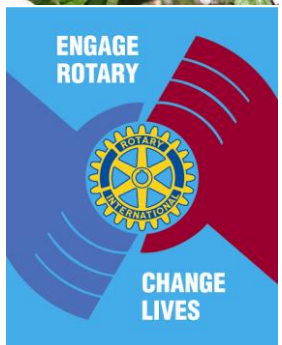




The Appleknocker

Sebastopol Rotary Club's Weekly Bulletin

Dennis Crandall -- Hanna Boys Center



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"All the News that Fits We Print"



Before The Bell



President Bob Rogers' Debunking is on June 28. That's a SATURDAY, not a Friday.



At The Bell

Fly the Friendly Skies



President Bob Rogers approached the podium with the confidence of a flight captain with final clearance for take off and heading for home. It had been a long tour of duty, but it was finally over—well, almost. He just had to get home. He knew his family would be there waiting. He knew **Peggy** would have a glass of wine ready, a roast in the oven, and his pillow puffed. He was eager to get home, renew his vows with both **Peg** and the "Jolly Roger"—the fishing machine, both neglected during his tour of duty. But, as he looked around, he wondered why there was no one in the front seats. Couldn't that make his flight a bit uneven—a little bumpy? Calmly, he likened it to a grade-school memory. I'll bet this final flight is full of back-row, low-achievers. Well, let's see he says to himself, as he feels his ground speed swell, the wings cup, and that first rush of losing ground.

The **Skipper** calls on **Mike Carey** to lead us in the pledge. **Mike** delivers flawlessly. A cakewalk, **Pres Bob** murmurs to himself. Then **Pres Bob** looks to **Karen Daniels** for a song. No **Karen**! Immediately he switches to **Keller McDonald**. No **Keller**! Desperately, he shouts out for his **Third-String Songster**, **JT Martin**, who yells out "God Bless America". But wait! **Pres Bob** has substituted that time-honored traditional for his favorite song, "Viva le Rotary". "Foul!" cries JT. "I don't know that tune!" "But the words are on the big screen" shouts **Bob**.



"The melody is not up there, or in my mind for that matter." At which time **Pres Bob** in typical "leadership" fashion brandishes the mike and belts out a stirring "Viva le Rotary". (I guess I will be looking for another low-achieving position in the new administration. **-Scribe**) "At least, we are back on course," **President Bob** thinks to himself.



This is **your captain** comes over the speakers. **The Skipper** calls on **Tom Lambert** for a thought of the day. **Tom** says that in honor of tomorrow's Summer Solstice we should go fishing, plant a seed or tree, cook outside, listen to song birds, go for a walk or bike ride, play a round of golf, relax on a beach or porch. (To do all those things, we had better have a lot of sunlight! **-Scribe**) We are blessed to live in Sonoma County where any outdoor activity is surrounded by beauty.

Future Programs

June 27, 2014
Speaker: Dave Peterson
Program: Ground Water in Sonoma County

July 4, 2014
 Dark, no Meeting

July 11, 2014
Speaker: TBA
Program: TBA

July 18, 2014
Speaker: Assistant Sheriff, Lorenzo Duenas
Program: Sherriff's Office Update

Future Events

June 28 (THAT'S A SATURDAY)
Debunking – Holy Ghost Hall
Begins at 5:00, Dinner 6:00, Fun 7:00
\$45 a ticket

Handy Links

[Pinot for Polio Form](#)
[Scribes and Photogs](#)
[Sebastopol Rotary Website](#)

Miscellany

Next Board Meeting (Ron's)
Date/Time: Thursday, July 10th, 5:15 p.m.
Location: Pauline Pellini's Office
(Wherever that is – Maybe at new Barlow office???)

MAKEUP NOTIFICATIONS – jbblasco@comcast.net
On-line Make-Ups: www.RotaryEClubOne.org

INTERACT MAKE-UPS – HAVE YOU TRIED IT?

Analy High: 12:40 Most Wednesdays In Choir Room
 (Check with Bob Hirsch, Jack Dunlap, Ted Baggett)
Brook Haven: 12:10 First & Third Thursday, Room 18
 (Check with Pauline Pellini, Mike Carey)
Orchard View: Different meeting times
 (Check with Mike Carey)
Twin Hills: Every Other Tuesday 12:45pm - 1:20pm
 (Check with Dan Rasmus)

For all Interact Mtgs.: CALL AHEAD TO CONFIRM MEETINGS

!!! CHECK IN AT SCHOOL FRONT OFFICE FIRST !!!

Visiting Rotarians and Guests

Visiting Rotarians

Bud Daveiro announced visiting Rotarian Mary Graves, a teacher at Rancho Cotati in Rohnert Park, and Shaun Ingraham, a Founding President of the Eleuthera, Bahamas Rotary Club.



Guests

First Lady Peggy Rogers was our guest. **Harvey Henningsen** introduced son-in-law Dan Bourdon who is an educator and football coach at Analy. Go Tigers! (I think Dan had come to our meeting to be awarded a Paul Harris. Better luck next time Dan! –Scribe)



Announcements

Rick Wilson reminded everyone of debunking on **Saturday, June 28**. There are still "plenty" of tickets left for this event. **Pres Bob** says that the "flight" might have to be canceled if there aren't enough paying passengers. This happens every year. Then there is a last minute rush to get on board. Some will surely have to fly stand-by in the end.

Harvey still needs a few volunteers for the upcoming **Scribe** positions. It does not matter if you are a back row sort of guy/gal or a front row, always raising your hand, kinda guy/gal, you can do this. All you need is spell-check!



The salmon fishing trip was canceled due to lack of participation. I know this is a tough one to organize (**-Scribe**). Salmon migrate tracking their food source. They come in and out of our waters. When they are here is when you go out and get them. It is hard for an organizer to pick a date on a calendar, reserve a boat for



that day, get the quota of fisher-folk out, add the fickleness of wind and waves, and be on top of the salmon – the universe has to align. However, I am reminded of a story. Several years back, my family and I cruised out the gate and went down to Half Moon Bay. When we got there, I asked the harbormaster “where were all the fishing boats?” He said, “They are all up at Fort Bragg where the salmon are.” “Well,” I told my son, Dan, “no harm in trying.” So, we popped back out of the harbor, just outside the channel markers and caught two 30 lb. salmon within 30 minutes of fishing and a half-mile of shore. Going is Knowing!

Nao Noguchi had a good turnout at his home last weekend for his “Taiko” party. **Nao** was hosting a Past President of the Sapporo Rotary Club. Participants even gave **Nao** a “witness” on the “big drum”.

Rotarians from both Sebastopol clubs turned out for the RYLA barbeque. Organized by Bill Cole, **Tony Given**, and **Ken Silveira**,

🍎 Recognitions 🍎

Birthdays



Brendon Houston had a birthday on Feb. 21 and an anniversary on June 17. Of course, he had forgotten his anniversary because he was “chillin” after the April 15 tax day. \$40 **Vince DeLuise** was fined for his June 4th Birthday. He mentioned he will be “bagging” **Pres Bob’s** debunking and playing at the Kate Wolf festival. Live and learn “Grasshopper”!



Anniversaries

Norm Stupfel had a nostalgic anniversary (they are all nostalgic after 53 years **Norm! –Scribe**). **Norm and Judy** went to Hawaii. **Norm** cleverly avoided a fine by nostalgically bringing up his Analy bleacher project of 1973-74. **Pres Bob** actually forgave Norm’s \$20 fine because he was so “touched”. **Rick Williams and Leah** celebrated 21 years up in Tahoe with an incredible meal at the Sage Room.

Tom Lambert celebrated 22 years of marital bliss at the Walter Hansel Bistro. He was nailed an additional \$5 for not remembering it had been 24 years, not 22.



Harry Polley was recognized \$25 for a 48th anniversary with **Jean**, a makeup in Scotsdale, and a fine looking fish caught on the Trinity. **Steve Beck and Terry** celebrated their 48th anniversary, the day after **Harry’s** by picking his son up at the airport and all having a nice meal at Spanger’s in Berkeley.



Dave Madsen's 48th anniversary was a day after **Steve Beck's**, and two days after **Harry's**. Something about **Dave** attending **Harry's** wedding but **Harry** did not attend his, I missed these details, but I would bet the fish were biting! **Dave and Carlene** celebrated with a 3-week trip to the Matterhorn, Venice, and a farmhouse in Umbria. **Pres Bob** also displayed a picture of **Dave** with either a fish-on-the-line or a "snag". We still don't know which, but "snag" is the odds-on favorite! **Dave** tried mitigating his fine by bringing his

community project back from The Stone Age, but this time **Pres Bob** was not falling for it. \$65

Les Crawford has been traveling lately. He has done "Big Island" golf, "Big Island" snorkel, Sun Valley skiing and a lot of biking. Wait! Stop the wedding! No, don't stop the wedding! **Les** has met a lady "Robbie", publically declared his love, and is obviously smitten. \$35

Mark Fink had a trip to New York and Yosemite and was docked \$45.



Larry Ford and **Richard Power** went on a refurbished Pullman car from Chicago to Whitefish to Portland with world-class music on board. \$20 each.

🍏 The Drawing 🍏

Pauline Pellini had the lucky number and got a chance to answer the question: Rotary has 34,000 clubs, how many districts are the clubs divided into? The answer was c) 538, but that answer, most assuredly, would have been **Pauline's** next choice.





The Program – Dennis Crandall – Hanna Boys Center



Mike Carey introduced our speaker, Dennis Crandall, now Principal of the Hanna Boys Center. Dennis was an Analy grad, captain of the football, basketball, and baseball teams. He went to UC Davis in Atmospheric Science, made it into the UC Davis Baseball Hall of Fame, and was the all-time, all-UC Davis player at the catcher position.



Dennis went on to teach, coach, and Principal Cardinal Newman for 30 years.

Dennis Crandall told us that the mission of the Hanna Boys Center was to change the lives of troubled boys to become motivated members of society. They have 108 boys, ages 13-18. They have 110 employees and counselors, and their classroom size is 7-8 students. Their funds come 80% from endowments, some fundraising, and private donations. Started in 1945 by Archbishop Hanna, 94% of the students get high school diplomas. Many graduates go on to higher education. The Hanna Boys School helps troubled boys become successful. What could be more worthwhile to society than that?



The Closing Bell



President Bob Rogers thanked our speaker, Dennis Crandall, for an interesting talk about Hanna Boys Center and then presented him with a donation in his name to Polio Plus. With that, he rang the bell, adjourning the meeting.



After The Bell



As a sign of impending relaxation of control, **President Bob** announced:

“I am now turning off the seatbelt sign and you are free to move about the cabin...”

“...but please stay inside the plane.”

“I’m switching to autopilot too, so I can...”

THE ABC’s of Rotary

(Taken from “The ABCs of Rotary”, a Rotary International publication originally prepared by

Dr. Cliff Dochterman who was RI President in 1992-93)

#41: TPresidents-elect Training Seminar (PETS)

The Bylaws of Rotary International require that the governor-elect of each district, in cooperation with the current governor, schedule and conduct a training seminar for the incoming club presidents of the district, preferably in March. This two- or three-day Presidents-elect Training Seminar, commonly referred to by its acronym, PETS, is a motivational and leadership training session designed to prepare the future club presidents for the office they will assume on 1 July. Among the subjects covered are the presentation of the RI theme for the coming year as well as information about effective service projects and The Rotary Foundation. Time is also devoted to reviewing the role and responsibilities of a club president. Incoming club presidents also learn about goal-setting, selection and preparation of club officers, club administration, membership recruitment and orientation, and RI and district resources. In some areas of the world, two or more neighboring districts conduct Multidistrict PETS. Multidistrict PETS groups have found that their larger numbers help them attract popular Rotary speakers, provide incoming presidents with a perspective beyond the district, and generate more diverse strategies for effective club leadership.

AIRPLANE



Rogers, Over and Out!

THE DEBUNKING OF CAPTAIN BOB
JUNE 28, 2014 HOLY GHOST HALL

RI READING: The New Rotary Foundation Funding Model, Top 10 things you should know

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Top 10 things you should know about the new Rotary Foundation funding model

Ian Riseley, Rotary Foundation Trustee and chair of the Foundation Finance Committee, responds to some of the questions that have been raised about the Foundation's new funding model. The model was developed because our ability to continue "doing good in the world" depends heavily on the Foundation having long-term financial stability.

- [Read Riseley's blog post](#)
- [Download "Securing our Foundation's Future"](#)
- [Contact us with your questions](#)

GIVE

End Polio Now

Fifth birthday and beyond

Next week, Rotary will join 37 NGOs, non-profits, philanthropies and businesses in supporting the 5th Birthday and Beyond celebration that recognizes the leading role the U.S. government plays in improving children's health worldwide. Rotary International General Secretary John Hewko blogs about Rotary's role in wiping polio from the face of the earth in Rotary Voices.



- [Read Hewko's blog post](#)
- [Take action to help us End Polio Now](#)
- [Join the discussion on the End Polio Now group](#)

Microcredit

Rise of the female Honduran entrepreneur

Marta Lopez bakes up to 100 items a day in a small clay oven. Higinia Reyes owns a corn mill. Remigia Dominguez is the head of a weaving co-op. All of these women live in rural Honduras and run their own businesses with the support of loans provided by the Adelante Foundation and Rotary International.



- [Read more](#)
- [Watch "Doing Good in Honduras"](#)
- [Find microcredit projects to support on Rotary Ideas](#)

TELL YOUR ROTARY STORY

Find materials to promote your club in Rotary's new Brand Center, including logos, customizable templates, and guidelines.



- [Visit the Brand Center \(sign-in required\)](#)
- [Read Frequently Asked Questions](#)
- [See how others are telling Rotary's story](#)

NEW DUES PROCESS EASIER FOR CLUBS

Beginning 1 January 2015, club officers can say goodbye to the semiannual report and hello to a simple one-page invoice that clearly states the amount owed.

- [Learn more about the new process](#)
- [Find answers to frequently asked questions](#)
- [Send questions & comments to \[clubinvoice@rotary.org\]\(mailto:clubinvoice@rotary.org\)](#)

Rotary in the news

Media coverage spotlights a busy month for Rotary

It's been a busy May for Rotary International, and it didn't go unnoticed in the news. From our record-breaking bridge climb across the Sydney Harbour Bridge to the polio emergency in Pakistan, Rotary-related stories in global news outlets touched audiences around the world.

- [See our Flipboard of news coverage](#)
- [Read about our Sydney Harbour Bridge climb](#)
- [Digital Journal reports on hand cyclist Steve Brumme](#)

Resources & reference

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