



Palo Alto Rotary Club Pinion



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Reporter: David Blitz

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OVERTURE

. Mark Heyer led the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag followed by Maestro Le Levy's new rendition of 'In The Good Old Summertime'.

"It's great to be at Rotary, In the good old summertime."

INRODUCING....

George Fitzgerald had the honor of introducing Steve Wood from Weatherford, TX, Jan Parker from Foster City & Richard Delaney from Palo Alto. Visiting Rotarians included Jan Partin from Foster City & Steve Wood from Weaterford, TX

OPENING REMARKS



Immediate Past President, Iris Korol (& Ralph Waldo Emerson) reminded us: "To laugh often and much; to win the respect of intelligent people and the affection of children...to leave the world a better place...to know even one life has breathed easier because you have lived.

This is to have succeeded."

ANNOUNCING

President Art Stauffer encouraged us to send good wishes to Andy Moser.

Dan Quinn thanked the participants in the recent Feed the Homeless day.

Bob McCowan & Dan Quinn are undertaking the challenge of updating members photos

Mike McMahan reminded us to pay our dues.

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

August 14: Prof. Jack Rakove "President and Commander? Constitutional Myth, Political Reality." A discussion of the Bush administration and its impact on presidential powers.

21 August: Claudia Coleman "A partnership to make a difference: The founding and progress of the Coleman Institute for Cognitive Disabilities"

28 August: DG Russ Hobbs "Governor's State of the District Talk"

Walt Hays explained the value of the Club's endowment for local charities & the Rotary Foundation for international projects. 22 generous members volunteered to be double sustaining contributors.

September 7th – District President's Dinner

September 17th – Social at President Art's home.

PRESIDENT'S CLUB

Sherry Sager joined in honor of recent legislative victories to include Cystic Fibrosis in new born screenings.



Steve Player graciously volunteered Mike Couch on his honor of receiving the highest volunteer award recognition from the YMCA. Mike topped Steve by joining for both of them.

Jack Woodson joined in honor of his son & his family



MEMBER TALKS



Roger Smith – the Colorado Buffalo from a one room school who retired from a banking career & now enjoys supporting the parks of Palo Alto, board activities & his family.



Charles Cheng – the ‘lucky’ one from Hong Kong who is so ‘dumb’ he went to Oxford & Stanford, plays the clarinet & became involved in community service through Leadership Palo Alto.



Jack Woodson – was our Club’s President in 1979-80, met with the Pope at the Rotary International Convention in Rome & who has made a transition from architecture to working with his wife in real estate.

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PALO ALTO ROTARY

PRESIDENT: Art Stauffer. **PRESIDENT-ELECT:** Rob Lancefield. **PAST-PRESIDENT:** Iris Korol. **DIRECTORS:** Cyrille Betant, Trish Bubenik, Mike Couch, Hersh Davis, Wayne Thomas, and Sherri Sager. **CLUB TREASURER:** Mike McMahon. **ANNUAL CHARITIES TREASURER:** Rob Lancefield. **ENDOWMENT FUND:** Vic Rosasco. **ENDOWMENT FUND TREASURER:** Todd Lewis. **SECRETARIES:** Ruth Schneider. Bob McCowan. Janet Wells. **CLUB RECORDS:** Joy Cusick, PARotaryRecords@aol.com. **WEB SITE:** www.rotarypaloalto.org.

OTHER ROTARY MEETING PLACES

TUESDAY

Los Altos: China Shuttle, 22382 Homestead Road, 19:15

Mountain View: Adobe House, Moffett & Central Mountain View, 12:15

WEDNESDAY

Menlo Park: Menlo Park Recreation Center, Menlo Park, 12:15

East Palo Alto Senior Center, 560 Bell Street, East Palo Alto, 12:15

Woodside/Portola: Woodside Village Church, Woodside, 07:30

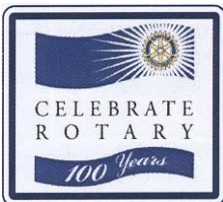
THURSDAY

Los Altos: Garden House, 400 University Avenue, Los Altos 12:15

FRIDAY

Palo Alto University: Sheraton Hotel, El Camino, Palo Alto, 07:15

San Carlos: Piaceri’s Restaurant, 727 Laurel St. (downtown San Carlos, in the second block South of San Carlos Ave., one block west



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