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THE ROTARY CLUB OF AUBURN BULLETIN

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What happened in 2012 & what's going to happen in 2013?



Ron had a great ride in Jack Bowers' Tesla that snapped his head back!



Too many members gawking, Bob Dunstan got this squeezed up photo!



We learned about fracking & selling oil to the Saudis in 2030!



We brought him down from the Tetons! See his new smiling face above!

THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM THE TAYLOR HOUSE IN ROSEVILLE



In most states, the transition from foster care to the "real world" is abrupt and this is true for California. The transition is called "aging out" when youths reach 21 years of age (18 in many other states) the funding for foster care ceases immediately! The youths have not been prepared for the aging out process and suddenly that security blanket is gone. What do they do? They turn to the streets—homeless—what do you do when you feel nobody cares about you or your well-being?

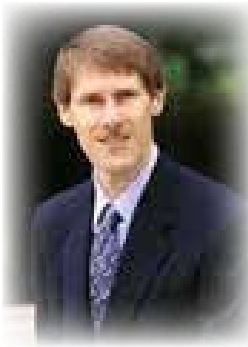
Lisa Peat of Roseville is doing something about it—particularly for girls who have aged out of the foster care system as well as homeless teens or victims of abuse. In 2011 she purchased the rundown, foreclosed six-bedroom property in downtown Roseville with the goal of creating a safe place for these girls, providing these kids in need with reliable, responsible, caring role models and also creating a space where these young adults can learn life skills and responsible habits. In California, 65% of youth leaving foster care do so

without a place to live. Up to 50% of former foster probation youth become homeless within the first 18 months. Less than half of former foster youth are employed 2.5 to 4 years after leaving foster care, and only 38% have maintained employment for at least one year. Youth in foster care are 44% less likely to graduate from high school and after aging out, 40% to 50% never complete high school.

Lisa Peat's dream is that the girls stay long enough at Taylor House "to build a sense of community, confidence, and self-worth that will allow them to realize they don't just have to flip burgers but they have the potential to own the burger joints." Taylor House creates an environment that will advocate good habits while transitioning into the "real world." These positive practices include paying rent on time, creating good work/study habits, saving for the future, etc. And classes on cooking, cleaning, etc.

Becki McGinnis knows personally about the value of homes like Taylor House. She presents our program Lisa Peat this Tuesday at Auburn Rotary.

U.S. BOOM: THE END OF GLOBAL SCARCITY



Jack Bowers, CEO of Independent Fidelity Investors, Inc., which publishes Fidelity Monitor & Insight said U. S. energy independence is not far off. The trend is well underway he said for the U.S. to be a major exporter of coal; gas is in transition to exports; oil imports are in steep decline since 2005 (down

7% in 2012 to 15 year low). He said the future is likely to bring with current trend: Largest global oil producer by 2020; net energy exporter by 2025; and the Mid-East reliance eliminated by 2030. In fact, Bowers said the Saudis would be likely buying oil from the U.S. in 2030 (to lots of applause from the audience). Bowers said U.S. geology and royalty structure combination is unique and that other countries may never match U.S. shale oil output.

Bowers said the shale boom investment implications are bullish for U.S. stocks, especially energy-using sectors such as chemicals, industrials, transportation, automakers, and construction & housing. He said the implications are bearish for non-agriculture commodities like energy, mining, and precious metals.

After the meeting, a group of envious Rotarians gathered around his Tesla sedan and received a thorough indoctrination on the all electric vehicle. About the solar powered charging stations already in place along the well traveled interstates with Tesla owners charging up their vehicles at no cost! Bowers said his Tesla does pretty well in the snow even though it is not a 4-wheel or all-wheel drive vehicle.

Plus - no transmission, no oil-change, two luggage spaces in front and back . . . how sweet it is!

NEW MEMBER PROPOSALS

The following individuals have 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, they are, upon the payment of the proper fees, considered to be members of the Rotary Club of Auburn:

(Second notice in Bulletin)

Bob Santin
Classification - Grocery/Retail

Colette Derr
Classification - Senior Relocation

Tom Edmiston
Classification - Banking/Retail

Jim Moore
Classification - Contamination Control

WALTER RILEY

April 4, 1934 - January 16, 2013



Services for Walt will be held at the Bethlehem Lutheran Church
1279 High St. in Auburn
Monday, January 28, 2013 at 2:00 p.m.

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

If you want to participate as a skier in the Tahoe City Rotary Club Ski challenge, Bridget Powers suggests you log into tahoecityrotary.org, go to Annual Ski Challenge; Download forms and fill out the Registration Form and Northstar Release Form, fill them out and give to Bridget.

If you are participating in the Ski Challenge, Auburn Rotary will pay half of your entry cost. Non-skiers are also welcome says Bridget!

BE SURE TO ATTEND THE MEETING THIS TUESDAY FOR A SPECIAL TRIBUTE TO KEITH LUKENS



Keith Lukens' father, Earl Lukens, was a member of the Auburn Rotary Club when it was formally chartered on May 20, 1924. Keith was born on January 18, 1925 and 23 years later joined Auburn Rotary in 1948. He served as president of the club in 1964-65. Keith is a Paul Harris Fellow and also recipient of the Distinguished Service Award. President Bart O'Brien will be presenting Keith with an Honorary Member status for his longtime membership and years of service to Auburn Rotary.

WANT TO BE A PART OF AUBURN ROTARY'S TRIVIA BEE TEAM?

The Auburn Rotary Club is participating in the 2nd annual Trivia Bee. The event, which takes place Saturday, March 23rd at the Regional Park gym, is a spirited fund raiser for the American Association of University Women (AAUW). The theme for this year's Trivia Bee is "The Wild, Wild West", however participants should not limit themselves to thinking of the west as it relates to cowboys, the gold rush or even Placer County. Think about "west" in all its iterations.

Kahl Muscott is putting together a team of 3 Rotarians, "I need to put it together soon. If you are interested, please respond to me ASAP. The club is paying for the entry in the event, and each team member will be fed dinner. If you are interested in a FREE dinner and a chance to bring victory to the Auburn Rotary, this is the event for you!"

Reply back to me or call me at the office. Kahl Muscott, District Administrator
Auburn Recreation District
(530) 885-0611 ext. 103
email: www.auburnrec.com

BRIDGET INVITES YOU TO WATCH THE SUPER BOWL AT HER HOUSE!

Bridget asked for hands of people interested in watching the Super Bowl at her home but none went up—Rotarians need to check their calendars & stuff like that—but, our bet is that she'll have another full house again! Want to join in on the fun? Give her a call 916-835-4565 or email: bpowers@polycomp.net. She has a new larger tv now - Phil Booker! (At her last Super Bowl party, Phil sneered at her puny outdated 27" tv set.) It's fellowship time people!



MORE FELLOWSHIP AT THE RIVER CATS GAME?



Mike Holmes wasn't ready to talk about River Cats baseball with all three Auburn clubs joining for some fellowship this season. So, he had to spin: \$10 same as last week, but

I don't have the money, he claimed. But Pres. Bart said an I.O.U. would be fine, plus he said, interest rates are low, according to what Richard Barber said!

ROTARIANS AT WORK DAY WILL BE APRIL 27, 2013 AT GOLD COUNTRY FAIR

Kahl Muscott said Rotary at Work Day is held world-wide on the last Saturday in April and our project will be much needed maintenance work there. Work from 8-1, enjoy a bbq lunch afterwards. Bad back? They'll have easy jobs for you! By-the-way, who is Father Winchell?



"You're stronger than you seem; Braver than you believe; And smarter than you think you are. When shall we live if not now."

—M.F.K. Fisher

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

January 29: Becki McGinnis: Lisa Peat
- The Taylor House - At Risk Homeless Youth

February 5: Linda Maeding/Carolyn Metzker

February 12: Chris Packard: XDN, Inc.
(Internet -based company) Barrett Lyon

February 19: Nordixx Pole Walking

February 26: Dennis White/Nancy Nittler
Leslie Warren: International Peace Projects

March 5: Jeff Patton/Mary Jo Payne

March 12: Bridget Powers/ Scott Queen
Doug Elmets:

March 19: Gloria Quinan/Bill Radakovitz

March 26: Linda Maeding
High School Music Contest

AUBURN ROTARY CLUB CALENDAR

District Governor Woody Wilbanks mid-year visit with officers of Auburn clubs, Feb. 6 at 5:30 p.m. at Max's.

Tahoe City Rotary Ski Challenge at North Star
Friday, March 8, 2013

Rotary Foundation Dinner - Max's Auburn
Thursday, March 14, 2013

Rotary At Work Day
Saturday, April 27, 2013

Auburn Rotary Casino Night at Ceronix
May 11, 2013

Auburn Rotary Barbecue
Friday, September 20, 2013

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