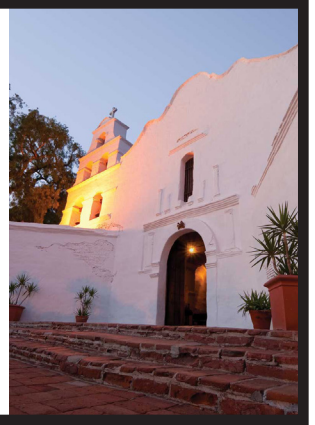




# The Old Mission Bell of Old Mission Rotary



Meetings Every Tuesday at noon on Zoom  
Post Pandemic at the Legacy Resort Hotel and Spa  
[oldmissionrotary.org](http://oldmissionrotary.org)

July 2021- Edition Two

## San Diego Public Library Foundation



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The San Diego Public Library System of 35 branches and the Central Library serves each San Diego neighborhood with collections and programs reflecting the diversity of the communities they serve. The library system's collection features materials in 54 languages, with library staff fluent in 25 languages.

The San Diego Public Library Foundation was created in 2002 when a group of motivated and concerned community leaders joined to focus their energy and attention on providing private support to build an outstanding library system in San Diego.

Since then, the Foundation has raised more than \$130 million in private funds to augment and support library programs, collections,

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## Demotion Dinner

Members of Old Mission Rotary enjoyed a wonderful Demotion Dinner on Saturday, July 10th to celebrate the past presidencies of Matt Risi and Gary John Collins. The venue was the delightful backyard patio of Jerry and Jean Hosenkamp. The ambiance and catered Greek dinner were amazing.



*Gary John Collins delivered a heartfelt thank you to Old Mission Rotary for the opportunity to serve as president last year (2020-2021)*



*(L-R) Executive Secretary Stan Vogelsang, Demotion Dinner Emcee Bob Chalfa and Matt Risi. Matt Risi missed his demotion dinner in the lost Covid-19 year (2019-2020)*

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## District Governor Tuesday, July 20th



District Governor Dan Gensler will be visiting our club on Tuesday, July 20th and all members are asked to make every effort to attend.

**Club Officers and Board Members will meet with Dan before the meeting at 11am.**



*Ellen Edwards prepares to cut the impressive and delicious cake at the Demotion Dinner.*



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(L-R) Eric Benink, Judi Copeland, Lee Kaminetz and Don Krupp.



Jerry and Jean Hosenkamp generously offered up their spacious backyard patio for the Demotion Dinner.



(L-R) Paul and Michelle Malin with Gloria and Bob Chalfa. Bob organized and served as the Master of Ceremonies for the Double Demotion Dinner.



(L-R) Paula Kelly, Brian Dempsey, Tom Sandler, Bob and Carole Self and Bob James. Bob is back to San Diego permanently after leaving and living in Henderson Nevada.

## Bon Appetit at the Legacy Resort and Spa!



*Fettucine Alfredo was created by Alfredo di Lelio at his restaurant in Rome. After WWII such Hollywood film stars such as Jimmy Stewart, Bob Hope, Anthony Quinn, Bing Crosby, Gary Cooper, Jack Lemmon, Ava Gardner, Tyrone Power and Sophia Loren flocked to the restaurant and brought the dish back to the US. Gil Klecan is another star who enjoys the pasta!*

## Greetings from Sunny Italy!



*Steve Marciano takes stock of the cavernous basement in his recently purchased villa in the remote mountain village of Trivento Italy! Pat and Steve completed a whirlwind trip to visit their property in the Italian Province of Molise west of Rome and North of Naples.*

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expansion and services. Foundation support has been central to:

- Completing the Central Library-Building nine new library branches and improving existing branches
- Expanding collections throughout the system
- Providing Sunday hours at certain locations
- Enhancing crucial programs such as the Summer Reading Program and establishing new programs, such as Library NExT
- Working with the Friends of the Library to meet City Matching Fund goals for 17 consecutive years, providing millions of additional dollars in funding for books and resources

The Foundation is a catalyst for creating stronger communities through investment in the San Diego Public Library system — where access to resources supporting literacy, work readiness and lifelong learning ensure equal opportunities for success.

## Rotary Calendar

- Tuesday, July 20th **District Governor Visit.** Club Leadership will meet with Dan Gensler at 11am.
- Tuesday, August 3rd- **Art Pratt Foundation Board of Directors Meeting** immediately following the regular meeting at the Legacy Resort and Spa.
- Tuesday, August 10th- **Project s Committee Meeting** immediately following the regular meeting at the Legacy Resort and Spa.
- Friday, August 6th-Saturday August 7th- **Thousand Smiles Clinic in Ensenada**
- Saturday, August 7th-**STAR/PAL Back to School Event.**