



# Palo Alto Rotary Club Pinion



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IRIS KOROL welcomed everyone to the April 24th meeting and called upon KEN WEIGEL to introduce our visitors and guests.

Visiting Rotarians, Walt McCullough, a Senior Active from San Mateo.

Rotarians with guests: DAYRL SAVAGE introduced her husband, Sam Savage

## OPENING REMARKS

LE LEVY provided opening remarks "Why I'm an Anti-Anti American"

1. America provides a good life for the common man, not just the rich.
2. America offers more opportunity than any other country.
3. Destiny of the young is not given to them, but created by them.
4. Ultimately, America is worth our work and sacrifice as it makes a good life possible

## FINES & PRESIDENTS CLUB

HAL MIKELSON levied modest, but **well-earned fines** to: TODD LEWIS who proudly announced his son Owen's winning the Jordan School competition.

DICK MANSFIELD shared the recent achievements and jobs of his three children Cathy, Bob and Carl

GEOFF ZIMAN announced his second grandson had just become an Eagle Scout.



## PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Iris recognized the generosity of the following **Paul Harris Fellows**: ADAM ATITO, DAN QUINN RALPH ADAMS, DAVE CHARLESTON, JIM COOLY, DUANE KALAR, GEORGE WHEATON and DAVE SMULLIN. Quite an impressive association!



## TAKE NOTICE

A **memorial service** for JOHN BRACKEN is scheduled for Saturday May 6 at 3:00PM at First Congregational Church in Palo Alto. We'll all miss John Sr. and his friendly idealism.

KEN WEIGEL thanked everyone for their hospitality provided to our recent **Japanese GSE** visitors.

DICK FREEMAN clarified June 17 is the new date to visit **PA Rotary's Memorial Grove** in Big Basin State Park to honor those members who've recently passed away.

HIRCH DAVIS announced the April 29 **Hand's-On Event** in conjunction with PA Kiwanis. Volunteers are still needed.

WALT HAYS thanked the volunteers who helped remove invasive plants at the **Youth Community Service Center**.

## HEALTH WELLNESS & FITNESS



DREW CORRADINI introduced our speaker for the day. Kevin Useldinger lives in Santa Cruz and is President of the Fitness Motivation Institute. The central theme of Mr. Useldinger's program is health, wellness and fitness. Poor health, lack of productivity and injuries cost individuals and industry millions

of dollars each year. Because of his diversified experience with groups and individuals, he understands the problems that result from poor health, wellness, and fitness. He shared several realistic solutions to make a beneficial difference.

IRIS thanked Kevin for his presentation and reminded everyone of next week's program on Stem Cell research.

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## UPCOMING PROGRAMS

**1 May: Henry T. "Hank" Greely, the Johnson Professor of Law at Stanford University, whose talk is entitled "The Future of Stem Cell Research in California".**

Professor Henry T. "Hank" Greely will speak to us on the ethical issues surrounding cell stem research and in particular, the outlook for the program in California.

**8 May: David M. Kennedy, the McLachlan Professor of History at Stanford University, whose talk is entitled "Civil and Military Relations since the Vietnam Era".**

Professor Kennedy will focus his talk on the issues of civil and military relations since the Vietnam Era including the all volunteer force, the evolution of war-fighting doctrines, and implications for foreign policy and political accountability.

**15 May: Supervisor LIZ KNISS, who will present affirmative arguments for passage of the proposed Santa Clara County sales tax measure on the June 2006 ballot, with prepared counter questioning by LIZ KNISS and DIANA DIAMOND**

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