



# The Voice of the Vineyards

The Weekly Electronic Bulletin of the Rotary Club of Healdsburg

“The mission of a bulletin is inform the membership,  
comfort the afflicted and afflict the comfortable”

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## WELCOME

**Prez Paul** called the meeting to order and asked **Henk Peeters** to lead us in the Pledge of Allegiance.



## VISITING ROTARIANS

\* None

## GUESTS of ROTARIANS

- Judy Edmonds, guest of **Barbara Rosen**



- George Lawson, guest of **Paul Frechette**

~~~ Cater by Patti & Friends served luncheon of spinach salad with a variety of toppings, and cookies for dessert. ~~~  
4 Yums (Yum scale is from 0 to 5, with 5 being excellent.)



## QUOTE OF THE DAY -

### TRIVIA (Winners get a free raffle ticket)

1. Which U S Presidential candidate said this over the past weekend: “I have played mini golf a lot with my family but I misfired on the first try, the ball hit a duck in the head and it appeared to perish. So, I don’t think it is a good idea for the bird population of America if I were to play golf.” - Amy Klobucher - **Doug Garrett** won the ticket!
2. From the October issue of The Rotarian, there were several examples of the “Plus in Polio Plus.” Name one. **Bob Pedroncelli** won the ticket!

## ANNOUNCEMENTS



- **John Merget** provided an update regarding Crab Feast tickets, noting that we are sold out for the Live Auction Room.

- Prez Paul acknowledged the following Rotarians for helping with the Healdsburg Safety Fair: **Don Mitchell, Jean Herschede, Brad Pender, Barbara Rosen, Doug Garrett, Fred Roberts**, AND...**Prez Paul** himself!
- Following the Safety Fair, **Prez Paul** gave us an update on the Imagination Library - we handed out 60 sign-up brochures, and 5 were filled out onsite. So far, we have 18 subscribers!
- Mark the date: Thursday, October 10 is the Chamber of Commerce Fair on the Plaza. **Don Mitchell** is coordinating the event for our club. We will share a table with the Sunrise Club, as we have in the past.
- There will be a 2-Club Social on Tuesday, October 15 to honor DG Kathy Flamson. Also participating is the Sunrise Club. The event will be at Costeaux at 5:30.

## RECOGNITION & HAPPY DOLLARS



- **George Larson** was recognized for returning from Wisconsin - \$50 Scholarship Fund



- **John Avakian** and wife, Janet, took a trip to Hong Kong, Korea, and Japan - \$40 to the Club.

- **Kate Buchanan** was recognized for her alma mater's victory over Virginia 35-20
- **Prez Paul** was fined \$25 by **John Merget** for not signing up for Crab Feast tix, which he promptly paid in cash!



## PROGRAM

Today's speakers were Jon Haupt and Fredy, from the Healdsburg Library. Jon mentioned that there have been numerous benefits from the passage of Measure Y (1/8 cent sales tax for the library.) They have been able to increase the number of hours open, as well as maintaining library facilities, e.g. charging stations, updated computers, hot spots, DIY toolkit. and even a 3 D printer. They sponsor programs such as Vets Resource Center, Zumba for kids, Lawyers in the Library, as well as kids' yoga.

The Sonoma County Library is now FINE FREE! They also sponsor a variety of outreach efforts.

**RAFFLE:** Wally Schultz won today's raffle but did not draw the winning marble. **Prez Paul** forgot to restock the wine, so Wally is owed a bottle!!!

**CLOSING:** Prez Paul thanked visitors and guests for coming

