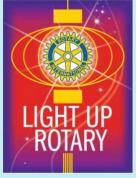


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#### A WORD FROM OUR PRESIDENT

A warm Rotary welcome to our newest member Carlos Verrett and congratulations to his sponsor Doyle Phelan. It is exciting to see our club add new members because each new member brings so much to the club.



A great big thank you goes out to **Scott** Nygard and Mel Turner for facilitating such an entertaining fellowship exercise on Wednesday. Everyone enjoyed having a chance to brush up their skills for the upcoming golf tournament and winning the chance to be fine free next week.

The competitive demons came out full force when the cards were shuffled for the rounds of poker. I can't believe table One took the honors in both competitions. Way to go!!



Please email the El Tapatio fundraiser flier to all your neighbors, friends, and family. Remember you need to bring a copy of the flier with you to be attached to your check. The Ebola crisis is growing and all our help is needed now. This fundraiser is going to allow us to help out, and the size of our check will be commensurate with the effort we put into getting the word out. NO SALES involved!! Just

spread the word.





President Jessica Mang

**THE FOUR-WAY TEST** 

Of the things we think, say or do



- 1. Is it the TRUTH?
- 2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
- 3. Will it build **GOODWILL &** BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
- 4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

### SPEAKER OF THE WEEK

#### **FELLOWSHIP WEEK**

**Scott** and **Mel** put on two contests for everyone to get up and talking to each other.

Golf Time: Each person at a table would try to putt golf balls into a cup. The table with the highest number would get a "funny money" dollar that can be used instead of a real dollar when Scott is Finemaster next week.

<u>Poker Time</u>: Then each person at a table picked a card from a deck of cards. The table would then put forth the best two poker hands that can be made from the cards.









Thank You for a GREAT Fellowship Meeting!!!

### **Quote For The Day**

"Success is not final, failure is not fatal: it is the courage to continue that counts."

Winston Churchill

### **OBJECT OF ROTARY**

- *FIRST*-The development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service.
- SECOND-High ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations; and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society.
- THIRD-The application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life.
- FOURTH-The advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service.

# UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS

- September 3, 2014 Meeting-New Generations
- September 10, 2014 Meeting-Roteract and Interact Clubs
- September 16, 2014 Evening Dance Performance at Mesa Verde High School – Camille Simonis, RYE Student will be dancing
- September 17, 2014 Meeting-Los Rios Community College Chancellor
- September 19, 2014 Golf Tournament
- September 24, 2014 Meeting Fellowship
- October 1, 2014 Meeting

To Register-Click Here



### WEEKLY REPORT

- No visiting Rotarians today.
- Visiting guests: Larry Alver of the Parkinson's Association of Northern California, Conor Hilts (son of Laura Powell),
  Kristy Hernandez of Hernandez Law Group, Codi Stauffer (sister of Sawyer Stauffer, our outgoing RYE student),
  Camille Simonis, our RYE student from Belgium, Kathleen Shafer, Hayley Stordahl, Coree Stahr, Akil Prince, Rich
  Wheaton, Carlos Verrett, Stephane Verhulst, the club's incoming RYE student from Belgium many years ago.
- Club Foundation Minute (Justin Whitsell): Remember there are two types of grants available to help the Citrus Heights community in some way: an open amount grant and the mini-grant, up to \$250. Applications are online.
- Membership minute (Ray Riehle): Ray asked the guests why they came to the lunch today, and they said they were invited. Carlos Verrett, who will be inducted later, said it was because he likes Doyle (his sponsor). Ray challenged everyone to ask someone "Why aren't you a Rotarian?" and invite them to have lunch with us.
- Jessica reminded us to sell those golf ball drop tickets!
- John Blonskij presented Hayley Stordahl with a \$500 check for the first part of the \$1000 scholarship.
   Hayley recently graduated from Mesa Verde High School.
- President Jessica Mang presented Laura Powell with the Rotarian of the Month award for her work on the newsletter (with assistance from Gail Moxley!)



- The fundraiser at El Tapatia restaurant to buy supplies for Ebola virus clinics in Africa is September 9<sup>th</sup> from 4:00-9:00 pm. Bring a flyer and 25% of proceeds will be set aside for us to send to Africa. See Page 7 & 8
- Sign-up sheets went around for volunteering for a Senior Gleaners work day or a Support for Soldiers work day.
- Cupcakes to celebrate birthdays, anniversaries, and Rotary anniversaries for the month of August were handed out.
- Jessica read a thank you note from Olga P., one of our scholarship winners



### **BIRTHDAYS & ANNIVERSARIES**

#### **Birthdays**

Alex Turcotte 9/16

#### **Anniversaries**

Guillermo & Judith Vergara 9/3 Debbie & Allen Scott 9/15 Mel & Connie Turner 9/24

#### **Rotary Anniversaries**

Doyle Phelan 29yrs Alex Turcotte 1yr Debbie Scott 2 yrs Guillermo Vergara 1 yr Mark Cimino 15yrs



## **EVERY** ROTARIAN **EVERY** YFAR

## Why the Rotary year begins 1 July

The international convention initially played a key role in determining the start date of our fiscal and administrative year.

Rotary's first fiscal year began the day after the first convention ended, on 18 August 1910. The 1911-12 fiscal year also related to the convention, beginning with the first day of the 1911 convention on 21 August.

At its August 1912 meeting, the Board of Directors ordered an audit of the International Association of Rotary Clubs' finances. The auditors recommended that the organization end its fiscal year on 30 June to give the secretary and treasurer time to prepare a financial statement for the convention and board, and determine the proper number of club delegates to the convention. *Continued on pg* 5



Need to Make-Up a **Meeting-**

District 5180 Website-

**Rotary International** Website-CLICK HERE

### **NEXT WEEK'S SPEAKER**



#### **Youth Program**

We are still in need of a "New Generations" Chair. ATIONS Please see Jessica for INTERACT-ROTARACT-RYLA additional information. Come to next weeks meeting and see what New Generations is all about.



### **ROTARIAN PROFILE**

Rotarian: Mark J. Cimino

Children: Mark Jr., Andre, and Jadon

Pets: 2 Dogs

What do you like best abou being a Rotarian? The long term relationships with **GREAT** people

Who invited you to join rotary? Jeannie Bruins

If you could do only do one thing to change the world,

what would it be? Figure out how to do away with conflict





Favorite TV Show? The Waltons Favorite TV Show? Secretariat

First Job? Legal Runner for a law firm

Business: CiminoCare. Providing senior care

options throughout Northern California, including senior living and in home support.



**CLICK HERE for CiminoCare.** 



## **OPPORTUNITY DRAWING**



### Jackpot is \$150

Joe Gillis- Ace Guest-Ace Both put money back in the pot!

## Rotary Year Continued...

The executive committee concurred, and at its April 1913 meeting, designated 30 June as the end of the fiscal year. This also allowed for changes to the schedule for reporting club membership and payments. Even The Rotarian changed its volume numbering system to correspond to the fiscal year (beginning with vol. 5, July 1914).

Rotary continued to hold its annual conventions in July or August until 1917. Delegates to the 1916 event in Cincinnati, Ohio, USA, approved a resolution to hold future conventions in June, mainly because of the heat in cities where most of them occurred. The next one was held 17-21 June in Atlanta, Georgia.

The term "Rotary year" has been used to signify Rotary's annual administrative period since at least 1913. An article in The Rotarian that July noted, "The Rotary year that is rapidly drawing to a close has been signalized by several highly successful joint meetings of Clubs that are so situated as to assemble together easily and

Since the executive committee's decision in 1913, the end of the Rotary year has remained 30 June.



The first four Rotarians: (from left) Gustavus Loehr, Silvester Schiele, Hiram Shorey, and Paul P. Harris Courtesy of Rotary Images

### **FINES**

#### Fine Master (Doug Loehrer)



I did not hear the first 2 fines...

\$1 for anyone who came in later than Doug

Mel Turner \$1 for his very casual outfit

John Blonskij \$1 for not introducing a guest



## WHEEL SPINS



John Blonskij spun \$9 for the international competition for getting healthy next month (see John if you want details)



Jeanie Bruins spun \$12 for the 30<sup>th</sup> anniversary of moving to Citrus Heights



in honor of both his sons getting bucks while deer hunting. They also had the special experience of

using their grandfather's rifle to do it!



Mel Turner spun \$20 in honor of his upcoming 10 day backpacking trip to his "happy place which is not hitting the 20 on the wheel.

Steve Bruce spun \$14 in honor of his 32<sup>nd</sup> wedding anniversary with Julie.

Laura Powell spun \$12 to demonstrate her confidence that her husband John's surgery the next day will go well.











**Tina Shaw** announced that on **Wednesday, October 22<sup>nd</sup>**, the club will be dark for lunch because we are having a mystery dinner instead!

Meet at the community center at 4:45 pm, and transportation to and from the mystery location will be provided.

A flyer will be ready for next week's meeting that will give us more information (but not all!) on the Mystery Dinner. This may include suggestions for attire (princess or otherwise). Tina is trying to keep the costs down.



#### **Vocational Minute: Jeanie Bruins**

**Jeanie** is currently a Legal Documents Assistant, which means she will prepare legal documents for people, but she cannot provide legal advice. Her focus is on estate planning documents, but she does other things (i.e. adoption, name change) as well. She is bonded and registered. And, oh yeah, she also is a member of the City Council.

#### **Induction of New Members:**

Ray Riehle presented Darlene Spurgeon with her membership plaque and packet.

Ray also inducted Carlos Verrett, who was sponsored by Doyle Phelan. Ray emphasized that the district is down in membership, and it is important to have new members to continue to do the good works that the club does. Carlos said he is originally from Louisiana, is 50 years old, and has two children. He spent 23 years in the US Air Force, and he is currently a musician/music producer. He was searching for a way to make a difference when he met Doyle while

swimming. Welcome Aboard Carlos!



Citrus Heights Rotary Club 37<sup>th</sup> Annual Golf
Tournament Christi Woodards needs everyone's
help in making our golf tournament a success!
Find a foursome, become a sponsor, or bring in a
raffle item! September 19, 2014 – 8 AM Shotgun
Morgan Creek Golf Club, Roseville, CA Details 4Player Scramble Shotgun Start at 8a.m.
Lunch/Raffle/Awards at 1:30p.m. Foursome:
\$600; Single: \$125 Sponsorship Opportunities
Eagle Sponsor: \$900 Birdie Sponsor: \$750 Bogie
Sponsor: \$350 Tee Box Sponsor: \$200 Contact
Christi Woodards, Golf Chair: 916-728-1916 or
Christi.woodards@steadfastmgmt.com. Click

**Eskaton** is sponsoring a seminar on Saturday, September 6<sup>th</sup> for Veterans and their spouses living in Assisted living facilities. This seminar will provide information on federal benefits available to Veterans and spouses that may go toward facility expenses. *See Page 9 for more information*.





Larry Alver wanted to announce that the Parkinson's Association of Northern California will be having its annual seminar from 8:00am-2:00pm on October 25<sup>th</sup> at the Crowne Plaza Hotel on Date Avenue. Several movement disorder specialists will be on hand to provided information for people diagnosed with Parkinson's. The cost is \$15.00 and includes lunch. *See Page9 for more information.* 



HERE for more info.

### REF: Request to Fight Ebola - Friends of Liberia Urgent Help Needed

President Jessica Mang announced this urgent need that the Rotary Club of Gridley, CA is participating in. We would like to help. Please take a moment to read this information and think about helping. We are having a fundraiser to help raise money for this worthy cause. See page 8 for more information.

We write to ask for support in the fight against Ebola in Liberia. The situation in Liberia and the region is now being described by experts as the worse ever in the Virus attack. Currently, our government and partners are striving to provide support to fight the Ebola Virus. Due to resource constrains, the Government and partners are focusing in counties that are consider high infected counties and leaving out those that have connectivity with those very highly infected counties like Bong County for example. At present, we got informed over the weekend that there was a suspected Ebola patient that died at the Phebe Hospital in Bong County and just a single suspected/confirmed case is capable of destroying the entire population in a location if the right steps are not taken.

Even due to the Ebola cases increase in the Country and with the four deaths now at Phebe Hospital, health workers are beginning to refuse patients attending hospital even if they have other sicknesses on grounds that the Ebola virus has multiple signs and symptoms that behave like other existing diseases in Liberia and the region. We had a face-to-face encounter with the fear of health workers refusal to intake patients especially those going as emergency patients when our vehicle was used to take a patient who is living by my Dad's Residence that rushed at the house for help to take him to the hospital when he came under a serious asthmatic attack. Upon my driver's arrival at the hospital with the patient, they were denied admittance and all nurses on-call ran away and refused to take the patients out of my car even though he was almost at the point of death. Cecelia had to make several calls before they could take him from the vehicle. The behavior of the health workers was due to serious fear and low knowledge in the management and also lack of supplies to save them from dying as many health workers in the affected areas have died of the virus.

In this light, we are asking for very serious help from our friends and love ones to be a part of saving lives in Bong County and Liberia in general. Things that are needed include but not limited to:

- Transportation to cover travels to 13 districts (Vehicle rental, Gasoline, Motor bikes, etc)
- Printing of flyers already designed by Ministry of Health but need printing for Distribution in areas
- PA system (4 pieces for teams to take to various locations)
- Generators (4 pieces) and gasoline to support PA System
- Gloves for health workers
- Chlorine/Clorox/bleach for health facilities (to disinfect health center areas)
- Buckets

This plan is to be an intensive one month activity all over the county/Districts/Clans/Towns/Villages, etc. The estimated cost for this mission is US\$8,850.00 for the period (one month). Any Contribution towards this Urgent plan will really SAVE THOUSANDS OF LIVES. Please see some links that speak to the EVD:

http://www.usatoday.com/story/news/world/2014/06/28/ebola-west-africa-outbreak/11615045/, http://www.cdc.gov/vhf/ebola/outbreaks/guinea/, http://andrewazzopardi.org/2014/07/03/africa-battles-to-stop-deadly-spread-of-ebola-skynews/, http://afkinsider.com/63142/ebola-outbreak-we-cant-do-it-alone/

Please share this within your network for any help each member can give to help us save lives across Bong County and Liberia.

May God continue to bless your family. Thanks,

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## Help Stop Ebola in Africa!



Rotary Club of Citrus Heights is having a fundraiser dinner Sept 9th from 4:00 PM – 9:00 PM



5637 Sunrise Blvd

Come enjoy delicious Mexican food and 25% of the dinner proceeds will go directly to the clinics in Africa that are fighting

Ebola. Call your friends, family, and all your neighbors! Post at your work stations too!

You can RSVP to <u>Jessicaemana@qmail.com</u> or just show up.

Please remember to bring this flier! It must be attached to your dining check to get credit for your meal for the fundraiser

The Rotary International Foundation is able to do amazing things through its grant process, but every now and then a crisis arises without warning and we are left scrambling to do something swiftly in order to give help. Just such a crisis has come to our attention with the outbreak of Ebola in Africa. The Rotary Club of Gridley CA has a few members that have been to Africa and helped to start a clinic. They are home now but asking for our help in the looming crisis. Help fight Ebola in Liberia by donating money &/or rubber gloves (ideally dish washing type with cotton liner), plastic buckets, Clorox. There are 26 clinics and the 2 hospitals in Bong County. None of them have ANY protection gear but they are to receive patients at 70/day, screen them and send the Ebola patients to one of the 4 official isolation facilities in Liberia.

The simplest solution is to raise *funds* to send to the Gridley club for the African clinic...



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Come listen to how U.S. Senior Vets can help guide you through what can be a complex (but rewarding) process.

Saturday, September 6, 2014 2:00 pm

For more information or to respond, call 916-852-7900.

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