



The Old Mission Bell of Old Mission Rotary

Meetings Every Tuesday at noon
at the Legacy Resort Hotel and Spa
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March 2022- Edition Three



Hope through Housing



Stephanie De La Torre of Hope Through Housing discussed how the non profit is building apartments for the homeless.

Our speaker on March 29th was Stephanie De La Torre from Hope through Housing.

Established in 1998 the Hope through Housing Foundation is dedicated to elevating the health, well-being, and self-sufficiency of children, families, and seniors living in affordable housing communities. Wanting to do more to help the children, families and seniors who lived in its National CORE communities, the Hope through Housing Foundation was established as an independent non-profit organization to develop and administer a broad range of charitable and educational programs for children, young adults, low-income and underprivileged families and the general public.

Evening Social at the Mission Bay Resort

On Tuesday, March 22nd, members of Old Mission Rotary met at the San Diego Mission Bay Resort for our monthly evening social. The weather was perfect and the views of the bay and the hotel pool were wonderful.



Bob Chalfa toasts our group after his wine glass broke leaving him unable to set down his Cabernet Sauvignon!



(L-R) A startled Jerry Hosenkamp, Bob Self and Stan Vogelsang.

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Rotary Calendar

- Tuesday, April 19th- **Rotary Night at the Padres vs. Reds**
- Monday, April 18th at 5:30pm **So You Think You've Got Talent San Diego.** Committee Meeting at the Boys and Girls Club or on ZOOM.
- Tuesday, April 19th **Board of Directors Meeting** immediately following the regular meeting.
- Saturday, May 14th **So You Think You've Got Talent San Diego.** at Francis Parker School.

Dr. Kristine Reese Celebration of Life



There will be a Celebration for Dr. Kristine Reese's Amazing Life on Saturday, April 2, 2022 at 3pm. The Celebration will take place at Christ Presbyterian Church at 7807 Centella Street in Carlsbad

March Evening Social Continued



(L-R) Shari Stauder is the Director of Membership Sales at San Diego Mission Bay Resort. Erika Rodriguez is a member of Pacific Beach Rotaract.



(L-R) Club President Michelle Malin with Gary John Collins. Gary remarked that "I felt like I was on vacation the minute I walked on to the hotel property!"



(L-R) Steve Nuñez ponders the mysteries of the universe while Gary Stemple and Marge Cole chat about her recent Nile cruise.

Any man who has once acclaimed violence as his method must inexorably choose falsehood as his principle.
-Aleksandr Solzhenitsyn, novelist, Nobel laureate



Don and Susan Krupp enjoy the lively atmosphere by the pool and bay at the Mission Bay Resort.

So You Think You've Got Talent San Diego!

Please promote our "So You Think You've Got Talent" Fund raiser! The date is set for the evening of Saturday, May 14th at Francis Parker School.

Members are asked to contribute by:

- Buying and Selling Tickets to the Show
- Buying and Selling Raffle Tickets
- Soliciting Talent to Compete in the show
- Soliciting or Donating prizes to our Silent Auction
- Making a Gift Basket for our Silent Auction
- Volunteering to help Staff the Event\
- Promote the event with a PDF that you can send by e-mail or post in social media.

Participation by all club members is critical as the net profits are divided between Thousand Smiles (70%) and the Old Mission Rotary Foundation (30%) and is our only club fund raiser of the year.

Club Executive Secretary, Stan Vogelsang, has issued envelopes to every club member with four event tickets and seven raffle tickets to sell as a minimum for participation.

Model UN

One of the popular programs in our District is the Model United Nations which comes under the Pathways to Peace Avenue of Service and Youth Services.

This amazing program is bringing together over 50 high school teams - not just from District 5340, but from high schools in countries outside the United States. It truly is an international program.

Youth advisors from Rotary clubs have prepared these teams to engage in diplomacy and peace building similar to how the United Nations operates.

The Model UN will take place over the weekend of April 2nd and 3rd at the University of San Diego, Joan B. Kroc Institute for Peace and Justice.

Every year, the Model UN program presents two timely resolutions that will be debated and caucused for the two-day session. Pauline Lim-Endresen of the Downtown Breakfast club chairs our district's program and we thank her committee for their hard work and dedication.

The Old Mission Rotary Foundation is funding three high school teams (\$1500) from Madison High School. Later this spring, the two teams will present a club program on their experience.



Our club's involvement in Model UN began with Lydia Stewart and her passion for the Pathways to Peace Program.