



Old Mission Rotary

Meets every Tuesday at noon at the
Best Western Seven Seas Hotel
Hotel Circle South
oldmissionrotary.org

June 17, 2014



K-9 Friendly Visitors



(L-R) Darlene Bates, Bob Self, Larry Edwards, Bill Turnquist, Old Mission Rotary President Steve Nuñez, Michael New CEO of K-9 Friendly Visitors and Art Pratt Foundation president Stan Vogel-sang. Amos the Collie looks on approvingly.

We have all heard of seeing eye dogs but what if a person needs a pair of ears? On June 17, the Art Pratt Foundation of Old Mission Rotary presented a grant of \$2000 to K-9 Friendly Visitors. This non profit provides service dogs to the deaf, hard of hearing, disabled and to people with special needs. The Art Pratt Grant focuses on dogs that serve as ears for deaf masters. The dogs alert their masters when the door bell rings, an alarm clock goes off, the telephone rings and even when the tea kettle whistles! Collies are used exclusively for the program because of their natural ability to herd people away from danger.



Kim Muslusky (Second from Right) of the North San Diego Rotary Club presented a program on the 1000 Smiles.Foundation (L-R) Old Mission Rotarians and 1000 Smiles board of directors members Katherine Willey, Lydia Stewart and Hugh Kramer.



The next Wounded Warrior Dinner is scheduled for Tuesday, June 24 from 4:30pm to 6:30pm at the Naval Hospital Liberty Center Special thanks to Nabih Geha (L) of La Miche Kabobgee Restaurant for providing Lebanese food for 120 sailors and marines! Our 2015-2016 President-Elect, Jerry Hosenkamp (R), is a fanatic patron of Nabih's restaurant!

1000 Smiles

The 1,000 Smiles Foundation is a non-profit organization focused on care of the less fortunate children in Mexico who suffer from lack of dental care and from maxillo-facial deformities such as cleft palate. The organization was created in 1985 by members of the National City and Chula Vista Rotary Clubs and is now supported by two Rotary Districts. Our speaker, Kim Muslusky discovered 1000 Smiles 21 years ago when assigned the duties of International Service Chair as the first woman member of the San Diego North Rotary club. Since then, Kim has served as president and is now the secretary of 1000 Smiles. Clinics take place every three months at the 1000 Smiles facility in Ensenada. Cleft palate surgeries are performed in nearby hospitals but 1000 Smiles has raised \$60,000 toward building and equipping a permanent surgical suite. Dental services such as teeth cleaning, crowns and cavity repaired are also provided. Old Mission Rotary is a huge supporter of 1000 Smiles and Stan Vogelsang announced that our *So You Think You've Got Talent San Diego* gala raised \$20,000 for the organization.

Demotion Dinner!
Hacienda Castro in Bonita
Sunday, June 29 at 6pm



The Surfing Madonna is a 10 by 10 foot mosaic of the Virgen de Guadalupe created by Mark Patterson. On May 20, the artist told us the inside story of the mosaic that he and a friend installed on a concrete wall on a rail bridge in Encinitas and the follow on controversy.



Michelle Malin introduced Danny Sherlock of the Escondido Girls and Boys Club.



Dr. Kevin Glynn with his former La Jolla neighbor special guest Bill Bradbury. Bill was invited to the meeting by Katherine Willey.

**Got Talent Gala Meeting
Rotary District Office
Monday, June 23
Starting at 5:30**



Rick Wilson presented a thank you award from the Mission Valley YMCA to Old Mission Rotary. A special committee will be formed to determine an appropriate display venue for the glass trophy.



Special guest Angela Khan with Stan Vogelsang. Angela was invited to the meeting by Omar Calleros and is with the non profit San Diego Futures Foundation.



Niles Shariff (L) just returned from a grueling but satisfying trip to Burundi where his non profit, Frances Kitchen, worked with the impoverished Batwa people. Larry Edwards was thrilled to announce that his daughter was just hired as a sixth grade school teacher in Bonita

Rotary Calendar
• Monday, June 23 at 5:30pm
Got Talent Gala Wrap Up Meeting at the Rotary District Office

- Tuesday, June 24 at 4:30pm
Wounded Warrior Dinner at the Liberty Center at the Naval Hospital.
- Sunday, June 29 at 6pm
Demotion Dinner at Hacienda Castro (4320 Colling Rd. E. in Bonita)
- Thursday, July 10 at 7:30am
Board of Directors Meeting at the Mission Valley YMCA
- Tuesday, July 29 at 11am
Board of Directors Meeting with District Governor Louise Andres before the regular meeting at the Best Western Seven Seas

Program Schedule

- June 24 **DIY Network's "I Hate My Yard."** with Sara Bendrick
- July 1 Kathleen Harris of **Loyola Marymount University**
- July 8 **White Labs** Yeast and the Craft Brew Industry
- July 15 Mike Hedman with **Excelsior Chess Partners**
- July 22 Stella Villaseñor & Mike Beuoy from **Rebuilding Together - San Diego**
- July 29 Louise Andres **District Governor Visit** with a Board Meeting at 11am

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