

JULY 24, 2017

Drawing **Harry Peacock**; Words, **Gloria Foote**;
Pledge, **Patty Johnson**; Greeter, **Maureen Simons**;
Roto-Rooter: **Pat Hurley**; Reporter: **Rick Grove**

CARLSBAD'S HOMELESS, DEBBIE FOUNTAIN

UPCOMING PROGRAMS

Aug 7 District Governor, Scott Carr

OTHER EVENTS

Sept 9 4th Annual Brewfest, Holiday Park

Oct 7 35th Annual Octoberfest, Holiday Park - All members participate

MEETING OF July 17, 2017

President David Harrison and his banjo welcomed all the members and guests, to the "Greatest Club in the Universe", **Beth Garrow** led us in the pledge, **Bob Kreisberg** gave us the words, an interesting take on the "pursuit of happiness", and **Steve Mott** led us in "This Land is Your Land". **President Harrison** also presented **Mott** filling in for Sargent in Arms, a Rotary Making a Difference flag to our flag board. There was also a "Rotary Making a Difference" pin for each Rotarian on our tables. Finally, in recognition of Del Mar Racetrack's 80th opening day this Wednesday and Mimi Gaffey's love for horses, **Mott** led us in a version of "Camp Town Ladies".

Vision and Mission Statement: **President Harrison** reviewed the following for the Carlsbad Hi Noon Rotary 2017/2018 year.

Vision – Carlsbad Hi-Noon Rotary provides opportunities for service, leadership, friendship and personal growth.

Mission Statement – By emphasizing "Service Above Self" the club selects programs and projects which enhance the global community, build relationships, provides fellowship and encourage personal growth.

The club's emphasis is on community service and leadership development both in young people and its members. Club service involves hands-on local projects as well as Rotary International projects with a special emphasis on housing/shelter, the environment, improved water and sanitation and/or healthcare needs.

Paul Harris: **Mimi Gaffey** awarded 2 Paul Harris fellows, first **Bob Kreisberg** who has achieved a Paul Harris plus 4 sapphires. **Johnny Roberts**, who was President of the

Temecula Valley Rotary for 2016/2017 awarded his daughter **Angie Russo** her first Paul Harris. Let's keep the presentations going each week!

Brewfest: **Mike Pfankuch** announced there would be a meeting today at 4:30 at a new brewery, Black Plague Brewing in Oceanside, for anyone interested in working on the event. **Jamie Hartnett** also reminded the members to "like" the Brewfest Sponsors on facebook and social media and it will go a long way in building better relationships with our sponsors.



ROTO ROOTER – PAT HURLEY

Phil Urbina was fined \$33 for the 33rd annual boys camping trip. Although it's technically not a camping trip as they stayed in a 5-bedroom house in Flagstaff, AZ. **Walt Waggener** was fined \$100 for his annual motorcycle up the coast to central California, through Yosemite and over to the Sierras and back through the desert. He got to experience wind, rain, sleet and snow on the trip. **Joe and Alice McDermott** were also fined \$100 for their recent 20-day trip to Spain, France and Italy with all 4 of their children. Joe said the best part was spending time with their children and Alice said the best part was spending time with Joe? No fine for **Miguel de Jesus** for a recent family reunion in Sedona. He mentioned they learned about the Agua Ciencia tribe, and the roto-rooter noted no wonder they are no longer arounds as that means "without water".

PROGRAM – CPD Captain Mickey Williams License Plate Readers

Carlsbad Police Chief Neil Gallucci introduced Captain Mickey Williams, who has been with the Carlsbad Police Department for 22 years and has a bachelor's and master's in Criminal Justice/Police Science from San Diego State University. Mickey oversees field operations so all patrols report to him.

Carlsbad PD recently purchased 51 fixed license plate readers in addition to the 6 mobile readers, and total cost of the project is about \$1.0 million including service for 5 years. They are one of the few departments in California to have the readers fixed to street lights and the top of patrol cars, as most



departments just have mobile readers. Property crimes increased in Carlsbad in 2015 and 2016 and most of the crimes are committed by people coming from outside the city of Carlsbad, so the readers are a tool to keep track of the criminals coming into Carlsbad. He gave us several examples where criminals were able to be identified through the license plate readers.

Other Benefits of the License Plate Readers include:

- Provides real time intelligence to officers, matches vehicles plates to a national database of wanted vehicles throughout the country
- Provides vast database to help solve crimes
- Deterrent to criminal activity, they want people to know that they will be found if they come to Carlsbad and commit a crime
- Provides further leverage of traditional crime analysis

The jackpot is \$130

Responsibilities for July 24

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