

## **September 25, 2017**

Responsibilities for September 25,2017

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Pledge: Bob Kreisburg, Greeter: Tina Ray,
Roto-Rooter: Bob Kreisburg, Reporter: Randy Ferren

# KELLY SCHOOL MAGIC, TRESSIE ARMSTRONG UPCOMING PROGRAMS

Oct 2: Phil Urbina, The Greatest Fest in the Universe

Oct 9: DARK

Oct16: Henry Devries, Indie Books International

Oct 23 Kelly Wilson, Department of Homeland Security

#### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

Oct 7: CHNR 35th Annual Oktoberfest, Holiday Park – All members participate

## **MEETING OF SEPTEMBER 18, 2017**

Harry Peacock on clarinet and Bob Kreisberg on saxophone opened with the playing of "Caissons Go Rolling Along." Sergeant at Arms Jim Brubaker called the meeting to order. President David Harrison opened the meeting and Maureen Simons led the pledge. Steve "Sunshine" Mott led "America the Beautiful" and "Amazing Grace" once again accompanied by Harry on clarinet and Bob on saxophone. Guests were introduced, including former member, Kay Ledson, who announced the Warrior Moms Walk Across America for Spinal Cord Injury awareness coming up on Friday the 21st at the Agua Hedionda Lagoon Discovery Center at 10:30. See www.quadfoundation.org for more information. The Welcome Song followed with no accompaniment and Mary Fritz-Wilson offered Words of Inspiration.

#### **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

President David, Joy and Stan Prowse, and Tina Ray attended the District Pathways to Peace Seminar on Saturday the 16th of September. The 2017 People of Action Foundation Seminar is coming on September 23, 2017 and the LEAD youth conference is October 14th-15th, 2017. Julie Baker spoke about Kay Ledson's foundation and reminded us that the walk will be Friday, September 22nd from the Agua Hedionda Lagoon Discovery Center. Mimi Gaffey announced that she would be sending around a club sign-up sheet for responsibilities and reminded club members about how to earn the Paul Harris awards. President David reminded members about the Youth Protection Program stating that steps one and two are underway and there is a third step which is online and there have been some issues with it but it should be resolved soon and members will be informed when that is clear. President David also announced that HMLA 169 Vipers will be having a BBQ, hosted by the City of Carlsbad, on September 21st at Aviara Park from 11:30-1:00pm. Patrick Casinelli announced the upcoming 24th Rotary Cup on this Friday, September 22, 2017 at 7pm at LCCHS. Patrick thanked Bob Fenner for purchasing the cup all those many years

ago. **President David** reminded members that the veterans' recognition campaign is ongoing and requested that we submit our photos by October 2nd. Please include name/rank/branch of service, Rotary relationship, years of service, short description of service and a single sentence describing photo. Student Juan Albarran, Jr. wrote a thank you note for the Foundation Scholarship and **President David** sent it around the room. The 70th birthday of the United States Air Force was recognized by **President David** and he sent around the Oktoberfest sign-up sheet.

#### WHO AM I?



Dawn Cunneen is an attorney in San Diego and grew up in a small town in South Dakota. She spoke about how growing up in a small town resulted as a level of accountability because it was a very small community where everybody knew everybody. Dawn grew up in a German family and worked in a family-restaurant. attending to the "worst" jobs, like cleaning the bathrooms. She did not learn how to cook but her strengths are in catering, set-up, and presentation. She completed her degree at Bethel University in St. Paul, Minnesota and attended law school in Florida State. Her husband was in the Marine Corps at the time when she was a young mother and had offers at some of the top law firms in country. She chose to stay at home with her daughter and eventually worked with Eric Lodge. Dawn eventually became a partner with Eric's

firm and is a partner with the current firm where she works. She encouraged everyone to follow their dreams and even if you go the nontraditional path, you can still arrive at where you want to be.

# PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS HONORED

Gloria Foote and John Blair presented Mimi Gaffey with the Paul Harris Fellow, plus 6! Other generous Rotarians were recognized as well at the Plus 6 and Plus 7 levels.



Mimi Gaffey,

John Blair

Gloria Foote

## **ROTO-ROOTER**

Continuing with the "happy-buck" theme, **Bob Kreisberg** was the roto-rooter and **Dr. Mark Packard** used his time to talk about the location of the City Council building and he asked for a vote. The result was about half and half to move it to a more central location or to remodel current location. **Robyn Hill** noted the celestial event of **Patrick Casinelli** and **Dr. Mark Packard** being at the meeting, stating that it almost as rare as the recent solar eclipse we experienced. **Julie Baker** went to Oregon to watch the Wyoming Cowboys get beaten by the Ducks and isn't sure if that is "happy-buck" or

not. Mary Fritz-Wilson's daughter was just offered an internship in art school. Steve Mott's younger daughter. Krissy will be in the super-frog half-ironman this weekend. Bob Kreisberg noted that he was happy for playing music with Harry Peacock at the meeting. Mimi Gaffey's "happy-buck" is all of her Rotarian friends being her friends and extended family. Bob Fenner was happy because he has five grandkids at Palomar College. President Harrison's "happy-buck" was Bob Kreisberg for his rotorooter contributions.

#### **PROGRAM**

David Kulchin introduced Phil Blair, who owns Manpower, a company which specializes in manpower issues within companies. Phil writes a column in the Union Tribune business section and he recently wrote about Generation Z's (age 16-21). He is a Member of the downtown San Diego Rotary, Board Member of the San Diego Chamber of Commerce, an author, a community activist and a friend of Dave's brother. He stated that this generation, Generation Z, is very different than the Millennials, who grew up when money was very easy



to come by until 2008 when the market fell. Many of Generation Z saw their parents lose their jobs and some of their friends lost their houses. Essentially, the "easy" days were over during their very formative years of junior high and high school. According to Phil, the happenings were very maturing for Generation Z kids and they are the ones coming out of college today. They are more serious than the Millennials. They take money very seriously. While Millennials have an average job length of two years, Generation Z has a retention of four to five years. Millennial's attitude and approach to work is different than Generation Z. The previous are very much less serious about their approach and attitude to work. Members of Generation Z desire to have work during high school, focus on a career where they can make a living and realize that they will have to pay for their college expenses because their parents lost money during the recession. Overall, he spoke about the commitment of the Generation Z population versus the lackluster approach from the Millennials. His first book, "Job One" focused on doing something you are passionate about. Essentially, he advises, "don't be comfortable with being uncomfortable." He encouraged us that Generation Z will persevere and take responsibility to be successful.

The Opportunity Drawing was won by Patricia Haynes \$10

#### Responsibilities for October 2, 2017

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