

# The Old Mission Bell of Old Mission Rotary

Meetings Every Tuesday at noon at the Legacy Resort Hotel and Spa **oldmissionrotary.org** 

November 2021- Edition Four



# Gift Wrapping Luncheon Offsite at the Copley-Price Family YMCA

On Tuesday, December 7th Old Mission Rotary will meet at the Copley-Price YMCA for a Holiday Gift Wrapping luncheon.

Members will enjoy lunch and gift wrapping from noon to 1:30pm. Bring an unwrapped gift for a teen ager.

Club Members may contribute any of the following for the wrapping party:

- Ages Newborn-2 years old- Toys
- Ages 10-12 years old- Board games, sporting goods or arts & crafts.
- Ages 15-18 years old- Gift cards from Walmart or Target (amount is usually \$20 or \$25).

## Evening Social King's Fish House



On November 30th, members of Old Mission Rotary met at King's Fish House for our November monthly evening social. (L-R) Paula Kelly, Jack Maytum and Shari Stauder. Members enjoyed drinks and seafood appetizers on the heated outdoor patio.

## Thanksgiving with STAR/PAL



Charlotte Cofield (Red Jacket) represented Old Mission Rotary during a Thanksgiving meal deliveries to families in City Heights.

Old Mission Rotary provided funds for full Thanksgiving meals for two deserving families in City Heights. The food baskets were delivered by STAR/PAL on Saturday, November 20th by a procession of five low rider cars escorted by San Diego Police Department black and whites! Charlotte Cofield represented Old Mission Rotary and is our club's Community Service chair. Charlotte was so impressed by STAR/PAL that she reached out to them in the summer of 2020 to see if Old Mission Rotary could help

The mission of STAR/PAL is to engage underserved youth with law enforcement and develop trusting and long term relationships. STAR/PAL offers free programs for at-risk youth in San Diego. These programs are led by law enforcement officers and focus on violence prevention, mentoring, leadership, civic en-

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gagement, outdoor enrichment, and physical fitness.

Old Mission Rotary was recognized as the STAR/PAL Community Partner of the year for 2020!

#### The next STAR/PAL event is:

Christmas Toy & Meal Giveaway 50 Families will pick up a holiday meal and gifts from the STAR/PAL office on Tuesday, December 21st between 9am-1pm

Club Members may contribute any of the following for the Christmas event:

- Ages Newborn-2 years old- Toys
- Ages 10-12 years old- Board games, sporting goods or arts & crafts.
- Ages 15-18 years old- Gift cards from Walmart or Target (amount is usually \$20 or \$25).

Please bring donated items to an Old Mission Rotary Club meeting.



Charlotte Cofield next to one of the low rider cars that was used to deliver Thanksgiving meal packages to families in need.

#### Who Am I?-Shari Stauder



Shari Stauder is a new member of Old Mission Rotary.

Shari Stauder is originally from Milwaukee She attended the University of Nevada Las Vegas (UNLV) and graduated with a degree in Business. A lifechanging experience was her semester abroad in San Sebastián (Donostia) Spain. Shari devoted herself to becoming fluent in the Spanish language and immersed herself in the local culture. She also took advantage of her time in Europe by purchasing a Eurail pass and travelling. She was most impressed by Italy and even got to see Pope John Paul in Saint Peter's Square. Upon graduation, Shari worked in

Las Vegas at the MGM Grand. She is also a talented Latin Salsa Dancer and performed with a band in shows at night.

Shari moved to San Diego and worked at the Manchester Grand Hyatt and then the Mission Bay Hilton. Today she is the Director of Membership Sales at San Diego Mission Bay Resort. Members of Old Mission Rotary should check out the Member Club at the Mission Bay Resort where local residents can enjoy a country club experience. Shari has been married for 17 years to Sean, who has his own audio visual business. They have a grown son Donovan, and daughter Gigi, a freshman in high school.

#### Holiday Luncheon Tuesday, December 14th

Our club luncheon at the Legacy Resort and Spa on Tuesday, December 14th will be a wonderful opportunity to mark the holiday season together. There will be no program but just good food and fellowship.

#### Club Host Jerry Hosenkamp



Jerry Hosenkamp served as club host on November 2nd.

Jerry Hosenkamp enjoyed a fascinating career as an attorney in the middle east and has on several occasions briefed the club on the politics of the region.

Jerry is particularly proud of being a University of Michigan Alumnus. He shared a story that he played on an intramural basketball team on campus and one day Wolverine Basketball legend Cazzie Russell wandered on to the court to join the game. As fate would have it, Jerry made as series of impressive shots that got Cazzie's attention and praise!

#### **Rotary Calendar**

- Saturday, December 4th- Project Mercy House Building in Tecate
- Tuesday, December 7th-RSVP with EVITE for our **Gift Wrapping Lunch Meeting at the Copley-Price Family YMCA.** Please bring an unwrapped gift!
- Tuesday, December 14th-RSVP with EVITE for our **Holiday Lunch Meeting**
- Tuesday, December 21st-STAR/PAL Christmas Toy & Meal Giveaway from 9am-1pm
- Tuesday, December 21st- **NO Lunch Meeting** for the Christmas Holiday
- Tuesday, December 21st and 28th- **NO Lunch Meeting** for the New Years Holiday.

A poor idea well written is more likely to be accepted than a good idea poorly written. -Isaac Asimov, scientist and writer (2 Jan 1920-1992)

## Project Mercy International Service!

District 5340 is inviting all clubs and Rotarians to take advantage of an incredible opportunity to participate in an upcoming international service project. *Project Mercy has organized a Tecate House Build in Baja, Mexico on Saturday, December 4th.* Volunteers will be building 6 houses for deserving families.

The Old Mission Rotary Foundation is donating \$2500 and individual members have pledged an additional \$1400 for a total contribution of \$3900.

Members, friends and family can volunteer to build the houses. on the District 5340 website: www.rotary5340.org.