

August is *Membership and Extension* Month



West Sacramento Rotary Day at the Races
Sacramento Raceway 45th 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

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

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SPEAKER PROGRAM

Program: Robin Bevier—Basketball Refereeing



Robin Bevier went looking for a hobby once she became an empty nester. She is a passionate sports fan and can hold her own when it comes to talking about the Sacramento Kings or San Francisco 49ers. She was at a Kings basketball game when she saw Violet Palmer refereeing the game, and thus she discovered what she wanted to do.

She went to work with the Northern California Officials Association (NCOA) and obtained her certification. At first, Robin had some difficulties being taken seriously by the coaches and players. Coaches would try to be charming to get on her good side. When that did not work, they would start hounding her at every opportunity. She will not allow any disparaging comments in front of the players. She will call a technical foul. Robin believes that sports help develop character in our youth. It is being part of a team that helps boys and girls reach their potential. She wanted to find a way to help. In doing so, she has established "Playing for Keeps," a non-profit organization to help the youth be able to participate in sports. The organization pays for 90% of the costs for kids unable to pay for being on a sports team. Robin's dream is that all children are able to participate in a team sport and the cost does not prevent them from doing so.

August 29th
Warren Smith,
Sacramento Republic
Football Club

September 5th
Al Greenlee,
Blue Diamond

September 12th
Jeff Ronten,
Denio's Farmers Market and
Auction

September 19th
Mike Summers,
Crisis Intervention

September 26th
Club Meeting



August 15th, 2014—Meeting Summary

Presiding: Ken Wilson

Pledge: Bob Clark

Blessing: Tim Carnahan

Song Leader: Dick Marshall and Hannah Wilson "God Bless America"

Polio Plus Matching Drawing: Barry Kalar

Raffle: Valued at \$925—Shelly Wilson drew the Queen of Hearts

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.



Chris Bradford talks about the Delta Junior Saints Football program and the success it has had with the local youth. The Club “passed the hat” and with the support of the Clark Family and Clark-Pacific, over \$1,100 was raised for the program.

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.



Vocational Speaker: Bill Bevier

Bill is a structural engineer. As he defines it, a structural engineer designs the skeleton of a structure. Bill designs using all kinds of materials; steel, wood, and masonry. He designs all sizes of projects. Even a few fun projects like the Ram in front of Cabelas at Boomtown, the Fighting Dinosaurs at the La Brea Tar Pits, and the Soaring Eagle at the Reno Airport. Bill’s work has assisted Rotary by his consulting on the base for the art work at Rotary Park and for the reconstruction of the Clarksburg Scout Cabin.

FIREWORKS BOOTH

Final numbers are in from the fireworks booth. The club raised \$9,351.41. Thank you to all the members who sat in the hot plywood box and especially to Jaclyn Powell for organizing the fund raiser.

Guests and Visitors
August 15th 2014

Guests

Bob Clark
Katherine Van Diest
Shelly Wilson

Cody Pajunen
Hannah Wilson

Bell Ringers

Ken Wilson and Gary Merwin—for the Delta Junior Saints Football Program

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 th
Tim Carnahan	14 th
Len Strickland	30 th
August Anniversaries	
Don Clark	1 st
Jeremiah Smith	10 th
Ron Chambers	16 th
Dave Wilson	17 th
Paul Kolarik	26 th

Club Calendar
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
March 27—April 3, 2015 Tijuana House Building Project



Shelly Wilson, President Ken Wilson's wife goes for the joker in the deck.

Your Newsletter Crew	
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Deadline for Article Submittals is Sunday, 6:00 pm	

Meals on Wheels	
Mondays: Route 1	
9/22	Tim and Gloria Carnahan
Mondays: Route 5	
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
9/29	Joanie Kapell and JoAnn Moffett
Wednesdays: Route 5	
8/27	Tony Schwall and Armando Omega
9/3	Don and Judy Ratley
9/10	Jeff Post and Randy Carlson
9/17	Lyle Bassett and Bob Ceccato
Thursdays: Route 1	
8/28	Tom Wallace and Tissy Simmons
9/4	Dave Kamminga and Steve Heringer
9/11	Ken Ruzich
9/18	John Raney and Jennifer Kirtlan
Thursdays: Route 2	
8/28	Leonor Dicdican and Charlie Frank
9/4	Ron Morazzini and Len Thomas
9/11	Debbie Oto-Kent and Jon Pearman
9/18	Mike Campbell and Dan Ramos
Thursdays: Route 5	
9/11	Shaun Morrow
9/18	Mark Engstrom



Shelly pulled the Queen of Hearts

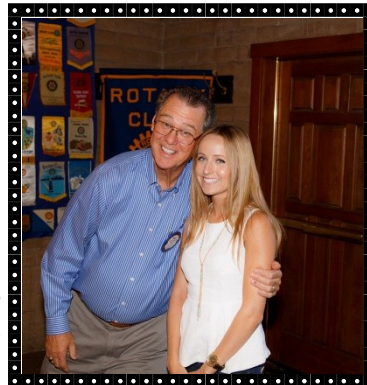


Ike Parson put up a challenge for a humorous story. Charyl Silva took him up on the challenge and was the winner of a Paul Harris statute and Medal. Ike received the statue from Past District Governor Robert Wassum and the Medal from our own Kathleen O'Leary (K.O.). Carol Bogart and Ken Wilson were runners up in Ike's challenge.

Jorgen Bateman with assistance from Shelly Wilson promotes the West Sacramento All Charities Raffle. Of every \$10 ticket sold by club members, the club receives back \$9. Prizes include the use of condos in Hawaii and Mexico, River Cats Box, and gift cards to local businesses.



President Ken Wilson receives a call from the Queen on his newly installed "Hot Line."



Song Leaders,
Dick Marshall with
Hannah Wilson.

**Rotarian Quote
of the Week:**
"Don't pet a
burning dog!"

The faces of the Young
Guns, Sofia and Jamie
Reamer.



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www.rotary.org



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?



Our Club President works the Beer Booth at the Yolo County Fair.

Gary Merwin with past member, Katherine Van Diest.



Yolo County Rotarians are kept busy at the beer booth.

The Clark Family: Father, Jim with sons Bob and Don and son-in-law, Bill Bevier.



**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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