



The Old Mission Bell of Old Mission Rotary



Meetings Every Tuesday at noon on Zoom
Post Pandemic at the Legacy Resort Hotel and Spa
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Alliance for HOPE International



Casey Gwinn, is the President of Alliance for Hope International and a former City Attorney for the City of San Diego,

Alliance for HOPE International is one of the leading systems and social change organizations in the country focused on creating innovative, collaborative, trauma-informed, hope-centered approaches to meeting the needs of survivors of domestic violence, sexual assault, child abuse, elder abuse, and human trafficking. Our speaker, Casey Gwinn, President of Alliance for Hope International and a former City Attorney for the City of San Diego, is dedicated to the science of hope and the role it plays in

Program Calendar

- Tuesday, March 2nd- **San Diego County Sheriff William D. Gore**

overcoming the consequences of domestic violence. Alliance for HOPE International and its allied Family Justice Centers serve more than 150,000 survivors of domestic violence and sexual assault and their children each year in the United States. The Alliance supports Family Justice/Multi-Agency Centers through their Family Justice Center Alliance in 40 states and 25 countries and trains more than 10,000 multi-disciplinary professionals every year.

Hope heals trauma and Casey stressed the importance of goal setting in life to create hope. Casey's father once asked him a key question "Do you have more memories than dreams at this point in your life?"

Rotary Calendar

- Tuesday, March 9th,- **Old Mission Rotary ZOOM Board of Directors Meeting.**
- Saturday-March 27th-Sunday March 28th- **District 5340 Model United Nations**
- Friday, March 26th - Saturday, March 27th **Thousand Smiles Surgery only Clinic in Ensenada**
- Tuesday, March 30th- **Art Pratt Foundation ZOOM Board of Directors Meeting**
- Saturday, April 10th- **District Training Assembly**

Corona Conversation

At today's Corona Conversation, club member Don Krupp gave an update on COVID-19 vaccination progress, in light of the fact that over half a million Americans have now died since the pandemic began a year ago.. He noted that worldwide some 212 million doses have been given, with 64 million shots delivered in the United States. Israel has done the best job of getting vaccines into people's arms with a whopping 87 doses per one hundred individuals. The United States is at about 19.5 doses per one hundred.

The vaccines have proven to be remarkably safe with no known fatalities associated with them. Rates of allergic reactions, at about four cases per million doses, have been less than half of what was predicted. . Of the 64 million doses given nationally, 19.4 million have received their second shot.

Here in San Diego County we have administered 742,000 doses with 193,000 having received their second booster dose.

Though the post-holiday winter surge in cases appears to be slowing, doctors advise now is not the time to be complacent. Case rates are still about where they were in late summer and could easily be induced into another deadly surge.

So don't let your guard down. Keep wearing your mask and respecting physical distancing guidelines. Avoid large gatherings and wash your hands frequently.