October is Economic and Community Development Month



October 21st Program: New Member Induction Lori Hawkins, Linda Luna, Verna Sulpizio, Quirina Orozco

A NOTE ON MEMBERSHIP

From Membership Chair Tim Kwong

(an excerpt from his remarks during the New Member Induction Ceremony Friday, October 21st at Club Pheasant)

Membership is the life blood of all organizations. People congregate together because they have common interest. Becoming a member of Rotary gives us many opportunities to improve the lives of others and the betterment of our communities. In return, it improves our lives as well. The amenities of Rotary are as follows, fellowship, camaraderie, humor and laughter, human interaction, improved health, improved eating habits, lower stress levels, a better quality of life, a longer life, improved blood pressure and cholesterol levels, singing opportunities, physical exercise and enlightenment. In Rotary, what you give returns back to you at least ten times. A famous person once said that the 2 most important days in your life is, #1, the day you were born, and #2 is the day you figure out why. May I add #3, the day you join Rotary and #4, the day you become a Rotarian. For many of us, that 4th day has arrived. For others, it is just around the corner. At Rotary, you will find high ethical standards, integrity, honest dealings, compassion and fairness which encompass the 4 way test. People from all vocations join Rotary for the opportunities to give their time, their money and their energy to unselfish worthy causes. Rotary membership gives you entrance to all of the coveted clubs of the world. Being part of Rotary is the best path to local and international community service.

We do welcome new members. Continuance and growth of membership is the life blood of our club. Tired blood will eventually dry up and dissipate. To carry on the spirit, the culture, to blaze new paths for our Club, we must grow and cultivate all members to step up to help chart



Chips from the Buzzsaw

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SPEAKER PROGRAM

October 28th Steve McCready

November 4th "Building Homies" Mexico Project

November 11th
Les Lyman, Veterans Day
Presentation
Evan Kelfer
2015/2016 RYE Student to
Argentina
"My Experiences as an American
Exchange Student"

November 18th Trevor Derrett Sacramento Kings

December 2nd Jim Piatt, Realtor



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A NOTE ON MEMBERSHIP continued

that path to making our club more relevant to its members and community. President Bill Bevier and his leadership team welcomes your input and suggestions.

I want to thank all of you for your contribution to the club. Without you there would be no Rotary in West Sacramento but because of you, there is. I thank you and the community thanks you.

October 21, 2016—Meeting Summary

Presiding: **Bill Bevier** Pledge: **Steve Lewis**

Opening Blessing: Tim Camahan

Song Leader: **Jim Cahill** Raffle: **Bill Bevier**

Foundation Raffle Drawing: Bill Bevier

Meet the NEW Members!

Lori Hawkins



Lori Hawkins is a local business owner and loan officer. She lives with her husband, Greg, 6 children, and many foster children here in West Sacramento. Lori enjoys many hobbies including kickboxing, weight lifting, and running. Lori is pictured above with her family and friends who were in attendance for the Induction at Friday's gathering.

OBJECT OF ROTARY

The Object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the: ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster.

FIRST: The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

SECOND: High ethical standards in business and professions, the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

THIRD: The application of ideal of service by every Rotarian to his/her/ personal, business and community life;

FOURTH: The advancement of international understanding, goodwill and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideals of service.

Visitors and Guests October 21st, 2016

Visitors

Babs Sandeen—Centennial Al Franks—South Sacramento

Guests

Greg Hawkins—Lori Hawkins
Vanessa, Mark, Courtney, Jennifer, Gamal
(coworkers)—Lori Hawkins
John Sulpizio—Verna Sulpizio
Austin and Jessica (staff of Chamber of
Commerce) - Verna Sulpizio
Steve Sprag—Verna Sulpizio
Jim Mineweser—Verna Sulpizio



Left: Babs Sandeen, Denise Seals and Judy Ratley

Right: THE Magnificent Membership Chair Tim Kwong and Art Pimentel





Marty Garozzo and Ed Roundwaithe

Leadership Team

President

*Bill Bevier

Past President

*Heine Roikjer

President-Elect

*Jim Cahill

Treasurer

*Chris Bradford

Secretary

*Peter Anderson

Sergeant at Arms Wayne Enke

Membership

*Tim Kwong

The Rotary Foundation

*Barry Kalar

5 Avenues of Service

Community Service
*Christian Montgomery
Denise Seals

International Service
*Paul Kolarik

Vocational Service
*Drew Gidlof

Club Service *Shaun Morrow

Generational Services

*Joanie Kapell

*JoAnn Moffett

Program Speakers

*Dan Ramos

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*Charyl Silva

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Revenue Maker *Jaclyn Powell

Grant Administration Luan Christ

Sunshine Chair Kathleen O'Leary

Business Liaison
*Dan Ramos

Publicity Chair *Carol Bogart

*Board Member

Birthdays & Anniversaries

October Birthdays

Don Clark 5th
Bob Collins 12th
Jeremiah Smith 13th
Ed Rounthwaite 14th
Kent Ramos 24th
Wayne Enke 27th

October Anniversaries

Heine Roijker and Ramouna Karvar 3rd — 17 yrs Bill and Robin Bevier 5th — 31 yrs

Club Calendar

November Board of Directors Meeting — 11/2 5:30pm, Clark Pacific

Rotary Day at the Races — 11/19

BILL BEVIER'S MOVIE HORSE TRIVIA 10/21/16

(weekly winners are awarded a Rotary Coin)

Question: What was the name of the horse in the movie National Velvet? Where, Velvet Brown, played by Elizabeth Taylor, rode the horse to win the Grand National?

Answer: Piebald.

President Bill stumped the crowd. Note, in the book, Piebald was the name of the horse, but also referenced the coloring of the horse. A piebald is similar to a pinto. However, in the movie they used a chestnut horse, still referring to Piebald as his name, but shortened it to Pie.

(Editor/Daughter's Note: Seems to me like **President Bill** will for ever be the wonder ful and all-knowing equestrian expert, both in reality and in cinema.)



Rotary Foundation Dinner, Saturday, October 22nd



**Notes Non Rotarian Volunteer

Mondays: Route 1

11/21 Tim Carnahan and Luan Christ

11/28 Jeanne and Mike

Mondays: Route 5

10/31 Jeanne and Mike

11/7 Joanie Kapell and JoAnn Moffett

11/14 Paul Kolarik

11/21 Dick Marshall and Troy Bird

Wednesdays: Route 5

10/26 Marty Garozzo
11/2 Gina Borges and Jim Cahill
11/9 Jeff Post and Kent Ramos
11/16 Lyle Bassett and Bob Ceccato

Thursdays: Route 1

10/27 Steve Heringer and Robb White**

11/3 Ken Ruzich 11/10 John Raney

11/17 Tom Wallace and Tissy Simmons

Thursdays: Route 2

10/27 Ron Morazzini and Len Thomas

11/3 Jon Pearman

11/10 Mike Campbell and Dan Ramos 11/17 Leonor Dicdican and Barry Kalar

Thursdays: Route 5

11/17 Shaun Morrow 12/8 Mark Engstrom

Below: President Bill's Rotary Dinner



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Meet the NEW Members!

Linda Luna



Linda (pictured with fellow educator Steve Lewis) is the current Superintendent of the Washington Unified School District. Linda currently resides here in West Sacramento with her husband, Fernando. Linda has pursued a life-life career and passion for education as all levels, working in Public Education since 1984 (32 years), filling a number of roles as teacher, program specialist, instruction coach, administrator, Assistant Superintendent and Superintendent. Linda had previosu ties to Rotary, as she would attend meeting at the Rotary Club of Millbrae, while working for that school district.

Meet the NEW Members!

Quirina Orozco



Quirina Orozco (right, pictured with sponsor Denice Seals and fell now member Lori Hawkins) is a Deputy District Attorney in Sacramento for the past 11 years. She lives here in West Sacramento with her husband, Jose, and her four children, Alexis, Erica, Noa, and Teo. Quirina is very active in the West Sacramento community, cheering on her kids soccer and baseball teams (Go Avengers and Flying Tigers!!!). Aside from all of that Quirina loves to stay active in the fitness community as well, teaching kickboxing, cycle, and body pump classes.

Bell Ringers

President Bill; Al Frank (a visitin Rotarian for which we sang HappyBirthday); Denice Seals; Heine Roijker; Tim Kwong; Ed Rounthwaite

Kwong Gong

Wayne Enke

YOUR LINKS TO ROTARY



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Rotary District 5180 http://www.clubrunner.ca/portal/ home.aspx?did=5180

4 Way Test

Of the Things we Think, Say or Do:

- 1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
- 2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- 3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and better **FRIENDSHIPS?**
- 4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?



The Rotary Club of West Sacramento

Christmas Harty



November 17th, 2016

At the Home of Mighty Mike Campbell

More details to be announced—stay tuned!



Bill's Box

Last Friday's gathering was a very exciting one! The club inducted four new members. I can't remember when we had that many inducted during one meeting. Our goal is to increase membership by 10% and we are well on our way to accomplishing that. We had great attendance and many guests of the inductees also joined in the festivities.

I have been mentioning attendance for the past several weeks, and attendance has been up. THANK YOU. Throughout the summer and early in my term we were less than 50% attendance and this has had an affect on Club Pheasant. Club Pheasant is a valuable resource for our club; not only providing the location and meals, but they set-up the room in preparation for our meetings, they tear-down the room afterwards, and store the banners and equipment between meetings. I do not think that many other clubs have this benefit. They are a business and we have to ensure that profitability remains for them to offer this venue for service. Please do all that you can to attend the meetings.

Rotary Up, Bill

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The District 5180 conference is scheduled for May 5th-7th in Santa Clara, California. Online registration is now open.
- The Rotary International
 Convention will be held in Atlanta
 June 10th-14th. There is a special
 room block available to reserve
 lodging at a reduced cost. In
 addition, the rate applies to dates
 on either end of the conference
 allowing additional stay to do
 sightseeing, tourism activities, etc.



Top: Heine Roijker and Tim Carnahan Bottom: Jeff Post and Paul Kolarik



Rotary International Tidbits

Clean Water Project

When wells in Ciudad Sandino, Nicaragua, tested positive for fecal contamination, the local Rotary Club revived its partnership with the Rotary Club of Santa Barbara Sunrise.

The clubs provided over 500 locally manufactured ceramic water filters to residents while infrastructure upgrades work through the planning and funding stages.

One –third of Nicaraguans lack access to safe water or sanitary toilets.



Meet the NEW Members! Verna Sulpizio





Verna Sulpizio (pictured wit her guests at the Induction) has recently been appointed as the new CEO of the West Sacramento Chamber of Commerce. While originally an Ohio Buckeye, she has made a home here is West Sacramento. She is enthusiastic and eager to hit the ground running with Rotary, having been connected to the organization for quite a few years. I guess that we all can look past the part about being a Seahawks fan.......





Above: Joanie Kapell and Chris Bradford

> Left: Barry Kalar

2016-2017 Rotary International President John F. Germ



2016-2017 Rotary District 5180 Governor Barbara J. Tracy



2016-2017 Rotary District 5180 Assistant Governor Angela Spease



District 5180 Rotary Clubs Meeting Times and Locations So You Can Make Up Each Week

Day	Who	When	Where	Who	When	Where
Mon	Foothill Highlands	12:15pm	Lions Gate Restaurant	Walnut Grove	12:30pm	Tony's Place
	Sacramento	12:15pm	Red Lion Hotel –Woodlake	Fair Oaks	6:45pm	Fair Oaks Community Clubhouse
Tues	Oroville Sunrise	7:00am	The Monday Club	Oroville	Noon	The Monday Club
	Rancho Cordova Sunrise	7:00am	Cordova Casino	Marysville	12:15pm	Peachtree Country Club
	Sutter Buttes Sunrise	7:00am	The Plaza Room at Hillcrest	Rancho Cordova	12:15pm	Rancho Cordova City Hall
	West Sacramento Centennial	7:00am	Collins Teen Center	Looms Sunset	5:30pm	Indian Creek Country Club
	Sacramento Breakfast	7:15am	Evans Kitchen	Carmichael	6:30pm	Ancil Hoffman Golf Course
	Arden Arcade	Noon	Ruth Chris Steak House - Pavilions			
Wed	Rocklin/Loomis Basin	7:00am	Whitney Oaks Golf Club	South Placer	Noon	Whitney Oaks Golf Club
	El Dorado Hills	7:15am	Community Service Building	Citrus Heights	12:15pm	Citrus Heights Community Center
	Laguna Sunrise	8:ooam	Valley Hi Country Club	North Sacramento	12:15pm	Doubletree Hotel
	East Sacramento	Noon	Evan's Kitchen	Yuba City	12:15	Hillcrest Plaza Room
	Elk Grove	12:15pm	Vince's Restaurant	Midtown Sacramento	5:30pm	Café Bernardo
	Folsom Lake (Folsom)	Noon	Empire Ranch Golf Club	Rancho Murrieta	7:00pm	Rancho Murrieta Country Club
Thu	Historic Folsom	7:00am	Lake Natoma Inn	Lincoln	Noon	Lincoln Women's Club
	Roseville Sunrise	7:00am	Gingers Restaurant	Roseville	Noon	Sierra View Country Club
	Yuba Feather River Sunrise	7:00am	Gary's Place	South Sacramento	Noon	Iron Steaks Restaurant
	Pocket-Greenhaven	7:30am	Aviators Restaurant	Folsom	7:oopm	Rotary Clubhouse-Lew Howard Park
	Gridley	Noon	Parish Hall			
Fri	Orangevale	7:ooam	La Placita Restaurant	Natomas	7:15am	Hampton Inn, North Natomas
	Point West-Sacramento	7:ooam	Doubletree Hotel	Granite Bay	12:15pm	McCormick & Schmick's Restaurant