

District 5340

10/19/2018

Established 1993

Opening Remarks and Announcements



Elena attended a meeting at the El Cajon Rotary club where she was given 2 certificates acknowledging our club and Alex in particular for participation in their book projects.

Mark also brought his father Richard Wheeler who is in town visiting. Carrie Nakoa removed her red badge now that she has completed all the requirements...and more than that!





Elly attended the District event.

Janet shared an event that is happening Oct.20 to help clean our streets organized

by Envision La Mesa. Envision is a group dedicated to helping improve our neighborhoods one step at a time. Come and help if you can.





Clara informed us that tomorrow, Oct.20th is the Peace leadership training forum for Peace chairs. It will be held at Ronald McDonald house from 9am-12:30pm.

La Mesa Sunrise Rotary **Leadership 2018-2019**

Officers

President: Elena Lujan-Alba Imd Past Pres: Betty Howland

Pres Elect: Jeff Hall Secretary: Elly Dotseth Treasurer: John Stremlau/

Laurel Nishida

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Ballesteros

Membership: Bobbie Warren Pub Relations Aaron Landau Youth Interact: JoAnn

Bergquist

Greeter: Muff Warren Peace Chair Clara Harris

Credits and Acknowledgements

Pledge: Elena Lujan-Alba

4-way test: Mark Wheeler

Photos: Bill Pogue

Drawing: Lisa B.

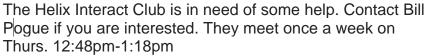
Minutes: Fern Platt

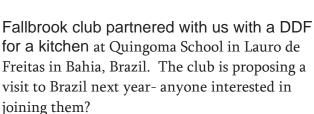


SDSU President of Rotaract Renata Valente shared a video that their club made to promote their mentorship program. They are asking for volunteers who can help students transitioning from Rotaractor to Rotarian, career advice and planning, incorporating service you're your life, interview and resume tips, navigating post grad, networking skills and more. This is your chance to pay it forward. If you are interested find out more at their website: https://www.sdsurotaract.org/



Garage Sale: Sat.Oct.27th 7am-1pm; Sorting will happen on Wed. Oct.24th 11am-5pm; Set up Fri. Oct.26th 9am-1pm. Come when you can to lend a hand and have some fun!







Other news: November 14th we will be helping Diego Hills with their Thanksgiving Celebration

Speaker: Sarah Heirendt / Diana Kutlow, San Diego Site Director of Hands of Peace

Our guest speaker today is Sarah Heirendt- San Diego Site Director of Hands of Peace, and Diana Kutlow Director of Development. Hands of Peace is a non-profit interfaith organization brought over from Israel

empowers young 15-17 yrs. Old. It gives Israelis, Palestinians, and Americans teens an opportunity to

raise their voices as leaders of change in a secure environment.



Founded in Chicago 2003- Rotary has helped them to get started in San Diego – running a 3 wk dialogue program with 3 sections:

- 1. Summer program
- 2. 2nd year: leadership development & persaonal growth
- 3. American & Middle East alumin program: ongoing dialogue, education 7 leadership development.



Their program focuses on:

- Empowering young people to find their voice and learn how to use it in a non-violent manner for the benefit of their societies
- Developing peacebuilding and leadership skills among Palestinian, Israeli and American young adults and supporting ongoing leadership development
- Promoting intercultural exchange and education in our wider communities
- Affirming human rights for all

The next session will be July 10th-29^{th.} For more information go to https://handsofpeace.org

We can get involved by being a host family, volunteering time, encouraging a teen to apply, attend education events, and club support.





Member Hightlights









Guests and Visitors

SDSU Ronata Valente /
Kimberly Lober



Sarah Heirendt/ Diana Kutlow



Richard Wheeler/Max



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