



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

In his welcoming remarks, **President Doug Garrett** thanked those who have helped and encouraged him in taking on the Presidency. He also instituted sharing a book or movie that a member found particularly interesting. He started with **LAND** by Simon Winchester.



PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE: Stewart Moore

VISITING ROTARIANS

- ✓ Sandy Kurtz, Area Ass't Governor, Windsor Rotary





✓ Dan Erickson, Healdsburg morning Club

GUESTS of ROTARIANS

✓ Theresa Cabral, Guest of **Doug Garrett**



✓ Bob Livingston, Guest of **Rich Bottarini**

✓ Russ, Guest of **Graham Beal**



✓ Barbara Oddone, Guest of Club

✓ Devin Drew, Son and Guest of **Eric Drew**



ANNOUNCEMENTS:

✚ Pay your invoice, cash flow matters. **Mark** asked that Invoices be paid promptly as dues go out to RI right away



✚ Paul Harris Awards: **Ric Helthal** (+8), **George Heath** (+1)



✚ Benefit Art Sale for Ukraine Relief, July 16, Montgomery Village (2-5 PM)

✚ 2021-22 Rotarian of the Year (**Barbara and Richard**) awarded to **Tricia Fichtner**



✚ Dan Erickson announced the morning Club's fund raiser and upcoming bike ride, plus a dinner at Costeau's on 7/22 -tickets at Eventbrite

MEMBER BIRTHDAYS or ANNIVERSARIES:

➤ **Doug Garrett & Theresa Cabral**, July 7 (21 Years). A nice trip to West Marin and \$50 to the Club



➤ **Norm & Judy Fujita**, July 8. \$43 to Polio Plus

HAPPY DOLLARS RECOGNITION

❖ **Paul Sullivan** hit a hole in one here at Tayman-\$100 to the Scholarship Fund



❖ **John Avakian** was already recognized for his trip to Africa but brought **President Doug** some lovely mementoes



- ❖ **Dave Anderson** had his grandchildren visit for the first time in three years. \$100 the Ukraine Fund



- ❖ **Norm Fujita** had a nice trip including cycling around Crater Lake-\$25 to the Club

- ❖ Guest Bob Livingston had an important birthday and anniversary and donated \$125. Thank you, Bob!



TODAY'S PROGRAM:

Club Assembly for **President Doug's** first day on the job.

Doug started the Club Assembly with a video by Jennifer Jones, President of RI, about her theme for this year-Imagine Rotary. He also gave pins to **Dave Anderson** and **Cathy King** to recognize their fund-raising efforts for Ukraine.



Youth Services-**Kellie Larsen** said her committee's goal is to create connection to youth and help develop the next generation of leaders

Environment-**Norm Fujita** explained the 12 challenges from District Governor Jennifer that we are working on.



International-**Cathy King** talked about our ongoing project, Amigos de Guatemala, and new projects Ukraine, and Merida, Mexico.



Rotary International-**Dick Cochran** talked about polio plus, green hair day and becoming a benefactor.



Club Service-**Alex Rollins** explained that we are working on a new caterer. Lunches are going to be \$20 and the weekly member fee will be \$5. Lunches will need to be committed to on a monthly basis. Her committee is also working on more social events beyond our regular of the holiday party, Valentine's Day lunch and debunking.



Membership-**Tricia Fichtner** said that diversity, equity and inclusion were goals for RI and her committee.

Financial-**Mark Decker** had a flow chart to illustrate the relationships of the Club to RI and the Club to its own foundation. A copy is attached to the newsletter. He is glad to answer any specific questions about the club finances.



Communications-**Fred Roberts** said all committee chairs should consider him a member of their committee as he considers them a member of his and this will facilitate getting word out to members and the community about what the club is doing.

Lastly **Doug** had a slide with speakers and activities for the next three months and that is also an attachment.

RAFFLE

Fred Roberts ticket was drawn but **Fred** didn't find the right marble. But he took home a great bottle of Simi Merlot



CLOSING

President Doug thanked members and guests, then gaveled the meeting closed

UPCOMING PROGRAMS:

- July 18, State Senator **Mike McGuire**