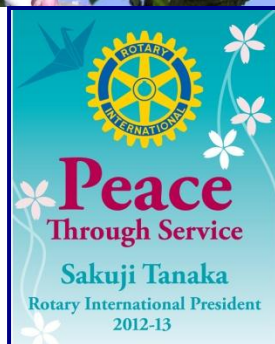


The Appleknocker *Sebastopol Rotary Club's Weekly Bulletin* **Randy Ullom, Winemaster for Kendall-Jackson**



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"All the News that Fits We Print"



Before the Bell



There is a weather problem. The really nice days seem to be distracting the crew. Thanks, **Gene Nelson** for filling the gap while hh enjoyed the beautiful fountain splashing its happy rhythm.



At the Bell



President Edwin promptly gaveled the meeting to order at 12:15. **Brad Benedetti** led the flag salute, **J.T. Martin** led the singing, and **Jack Dunlap** shared some words from Mother Teresa.

"Not all of us can do great things. But we can do small things with great love."



Visiting Rotarians and Guests



Jack Blasco introduced our one visiting Rotarian – Jim Wischendorf from Santa Rosa East.

President Edwin introduced his wife, **Diana**. **Mel Davis** introduced daughter, Stephanie.

A sure sign that it is tax time, **Bill Lippert** introduced wife, **Charlie**.
The man spares no expense!



🍏 Future Programs 🍏

February 8

CRAB FEED SETUP – NO PROGRAM

(: But there is a meeting :)

February 15

Speaker: Jack Dunlap
Program: Natural Gas: Fuel with a Future
Host: Ken Jacobs

February 22, March 1 TBD

March 8

Program: VOCATIONAL AWARDS
Host: Sally Ewald

March 15 TBD

March 22

Speaker: Merle Avila
Program: Sebastopol: Good for Tokens
Host: TBD

March 29

Program: Speech Contest
Host: Larry Ford

April 5

Speaker: Dr. Phil Rasori
Program: Village Hope Core Update
Host: Kent Seegmiller

April 12

Emcee: Efen Carrillo
Program: Overcoming Obstacles Award 2003
Host: Tom Boag

🍏 Future Events 🍏

Crab Feed

Saturday, February 9th

Club Friendship Dinners

Saturday, March 2nd

Saturday, March 9th

Contact Yvette at 707.217.9777

🍏 Miscellany 🍏

Next Board Meeting

Location: Sebastopol Senior Center

Date/Time: Wednesday Feb. 20th, 5:45 p.m.

MAKEUP NOTIFICATIONS – Send to Jack BLASCO
jcbiasco@comcast.net

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

INTERACT MAKE-UPS – HAVE YOU

TRIED IT?

(Committee Member to call to confirm)

Analy High: 12:40 Most Wednesdays In Choir Room
 (Check with Bob Hirsch)

Brook Haven: 12:10 First & Third **Thursday**, Room 4
 (Check with Pauline Pellini)

Hillcrest: 12:20 Every Third Tuesday, Room 6 (Check with Cole / Given / McAdams)

Orchard View: Different meeting times
 (Check with Coate / Ken Jacobs)

Twin Hills: Different meeting times
 (Check with Coate / Crawford / Carey)

For all Interact Mtgs.: CALL AHEAD TO CONFIRM MEETINGS
CHECK IN AT SCHOOL FRONT OFFICE FIRST !!!

Our exchange student, Amelie Depireux introduced **Scott Spyrka** who, along with wife and Rotarian, **Katy**, is serving as Amelie's host family.



President Edwin gave a special welcome to **Mel Davis** who just came home from the hospital on Wednesday.

Prayers and best wishes to **Tom Farrell**, whose wife, **Evelyn**, is now under Hospice care.

🍏 Announcements 🍏

The Rotary Super Bowl boards are now sold out. Good luck everyone. This year we all have a chance because **Mark Stevens** did not buy any squares!

President-Elect, Bob – Survey – Rogers, announced that 76% of the club responded to the Rotary survey. The other 24% are now in the Elks Club. Our responses to the committee survey – where do you want to serve? – are due by Feb. 22nd.



The Sebastopol Community Awards night will be Thursday, Feb. 7th, at the New Arts Center beginning at 6:00.

President Edwin shared several notes and words of appreciation from third graders and their parents for the dictionaries. And now we all know who invented the Ferris Wheel and how large the first one was!



Barbara Beedon requested tooth brushes and pencils before she leaves for Uganda. She must brush her teeth 25 times a day when she is there!

Crab Feed: Rick Wilson reported there are 30 tickets remaining for the early seating. Get out there and sell...sell...sell!!! A few good helpers are needed at Holy Ghost Hall next Friday after our abbreviated meeting to help with set up.



Crab cooking in the morning and crab cracking in the afternoon next Friday at **Greg Gill's** World Headquarters on Mill Station Road.



Jack Blasco making veiled reference to his extensive influence with law enforcement, lawyers, and judges suggested that a number of the membership should be excited to participate in the Crab Feed clean up. **Jack** says there are still a few prime clean up spots left.



Another clue to the "Aleia Costume Contest" was announced, slightly more helpful than last previous clues "The costume is rated PG so don't expect to be throwing beads." That knocked out a few guesses. It is going to be a surprise to many.

Overcoming Obstacles Program **David Schreiber** gave us an update on the upcoming program, Overcoming Obstacles. **David** says the candidates have been picked and he shared a message from a past Overcoming Obstacles candidate, Meg Burton who had an eating disorder. **David** says that the Overcoming Obstacles program is looking for sponsors to take care of \$3,500 worth of expenses.



Jack Blasco gave a polite reminder that help is still needed for various tasks, especially clean up. His appeal this week was to pride and self-respect. Good luck with that, **Jack**.



Recognitions

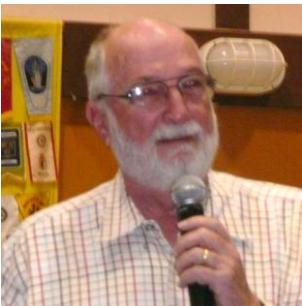


Amelie Depireux our exchange student from Belgium gave us an interesting slideshow of her hometown, Europe in general, and her friends and family. Amelie's AV show was interesting and educational.

The Kingdom of Belgium is kind of in the middle of Europe and it declared independence in 1830. It was an 18th-century economic power. Amelie explained where Belgium is and how it's divided up and how Dutch, French, and German languages are spoken, [not unlike Northern and Southern California, and Sacramento. -Ed.]

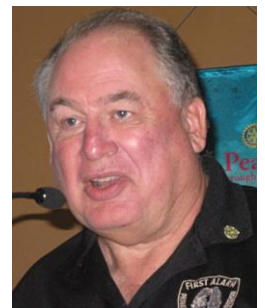
She showed lots and lots of family and friends pictures she ended up with a big thank you! Amelie's host parents are **Katie & Scott Spyra**.

Birthdays:

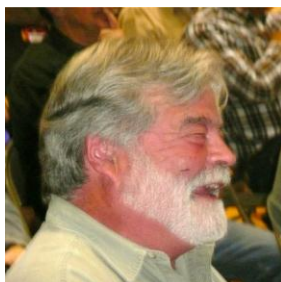


At this point there was some mention of Jan. 19th b-day boy **Frank Mayhew** and the fact that his beloved childhood sweetheart **Kathie**, [true story] is gone to ????? and he's lonely eating TV dinners & such. There was some discussion between supreme commander Edwin & Frank. The poor guy seems really lost without **Kathie**. **Frank** volunteered that in **Kathie's** absence $\frac{3}{4}$ of his sex life has vanished. It makes your scribe blush to report this.

Well then things only got better; **Dear Leader Edwin** then called upon our studdly [Yes, the official spelling -Ed] **Mike Ferguson** and asked him about a fetching picture of him cross-dressing. My, he did look lovely in that cute outfit, [Was that an Empire hat?]. J. Edgar's got nothing on you **Mike**.



Edwin next turned his b-day attention to **Jackie Moreria**. When **Jackie** was asked what she did on her birthday she said, "I gave everyone the flu."



Our shy newer member **Rick Wilson** was next in **President Edwin's** crosshairs.....\$30.00 for a trip to Hawaii and did **Rick** say something about nudist beaches?



The Raffle

Our newly-wedded, past president, dresser extraordinaire, child of the 60's [really] our own Aliea had the winning ticket & the winning numbers to collect \$150 buckaroos. The odds were 1:3, next week's odds will not be so good but it pays to play.



The Program – Randy Ullom – Winemaster for Kendall Jackson



Pres. Edwin then called newspaper owner, editor and “defender of our freedoms” **Rollie Atkinson** to the podium.

Rollie introduced us to our speaker Randy Ullom. Randy is been a winemaker for Kendall Jackson for 21 years. In his early days he spent time in New Guinea He traveled New Guinea and Chile. He was there during the overthrow of Salvador Allende. He started making wine with Cecil DeLoach at the De Loach Vineyards. Randy then moved on to Jackson Family Wines.



Later in his relationship with Jess Jackson, Jess sent Randy back to Chile to make wine.

Randy called Jess Jackson a visionary. Instead of lowering the price of wine when everybody else was lowering it Jess Jackson raised it and created his own pricing niche.

Randy concluded his program by saying that he is glad to see that the next generation of Jackson's are engaged in the wine business.

Pres. Edwin thanked Randy for his program and gave him a gift to the way home and left us with thoughts for the weekend. Your scribe would relate those thoughts except for the last piece of --that apple pie.

The Closing Bell

President Edwin thanked our speaker, Randy Ullom, for his presentation with a donation in his name to The Pathway Home, a residential treatment program in Napa that serves members of our armed forces who have served in areas of the world such as Afghanistan and Iraq.

President Edwin reminded everyone for the next meeting there is no program so we can continue preparation for the Crab Feed. He then closed the meeting at 1:30 PM with a ringing of the bell.

After the Bell

Bob Rogers 2014 Committee Preference Form: Be sure to fill out the revised form because there are additional committee choices. They are Fair Booth, Financial Literacy, Ambassadorial Scholar, Veterans Day and the Super Bowl Board. Also added, although they are not committees, but positions, are Secretary and Treasurer, who are both looking for fill-ins or back ups for their respective jobs.

Please remember **Yvette Williams van Aggelen's** email about the Club's Friendship Dinner's to be held on the first two Saturday's in March, the 2nd and 9th. These dinners are a great way to get to know your fellow Rotarian's better, have good fellowship, scintillating conversation, fantastic food and wine. As the Host your responsibility is to provide a place to eat, the main course, for yourselves and six guests. As a Guest your responsibility is to bring an appetizer, salad, side dish or dessert as requested by your host to go with their main course. If you have a favorite wine you would like to share I am sure that you're Host and fellow Guests would not mind you bringing it along. Contact Committee Chair, **Yvette** at 707.217.9777 for information and to sign up.

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)

#51: RIBI (Rotary International in Great Britain and Ireland)

The structure of Rotary International in Great Britain and Ireland (RIBI) forms an interesting chapter in our history. In 1914, after Rotary expanded across the Atlantic to Great Britain and Ireland, a British Association of Rotary Clubs was established as part of the International Association of Rotary Clubs. During World War I, there was little contact between the international clubs, and the British association held the small number of Rotary clubs together in Great Britain, Ireland, and a few other European communities.

Following the war, a new Rotary International Constitution was adopted in 1922 that established the principle that whenever a country had 25 Rotary clubs it could become a "territorial unit" and thus have a representative on the RI Board and receive other specific powers. The clubs in Great Britain and Ireland immediately petitioned for and received the status of a territorial unit. No other group in the world made such a request or received that status.

In 1927, Rotary International terminated the territorial unit concept and organized Rotary clubs by "areas" of the world. However, all of "the rights, privileges, and powers of existing territorial units" were forever protected and perpetuated. Thus, RIBI has continued to function as an independent unit of Rotary International, subject to certain approvals by the RI Constitution.

The RIBI form of administration is uniquely appropriate to Great Britain and Ireland because of geography, language, tradition, and custom. Because of this historic relationship, RIBI maintains a slightly different administrative structure from all the other Rotary clubs and districts in the world, even though it is a full member of Rotary International.

Sebastopol Rotary's 11th Annual

CRAB FEED

Saturday, February 9, 2013

First Seating: 5:00 p.m.

(Bar Opens & Music Starts at 4:00 p.m.)

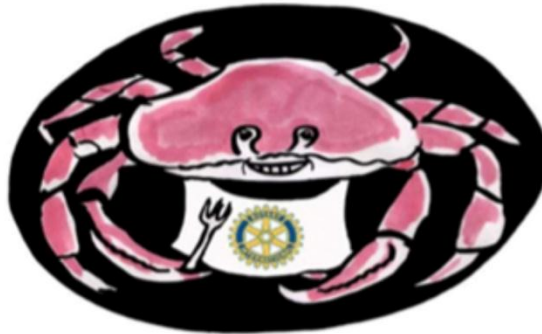
Second Seating: 7:00 p.m.

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 ROTARY INTERNATIONAL

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Weekly Update *A roundup of Rotary news*



[Green Path to Peace](#)

At the Rotary Global Peace Forum in Honolulu, Hawaii, USA, Nobel Peace Prize winner Aung San Suu Kyi asked Rotarians to empower youth to work as peacemakers. Participants also adopted a declaration recognizing the Green Path to Peace.

- [Read more](#)
- [Download the declaration](#)
- [Watch a video](#)
- [Read blog posts from the forum](#)

In other news

[RI Treasurer Elizabeth S. Demaray dies](#)
Past district governor and member of the Rotary Club of Sault Ste. Marie, Michigan, USA, was first woman to serve as RI's treasurer.

[Rotary on the world stage at economic forum](#)
Meeting of private sector, government, and academic leaders in Davos, Switzerland, provides an opportunity to promote Rotary and share the polio eradication message.

[One polio survivor to another](#)
Rotarian Ramesh Ferris meets India's last case of polio.

Announcements


[Maximize your online presence with the tips available in the January issue of *Rotary Leader*.](#)

[Read the RI president's message about putting Service Above Self](#)


[2013 International Assembly Speech Book now available](#)

[Rotary news in brief from around the globe](#)


Resource guide



[Practicing Peace video download](#)
Watch how graduates of the Rotary Peace Center at Chulalongkorn University inspire Sudanese youth to become leaders in their new community.



[Rotary Media Center](#)
Your online resource for public service announcements, videos, and more.



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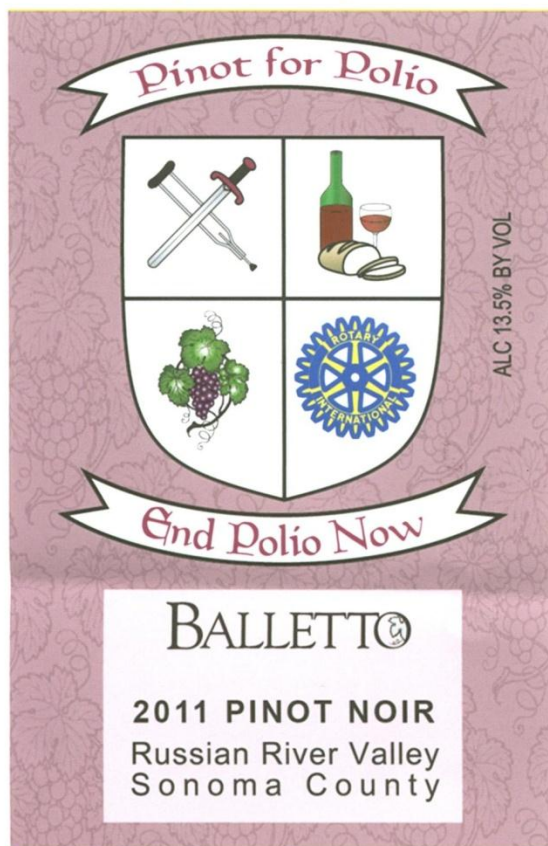


Rotary District 5130 presents

Pinot for Polio



Raising Money for PolioPlus ~ one Case at a Time



Pinot for Polio is a Rotary District 5130 fundraising project for PolioPlus.

Increase your Paul Harris credits, contribute to **PolioPlus**, and drink great wine at the same time..

What could be better?

Your cost per case of 12 bottles of *Balletto Vineyards 2011 Russian River Valley Sonoma County Pinot for Polio* is:

Cost per case	\$305.00
Sales tax	\$27.00
Total cost	\$332.00

\$150.00 from each case will be sent in your name to PolioPlus. You will receive Paul Harris credits and it will also count towards your club's annual Foundation giving.

What a simple, effective and delicious way to raise money for **PolioPlus**.

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Pinot for Polio Order Form

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 ___ Ship to me - \$30 inside CA.

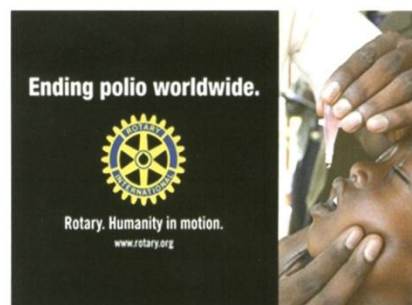
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