last year.

\*The District tournament will be held April 16<sup>th</sup> – 18<sup>th</sup>. Sign up to see **PRESIDENT BILL** in the slam dunk competition.

\*Contact **SKIP HOYT** to join the team that feeds the homeless on March 10<sup>th</sup>, 3:15 – 6:15 PM.

\***CARL KING** reminded us of Wednesdays Vocational Visit to **CAR**, hosted by Lynda Steele.

\***ANDY MOSER** told us Rotary Ambassadorial Scholarship applications are due April 10<sup>th</sup>. See [Rotary.org](http://Rotary.org) for more information on this incredible opportunity.

\*Mark your calendar for April 24<sup>th</sup> for the Hands-On, Sleeves-Up project at the **CAR Administration** building. Contact **ART STAUFFER** for more information.

## 3 MINUTE OVERTIME



**GLORIA HOM** withstood the end of the game pressure to explain the bond issues facing voters in Tuesday's election.

## THE STANFORD/MULLIN CHALLENGE



**DAVE SMULLIN** wants to continue the giving fun by organizing a club wide challenge that the Stanford men's basketball team will go undefeated and will win the National Championship. He is willing to put up \$100 and challenges all good Stanford fans to do the same. The proceeds would, of course, go to the Club. If

there is a game theory expert out there who can formulate such a challenge please contact **DAVE** and our legal advisers.

## THE SECOND HALF



**WALT HAYS** and guest **CINDY WILBER** described the experience and showed beautiful slides of the Hands-On Yucatan project, the residents and the Rotary members who made it possible. A children's

library was built and books, clothes and toys were distributed by the partnership of the **LOS ALTOS ROTARY** and the **PALO ALTO ROTARY** in conjunction with a local club.



## PALO ALTO ROTARY

**PRESIDENT:** Bill Busse. **PRESIDENT ELECT:** Pam Brandin. **PAST PRESIDENT:** Le Levy. **DIRECTORS:** David Negrin, Marcie Cox, Steve Schaper, Mike Couch, Art Stauffer, and Rick Tipton. **TREASURER:** Dick Mansfield. **SECRETARIES:** Dick Freeman, Bob McCowan, Julie Jerome. **MAIL:** P.O. Box 592, Palo Alto, CA 94302. **GENERAL E-MAIL:** parotary@aol.com. **CLUB RECORDS:** Joyce Cusick, parotaryrecords@aol.com. **WEB SITE:** <http://www.rotarypaloalto.org/>

## NEARBY ROTARY MEETING PLACES

### TUESDAY

Los Altos Sunset: The Echo Restaurant, Los Altos, 7:15pm.  
Mountain View: Adobe House, Moffett & Central, 12:15pm.

### WEDNESDAY

East Palo Alto Bayshore: Boys & Girls Club, 2031 Pulgas (at O'Connor), 12:15pm  
Menlo Park: Menlo Park Recreation Center, MP, Noon  
Woodside/Portola: Woodside Village Church, 7:30am.

### THURSDAY

Los Altos: Garden House, Shoup Park, Los Altos, 12:15pm.

### FRIDAY

Palo Alto University: Sheraton, El Camino, PA, 7:30am.  
**San Carlos: Salvatore's Restaurant, San Carlos, 12:15pm.**



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