







### ROTARY CLUB OF CITRUS HEIGHTS April 9, 2014

Pledge: Mel Turner Invocation: Carroll Webb

#### Introduction of Visiting Rotarians:

Bob Churchill introduced from the Sacramento Club, with the Classification of Deception Retail, Richard Kowaleski... Welcome Richard...

Bill Van Duker introduced from the Sacramento Club, with the Classification of Retired Judge, Brian Van Kamp... Welcome Brian...

Introduction of Guests: Barda Davis introduced Susan Haas, Susan is hear dearest friend and personal assistant, welcome Susan...

Vocational Minute: Rich Hale introduced Debbie Scott to speak about her vocation... Debbie Scott spoke about her vocation of providing Residential and Commercial Pest Management Services... Since 1981, Advanced Integrated Pest Management has taken great pride specializing in commercial, industrial, and institutional pest management. Our objective is to create a partnership rather than just being another vendor. Advanced Integrated Pest Management partners with you to create an environmentally conscious pest management strategy designed specifically for your needs. Reports faxed/emailed within 24 to 48 hours-Licensed General Contractors-Quality Control Inspectors-Commercial Termite Department-Complete Pest Control Division-General Contracting for repairs, remodels, decks & room additions-Professional Office Staff-Locally owned and operated since 1981-Serving California and Nevada -Member SAR, PCAR & EDCAR... Thanks Debbie... If you have need of her service, contact Debbie at 800-655-3993

### Rotary Regional Speech Contest Results

Gail Moxley reported that the Speech Contest was very competitive... Our candidate, Brandon Davis from Mesa Verde High School represented the club and his high school very effectively. Brandon did not win this time around, but he is certainly performed admirably...Special Thanks to Brandon for an outstanding effort...Thanks Gail...

<u>Citrus Heights Rotary Anniversary Dinner:</u> Jessica Mang reported that our 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Dinner will be combined with the Demotion Dinner on June 22, 2014 at the Lions Gate Inn on McClellan Industrial Park (The Old Officers Club)... The Theme is 1960's and will feature a martini bar and cigar smoking...with Costumes encouraged...Invitations to this event are in the works and it is anticipated that up to 150 people will attend... Invitations are being prepared, so if you know of a former member, please provide the contact information to Jessica...Invitations will be sent out in two weeks, so PLEASE let Jessica know of any former or past members so they can be formally invited...Stay Tuned for Updates...Thanks Jessica

### Special Recognition:

Jack and Jean Duncan received special recognition from our Past President Rich Hale for providing their home last Sunday as a reception center to celebrate and reflect on the life of a Great Lady, Mary Purvis, following her memorial service... Thanks Jack and Jean...

SPECIAL REPORT: Mel Turner spoke to the club about this club provided a life changing experience for a young woman. Three years ago the club was going to grant her \$3,000 to help her with her education and living expenses...She would only take the funds as a loan and promised to pay us back... She has reached a point where that is now possible and she is paying us back...Mel commented that we had never done this kind of thing before and thanked the club for it's vision... A special experience to see the fruits of a helping hand... Thanks Mel...

RI Foundation Update:

Bob Churchill asked the club if they knew what EREY means... Everyone seemed to know that it means Every Rotarian Every Year... Bob was pleased to report that this year we have been able to contribute \$100 for each member to the RI Foundation and this counts toward each member's Paul Harris Award... Thanks Bob...

Texas Hold-Em Poker Tournament: Rich Hale reported that the Poker Tournament will be held at the Citrus Heights Community Center on Saturday April 19, 2014...The Goal is to have 50 table sponsors and 135 players...The event is expected to last 4.5 hours. Rich reported that the Bar and Raffle are donated with our only expenses being the Room and the Dealers...Tickets are \$50 and Sponsorships \$250... See the Attached Flyer at the end of this newsletter... Flyer and sponsor letter is also on our website...Rich reported that we are at 100 + players committed with a goal of 135 players, so hurry up and sign up... Grand Prize is \$500... We still need raffle prizes... Thanks Rich...

CHPD PAL Charity Poker Run: Alex Turcotte reminded the club to Kick off spring with Folsom HD and the Citrus Heights Police Activities League at the Charity Poker Run on April 19th! Registration is Free. All donations will benefit the Citrus Heights Police Activities League, a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization dedicated to serving local youth. The motorcycle ride will begin at Folsom Harley-Davidson (115 Woodmere Rd, Folsom), meander south to Jackson, and make a loop back up to Folsom Harley. Collect cards at stops along the way and the two people with the best hand at the end of the ride will receive Great prizes (including Free Harley gear). After the ride, enjoy a free BBQ and entertainment! In addition, the Citrus Heights Police Department will be selling Chpal raffle tickets for a chance to win an Original CHPD Harley Road King (drawing May 16th). All proceeds benefit the Citrus Heights Police Activities League. For more information, visit www.citrusheightspalraffle.com. Thanks Alex

Citrus Heights Police Athletic League (PAL) Major Fundraiser:

Reminder about the first Major PAL Fundraiser... The Citrus Heights Police Activities League will be raffling off Original CHPD Harley Road Kings...Tickets are \$50.00 each and will be drawn live at the First Annual PAL Banquet on Friday, May 16, 2014 at the Citrus Heights Community Center...Early ticket purchases enter you into Early Bird Drawings prior to the Motorcycle Raffle... Motorcycles displayed at SR Mall, Costco, and Sam's Club

Rotary at Work Day: Save the Date: April 26, 2014 (Saturday)...

Turcotte reported that we will be working again on City Graffiti Abatement and other projects... We will gather at the CHPD Conference Room... Details to follow, so stay tuned and SAVE THIS DATE... Your cub reporter does not remember the time, but will have it for you in our next newsletter... Thanks Alex...

Raley's Gift Cards: Jack Duncan reported that we had No Winners this week... How it Works: Our Rotary Club & Soroptimist of Historic Auburn are partnering again this year to sponsor this 52 week Gift Card Giveaway... Each ticket holder will be eligible for a weekly drawing for 52 weeks, beginning July 4, 2012 to June 26, 2013. The winner of each drawing receives a gift card in the amount of \$100 to use at Raley's, Bell Air and Nob Hill... Each ticket purchased qualifies for all 52 drawings, so don't lose them. Tickets are \$20 each and have been distributed to the club...Jack has two winning tickets, but the Rotarians who have the tickets have not turned in their funds yet... Jack reported that he has a winning ticket but it has not been purchased yet...

<u>Citrus Heights Rotary Annual Easter Egg Event in Newcastle:</u> Jack Duncan announced that our annual Easter Egg Event in Newcastle will be on Thursday, April 17, 2014... Children from the Sacramento Receiving Home will go to Newcastle and enjoy BBQ, Easter Egg Hunt, Gifts and a special treat of the Easter Bunny arriving on a Fire Engine... Very Cool... Signup Sheet passed around...Jack has all the details on this and if you have not yet attended now is the time to go... You will never forget the experience...Thanks Jack...

Gene Ahner Memorial Golf Tournament on April 18, 2014 at Mather Golf Course...Save the date...(Gene Ahner was a member of this club and a close personal friend of Jack Duncan) Jack reported that he needs two more golfers and encouraged members to sign up so the club can be properly represented... Thanks Jack...

Wheel Spins: Barda Davis spun \$?? In celebration of Susan Haas saving the life of a young woman having a seizure this past week in the Safeway parking lot at Dewey and Madison... Barda described the added difficulties of the

experience and how Susan was absolutely the right person at the right time... The club responded to Barda's comments with a rousing applause... Congratulations to Susan...

Fine Master: Bob Churchill Issued the Following Fines:

Evan Jacobs fined \$1 for being late...

Mayor Mel Turner fined \$1 for just being Mel Turner

The fine master tried to fine Rob Deatsch, but Rob was not present...He had come early to pay for cookie dough that Sawyer Stouffer was selling and had to leave early... Oh Well...

The 2nd Annual Charity Golf Classic Reminder that this event will take place at the beautiful Haggin Oaks Golf Complex Saturday, May 24th, 2014..To end all forms of violence to women and girls, men and boys, and to promote peace in our homes, schools and communities. All proceeds from this tournament benefit the children and youth services at A Community For Peace (ACFP). For more information please call Ophelia Riego (916) 425-7090 or Mike Ely (916) 826-5157...Check-in & Breakfast 7:30am...Putting Contest........ 7:30am/8:15 am Shotgun Start....... 8:30am Chipping Contest.............12:30pm.... Cocktails and Luncheon 1:30 PM...Haggin Oaks Golf Club...3645 Fulton Avenue...Sacramento, CA 95821...ph: 916-808-0963

Program: The Role of Courts in a Free Society...Bill Van Duker introduced Retired Judge Brian Van Kamp as a 1962 Graduate of UC Berkley where he was Student Body President... Judge Brian recently left the Superior Court bench after 16 years... His idea of retirement involves continuing to focus on business. As a neutral with ADR Services in Sacramento and the Bay Area, Van Camp now uses his significant background in business law to settle disputes over everything from broken contracts to employment issues. He was drawn to legal work and public service by President John F. Kennedy's exhortation that citizens seek out opportunities to serve their country. But his career seems also to have incorporated some of President Calvin Coolidge's pronouncement that the business of America is business. Van Camp's tenure at Sacramento County Superior Court handling civil litigation is only part of a life focused on commerce: he served as acting secretary for the State Business & Transportation Agency for a two-year period during Ronald Reagan's governorship, then moved on to work as California Commissioner of Corporations. He spent a quarter century in business law at three firms before being appointed to the bench. We were privileged to receive a wonderful history lesson beginning with the Magna Carte and how the idea that we are to be judged by our peers has developed to where it is today...The history lesson included some disturbing information, like only 22% of those summoned for jury duty respond and how the number of jury trials are fewer and fewer each year... Judge Brian explained how the system works in China and other countries where judges decide guilt or innocence and the diminishing influence of having your peers judge you... A very thought provoking experience... He was in China a year ago, and sat down both with the presiding judge of the superior court in Shanghai and a law professor [from] Beijing who is very critical of the Chinese legal system," he said. Van Camp said he's helping the professor to promote the American jury system. Chinese courts often eschew the use of juries, and the politicized justice system's judgments are subject to Communist Party approval. "The judge decides the facts and the law," he said, "and almost all of the judges are members of the Party. Now, his Chinese friends are in fear of being prosecuted for wanting to promote the American jury system in China... I could have listened to him for hours... Thanks Judge Van Kamp and All the Best...

# OUR NEXT MEETING ON APRIL 16 IS A VOCATIONAL TOUR AND WILL BE AT MERCY SAN JUAN HOSPITAL

Opportunity Drawing: \$50 Winners: Dean Henricks \$10 Dean Henricks AGAIN \$10

Check out Our New Website at: <a href="https://www.chrotary.org">www.chrotary.org</a>
Past President Rich adjourned the meeting at 1:30 PM





# TEXAS HOLD'EM POKER TOURNAMENT



**Proceeds Of The Event To Benefit The Citrus Heights Rotary Club** 



Professional Tables & Dealers Donated By Lucky Derby Casino & All In Poker Event Sponsored By: Dignity Health



Saturday, April 19th 2014

Citrus Heights Community Center 6300 Fountain Square Dr. Citrus Heights 95610

**No Host Bar & Raffle Prizes** 

### **TABLE SPONSORSHIP AVAILABLE**

## \$250 Table Sponsorship Includes

- 2 Tournament Buy-ins
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For more info please contact Rich Hale (916) 599-5457

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# Cocation and Times of Local Area Club Meetings: Makeup at http://www.rotaryeclubone.org/

	Monday	
S. Sacramento	Casa Garden Restaurant	11:30 AM
Walnut Grove	Wimpy's Restaurant	12:15 PM
Foothill Highlands	Lions Gate (McClellan Park)	12:15 PM
Fair Oaks	Community Club House	6:45 PM
Sacramento	Radisson Hotel	12:15 PM
	Tuesday	.2
Mather-Perkins	Mills Station – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor	7:00 AM
Oroville-Sunrise	Historic Monday Club	7:00 AM
Sutter Buttes-Sunrise	Refuge Restaurant	7:00 AM
Rancho Cordova Sunrise	Brookfield's Restaurant 11135 Folsom Blvd	7:00 AM
Sacramento Breakfast	Gonul's Restaurant	7:15 AM
Oroville	Historic Monday Club	12:00 PM
Arden Arcade	Sherriff's Sub-Station 2500 Marconi	12:00 PM
Marysville	Peach Tree Country Club	12:15 AM
Rancho Cordova	Rancho Cordova City Hall, 2729 Prospect Dr	12:15 PM
Gold River	Zinfandel Grille & Bar 2220 Gold Springs Ct	6:30 PM
Carmichael	Palm Street Pub & Grill	6:30 PM
Centennial West Sacramento	Ramada Plaza Inn & Suites 1250 Hayward Dr	7:00 AM
Folsom Lake	Folsom Community Center	12:00 PM
	Wednesday	
Rocklin – Loomis	Whitney Oaks Country Club	7:00 AM
Natomas (Sacramento)	McDonald's Northgate Blvd.	7:15 AM
El Dorado Hills	Community Service Pavilion	7:30 AM
Laguna – Elk Grove	Valley Hi Country Club	7:30 AM
South Placer	Zinfandel Grille	12:00 PM
Yuba City	Refuge Restaurant	12:00 PM
Citrus Heights	Citrus Heights Community Center	12:00 PM
East Sacramento	Evan's Kitchen 885 57 <sup>th</sup> St. Between H&J	12:00 PM
Elk Grove	Vince's Restaurant	12:15 PM
North Sacramento	Double Tree Hotel	12:15 PM
Midtown Sacramento	The Black Pearl	5:30 PM
	Thursday	
Historic Folsom	My Brother Vinny's	7:00 AM
Roseville-Sunrise	Ginger's 1410 E Roseville Parkway	7:00 AM
Yuba-Feather River Sunrise	Eagle's Nest Restaurant	7:00 AM
Gridley	Gridley Veteran Memorial Hall	12:00 PM
Lincoln	Women's Club House	12:00 PM
Folsom	Rotary Clubhouse	7:00 AM
Roseville	Sierra View Country Club	12:15 PM
	Friday	
Orangevale	La Placita Restaurant	7:00 AM
Point West	Red Lion Inn Sacramento	7:00 AM
Granite Bay	McCormic & Schmick's 1194 Rsvl Parkway	12:15 PM
West Sacramento	Pheasant Club	12:15 PM