

February 12, 2018

Responsibilities

Drawing, **Ken Clark**; Words, **Bud Carroll**;
Pledge, **Maureen Simons**; Greeter, **Joy Prowse**;
Roto-Rooter: **Jim Brubaker**; Reporter: **Lou Tapia**

PROGRAM: DR. PHIL GOSCIENSKI/ THE MANY BENEFITS OF WINE AND CHOCOLATE

PROGRAMS

February 19: **DARK / PRESIDENTS DAY**
February 26: Four-way Speech Contest
March 5: **Al Wanamaker**/ Build a House in a Day
March 12: City of Carlsbad/ Lilac Fire and Response

OTHER EVENTS

March 3: Building Mexico House # 18 See **Al Wanamaker**

MEETING OF FEBRUARY 5, 2018

Welcome: President David Harrison opened the meeting, and **Sam Ross** led us in the Pledge of Allegiance. **Pres. David** noting February is Rotary Peace Month, shared a video of school kids singing "Let There Be Peace On Earth." After the video, we sang the song, led by "Sunshine" **Steve Mott**. Guests were introduced and welcomed, and **Vince Ponce's** Words were the Top 10 Reasons to Drink Wine, ending up with #1: Your dance moves need all the help they can get.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sad News: **Pres. David** told us that **Richard Weston's** son, Chris, had been admitted to the Scripps Encinitas ICU the night before, and that the coming 24 hours would be critical. He also said the **John McShefferty** had suffered an injury. We were asked to keep positive thoughts for the **Weston** family and for **McShefferty**.

Speaker Date Change: The program previously announced for Feb. 26 has been changed because the club's annual Four-Way Test competition will be held that date instead. Anyone with questions or to help is asked to contact **Mark Beardsley** or **Joy Prowse**.

ROTARY PEACE MONTH

Pres. David showed us a short video, "Rotary: Building Peace," and introduced **Joy Prowse** as both the club's and the district's peace chairman. **Prowse** then announced the club's Rotary Peacemaker of the Year winner: **Al Wanamaker**, recognized for his 18 years leading the club's Mexico House project.



MEXICO HOUSE # 18

On March 3, **Wanamaker** will lead club members across the border to build the 18th house-in-day. He explained that the club partners with Project Mercy, which will have prepared a 16x20 concrete slab for the house that will have two large rooms and a sleeping loft. The house will be built for a young family of three: both parents and a one-year-old. In one day, the family will go from living in dirt to being in a safe and secure home, **Wanamaker** said. **Robin Hill** passed around a sign-up sheet so club members can sign up to provide either supplies or funds to buy them, for the family. **Hill** is asking everyone to bring these to the Feb. 26 meeting or to call her or **Wanamaker** for pick up.

FROM RED TO BLUE BADGES

Gloria Foote presented three newer members with their permanent blue badges: **Ian McDaniels** (sponsored by **Wendy Weigand**), **Raegan Matthews** (sponsored by **George Sullivan**) and **George Porter** (sponsored by **Dave Kulchin**).



Ian McDaniels Raegan Matthews George Porter

ROTO-ROOTER

Jim Brubaker opted to seek out some Happy Bucks and found some. **Steve Mott** was happy to help his daughter move to Princeton; **Julie Walker** was happy because she had decided, when the Chargers left, to root instead for the Philadelphia Eagles because of their players with SD connections, figuring it probably would be a laughable season (!); **Patty Johnson** was happy because her son who had moved to Boise and gotten married had called to say he has a new job in SD; **Mark Packard** thinks he should get the award for most grandkids because he just welcomed #21; **David Harrison** was happy to have been fined for being the speaker at the Carlsbad Evening Club meeting the week before. **Brubaker** said those who are on his Roto-Rooter team are welcome to call people out or seek Happy Bucks, or both, and urged everyone who has tips or info to continue to call him.

PROGRAM: OCEANSIDE MUSEUM OF ART
Katie Sanderson, Exhibition Manager



Bob Kreisberg introduced Sanderson, noting that he invited her to speak to the club after he was so impressed by the Oceanside Museum of Art. He urged all members to be alert to possible speakers and interesting programs as they go about their daily lives.



The Oceanside Museum of Art (OMA) is more than “an exhibition of art on the walls,” Sanderson said. “We are about outreach. We are about education. We are about events.” There are classes, exhibits, workshops, children’s camps and partnerships, even music and dance programs. ArtQuest involves fifth-graders and a coming literacy partnership will involve third-graders. There also are many events. The OMA Art Auction on April 7, with a preview exhibition from March 31-April 7, promises to be a fun event with a variety of art to enjoy and maybe purchase, Sanderson said. Another big event later in the year will be Art After Dark, “which will celebrate creativity in every form.”

At any one time, Sanderson said, there are three to seven different exhibitions going on. Among those going on now is “Survival Is Insufficient” (thru Aug. 5); “Artifacts: Allied Craftsmen of San Diego” (thru July 8). Among those coming up are “Sherry Carver: Collective Mythologies” (April 28-Sept. 2); “David Fokos: The Book Pages Project” (April 28-Sept. 2), plus many more.

Sanderson mentioned OMA also hosts Artist Alliance Quarterly, which brings artists together to present artwork and share ideas and constructive criticism.

Jackpot for February 12: \$310

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