

August is *Membership and Extension* Month



**West Sacramento Rotary Day at the Races**  
**Sacramento Raceway 45<sup>th</sup> Governor's Cup Championships**  
**September 13, 2014**

**General Admission \$20 at Gate**

**\$12 pre-registered**

**Gates Open at 12:00 pm**

**5305 Excelsior Road**

**Sacramento, CA**

**Contact Jeremiah Smith**

**to sign up or for more information:**

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Pro Mod Match Race - 7.0 Pro  
CIFCA Funny Cars - Pro Gas  
T/F Match Race - Jets - Drag Bikes

**Chips from the Buzzsaw**

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**Más Fun, Más Adventure! Live Más with Rotary!**

**SPEAKER PROGRAM**

**Program: District Governor—Fred Teichert**



Each year, the District Governor (DG) visits each and every club in the District. The DG visit is not always appreciated as the most exciting program for members. Fred Teichert admitted that his Club, Sacramento Rotary, used to disguise the DG visit with some more exciting topic, i.e. Playboy Bunny. Fred learned to read “between the lines” and learned to recognize when the DG was coming to visit.

[The CHIPS did not hide the DG visit from members, but maybe in the future....] Fred deviated from his prepared presentation to address a concern that Rotary, particularly District 5180, is trying to assist with, the Ebola outbreak in West Africa. “When there is a problem in the world, Rotary is there” reflects how Fred feels about how Rotary works. He informed the members that the Rotary Club of Gridley has performed international service project in Liberia and has well established contacts in the heart of the Ebola outbreak. The biggest issue in Africa is that the people do not have the infrastructure to combat a disease like Ebola. Gridley is attempting to reach out to help those threatened and get the resources directly to those in need. The club “passed the hat” and raised over \$400 to be sent through Gridley to help with the outbreak. Fred did reveal his theme for the year, “Build Rotary.” Belong, Usefulness, Influence, Laughter, and Do or Die. Fred looks forward to an outstanding Rotary year.

**August 22<sup>nd</sup>**  
**Robin Bevier,**  
**Basketball Refereeing**

**August 29<sup>th</sup>**  
**Warren Smith,**  
**Sacramento Republic**  
**Football Club**

**September 5<sup>th</sup>**  
**Al Greenlee,**  
**Blue Diamond**

**September 12<sup>th</sup>**  
**Jeff Ronten,**  
**Denio's Farmers Market and**  
**Auction**

**September 19<sup>th</sup>**  
**Mike Summers,**  
**Crisis Intervention**



**August 15<sup>th</sup>, 2014—Meeting Summary**

Presiding: **Ken Wilson**

Pledge: **Jennifer Kirtlan**

Blessing: **Tim Carnahan**

Song Leader: **Dick Marshall “Star Spangled Banner”**

Polio Plus Matching Drawing: **Heine Roikjer**

Raffle: **Valued at \$856—Jim Cahill** drew the Ace of Spades

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



**All Rotarians and Guests are invited to  
drink a little beer and support  
Polio Plus at Yolo Brewing Company  
September 17, 2014  
4:00pm—8:00pm  
1520 Terminal Street  
West Sacramento, CA  
20% of the proceeds go to Rotary  
International Polio Plus.**



**Jim Clark made a  
generous donation of  
\$10,000 to the West  
Sacramento Rotary  
Foundation. That is  
equivalent to 100 Bell  
Ringers or 50 Kwong  
Bong Gongers,**

## 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.

## Guests and Visitors August 15<sup>th</sup> 2014

### Visiting Rotarians

Kathleen Wheeler	Point West
Judy Foote	Pocket-Greenhaven
Al Franks	South Sacramento
Cecil "Pancho" Padilla	Winters

### Guests

Brian Collard



**Mike Campbell with International  
Service Participant Extraordinaire,  
Cecil "Pancho" Padilla.**



**Point West visiting  
Rotarian, Kathleen  
Wheeler.**



**Ike Parsons with visiting Rotarian,  
Al Franks.**

## Bell Ringers

**Jennifer Kirtlan—for her missed meetings and vacation**

## Kwong Bong Gongers

**Tim Kwong—for weddings for both his son and his daughter.**

**Leadership Team**

**President**  
\*Ken Wilson

**Past President**  
\*Mike Campbell

**President Elect**  
\*Heine Roikjer

**Treasurer**  
\*Chris Bradford

**Secretary**  
\*Jorgen Bateman

**Sergeant at Arms**  
Gary Merwin

**Membership**  
\*Troy Bird

**The Rotary Foundation**  
\*Barry Kalar

**5 Avenues of Service**

**Community Service**  
\*Christian Montgomery  
\*Jeremiah Smith

**Young Guns**  
\*Jamie Reamer  
\*Charlie Frank

**International Service**  
\*Paul Kolarik  
\*Bill Bevier

**Vocational Service**  
\*Drew Gidlof

**Club Service**  
\*Shaun Morrow

**Youth Services**  
Joanie Kapell  
JoAnn Moffett

**Program Speakers**  
\*Bob Walker

**Literacy Program Chair**  
Steve Lewis

**Interact Advisor**  
Charyl Silva

**Bulletin Editor**  
Peter Anderson

**Fine Master**  
Tim Kwong

**District Grants**  
Luan Christ

**Sunshine Chair**  
Kathleen O'Leary

\*Board Member

**Birthdays & Anniversaries**

**August Birthdays**

Jim Clark	7 <sup>th</sup>
Tim Carnahan	14 <sup>th</sup>
Len Strickland	30 <sup>th</sup>

**August Anniversaries**

Don Clark	1 <sup>st</sup>
Jeremiah Smith	10 <sup>th</sup>
Ron Chambers	16 <sup>th</sup>
Dave Wilson	17 <sup>th</sup>
Paul Kolarik	26 <sup>th</sup>

**Club Calendar**

August 23, Membership Seminar, Sacramento Marriott, 11211 Point E Drive, Rancho Cordova

September 11, Board of Directors Meeting, West Sacramento City Hall, 5:15 pm

September 13, West Sacramento Rotary Day at the Races, Sacramento Raceway

September 17, Yolo Brewing for Polio Plus

September 29, Rotary District 5180 Golf Tournament, Valley Hi Country Club

October 16, Young Guns Cart Racing



**Jim Cahill complained that after winning two raffles in a row he never received a free lunch. Well, Jim, by pulling the Ace of Spades, you now will get a free lunch.**


**Your Newsletter Crew**

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Deadline for Article Submittals is Sunday, 6:00 pm



**Mondays: Route 1**  
8/25 Tim and Gloria Carnahan

**Mondays: Route 5**  
8/25 Joanie Kapell and JoAnn Moffett  
9/1 Labor Day-No Delivery  
9/8 Paul Kolarik and Ken Bryant  
9/15 Dick Marshall and Troy Bird  
9/22 Jeanne and Mike

**Wednesdays: Route 5**  
8/20 Lyle Bassett and Bob Ceccato  
8/27 Tony Schwall and Armando Omega  
9/3 Don and Judy Ratley  
9/10 Jeff Post and Randy Carlson

**Thursdays: Route 1**  
8/21 John Raney and Jennifer Kirtlan  
8/28 Tom Wallace  
9/4 Dave Kamminga and Steve Heringer  
9/11 Ken Ruzich

**Thursdays: Route 2**  
8/21 Mike Campbell and Dan Ramos  
8/28 Leonor Dicdican and Charlie Frank  
9/4 Ron Morazzini and Len Thomas  
9/11 Debbie Oto-Kent and Jon Pearman

**Thursdays: Route 5**  
8/21 Mark Engstrom  
9/11 Shaun Morrow



**Jim's luck almost continued. He missed the Joker by two cards.**





**Dick Marshall makes a grand entrance just in time to lead the club in song.**



**Jennifer Kirtland receives her Blue Badge. Only cost her \$5.**



**Fred Teichert presented Paul Harris awards to Dan Ramos and Chris Bradford.**



**Tim Carnahan is recognized for his 65th birthday with a piece of chocolate cake.**



**Tim Kwong, Finemaster, checks his list for future recognitions.**

**Rotarian Quote of the Week:**  
**"I had a great one!"**



**Steve Lewis checks Tim's list and sees his name on it.**

## YOUR LINKS TO ROTARY

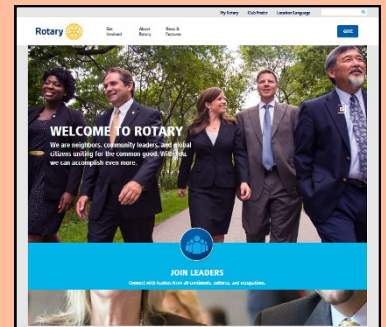


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Rotary District 5180  
<http://www.clubrunner.ca/portal/home.aspx?did=5180>

## 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?



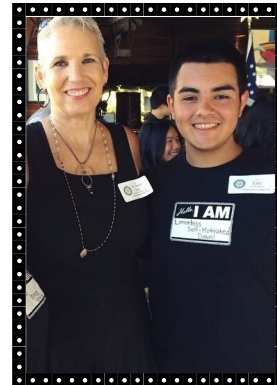
**Jim Clark blows out his birthday candle. May your wish come true**



**Bob Walker pays a special fine for late arrival, which is also known as the Bob Walker Award.**



**Interact members promote Rotary at the West Sacramento Farmer's Market.**



**Eric Arauza with Charyl Silva. Eric was the fifth member of the River City High School Interact Club to attend RYLA. Eric was not able to attend the presentation due to a conflict with work.**

**2014-2015  
Rotary International President  
Gary C.K. Huang**



**2014-2015  
Rotary District 5180 Governor  
Fred Teichert**



**2014-2015  
Rotary District 5180 Assistant Governor  
Judy Foote**



**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 Cris 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	8:00am	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 Murieta	7:00pm	Rancho Murieta 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	7:00pm	Rotary Clubhouse-Lew Howard Park
	Gridley	Noon	Parish Hall			
Fri	Orangevale	7:00am	La Placita Restaurant	Natomas	7:15am	Hampton Inn, North Natomas
	Point West-Sacramento	7:00am	Doubletree Hotel	Granite Bay	12:15pm	McCormick & Schmick's Restaurant

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