



Opening Remarks and Announcements



Bobbi has returned and reminded us Muff's celebration of life will be held on Jan.12. Details to follow.



Christine reminded the club we have until the end of the calendar year to donate to the Rotary Foundation. If you haven't yet you can still send a check in to our club mailbox.



Joanne has a group of Interactors signed up to volunteer at Noah Homes Enchanted

Village this Sat.Dec.15th. She is in need of drivers to/from.



Aaron – reported that the LM Chamber of Commerce thanked our club for our donation of food items for their holiday collection. Aaron has also been in touch with the La Mesa Courier and will be forwarding our Gazette to them weekly. We are hoping they will find some of our activities worthy of reporting on.



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Credits and Acknowledgements

- Pledge: Ana
- 4-way test: Manuela
- Photos: Bill Pogue
- Drawing: NA
- **Minutes: Fern Hall**



The Meeting



Today's meeting was held at the ECTLC East County Transitional Living Center and Harold Brown the Director & CEO since it's inception in 2009, explained to us how the project began and what they are doing now. They are a 501-C-3, faith based, inspiring people to make right decisions while providing transitional housing and resources.



We were served a delicious buffet breakfast prepared by the staff and residents in training.

The center in El Cagon server 250,000-300,000 meals a year, the food being donated by groceries in the area.

This center provided services last year for 325 adults and 143 children. They offer 3 programs: Conditions are No drinking/No smoking/No drug usage

1. 28 day emergency shelter
2. Transitional housing for 4 weeks for \$225 p/wk- up to 6 months
3. Family Restorartion \$725 month/ no time limit #1 goal s reconciliation of families.

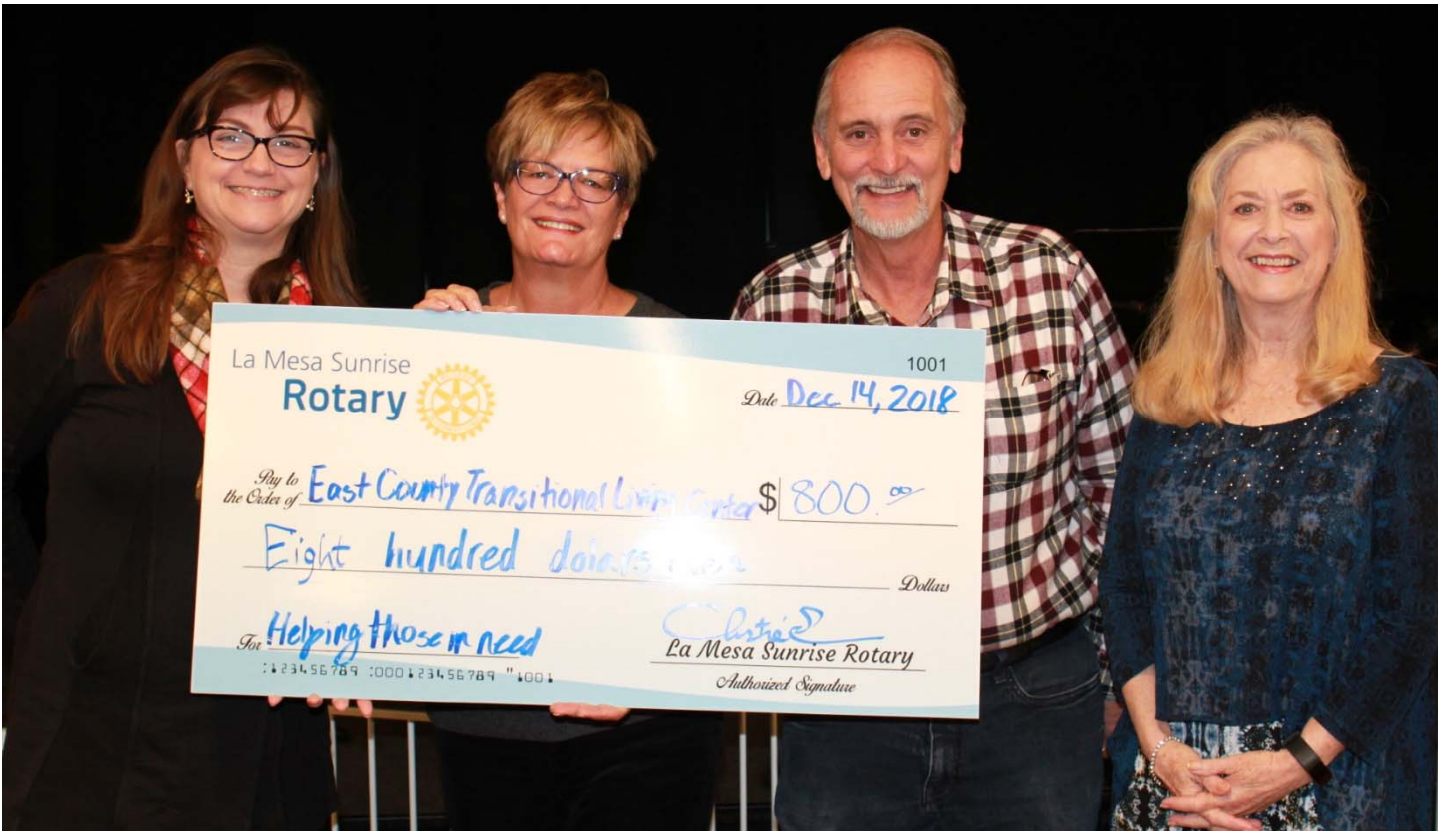
Classes are offered and required in religion, life skills, parenting, health, job training & coaching.

Our club made a donation of \$800.00 to the center.

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They have other facilities, one is a farm in Boulevard, another is in Delzura- a men only facility where they can work cutting and delivering oak. Each center offers different services and opportunities. All the centers have work contracts with the city. People staying at the shelter must work and 80% of their income goes to fund the centers

We were taken on a tour of the facility, which was a motel in the past. They have a beautiful new playground area which was donated by Soul Pancakes.



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