# **MARCH 20, 2017**

## Responsibilities

Drawing: Ken Clark; Words: Lisa Rodman; Pledge: Nancy Starling; Greeter: Lisa Rodman; Roto-Rooter: Laura Sheridan-Campbell; Reporter: Rick Grove

PROGRAM: Smiles International, Dr. Jeff Moses

### **PROGRAMS & EVENTS**

March 27 Matthew Tucker, North County Transit District

March 23 AVID Conference, refer Ken Clark

April 3 Chris Calkins, North 40

April 7-9 RYLA Weekend, Refer Mike Metts April 10 Kay Ledson, Walk across America

# **MEETING OF MARCH 13, 2017**

President Dawn Van Siclen welcomed all the members and guests, to the "Greatest Club in the Universe", Steve Mott led us in the "smile" song and "Good Bless America", and Beth Garrow led us in the pledge. Ken Ryan gave us the words. Guests were introduced including Grant Kulchin, Brad and Beth Thorpe from the Mitchell Thorpe Foundation, and soon to be members Lisa Walsh, Joscelin Magana, and Steve Wolff. We celebrated The Rotary Foundation's 100th anniversary and induction of our 100th member into the club.



#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**District Music Competition: Bob Hartsfield** reviewed the finals of the Music Competition last Sunday at the Museum of Making Music. The winner was from Torrey Pines High School. This was the 2<sup>nd</sup> year of the competition and grew from 4 clubs participating to 17, and next year we'll shoot for 30.

**AVID Conference: Ken Clark** reminded the club that our AVID conference will be on Thursday March 23 at the Sheraton. The program starts at 8:45 and we'll be hosting 64 students from Carlsbad High School. There will a brief training for table leaders after our meeting on March 20<sup>th</sup>. Also we will be assembling a package of advice for the students, an email with student questions was sent to all members, please answer 1-2 questions and email responses to Ken.

**Check Presentation: Nancy Starling** and **President Dawn** presented a check for \$1,500 to Brad and Beth Thorpe of the Mitchell Thorpe Foundation. They started the Foundation in Carlsbad in 2009 after their son passed away at 18 of an undiagnosed illness. The Foundation supports families whose children suffer from life threatening illnesses. The number of families served has tripled since 2009. Beth thanked all the members that participated in their recent 5K event.



**Rotarians at Work Day: Nancy Starling** asked the members to reserve April 29<sup>th</sup>. We will be digging ditches for the San Diego Botantical Gardens in Encinitas.

**Senior Helping Hands: An Lu** announced the next helping hands day will be this Saturday March 18<sup>th</sup>, they will be meeting at the Discovery Center at 8:30 am. This a great program that

helps the Seniors in our community.

**New Member Inductions: Gloria Foote** introduced two new members; first **Lisa Walsh** who is member #100, Lisa works for Farmers Insurance in Carlsbad and her sponsor was **Maureen Simons** (more on Lisa below), and returning member **Joscelin Magana**, a local realtor who left the club about a year ago, but missed all the members and the contributing to the community. His sponsor is **Kori Dolkas**.

Who Am I Now: Bob Fenner first joined Rotary in 1968 and joined this club in 1991 (when we had 12 members) and he followed Dave Kulchin as President in 2003/2004. Bob has 7 children, 17 grandchildren, and 17 great grandchildren. Bob's best known for sitting at the Mexico house and playing Santa Claus at our Annual Kids Christmas Party. Bob first played Santa when we visited an orphanage in Mexico, they were excited about the candy which got his suit pretty sticky.



Who Am I: Lisa

Walsh



is an overachiever as we can see by doing her who am I on the day she was inducted. She has participated the Mexico house and Dr. Seuss reading. Lisa was born in Vietnam, spent some time in Washington D.C., and Carlsbad for the last 13

years. She's worked for Farmer's Insurance since 1998 and now runs a district office for Farmers with her husband. She's been married for 25 years and

runs a district office for Farmers with her husband. She's been married for 25 years and has two college aged daughters and a 13-year old son. She's also a black belt, runs multiple marathons, training for Boston this April helps with Challenged Athletes Foundation.

#### **ROTO ROOTER - LAURA SHERIDAN-CAMPBELL**

- Kori Dolkas happily paid \$50 for the picture of her first grandson. Costa D.
- **Velyn Anderson** \$20 for a picture of her newest granddaughter, which is #12 for her..
- Red Badger Tina Ray was offered a deal to go straight to blue badge if she knew hold old rotary was. She guess a little high compared to 112 years.
- No fine for Gloria Foote's picture of Solutions for Change's lettuce garden.
- **No fine** for **An Lu a**nnouncing Carlsbad Charitable Foundations 10th annual grant celebration.
- **JR Phillips** \$25 for his picture of him participating in Carlsbad Ed Foundation's Peddle for a purpose, the event raised \$75,000.

Steve Wolff has been proposed as a new member of Carlsbad Hi Noon Rotary, with a classification of 'Financial Planning'. **Joscelin Magana** is his sponsor. Please refer any questions or concerns you may have regarding this application to **Magana** or **Patty Johnson** within seven days of this publication.

#### **PROGRAM - JIM DESMOND**

David Kulchin introduced Jim Desmond, Mayor of San Marcos since 2006, a Delta pilot for 30 years and member of the board of the San Diego County Regional Airport Authority. He is a Navy veteran with a degree in Electrical Engineering from San Diego State University. Jim also sits on SANDAG Board, San Diego Regional Economic Development Board, and San Diego Boy Scouts of America Board. He first gave us an updated on Lindbergh Field. In 2007 the county voted against moving the airport to MCAS Miramar and instead developed a plan for improvements. Terminal 3 was completed in 2013, adding 10 new gates, the rental car center was completed last year. they are in process of completing a long term parking garage, and long term plans include redoing Terminal 1. Palomar Airport has been without commercial scheduled service since 2015 when United stopped flights to LAX. A new turboprop carrier Great Lakes Airline is going to start service to LAX, once they get TSA back on site. There is also plans to extend runway by 200 feet, which will more turboprops to fly here, and they have a long range plan of adding 600 feet to the runway. The runway is built on a landfill, so in additional to extending the runway, there will need to be structural work done for larger aircraft to land here.

Jackpot was won last week.

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