

70 Years of Service Above Self



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Chips from the Buzzsaw

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Downtown Streets Team Rachel Davidson, Director Sacramento Area

Downtown Streets Team's mission is to end homelessness through the dignity of work. We are realizing this mission in 13 Northern California communities through our volunteer work experience program. They believe in building strong communities that support positive growth and reintegration for longterm success.

The Team Members are un-housed, or at risk of losing their housing when they come to DST to volunteer beautifying their community while engaging in intensive case management and employment services. Providing this Meaningful Daily Activity builds a sense of purpose, belonging, and motivation for our Team Members. It also provides a path to community reintegration by changing the perception of homelessness, and the soft work skills necessary for sustained employment.

Since the launch in West Sacramento just 5 months ago, six Team Members have gained employment, 3 have moved into stable housing, 1 has saved their housing, and 3 children have been reunited with their now employed and stably housed parents. In addition, the Team has removed over 100,000 gallons of debris, and 165 needles from West Sacramento streets and waterways, volunteering over 4,000 hours.

We are looking forward to continued growth as we try to meet the needs of West Sacramento, and are grateful for support from the West Sacramento Rotary!

Please feel welcomed to reach out to me directly with donations or questions.

BIRDISM

Do I not destroy my enemies when I make them my friends.



Club 558 of District 5180 PO Box 288 West Sacramento, CA 95691 Meets Every Friday at Club Pheasant, 12:15

-Rachel

MEETING RECAP

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Visiting Rotarians Shannon and Lisa



Visiting Rotarian Ton Engle and Siva

Below: Ike Parsons made it to Rotary with his son! He says he is feeling good. It's great to see you Ike!!!

March 1, 2019

Meeting Summary

Presiding: President T-Bird Troy

Pledge: David Kamminga

Song: **Tom Wallace** *"America the Beautiful"*

Opening Blessing: Tim Carnahan

Foundation Drawing:

Raffle: **David Santiago**, \$1,374, 8 of Clubs

Visiting Rotarians and Guests March 1, 2019

Visiting Rotarians

Lisa McCapes — Clarksburg Shannon Lewis — Clarksburg Rick Kemmer — Lewis River Rotary, Battle Creek, WA Tom Engle — Centennial



Save the Dates



Amy Busch and Steve Heringer



Carol Bogart and Lyle Bassett



Tim Kwong and Proposed New Member Pedro



Shaun and Tim promote March Madness fundraiser

Club Calendar

Scholarship Committee Meeting March 15th, right after the regular Rotary gathering

SPEAKER PROGRAM

March 15th Dana Howard Director of Communications for the California Conservation Corp

> March 22nd TBD

March 29th RCHS Speech Contest

April 5th Rick Hill Warden, Folsom Prison

April 12th West Sacramento Sheriff John McGuiness

April 19th Marisa Green Yolo County Child Protective Services

SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE

The Scholarship Committee will have a meeting right after the regular meeting next Friday, March 15th. Handouts will be available and information we ill be discussed regarding the scholarship process. All dates have been lined up for interviews, starting with Delta High School on March 27th. For more information please see Ken Wilson.



March 2019

**Notes Non Rotarian Volunteer			
Monday	s: Route 5		
3/4	Paul Kolarik and John Hills		
3/11	Dick Marshall and Troy Bird		
3/18	Tim and Gloria** Carnahan		
Wednesdays: Route 2			
3/6	Lee Harris		
3/13	Jeff Post and Nick Esquivel		
3/20	John Raney and Elizabeth Munguia		
3/27	Tim Kwong		
Wednesdays: Route 5			
3/6	Jeff Post and Kent Ramos		
3/13	Lyle Bassett and Bob Ceccato		
3/20	Marty Garozzo		
3/27	Mark Roberts		
Thursdays: Route 1			
3/7	Steve and Donna** Heringer		
3/14	Ken Ruzich		
3/21	John Raney		
3/28	Tom Wallace and Tissy Simmons		
Thursdays: Route 2			
3/7	Len Thomas and Amy Busch		
3/14	Carol Bogart and Ken Wilson		
3/21	Mike Campbell and Dan Ramos		
3/28	Leonor Dicdican** and Barry Kalar		
Thursda	ys: Route 5		
3/7	Mark Engstrom		
3/14	Kat Gallagher and Dave Santiago		
2/24	Dusty Dumars and Tim Kuzelka**		
3/21	,		
3/21 3/28	Shaun Morrow		

MEMBERSHIP SPOTLIGHT

Leadership Team

President Troy Bird

President-Elect/Secretary Peter Anderson

Treasurer Chris Bradford Dustin Dumars

Past President Bill Bevier

Membership Tim Kwong

Speaker Chair Mike Campbell

Interact Advisor Lee Harris

Youth Service Joanie Kapell JoAnn Moffett

Club Service Shaun Morrow

Community Service Dan Ramos

International Service Kumar Sivakumaran

Sgt. at Arms/Fine Master Jeff Post

Song Master Dick Marshall

Club Prayer Tim Carnahan

Social Media/Webmaster Jacklyn Powell Amy Busch

Bulletin Editor Amanda Bailey

Rotary Youth Exchange Steve Oren

Meals on Wheels Tom Wallace

Sunshine Chair Carol Bogart

Scholarships Ken Wilson

Club Photographer David Kamminga



Shaun Morrow and his badge



Tim and David earn new badges



Steve Lewis shows some photos to Tom and Andy Wallace



David wins a free lunch

Birthdays & Anniversaries

March Birthdays

David Santiago	5th
Carol Bogart	9th
JoAnn Moffett	9th
Peter Anderson Doug Dickson Denise Domke	11th 14th
Deníse Domke	21st
Drew Gidlof	27th
Mark Engstrom	28th

March Anniversaries

Wayne and Dee Enke	27th, 48 years
Kat and Brian Gallagher	29th, 5 years
Rac and Brian Ganagher	2901,590015

PROPOSED NEW MEMBER

Pedro Cisneros



Pedro Cisneros has been approved by the Board as a prospective member. Katie is being sponsored by **Denise Seals**. If an active member has any concerns or objections to a proposed new member, he/she should contact Membership Chair **Tim Kwong**, or any Rotary Club of West Sacramento Board Member.

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Seriously ill/hospitalized; badly hurt; having surgery; a loved one passes away — Members or close family—-

Please contact Sunshine Chair Carol Bogart, at carol@bogartonline.com

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DRINKING WATER FOR ESCUELA SANTA TERESA DE JESUS NUEVA CAPITAL, TEGUCIGALPA, HONDURAS

International Partners West Sacramento Rotary Club, CA. Vail Rotary Club, CO. Host Club Club Rotario Tegucigalpa Metropolitano, HN.

Problem:

- · Approximately 1,000 to 1,200 school children in school without drinking water meeting standards
- The children are between the ages of four and seventeen with poor sanitation facilities
- They stay in school from 6:00 am to 6:00 pm to escape violence and engage in studies and activities
 Solution:
- Replace existing storage tank of 600 gallons with a reinforced concrete tank of 30,000 gallons
- · Include chlorination system and filtration, as appropriate, and rehabilitate sanitation facilities
- Estimated cost is about \$40,000





Inspire. Connect. Act.

otary District 5180 Blood Drive Challeng

Jack Arney has a new challenge for us with BloodSource! For more than 60 years, Rotarians with families, friends and co-workers have teamed up to ensure a safe and plentiful blood supply for our communities. Our nonprofit organizations – working together – add up to a world of good.



Join your fellow Rotarians

in changing lives!

Trish Harrington

Change lives!

Donate from April 16, 2018 to April 15, 2019 and change lives in multiple ways. Your blood donation helps patients live and inspires others to do good. Make sure to mention your Rotary Club when you – or family, friends and co-workers – give a gift of life.

Inspire!

Donating blood exemplifies the Rotary motto of Service Above Self and with BloodSource, your donation goes further.

FOUR clubs will receive financial sponsorships (awarded at the 2019 District Conference) with one winner selected in each the following categories: highest percentage of club membership, and most points attained for a small, medium and large club. It's your choice to use the financial sponsorship for events, special projects or in ways your Rotary Club impacts communities.

Rewarding!

In addition to MyBloodSource Rewards redeemable online for various items, you'll also earn the following for your club:

You give: Whole Blood Automated Donation (platelets/plasma) You receive: (1) Rotary Point (2) Rotary Points

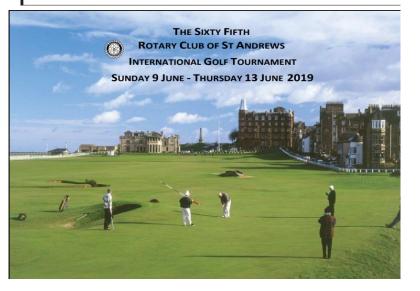






Schedule your donation at my.bloodsource.org or call 866.822.5663 and make it count by telling them it's for your Rotary Clubl Questions?

For Blood Drive Challenge information or to schedule a speaker for your club program, contact: Angelina Pillet (Folsom Lake Rotary Club) at 916.453.3741or email <u>APillet@bloodsystems.org</u>



Stay Connected to Rotary

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.

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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 FRIEND-SHIPS?

4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?



ADDITIONAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

Please see **Siva** or refer to his email for any information on the club's International Honduras Water Project.

As Siva pointed out, this is not just his project, but the entire club's project. All members should think about pledges as they are tax deductible. Contact Siva for more information. He has the forms.

WE HAVE REACHED OUR GOAL!!!!

Please see **Mike Campbell** and **Dan Ramos** for information on the Yolo County Food Bank.

See **Katie Villegas** for more information on the Yolo County Children's Alliance.



Bill Bevier and Siva go over the drawings for Honduras Water Project

ROTARY HISTORY

Rotary International Foundation History

At the 1917 convention, outgoing Rotary President Arch Klumph proposed setting up an endowment "for the purpose of doing good in the world." That one idea, and an initial contribution of \$26.50, set in motion a powerful force that has transformed millions of lives around the globe. The Rotary Foundation transforms your gits into service projects that change lives both close to home and around the world.

During the past 100 years, the Foundation has spent \$3 billion on lifechanging, sustainable projects. Your donation makes a difference to those who need our help most. More than 90 percent of donations go directly to supporting our service projects around the world.

