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JACK REMINGTON HOLDS A DRAWING FOR THE SAN FRANCISCO 49ERS - GREEN BAY PACKER PLAYOFF GAME AT CANDLESTICK PARK ON SATURDAY



The 49ers vs Packers in the playoff game this Saturday. Jack Remington says only two members out of six were present at the meeting Tuesday who participated in the 49er ticket drawings during the season: Jarrod Anderson and Gayle Garbolino-Mojica. So only the two were eligible for the drawing for the tickets to the game. Phyllis Dunstan draws a badge, and the winner is . . . Gayle . . . who will be sitting pretty at Candlestick Saturday, just as she does on a wooden bridge on her Facebook page! Meanwhile, Jarrod won't be sitting so pretty in his Walker's Office Supply store with his brother Matt, but, he'll probably sell you that chair he's sitting in—and no doubt, have it delivered to you the next day! Oh, well—Go Niners!!!

**EVERY
ROTARIAN
EVERY
YEAR**



Wayne Manning

Peace and conflict prevention/resolution - and more

For more than 20 years, northern Uganda was in the grip of a civil war that killed over 300,000 people, displaced 1.8 million more, and forced 36,000 child soldiers to fight in the resistance movement. Despite a truce in 2006, much work remains to secure a lasting peace.

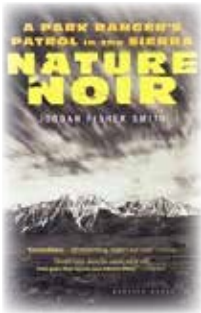
The Rotary Foundation awarded a US\$16,000 grant to the Rotary clubs of Rubaga, Uganda, and Lambert Airport, Missouri, USA, to provide training in peace-building to 200 teachers and 1,300 students at 10 high schools in the region.

The sponsor clubs are working with the Great Lakes Center for Conflict Resolution, started by two former Rotary Peace Fellows, to carry out the project. The effort is also creating "peace clubs" at the schools, which will provide ongoing education about conflict prevention and

resolution to the surrounding communities.

After the project is completed, the center will integrate the training curriculum and peace clubs into its activities and continue to work with the 10 schools. The knowledge and skills acquired by the teachers and students will enable them to become lifelong agents for peace in their communities and the nation.

There are thousands of charitable organizations working throughout the world that make a positive impact on those in need. But your Rotary Foundation is the only charitable organization funded by contributions from Rotarians, for programs and projects identified by Rotarians, and administered by Rotarians at the project site. The Rotary Foundation is YOU — Every Rotarian, Every Year.



ONE BOOK ONE COMMUNITY

What is One Book, One Community?

The One Book, One Community program, sponsored by the Auburn Rotary Club, Auburn Public Library, and Placer County of Education encourages the community to read the same book and come together to discuss it in a variety of settings. The

book will also be an assigned reading for students at our local schools. Pick up a copy of this year's book, *Nature Noir* by Jordan Fisher Smith, and turn the pages with the community.

"Today literary education has pretty much disappeared, replaced in science and in information technology, on the one hand and by visual literacy on the other. By visual, what is now meant is moving images (films, videos, television, MTV, advertising) as well as paintings and photographs. Quotable quotes are far more likely to be cited from films, television, or advertisements than from literature. 'Just do it.' 'Go ahead, make my day.' 'I'll be back.' Even politicians, who once studiously quoted poets and philosophers, now choose slogans and citations from popular culture. 'Mission accomplished.' 'Bring 'em on.'" So the idea that knowledge of and easy familiarity with literature is either a social accomplishment or a cultural or professional asset must seem quaint."

—*The Use and Abuse of Literature*



Jordan Fisher Smith

One Book, One Community Board Members
Steve Grundmeier, Bart O'Brien, Jenifer Gee, Mary Cleary, Mary George, Mike Ramm, Jenny Jansen, Susan Rushton, Kindra Amalong, Gayle Garbolino-Mojica, Terri Pilate, Michelle Scheutz, and Dave Horsey.

Future Board Meetings: January 24, Feb. 21, March 21 (1:30 PCOE)

One Book, One Community Class: March 7, 14, 21; 4:00 to 5:00 at Placer School for Adults (Bart O'Brien and Steve Grundmeier)

One Book, One Community Events:
April 18- Kovacich Panel discussion-7-8:30 (location not yet determined)

April 20-Dam Tour; Mike Lynch and Jordan Fisher Smith; 10-12

April 23-Jordan Fisher Smith and book signing at Placer High School-7-9:00

April 25- Lyme disease film: Under the Skin;

"The man who does not read has no advantage over the man who cannot read."

—*Mark Twain*



ANNIVERSARIES

Dennis & Harriet White
30 years - 12/31/1982

Dave & Gloria Horsey
33 years - 12/28/1979

Bob & Suzi Litchfield
41 years - 12/29/1971

CONGRATULATIONS TO ALL!

"Two trucks loaded with a thousand copies of Roget's Thesaurus collided as they left a New York publishing house last week, according to the Associated Press. Witnesses were stunned, startled, aghast, taken aback, stupefied, appalled, surprised, shocked and rattled."

—*Alan Schlein*

THOUGHTS FOR THE DAY

Bart Ruud was called upon by President Bart O'Brien to present some "thoughts for the day" to begin last Tuesday's meeting. What followed was an inspirational appeal to all of us to be thankful for the freedoms and liberties we enjoy as Americans. And, we Rotarians, by employing the Four-Way Test in our everyday lives, and in our businesses, can accomplish much to help the less fortunate in our communities, our country, and around the world. To even attempt to paraphrase Bart's words is a disservice to his eloquence. How many of us can say a billboard beside the freeway promoting a hamburger business ever triggered such profound thoughts of the liberties we do enjoy in America? Something to think about! Thanks to Bart for his inspiring words of wisdom—well done!

EVEN COMPUTER WIZARDS SOMETIMES FRY THEIR HARD DRIVES!

Leonard James said he needed a larger computer—his old machine just could not handle the photo processing with the larger files from his new camera and the new Lightroom 4 photo processing software.



The new computer he put together has one of Intel's newest quad processors, (the i7 Ivy Bridge family), 16GB of memory, 4.25TB of disk storage and a 24" monitor. Things were going well, but the quietness of the new machine was his downfall, and he thought it was off but it was on, etc. etc. He says his wife Rae's first book is scheduled to be released in April. He also said his good friend Walt Riley is in reasonably good spirits and will welcome visitors. Call first!

OH, MY GOSH - HE WAS AMAZING!



With
Huell
Howser



Huell Howser's passing brought many memories back to Dave Breninger and Barry Stigers as they reminisced about their personal experiences with Huell—Dave with Huell filming about the PCWA Middle Fork

American River hydroelectric project, and Barry about his late wife Margaret's experiences with Huell through her work with KVIE Channel 6 which aired the California's Gold and other productions by Huell. Both agreed that he was indeed the fine gentleman he appeared to be on camera!

SUITE SURRENDER

A LIVE PERFORMANCE AT THE STATE

Betty Bennett announced the special ACCEF Opening Night benefit performance of Placer Community Theater's presentation of Suite Surrender at the Historic State Theater on Friday, January 25, 2013 at 7:30 P.M. Tickets are \$30 each. Space is limited, so call 530-863-6271 for your tickets as soon as possible.

PLACER COMMUNITY THEATER
and
AUBURN PLACER PERFORMING ARTS CENTER
PRESENT AN OPENING NIGHT BENEFIT
PERFORMANCE OF...
Suite Surrender
By Michael McKeever
FOR...
AUBURN COMMUNITY CANCER ENDOWMENT FUND
JANUARY 25, 2013 at 7:30 PM
Historic State Theater in Auburn
985 Lincoln Way
TICKETS: \$30
For tickets/Information: 530-863-6271

WANT TO LEARN EXCEL?

Leonard James, the aforementioned wizard of the computer is teaching classes on Excel at the Placer School for Adults. In level 1, students learn the new "Ribbon" interface, entering and editing data, selecting cells and ranges, printing worksheets and all that stuff. Then in level 2, on to managing large spreadsheets and Excel databases, etc. and in level 3 you learn IF, SUMIF, and ROUND functions, etc. Level 1 classes begin on January 30. Want to enroll? Call the Placer School for Adults at 530-885-8585. Don't worry about the wizard frying his hard drive—that's stuff he likes to fiddle with at home while Rae's doing her novel writing. By the way, the Placer School for Adults catalog says if you sign up for both Level 1 and 2, you can get Level 3 for free!

NEW MEMBER PROPOSAL

The following individual has been approved for membership by the Board of Directors of the Rotary Club of Auburn. If no objections are received by the Board, within 10 days of this publication, he is, upon the payment of the proper fees, considered to be a member of the Rotary Club of Auburn:

Nick Abrahamsen
Owner - Vitas Insurance Agency
Classification - Insurance

FIRESIDE CHAT FOR NEW MEMBERS & SPOUSES

Thursday, January 17, 2013 at 6 p.m.

Jeff & Brandee Ambrosia's Home
8776 Chili Hill Road
Newcastle CA

For more information contact
Cindy Eklund
cindy@eklundinsurance.com

LAST TUESDAY'S PROGRAM ACRES OF HOPE GROWING!



Marcelle Schaefer has only been the Executive Director of Acres of Hope for six months but she has hit the ground running! Currently Acres of Hope is housed in an old Motel in Applegate but plans are progressing rapidly to move to property on Bowman Road in Auburn. Through the generosity of many donors including a

loan with very generous repayment terms, Acres of Hope has acquired the Bowman property and is ready now to make it home for the moms and kids and relocate from Applegate.

NEXT TUESDAY'S PROGRAM THE END OF SCARCITY

Ron Martinez and Bart Ruud are presenting Jack Bowers, CEO of Independent Fidelity Investors Inc. which publishes Fidelity Monitor & Insight. Bowers will take a look at the global energy situation and how it will be impacted by the shale boom, the expanding role of liquefied natural gas, and transportation alternatives that are becoming increasingly viable. Among newsletter tracked by the Hulbert Financial Digest, Fidelity Monitor & Insight is one of the top risk-adjusted performers over the last 25 years. During that time Bowers has been credited with outstanding performance by the Wall Street Journal, Money Magazine, U.S. News, The New York Times, USA Today and Investors Business Daily. He has appeared on the Forbes Newsletter Honor Roll twice.

"Literature is an investment of genius which pays dividends to all subsequent times."
—John Burroughs

TAHOE CITY ROTARY SKI CHALLENGE MARCH 8, 2013 AT NORTH STAR

They bill it as the "World's Largest Gathering of Skiing Rotarians" and Auburn Rotary Club team captain Bridget Powers invites you to participate. Contact Bridget at bpowers@polycomp.net. Download the registration form at the Tahoe City Rotary website: <http://www.tahoe-cityrotary.org>. Deadline for registration is March 1.

NORCAL DENTAL CLINIC SET FOR MARCH 22-23 IN ENSENADA

From: Steve Leighty

We're very excited to announce the next NorCal clinic on March 22 and 23, 2013. Our Southbound travel day to Ensenada is Thursday March 21st. I am flying on SWA 2288 departing Sacramento at 4:35pm and arriving San Diego at 6:05pm. Our van will be waiting for us at the terminal for a quick get-away. We will grab a meal on our way south -- we generally arrive in Ensenada about 9:00 or 9:30pm. I have reservations at the Corona Hotel, but will drop off passengers at any of the downtown hotels which are all close by in the cruise ship district.

We usually eat Breakfast at the La Tortuga but since it burned down a few months ago, I doubt that it has been rebuilt yet, so we will have breakfast, at least on Friday morning, at the Corona Hotel, where we are staying. The Corona (www.hotelcorona.com.mx) (011.52.646.176.0901) and other hotels in the area (Villa Marina, Hotel del Valle, San Nicolas, etc) all speak English on the phone and are easy to deal with.

We will arrive at the clinic at 8:00am and work until all the patients have been treated; usually about 5:00 or 6:00pm. On Friday night you will all be invited to our volunteer dinner; location TBA.

Saturday's schedule will be about the same: clinic will start at 8:00am and run until about 5:00. The van will head north straight across the border to San Diego, catching dinner as we depart Ensenada. I will drop people off at their downtown San Diego hotel. You will be on your own for the return trip back to Sacramento; we are on flight 2689 departing at 3:40pm and arriving back in Sacramento at 5:10pm.

Thousand Smiles Foundation owns and operates the clinic that we are allowed to use in Ensenada, some of you have worked in that clinic before. One of the differences is that NorCal is strictly Dental, and we will not be evaluating or treating any cleft palate patients, nor will we be going to the hospital.

For more information if you are interested, contact Steve at sleighty@gmail.com or phone 530-886-8871.

*"Be intent upon the perfection
of the present day."
— William Law*

YOU ROTARIANS ARE GENEROUS

According to President Bart, you gave the Colfax High School Chamber Choir \$755 after their presentation last month. That will help with the expenses for their trip to Hawaii later this year. Great choir led by a great teacher and choir director, Todd Wilkinson.

SALVATION ARMY KETTLE DRIVE

November 24, 2012:

CVS	\$315.29
Save Mart Bakery dr.	\$332.03
Save Mart Produce dr.	\$222.03
Total	\$869.35

December 8, 2012:

CVS	\$305.69
Save Mart Bakery dr.	\$300.69
Save Mart Produce dr.	\$236.91
Total	\$843.29

All together the total for the two day's is \$1,712.64 that the Auburn Rotary Club collected. Thank you to all of you who volunteered your time to ring the bells for the Salvation Army!

*"A friend is someone who knows
your song, and sings it to you when
you've forgotten it yourself."*

—Alan Cohen

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

- January 15: Every Rotarian, Every Year
Wayne Manning
January 22: The End of Scarcity
Jack Bowers

AUBURN ROTARY CLUB CALENDAR

Fireside Chat for new members & spouses
Thursday, January 17, 2013
6 p.m. at Ambrosias

Board of Directors meeting - January 22, 2013
Gold Rush Chevrolet: 7 a.m.

Rotary Foundation Dinner
Thursday, March 14, 2013

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