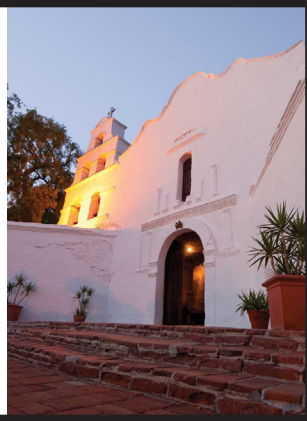


# Old Mission Rotary

Meets Every Tuesday at noon at the  
Best Western Seven Seas Hotel  
Hotel Circle South  
[oldmissionrotary.org](http://oldmissionrotary.org)

June 21st and 28th 2016



## Jerry Hosenkamp Demotion



President Jerry Hosenkamp celebrates his demotion on Saturday, June 18th at the home of Bernadette and Art Castro! The cake had a photo of Jerry with the signature quote "The thought for today is..."



President Jerry Hosenkamp was catapulted back to his 17 year professional life in Saudi Arabia and Lebanon with a surprise visit from belly dancer Sohaila! Sohaila developed her craft over many years of study in the Middle East



Members of Old Mission Rotary welcome Wounded Warrior Chris Van Etten and his fiancée Samantha to the Demotion Dinner. Young Marine Chris was blown up in Afghanistan and lost both of his legs. His motto is "No legs! No excuses!" Chris is now a model and appears in a full page ad for Jockey underwear on page 74 of the new People magazine (July 4, 2016). (L-R) Judi Copeland, Carol Kramer, Hugh Kramer, Samantha, Chris Van Etten and Tom Sandler.



Special thanks to Bernadette and Art Castro for hosting our Demotion Dinner at their lovely home!

**Demotion- Continued side two**

## The End of the Hosenkamp Era!



President Jerry's final act is to hand over the club bell to incoming president Bob Self!

## Art Pratt Grant SAY San Diego



(L-R) Bob Self, Sandy Johnson of SAY San Diego, Bob James, Suzie Colby of SAY San Diego, Bernadette Castro, Larry Edwards, Bob Chalfa and Old Mission President Jerry Hosenkamp.

The Art Pratt foundation of Old Mission Rotary donated \$2700 to SAY San Diego. The fund will be used to improve computer labs. SAY San Diego's mission is to partner with youth, adults, families, and communities to reach their full potential. Their vision is opportunity, equity and well-being for all San Diegans.



***Demotion Dinner-  
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*(L-R) Lee and Cass Kaminetz with Carol and Bob Self.*



*Diane and Marv Love. Marv is our club incoming club Secretary.*



*Assistant District Governor Steve Nuñez represented Rotary District 5340 with his wife Dawn and children Gabriel and Rosemary.*



*(L-R) Raymond and Lydia Stewart with Michael and Teresa Lewis. The Castro backyard was a perfect venue for our Demotion Dinner!*

**International Rescue Committee**



*Club members were mesmerized by a program on immigrants in San Diego by San Diego IRC Executive Director David Murphy.*

David Murphy presented a program on the work of the International Rescue Committee (IRC) in San Diego. David left the corporate world 18 years ago to join the IRC and has served in Africa and Afghanistan.

The program could not have been more timely as the topic of immigration fuels the news headlines. In 2015, the United States selected 85,000 displaced persons from UN refugee camps and 1610 of these were sent to San Diego. These refugees have escaped political upheaval and civil wars in Vietnam, Ethiopia, the Sudan, Somalia, Iraq, Laos and most recently, Burma. The vetting process to get to America often takes as long as five years. The U.S. State Department contracts resettlement in San Diego to the IRC and they help immigrants learn English and acquire basic skills to obtain employment. America is a nation of immigrants and club members were truly impressed by the scope of the work of IRC to help new arrivals assimilate into American society.

**Michelle Malin**



Michelle Malin served as club host on June 14th. Michele and her husband Paul spend most of their time and energy on their two children: Lucy- age 8 and Joey- age 6. She has been working for the Boys and Girls Clubs for 23 years and is the Director of Development in San Diego.

**Art Pratt Grant  
SAY San Diego**



*(L-R) Bob Chalfa, Bob James, Larry Edwards, Amy Ogden of Casa De Amparo, Bob Self and Old Mission Rotary President Jerry Hosenkamp.*

The Art Pratt Foundation of Old Mission Rotary donated \$5900 to Casa de Amparo. Established in 1978, Casa de Amparo (Home of Protection) is recognized as a leader in treating and preventing child abuse and neglect in San Diego County and beyond, with locations in Oceanside and San Marcos.