

## THE OBJECT OF ROTARY

The object of Rotary is to encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis of worthy enterprise and, in particular, to encourage and foster:

**First:** The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service;

**Second:** High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society;

**Third:** The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life;

**Fourth:** The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world of fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

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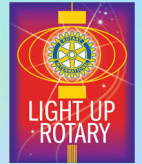
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## ROTARY 4-WAY TEST

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOODWILL** and better **FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

## Today's Program

Joe Micheletti - CHP

## Upcoming Programs

July 24 - Denise Stevenson - Foster Care

July 31 - Patty Gunderson

August 7 - Julia Gussett

## Upcoming Events

July 21 - Visioning at Tim Nobles' House

November 14 - Winetasting Fundraiser

## Birthdays and Anniversaries

July 13 - Bill Muttera

July 15 - Mike & Kim Rose

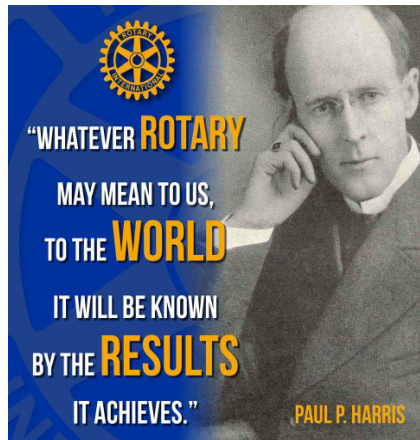
July 20 - Tim Nobles

## From “The Founder of Rotary”

Paul P. Harris, Founder of Rotary 23 February 1905

“The spirit of the early days of Rotary has frequently been described as selfish. There were certainly many indications to justify the description. The literature of the period, most of which was the work of Paul, emphasized the business advantage of membership. Prospective members were frequently appealed to directly on the basis of business gain. But even here is a distinction, subtle though it may seem. The prevailing thought was to give-not to receive. Giving was more reconcilable with the other thing that went along with it-friendship.

**The net result was that those who came into the club for the sole purpose of getting as much as they could out of it were disappointed and dropped out.**



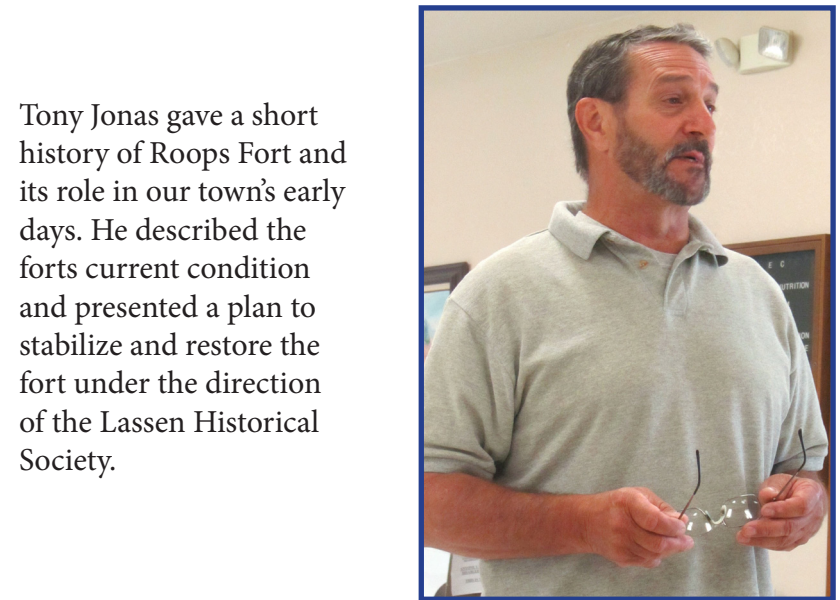
It is true that some actually have realized substantial business benefits from their membership in Rotary, but that may be said of the members of almost any other club. Many have realized no business benefits whatever, and the one class is as well satisfied as the other. Viewed from a financial standpoint Rotary has been a liability to Paul, not an asset. Few would contend that the spirit

of the Rotary of today is selfish. No more was it selfish in the first year of the movement. The lure of Rotary has ever been the friendships that have been found there. By none has friendship been more highly valued than by the first group who gathered together in the year of our Lord, 1905.”

## Last Week



Susanville Ambassador, Ivanna Rose, explained the plight of baby Asher, born prematurely at 26 weeks with many health problems. Ivanna collected money for helping the family’s many expenses.



Tony Jonas gave a short history of Roops Fort and its role in our town’s early days. He described the forts current condition and presented a plan to stabilize and restore the fort under the direction of the Lassen Historical Society.