The Spoke Newsletter









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MEETING HIGHLIGHTS

Past District Governor and International Service Chair. Wyn Spiller, provided a presentation on the Rotary Global Grant Award and the ensuing project in Africa. Wyn Spiller, along with multiple Rotary members from various clubs, traveled to Bwindi, Uganda to aid in the transportation of additional equipment for a newly contracted medical facility. She also observed program progress by giving professional guidance and mentorship to local personnel that may have been unfamiliar with the intricacies of a project of this magnitude.



Pres Sandra & PDG Wyn

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Our very own Ed Pinto gave us a very concise look into his background and his current employment status. Ed attended San Jose State University and obtained a degree in Broadcasting. Ed relocated to LA to pursue broadcasting, however that venture did not materialize. Ed stuck it out for 3 years before returning to the Bay Area. He spent the next decade in Real Estate



Ed Pinto

Sales, before going over to "the other side of the house" to work as a title and escrow agent. In 2007, he switched gears. He entered the Healthcare Sales arena and became a Pharmaceutical Distributer. Ed is now retired and works at the Alta Sierra Golf Course as a Groundskeeper.

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

August 22nd Club Meeting & Craft Talks

August 28th Club Meeting on <u>Toastmasters</u> w/ Viv Tipton

September 5th DARK for Labor Day

September 12th <u>Falls Prevention Coalition</u> - Hollie Grimaldi Flores

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES

BSM Triathlon Volunteer Opportunity

Foundation Dinner @ Miner's Foundry

Gold Country Challenge Bike Ride

September 18th

March 9th

June 3rd

IMPORTANT MEMBER DATES

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August Birthdays		August Rotary Anniversaries	
Steve Spiller	Aug 7th	George Grayeb	28 Years
Sandra Barrington	Aug 14th	Steve Spiller	20 Years
Scott P Browne	Aug 14th	Susan Fivelstad	12 Years
Susan Fivelstad	Aug 16th	Joshua Robinson	1 Year
George Grayeb	Aug 18th		
Marcia Salter	Aug 25th		
Carol Elizondo	Aug 29th		
<u>August Anniversaries</u>			

George & Mary Grayeb 60 Years
Bob & Sharyl Long 49 Years
Tim & Marcia Salter 42 Years
Moe & Sherrie Allen 24 Years

ANNOUNCEMENTS & CONFESSIONS

- Larry Faller summarized school plans for his grandkids.
- Bob Long's oldest grandson starts at Boise State University
- Jon Byerrum shared the story about his granddaughter going to Vietnam for volunteer work, returning home, and very shortly thereafter leaving for Youth Exchange in Denmark.

Kim Zwick played at the Pine Street Stand at Nevada County Fair.

<u>REGL</u> needs help transporting students to summer camp. The camp is quickly approaching!

Please contact Marcia Salter if you're able to help out!

Area 4 Rotary Clubs

Thought of the Day

"Don't be discouraged, it's usually the last key in the bunch that opens the lock!" -Unknown Origin

Rotary Club of Grass Valley

P.O. Box 1213 Grass Valley, CA 95945

Meets @ the Wild Eye Pub on Monday at 12:15 pm

Penn Valley Rotary meets @ Players Pizza on every other Tuesday at 12 pm

Nevada City Rotary meets @ the Litton Bldg on the 2nd & 4th of every Thursday at 12 pm on the 1st & 3rd of every Thursday at 5:30 pm

Grass Valley South meets @ the Litton Bldg on Tuesday at 7 am

49er Rotary Breakfast Club meets @ the Miners Foundry on Wednesday at 7 - 8 am