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"All the News that Fits We Print"



With the backdrop of "Come Fly with Me", **President Bob** got the meeting off the ground hoping for clear skies, fair weather, and a much easier trip around the DG selection process. **Michael Hixon** led us in the pledge and **Karen Daniels** reached new heights with *America the Beautiful*.

Jackie Moreira had not one quote but three:

"Happiness is a warm puppy." -- Charles Shultz,

"In times of joy, all of us wished we possessed a tail we could wag." -- W.H. Auden,

and "The more boys I meet, the more I love my dog." -- Carrie Underwood.



🍎 Visiting Rotarians and Guests 🍎



Bud Daviero welcomed visiting Rotarian, Michael McGlothlin, who is getting ready for the morning club's Guy Can Cook, Too! [Saturday, May 3 –Ed.] **Rick Williams** introduced wife **Leah Taylor**.

Future Programs

May 9, 2014

Speaker: Mary Radu
Program: Live Smart after 50!

May 16, 2014

Program: DISTRICT CONFERENCE
ROHNERT PARK

May 23, 2014

Program: Club Assembly

May 30, 2014

Speaker: Chris Ategeka
Program: CA Bikes

June 6, 2014

Speaker: Jay Bell
Program: HEALTHACTION - A 2020
Vision for Sonoma County

Future Events

April 21

LEARN TO SWIM STARTS

June 28

Debunking – Holy Ghost Hall

Handy Links

Pinot for Polio Form
Scribes and Photogs
Sebastopol Rotary Website

Miscellany

Next Board Meeting

Date/Time: Tuesday, May 20th, 5:30 p.m.

Location: President Bob's Home (Address in C/R)

MAKEUP NOTIFICATIONS – jcbiasco@comcast.net

On-line Make-Ups: www.RotaryEClubOne.org

INTERACT MAKE-UPS – HAVE YOU TRIED IT?

Analay 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 !!!

Announcements

Rick Wilson announced that the Learn to Swim program is half over but could still use some help on Mondays and Wednesdays. Our County Board of Supervisors will soon be issuing a Gold Resolution to our club in recognition for this outstanding program.

Just completed was Rebuilding Together where Rotary helped build front and back ramps and decks for a much needed local project. If a picture is worth a thousand words, then the site of the packed dumpster says more than my mere words can add. Thank you Rotary volunteers **Gene Nelson, Jim Pacatte, Ron Puccinelli, Jack Dunlap, Bob Rogers, Tom Dilley, Edwin and Diana Wilson, Vince DaLuisa, and Sally Ewald.** [Photos in the After the Bell section of last week's Appleknocker –Ed.]

Pres. Bob announced that on May 16, our regular meeting will be held at the DoubleTree Inn in Rohnert Park, site of the District Conference. To register, look thru your email inbox, or the trash if you are one to keep things tidy, for an email with the subject "Rotary District 5130 Conference Registration." The most recent email was dated April 25. Therein lies a link and instructions for registering. *As a result of the District Conference, there will be no Friday (May 16) meeting. Members who do not attend the conference are expected to 'make up'.*

Foundation Month and Drawing



Sally Ewald proudly announced that our club achieved 150% of our goal in Foundation Giving! With that, 22 lucky "givers" were selected from the "wheel of fortune".



Many thanks to Ann Humphrey, Video Arts instructor at Analay HS, for powering the wheel of fortune.

[This is where I would announce all the winners, but quite frankly, I am still a little "sore" from not winning! -Scribe]

[Awww...that's too bad...there is always next year!!! –Ed.]



🍎 Business Meeting 🍎

A motion was made for our Club's vote on the revision of the by-laws for attendance. All in attendance were for the revision [I heard no opposing nays. **--Scribe**], and the motion carried.

In a similar fashion a proposal to utilize \$13,835.94 from the reserves to cover a short fall in last year's budget was approved by voice vote.

Paper votes were tallied in our on-going decision making on how the club should vote on the proposal to alter the manner in which the District Governor is selected. There were 20 votes for changing the process and 30 against making a change. As a result, our club will be passing 4 votes against a change in the By-Laws on to the district.

🍎 Recognitions 🍎

Jackie Moreira was recognized for her Anniversary that she and **Joe** spent up at the lake. In addition, she was recognized for a birthday way back in January. She was even recognized for bagging Rotary to meet her hubby for lunch one Friday. [cha-ching **--Scribe**]

Bob Reeves was recognized for his December trip to Costa Rica where he participated in a Spanish Emersion program. *Alli Senior Roberto el Haggis puedo haber et de mumuracion poco dentista trabajo ha.* [Obviously, I could benefit for a similar trip to Costa Rica. **--Scribe**]



Alain Serkissian was recognized for the opening of his new restaurant, Cape Fear, in Duncan Mills. He also attained the special award of Forestville's Business Person of the Year. **Alain** has been very busy and along with an April 5 B-



day and an upcoming June 5 Anniversary, he could have been nicely fleeced had he not been paid up! But he gladly passed the fine on to HH, who quickly deflected it to **Ken Jacobs**, who was left wondering "What just happened?"



Never at a loss for words, **Ken Jacobs** announced the upcoming June 28 DEBUNKING of **Pres. Bob** at Holy Ghost Hall.

Jack Blasco tried to fine **Pres. Bob** for not wearing his BADGE, but since **Pres. Bob** was paid up, right back at you **Jack**!





The Drawing



Pres. E lect Ron Puccinelli had the lucky raffle ticket, and the question was, “Who served as our president the longest time ago?” Answer **Norm Stupfel**. Since **Ron** guessed “**Harry Polley**”, the pot grows.



Work Skills Awards Program



Mike Carey announced our Work Skills Awards Program. Members of the committee include **Rollie Atkinson, Tom Boag, Mike Carey, Sally Ewald, Tony Given, Linda Johnson, Keller McDonald, Nao Noguchi, Torrey Olson, Katy Spyрка, and Rick Williams**. **Mike** also introduced visiting Culinary Arts teacher, Chris Correa, from El Molino High, Simon Farmer, Practical Construction teacher from Laguna High, Ann Humphrey, Video Arts instructor from Analy High.

Rick Williams moderated our Work Skills Awards ceremony by introducing each student and providing a short bio. Each student, in turn, introduced their guests, which included parents, relatives and/or friends.

Awardees were

Marcus Champion, a Video Arts student from Analy,



Tomas Guzman, a Culinary Arts student from El Mo,

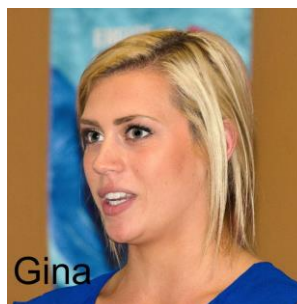


Rosalio Guzman, a Practical Construction student from Laguna,



Uriel Valentine, a Practical Construction student also from Laguna High, and

Gina Piccini, a Fire Fighting student from Analy High.



Rick posed all five exemplary students 3 questions:

1. Where can you see yourself in 5 years?
2. Who do you emulate?
3. Who would you like to thank?

Rick finished by saying that we all appreciate the students putting in the extra effort to develop new work skills because it is not easy since many of the related classes are missing from the high school and community curriculum. Best of luck to you all!

These students are wonderful examples of our newer generation. They are pursuing their goals and are doing what Confucius prescribed many years ago when he said "Choose a job you love and you will never have to work a day in your life."

🍎 More Recognition 🍎

Shocker, the ever efficient **Rick Williams** actually finished ahead of time so **Pres. Bob** had a weighty decision; let everyone go early or take the opportunity to recognize additional member birthdays and holidays.



Recognizing these moments are precious, **Pres. Bob** used the remaining time to recognize; **Barbara Beedon** for a birthday enjoying a dinner at the Farmhouse Inn,

Jill Lowry who celebrated her birthday with a barbeque,

David Still who enjoyed a birthday visiting the Wolf House at Jack London State Park, and

Tom Boag who celebrated his birthday in San Francisco at Pier 39.



On a roll and picking up speed, and maybe a takeoff, **Pres. Bob** noted that **Pauline Pellini** celebrated 47 years of marriage on April 2. **Pauline** has been quite busy with trips to New Zealand to visit cousins and attend a Quilter's Guild meeting, Australia, and a short stopover in Hawaii to adjust to the time change.

Robin Maybury took just six months to obtain his Red badge and it only cost him \$30.

Tom Dilley and **Pat** visited "Belching Beaver Brewery" in Vista, California to taste some good brews and catch up with old friend, past Sebastopol City Manager Jack Griffen and his wife Ginny.



🍎 The Closing Bell 🍎

Prez then rang the bell, ending the meeting at 1:30 p.m. Next week Mary Radu will present a program entitled "Live Smart after 50!"



SEBASTOPOL
ROTARY

30th Year!

LEARN TO SWIM

Like working with Kids?
Enjoy the Water?
We need you to volunteer!



APRIL 21 - MAY 15, 2014
IVES POOL, SEBASTOPOL
Help Sebastopol Area 2nd Graders
Learn To Swim!

Contact Greg Jacobs at (707) 823-7341 or [gjacob48@gmail.com](mailto:gjacobs48@gmail.com)
Rick Wilson at (707) 824-0846 or chefrickeywilson@yahoo.com



AIRPLANES



Rogers, Over and Out!

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

How to get your personal donation information online

Computer input – www.rotary.org

Click on “My Rotary” – top right of center on opening page

Top of next page click on “Sign in/Register” if you have not already created an account.

Enter your email address

Enter your member ID – on the address label of the Rotarian magazine,

RI will send an email to your EMAIL address with a link to activate your account.

Now that you have a registered account.....

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Click on “My Rotary” - top right of center on opening page

Highlight your name (top left) and click profile on drop down menu

Click “Donor History Report” – find in mid page right

Under “Individual” select “Donor History Report”

On the bottom of this page:

The first page is “Overview” of all your history of giving to the Foundation. – bottom of the page

Select “Transaction Detail” at bottom of page to see detail of total history of your transactions

Voila! Your complete history of transactions with RI is before you. You can now answer all questions on who you gave a PH when and give your tax accountant details of dates and amounts contributed to RI Foundation

Any troubles – Call me 829-5600

Sally Ewald

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)

#34: Club Singing

Harry Ruggles was the fifth man to join Paul Harris in the conversations that led to the formation of the first Rotary club in Chicago in 1905. Harry was a fellow who enjoyed singing, and this was a popular activity at the turn of the century. At an early meeting of the fledgling group, Harry jumped on a chair and urged everyone to join him in a song.

Group singing soon became a traditional part of each Rotary meeting. The custom spread to many of the clubs in the United States and is still a popular fellowship activity in the Rotary meetings of such diverse countries as Australia, Japan, Nigeria, New Zealand, and Canada. Some clubs sing a national song as the formal opening of the meeting. Social singing, however, is seldom found in the Rotary clubs in Europe, South America, and Asia.

When Disaster Strikes

[Click Here to go to Website](#)

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[Rotary member sacrifices record deal for disaster relief](#)

A singer-songwriter with a record deal, Todd Shea should have been prepping for a gig at CBGB, one of New York City's most iconic venues, the night of September 11, 2001. Instead he was using his band's van to bring food, water, and supplies to first responders. [Read more](#)

- [Browse disaster relief projects on Rotary Showcase](#)
- [Get tips on preparing for a disaster in Rotary Leader](#)
- [Read how Rotarians are providing disaster relief in Rotary Voices](#)

GIVE

Get the inside scoop on the convention

Rotary strengthens plenary speakers roster

This year's convention has quite a diverse and exciting groups of speakers. And the names keep rolling in. Mwila Chigaga and Ramkumar Raju committed to speak at the convention last week, joining a roster that already includes a former Australian cricket star and the founder of the World Toilet Organization.

- [Read more](#)
- [Check out the entire speaker lineup](#)
- [Get the latest scoop by following the 2014 Convention Insider](#)
- [Join the discussion on the Sydney Convention 2014 group](#)

Rotary in the news

Make change locally to make change globally

Bill Gates Sr. wrote an op-ed for the Huffington Post in his role as co-chair of the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation, focusing on the importance of individuals making “incremental change” at the local level in order to make a larger global impact. He profiles Rotarian Ezra Teshome, highlighting his commitment to helping Rotary in its efforts to end polio.

- [Read more in the Huffington Post](#)
- [Rotarian Nancy Hughes profiled in Forbes](#)
- [Rotary's work in Pakistan discussed in ForeignPolicy.com](#)

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](#)



CREATE POSITIVE CHANGE AT THE CONVENTION

Volunteer on a service project and help make a difference while in Sydney for the 2014 Rotary International Convention.

- [Register for the convention](#)
- [Get involved in a service opportunity](#)
- [Find more activities on the Host Organization Committee's website](#)

Announcements

Rotary safe from Heartbleed Bug

Working with our security partners, the Rotary IT staff has concluded our website to be safe and secure from the Heartbleed Bug. Based on our analysis there is no sign that we were breached by cyber criminals. Read more, and stay up to date with the announcements below.

- [Heartbleed Bug update](#)
- [Trustees approve new Foundation funding model](#)
- [Find digital guidelines for your club website](#)

Resources & reference

[Rotary Voices: Stories of service from around the world](#)

[Rotary Leader: Helping club and district officers achieve success](#)

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