Rotary Club of Grass Valley



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Club News from 9/16/2019

Pledge - Rod Fivelstad; Thought for the day – John Peplowski Greeter – John Peplowski (in costume!) Photographers - Fred Claessens

AV Coordinator - Pat Ward Visiting Rotarians – Rod Fivelstad

Guest of Rotarians - Leanne Duncan (quest of speaker, Jack Emery); Jim Belluomini (quest of Heather Thorpe)

Rotary Anniversaries:

Judy Wirkner – 30 years Judy Bagley – 18 years (with 17 years of perfect attendance!) Larry Faller – 11 years Scott McFarland – 11 years

Announcements:

- There will be a book give-away on 10/31 in downtown Grass Valley - Halloween costumes required
- Food Bank needs volunteers for 11/12 (Veteran's Day) from 10:00 – 2:00. An email will go out.
- Jessica, who became the director of Women of Worth in April, announced that there will be a Butterfly Ball at the North Star House, on 10/4 from 5:00 to 10:00. Flyers were on the tables.
- A video was shown on the supporting activities and progress that the Rotary Foundation continues to accom-
- **Kathleen Shaffer** announced that the Christmas Party will be at the Horseman's Lodge on Friday, 12/6. More info to come

- Kris Stepanian was fined \$10 for expressing her pride for her 23 year old twin sons' accomplishments – one is a teacher, and one is a guitarist on tour.
- Viv Tipton was fined \$10 after thanking the club for supporting the Hospice event last Friday.
- Jonathan Walker described his wonderful Barcelona vacation, which he loved, and was fined \$25
- President Marcia confessed to going to a Giant's game, which they lost, so she fined herself \$20

****September is Rotary Literacy Month ****

Upcoming Programs:

9/23 RYLA Campers

Randall Peeters - Climbing Mt. Everest + more 9/30

10/7 **Evening field trip to Curious Forge 5-7 pm**

10/14 **DARK**

10/21 Scott McFarland - Western Sierra Medical Clinic

10/28 **GV Rotary Foundation Drive**

11/4 Tbd

11/11 DARK for Veterans Day

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Dates to Remember:

Sept 28 Avenues of Service Seminar - Reno (register here)

Oct 5 **RAKE-Random Acts of Kindness Event 9-12 Condon Park** Oct 24 World Polio Day pizza pints and pickles event location tha

Nov 6 Area 4 Foundation Dinner @ Gold Miners Inn

Dec 6 Christmas Party @ Horseman's Lodge

Feb 1 Casino Night 2020 @ Nevada County Fairgrounds Apr 24-26 District Conference Rallye 5190 @ the Nugget Sparks, NV

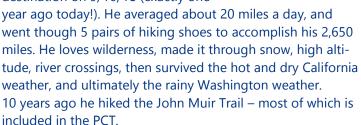
June 6-10 Rotary International Convention - Honolulu, HI

June 13 **Gold Country Bike Challenge**

Speaker:

Jack Emery was introduced by Tim McCall. He is a physical therapist, was the club president from 2007 - 2008, turned 71 last year, and hiked the PCT (Pacific Crest Trail) from South to North - starting on 3/28/18, and reaching his

destination on 9/16/18 (exactly one



He shared his Preparation list: Training, Reading, Equipment, Electronics, and Plans. And for Equipment, take only what you **really** need.

A couple of quotes from Jack: "Put adventure in your life, whatever you do". And: "You can do more than you think you can".

<u>Drawing</u> – **Pam Mirkin's** ticket was drawn, and she selected a white marble.

All joined together on the 4 Way Test, the meeting adjourned at 1:20.

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P.O. Box 1213 - Grass Valley, CA 95945 Meeting location: Monday at 12:15 PM Wild Eye Pub, 535 Mill Street, GV

Make Up Meetings

Members who miss a regular meeting may make-up by attending any other Rotary club's meeting within 14 days before or after the missed meeting.

Tuesday

7:00 a.m. Grass Valley South,

Grass Valley Courtyard Suites – 6pm social last Tues of month

12:00 Auburn, Auburn Elks Lodge 12:15 Penn Valley, Players Pizza 5:00 Auburn Sunset, Sierra Grill

E-makeup: www.rotaryeclubone.org

Wednesday

7:00 a.m. 49er Breakfast Club, **Trolley Junction, Nevada City**

Thursday

12:15 **Auburn Gold Country**

The Ridge Golf Course Nevada City, Trolley Junction 12:00

Except 1st & 3rd Thurs @