Sunshine?

Rob Haff’s mother, Beverly Haff passed away at 95 years of age. Our thoughts are with you Rob. Prez Peian announced Diana Tomasini whose daughter was also visiting Diana. She would love some calls.

Announcements

Volunteers Needed

Marty Wickenheiser announced that she needs volunteers to help clean up at Los Robles Mobile Home Park.

Project Novato K9 Foundation

It was announced that the Project Novato K9 Foundation has changed since the State of California has made a new law that Patrol Dogs are now illegal but we will be providing vet care for the retired Patrol Dogs. We can go to the last graduation on May 10, 2023.

Speaker

Laura Gill from the Marine Mammal Center was our speaker. Laura told us that the Center is a global leader in Marine Mammal Health. The Center is a non-profit organization, a 501(c)3, with a staff of 130 and a volunteer group of 1,150.

The Center does scientific research and was the first to discover cancer, cataracts and tooth decay in sea mammals.

Their primary care is for California sea lions, and Northern elephant seals. They also take care of sea otters. In Hawaii they primarily take care of monk seals. Good presentation!

Next Friday...

Prez Peian announced she would be at the District Conference next Friday and Past Prez Peter Oser would take charge so it would be a good time to pull off anything crazy!

Raffle

I don’t know who won the $25 raffle, but I won the back table pot of $16!

Yay for Jay!

Yes, Jay Wayne finally returned to us from the land of the ill. Jay has a hard time standing (on his own two feet!) but he’s got a fancy wheel chair. He’s been gone six weeks and thanked us all for our cards, calls and thoughts. Welcome back, Jay!
Big Wheel Editors

NEEDED

Contact Bill Vespa

Support the most interesting Rotary Club ever!
Help share the meeting with family, friends and members unable to attend.

Where to Make Up

Contact the Club you wish to attend for dates, time and virtual meeting code. The District website lists the Clubs and websites for contact info at: Rotary5150.org/clubs/rotary-club-directory/

The Four-Way Test

“Of the things we think, say or do:
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?”
May SPECIAL DATES

5-5 Veronica Pietras
5-8 David Hernandez
5-13 Phil Brown
5-15 Kathy & Dennis Baldwin
5-18 Linda & Jorg Puhr-Westerheide
5-18 Edna & Paul Scheller
5-21 Marilyn Smith
5-22 Camille & Robert Marshall
5-25 Linda & Darrell Scott
5-27 Robin & Frank Bruno
5-27 Katie Chase
5-27 Raye-Lee & George Estes
5-27 Reggie Winner
5-31 Frank Bruno

Contact: Sylvia Barry at Sylvia@SylviaBarryRE.com
Peter Pelavin did the heavy legal lifting for non-profit status for Novato Police Canine Foundation.

Marty Wickenheiser describes yard work at Los Robles Senior Mobile Homes.

Ron Harness of the Environmental Committee introduces Laura Gill of the Marine Mammal Center.

The Marine Mammal Center rescues, provides care, and releases thousands of marine mammals.

Marine Mammal Center Program Director Laura Gill.