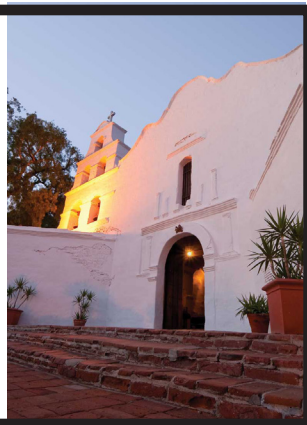




Old Mission Rotary

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

July 25 and August 1, 2017



Membership



Membership in Rotary was the topic on the table at our August 1st meeting

On August 1st, Rotarian John Goodrich spoke to Old Mission Rotary about membership. John is a member of the Rancho Bernardo Rotary Club and our District Governor Nominee for Rotary Year 2019-2020. John attended the recent District 5340 Membership Rally as did President Bob James Jr. and Secretary Matt Risi from Old Mission Rotary.

Members are generally best recruited by personal invitation. A key to getting a visitor interested in Rotary is to have fun and dynamic meetings. Interesting programs are critical as is a good audio visual system. Membership retention is just as important as recruiting new people. John urged all of us to monitor our club meeting attendance and to reach out to members that have a string of absences.

A New Deputy



On July 25th, President Bob presented Drew Armbruster with his Sergeant-At-Arms lapel pin. Drew shares the job with Larry Edwards. This appointment begs the question: Who is Sheriff Andy and who is Barney Fife?

What is the Rotary Elevator Speech?

Here are some key points when explaining Rotary

- **Rotary is a leadership organization.**
- **We are made up of local business, professional, and civic leaders.**
- **We meet regularly, get to know each other and form friendships**
- **We are able to get things done in our community and around the world.**

Club Program for July 18

Allan Patch - Historical Author
History, Heroes and the Timeless
Wisdom of Ancient People
August 8th

Soccer and STEM

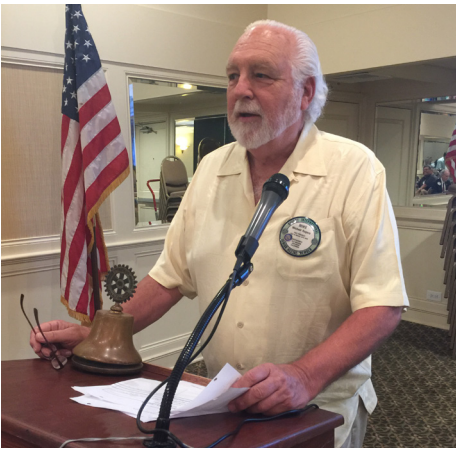


Maureen Crawford of Coast 2 Coast Soccer with Visiting Rotarian Ruth Sallade of Coudersport Pennsylvania Rotary. Ruth is a retired educator and was very impressed with Maureen's presentation of incorporating soccer into public schools..

Coast 2 Coast runs lunch-recess, Saturday, after school, and summer programs at over 1,000 elementary and middle schools in California and Texas. College students with soccer backgrounds blend STEM into soccer, inspiring your children in academics as well as sports. 200,000 kids go through our program yearly. STEM is a curriculum based on the idea of educating students in four specific discipline: science, technology, engineering and mathematics.

Maureen played woman's soccer as a Spartan at Michigan State University and moved to San Diego to work for Cast 2 Coast.

Club Hosts



Mike Rogers reported on a recent family trip to Tanzania. 12 members of his family traveled to the East African nation in July and enjoyed a photo safari. Mikes' granddaughter was so inspired that she stayed to volunteer in a remote village. Mike expects her to return speaking fluent Swahili!



On July 25th, Eric Benink served as club host. Eric challenged the club to answer true or false questions about his life. Did you know that Eric played in a heavy metal band, that his mother is Chinese and that he once wore two different shoes at a deposition in New York City?

Club Happy Hour!
Thursday, August 17th
Starting at 5pm
Air Conditioned Lounge
North Park

Stock Market Report



Brian Dempsey introduced his brother Kevin (L) at our July 25th meeting.

There are ten Dempsey brothers who grew up in New Jersey. Brian's brother Kevin recently retired as a Science teacher at Laguna Hills High School where he was also a cross country coach. Now, Kevin enjoys outrigger canoe paddling competition. Kevin reminisced about growing up with Brian and recalls the day Brian shipped out to Vietnam as a Naval Aviator.

Projects Committee Meeting on Monday, August 14th at 2pm at the Mission Valley YMCA Community Room

What are the Duties of a Club Host?

- Be prepared to greet members and guests at promptly at noon in the meeting room.
- Bring three raffle gifts of about \$10 value each.
- Open the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance
- Deliver a short invocation
- Use the guest sign in sheet to introduce visitors.
- Present a five minute "Who Am I."

What a child doesn't receive he can seldom later give.
-P.D. James, novelist (1920-2014)



Tom Sandler presented Immediate Past President Bob Self with his framed impeachment and pardon proclamations from Bob's demotion Dinner! Tom is the owner of the Frame Station at 4085 Pacific Highway. Tom's congenial and experienced team creates quality custom picture framing. In the course of 35 years in the business, Tom has framed everything from a stale loaf of bread commemorating a first date to the finest of prints, photos and arts.

Rotary Calendar

- Tuesday August 8th **Old Mission Rotary Board of Directors Meeting** after our Rotary Meeting
- Monday, August 14th **Projects Committee** at 2pm at the Mission Valley YMCA.
- Tuesday August 15th **Art Pratt Foundation Board of Directors Meeting** after our Rotary Meeting
- Thursday August 17th **Happy Hour at the Air Conditioned Lounge** starting at 5pm at 4673 30th Street in North Park.
- Tuesday August 22nd **District Governor Scott Carr**-The Board of Directors will assemble at 11:30am to meet with the District Governor.