

August 7, 2017

Responsibilities

Drawing, **Tracy Carmichael**; Words, **Jos Magana**;
Pledge, **Eric Lodge**; Greeter, **Daniel Purim**;
Roto-Rooter: **Pat Hurley**; Reporter: **Harry Peacock**

PROGRAM: Scott Carr, District Governor

PROGRAMS

August 14: SDG&E Fire Weather, Brian D/Augustino

OTHER EVENTS

September 9: 4th Annual Brewfest, Holiday Park
October 7: 35th Annual Oktoberfest, Holiday Park – All members participate

MEETING OF July 31, 2017

President **David Harrison** opened the meeting with a rousing banjo rendition of “The Caissons Go Rolling Along”, in honor of its performance at the Atlanta Rotary International Convention. The pledge was led by **Mark Beardsley**. The banjo appeared again in accompaniment of the Club signing “America The Beautiful”. We then welcomed guests: Erin Gonzales, recent SDSU graduate and Rotoractor; Bob Beery, San Marcos Rotary Club; Shawn Kellum, USMC Speaker; and Vince Ponce, guest of the Club and former President of Perris Rotary Club. Then there was the “Welcome Song”. Words of Inspiration from **Patty Johnson** quoting Vince Lombardi: “I firmly believe that any man's finest hour, the greatest fulfillment of all that he holds dear, is that moment when he has worked his heart out in a good cause and lies exhausted on the field of battle – victorious.” The Club then focused on



Madison Ealy's recent surgery and **Mark Ealy's** request: “Prayers Are Best”. Much positive energy emanated from the room.

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL AND DISTRICT 5340 BUSINESS

The Rotary Flag flew in video form as the Club focused on a Rotary Value Discussion, organized by table. Eight cherished values were put forth: Fellowship, Service, International Connection, Synergy, Sensitivity, Opportunity, Food, and Community Awareness.

Brewfest has been added to the District News Bits Calendar, which can be found, together with Rotary Stories at Rotary5340.org.



Bob Beery, President of San Marcos Rotary announced their August 14th Golf Tournament. They're looking for foursomes and sponsors.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Brewfest update from **JR Phillips**: 340 tickets sold to date. Need 1,000 more to catch up with last year. That's 10 per member. Sell, sell, sell and keep our sponsors happy. Newest major sponsors include Tri-City

Medical Center, Harrah's, and Visit Carlsbad.

Bobbi Hoder sent the Club a thank you for her “Rotarian at Heart” award bestowed at last week's meeting.

ROTO-ROOTER

Roto-Rooter **Pat Hurley** called-out Rotarians for their fame, fortune, and foibles:

July Birthdays: **Alex Kingsmith**, **Father Ted Atwood**, **Neal Stehly**, **Patty Johnson**, **Wendy Wiegand**, and **Gloria Foote**. President **David Harrison** for taking safety precautions to an extreme when he strapped on a back brace just before picking up his banjo. Also for playing without a metronome app on his phone. **Dave Kulchin** for triplet grandkids and twin great grandkids, identified as a “**Bob Fenner** starter kit”. **Ken Ryan**, \$90, for his yellow lab, Angel turning 90 (dog years). **Josh Ritz**, \$50, for 22 years of marital bliss. **Nancy Starling**, \$50, for her Favorite Oldest Grandson's baseball recruitment video. **Kip McBane** for a portrait photography workshop in Norway. **Neal Stehly** for foot surgery. **Clint Voltmer** for bringing Florida humidity back to Carlsbad. **Mike Davis** was fined for not knowing the difference between a Salon (where one goes to look better), and a Saloon (where one goes to make everyone look better).

PROGRAM: SHAWN KELLAM, USMC FAMILY RELATIONS OFFICER, HMLA – 169



Ted Owen introduced Shawn Kellam, USMC. Shawn talked about his work with the Marine Helicopter Light Attack Squadron HMLA – 169, “The Vipers”. The program covered Leadership Structure, Mission, Types of Aircraft, History, Unit Awards, Current Status, and Organization of the Squadron. The Squadron's Mission is: “Support the Marine Air-Ground Task Force commander by providing offensive air support, utility support, armed escort and airborne supporting arms coordination, day or night under all weather conditions during expeditionary, joint or combined operations”. The Squadron includes 420 Marines and 274 dependents, including 12 female Marines. The much decorated Squadron participated in Desert Shield (Kuwait), Desert Storm (Kuwait), Global War on Terror (Afghanistan), Iraqi Freedom, and Restore Hope (Somalia), among others. The majority of the Squadron are now deployed to Okinawa.

The Family Support Officer is the point of contact for all family readiness activities. He provides information and referrals, manages readiness and deployment support, and coordinates family readiness communication.

President **David** invited Mr. Kellam to sign a book to be donated to a school library.

Wendy Wiegand drew the winning raffle ticket: \$7.

The jackpot is \$130

Jackpot for August 7: \$150

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