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THE ROTARY CLUB OF Foothill- HIGHLANDS

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SAVE THE DATE

FRIDAY, APRIL 17, 2015

EXCITING NEW LOCATION

CALIFORNIA STATE RAILROAD MUSEUM

The Rotary Club of Foothill-Highlands

Presents the Eighth Annual

Night at the Museum

Wine-and-Food Gala



Friday, April 17, 2015

6:30 p.m. to 10:00 p.m.

California State Railroad Museum

125 I Street, Sacramento, CA

Proceeds benefit local charitable and non-profit causes, including:

- Birth and Beyond • Sacramento Crisis Nursery
- Children's Receiving Home • WIND



Music and Dancing
Live and Silent Auctions
Balloon Pop for Special Prizes
Business Casual Attire
\$40 per person/\$50 at the door



For sponsorship opportunities and additional information, contact Event Chairperson David Stone at 916-871-4025 or davidstone@cprstone.com

Tickets available online at: www.night-at-the-museum-rotary.org
Club website: www.foothillhighlandsrotary.org



The Foothill-Highlands Rotary Club Foundation is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization. Tax I.D. #68-0392810

CALL TO ORDER

President Rich Ryan began the meeting promptly at 12:15 p.m. Our official greater was IPP Patrick Magnani. Leading us in the pledge was PP David Stone and Richard Hansen provided the invocation. Richard Hansen was the note taker.

VISITING ROTARIANS AND GUESTS

No visitors today.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

NO MEETING NEXT WEEK

following the Night at the Museum

Night at the Museum

Our major fundraiser of the year will be **Friday, April 17th** at the **California State Railroad Museum starting at 6:30 p.m.**

Today was a Club assembly to finalize plans for the event. See program notes for details.

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Rotary Day at the River Cats

PP Maureen McBride announced the date has been set for the next **Rotary Day at the River Cats**. The game, between the River Cats (now a Triple-A Affiliate of the World Champion S.F. Giants) and the Tacoma Rainiers, has been scheduled for **Sunday, June 7th at 1:05 P.M.** Ticket prices are \$22 with \$6 going to Polio Plus and \$15 with \$3 going to Polio Plus. If anyone would like to donate tickets for disadvantaged kids, the price is \$10 with \$2 going to Polio.

F.Y.I the seats reserved for Rotary are on the third base side in the shade.

Anyone interested can contact **Tom Cicchini**

E-Waste4Good Program

You can bring anything, anytime to Umpqua Bank or PP **Dominic Mecklenburg** is happy to collect your "electronic junk" on Mondays at our regular meetings. If you would like to schedule a pickup at your home or office location, just let him know!

Total E-waste revenue fiscal YTD is \$594.28.

Estate Sale Estate Sale revenue via the bank lobby remains strong at \$432.00 fiscal YTD. Our actual Estate Sale is scheduled for the weekend of May 15-16.

CLUB WEBSITE: www.foothillhighlandsrotary.org/ (ClubRunner)

DISTRICT 5180 WEBSITE: <http://rotary5180.com>

R.I. OFFICIAL WEBSITE: www.rotary.org



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EIN 68-0392810, PayPal link on Club Website: <http://www.foothillhighlandsrotary.org/>



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Foundation News:

END POLIO NOW

We are in the final stages of eradicating Polio throughout the world; and in an effort to further the cause, **Mo** is asking everyone to save their spare change and deposit it in the **END POLIO NOW** banks on the tables at our weekly meetings.

Today's yield from the banks was \$18.00

The **END POLIO NOW** campaign is one of Rotary International's top priorities this year. Rotary and the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation have extended their partnership during the critical endgame phase of the Global Polio Eradication Initiative. Thanks to this partnership your contribution of \$25 becomes \$75. Our Club goal for 2014-15 was \$500 which we have exceeded. Our total from the banks is \$368.19 plus another \$475 from those Rotarians contributing \$25 or more. Our total for Polio Giving YTD is \$843.19 — **just \$148.81 short of \$1,000.**

Remember: For those donating \$25 or more, you will receive a special End Polio Now label pin.

It costs .60 to immunize a child against polio for his or her entire life. Let's make history and eradicate polio from the earth by the target date of 2018.

EREY (Every Rotarian/Every Year)

President Rich Ryan and the board of directors wanted to achieve 100% participation in the EREY Program during this year. EREY means that every active member of our club would give some amount of money to The Rotary Foundation with \$100 per capita being the overall goal.

Sustaining Fellows

A second goal for Foundation Giving this year was to have **all** members donate \$100 toward their Paul Harris Fellow accounts.

Mo announced earlier this month that our club has achieved the designation of both 100% EREY and 100% Sustaining Members. A B I G thanks to everyone for their contributions and helping our club attain its goal.

WEEKLY ASSIGNMENTS

MONDAY, APRIL 27, 2015

GREETER: DOMINIC MECKLENBURG

PLEDGE: ROLAND WRIGHT

INVOCATION: GORDON LIPP

NOTE TAKER: RICHARD HANSEN

JOKES

PP_Bob Spears gave it a try, no fine free pass.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

UPCOMING PROGRAMS AND EVENTS APRIL IS MAGAZINE MONTH

CLUB CALENDAR:

APRIL 14 BOARD MEETING
APRIL 17 NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM
APRIL 20 NO MEETING AFTER NATM
APRIL 27 ROTARIAN GOPAL KAPUR-"BAG OF LIFE: NUTRITION FOR EVERYONE"

DIST. 5180 CALENDAR:

APRIL 24-26 DIST. CONFERENCE, ROHNERT PARK
JUNE 7 ROTARY DAY AT THE RIVER CATS

FINES AND RECOGNITIONS

Fine Master **David Stone** asked if anyone had any happy thoughts.

President Rich had a happy thought. He became a grandfather for the first time. He bonged the gong for \$100 to Rotary Foundation.

David then asked if there were any Rotarians not wearing their pins. There were several who did not and paid \$1 each.

PP **Bob Meyer** had a wedding anniversary, he spun the wheel for \$8.

April Board of Directors Meeting

The April board of directors' meeting is scheduled for **Tuesday, April 14th at 5:30 p.m.** at **Rich Ryan's** office, 3820 Auburn Blvd., Suite #100, Sacramento, 95821.

BELL RINGERS, GONG BONGERS PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Jordan Backhaus	(GRIF)	
Sonja Cameron	(GRIF)	PHF
Warren Coffeen	(GRIF)	PHF+ 1
Jeff Donlevy	(B)(GRIF)	PHF
John Hallsten	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 5
Richard Hansen	(B)(GRIF) (\$100 Polio +)	PHF+ 6
Joe Kaiser	(GRIFx3)	PHF+ 7
Gordon Lipp	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 2
Gene Long	(B)(GRIF)	PHF
Patrick Magnani	(B)(GRIFx2)	PHF
Maureen McBride	(B)(GRIF) (\$25 Polio+)	PHF+ 8 +
Dominic Mecklenburg	(GRIFx2) (\$25 Polio +)	PHF+ 4
Bob Meyer	(GRIF) (\$25 Polio+)	PHF+ 4
Marilee Monagan	(B)(GRIF) (\$50 Polio +)	PHF+ 2
Gary Monk	(B) (GRIF) (\$100 Polio+)	
Sam Morgan	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 4
Erik Nooren	(RIF)(GRIF)	PHF+ 7
Richard Ryan	(B)(GRIF x3)	PHF
Bob Spears	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 2
David Stone	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 5
Lee Wiggins	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 4
Roland Wright	(B)(GRIF x3) (\$100 Polio+)	PHF+ 5

Bell Ringer & Gong Codes:

(B) = Bell Ringer hi\$100 to Club

(GFHF) = Gonger \$100 to Club Foundation

(GRIF) = Gonger \$100 to RI Foundation

(RIF) = \$100 to Rotary Foundation

A Paul Harris Fellow is an individual who contributes \$1,000 to the Rotary International Annual Program Fund or other approved programs. Each additional \$1,000 contribution is recognized with a plus and the number.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

Today's program was a Club Assembly on the Night at the Museum.

Event Chair **David Stone** reviewed what was needed before the event on Friday.

Balloon Pop:

By PP **Dominic Mecklenburg**:

All members are asked to provide at least **two items** for the **Balloon Pop**. The value of each item should be at least \$20. These items should be given to **Dominic**.



Balloon Pop Update: 74 BALLOON POPS with 4 of them needing a little something to exceed \$20 in value. Commitments for 5 more are in play, so only 21 to go for 1-0-0!!

Ticket Sales Update:

With just 5 days before the BIG event, all members are strongly encouraged to turn in the money for their sold tickets to **Dominic Mecklenburg** *as soon as possible* so we can get an accurate headcount.

118 tickets PAID and collected = money in the bank! Commitments for another 10-12 tickets minimum pending.

Sponsorship Update:

\$2,830 in PAID sponsorships with commitments for \$600 additional.

There's still time to get additional sponsors. Let's do our best to add to what's already been secured.

Following the Program portion of the meeting, **President Rich** asked us to raise our glasses and join him in a toast to *Rotary Around the World*. The meeting was adjourned.

**Rotary Club of Foothill-Highlands
Night at the Museum Fundraiser
Friday, April 17, 2015**

Participating Restaurants:

Applebee's
Brookfields Restaurant
Capital City Catering
Capital Confections
Chewy's
Chocolate Fountains of Sacramento
Cupcake Craving
Edible Arrangements
G-Dubb's BBQ
Golden Corral
Heavenly Brew Espresso
Hibachi Grill Sushi & Supreme Buffet
Howe It's Done Catering
Joe's Crab Shack
Kelli's Cookies
Lido Café and Bakery
Mana Japanese Restaurant and Sushi Bar
Phaya Thai Restaurant
Rubio's- Fresh Mexican Grill
Sticky Gator BBQ and Soul Food
The Chefs Olive Mix
Wood'ys Grill and Bar

Sponsors**\$500 Level (Silver)**

Hallsten Corporation
Walnut Whitney Family Dentistry

\$250-Level (Bronze):

DSA Technologies
Charlie Horse Ranch -Timing Systems
UMPQUA Bank
Dively Construction - Glen Dively
All Transmission and Fleet Service
Murray Industrial Supply
Mark Beil, C.P.A
Tech Support -Theo Schiff
John O. Bronson Co. - Kirk Willard
Les Schwab Tire Centers

In-Kind Donations:

Body Serenity (Bassil Kamas)
Briar Patch
Minuteman Press (Randy Carlson)
Eon Holiday
Rent-Rite
Sprint Business Solutions Group
North County Messenger

Participating Wineries and Breweries:

Barefoot Wine
Barsetti Vineyards
Bogle Vineyards
Carvalho Family Winery
Frank Family Vineyards
Harney Lane Winery
Hoppy Brewing Company
Macchia Winery
Moniz Family Wines
Oak Ridge Winery
Uncle Charlie's Firehouse and Brew
Terra d' Oro Winery
Vezer family Vineyard
Wreckless Blenders

Estate Sale and E-waste Pickup

Here are pictures from the latest haul (donation) to our club. Friday April 10th, President Rich Ryan, Dominic Mecklenburg and Jeff Donlevy picked up 2 truckloads of E-waste and estate sale items from Rotarian Sam Morgan. Looking forward to our estate sale on May 15th!!



Sam Morgan and President Rich



President Rich



Jeff Donlevy



**Friday Night at the Schulz Museum
Keynoters Kitty O'Neal and Brian Shul
Thursday Golf Tournament
Wine Tasting
...and lots more!
Register on the web this fall**

**Come join us at the 2015 District 5180 Conference April 24-26, 2015
at the Schulz Museum.**

Keynote speakers will include Kitty O'Neal and Brian Shul.

In addition there will be a Golf Outing, wine tasting . . . and much more!



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- Networking Equipment
- Misc Wires and Cords
- Household Phones
- Medical Equipment
- Video Games
- Computers
- Calculators
- Cell Phones
- Printers
- Speakers
- Scanners
- Laptops
- Power Tools
- Small Appliances
- Stereo Systems
- And Much More!

All electronics are recycled locally in California.

We also do free business and residential pickups throughout Northern California.

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THIS IS A GREAT OPPORTUNITY FOR YOU TO GET RID OF SOME UNWANTED CLUTTER AND HELP OUR CLUB RAISE SOME MONEY. THEY WILL ACCEPT ANY PIECE OF ELECTRONICS INCLUDING TV'S, COMPUTERS, APPLIANCES, CORDS, KEYBOARDS, MICE AND EVEN POWER TOOLS. THE HEAVIER THE BETTER (WE GET PAID BY THE WEIGHT!) ANYTHING WITH A CORD IS ACCEPTABLE, AND THEY TAKE THE CORDS TOO. THEY SEPARATE AND RECYCLE THE PLASTIC, METAL...EVERYTHING! IF YOU HAVE ITEMS TO DONATE, GIVE ME A CALL TO COORDINATE THE PICKUP. SOME ITEMS I CAN COLLECT AT OUR WEEKLY MEETINGS TOO! IF YOU HAVE FRIENDS OR RELATIVES THAT HAVE SOME E-WASTE, I CAN ARRANGE FOR A FREE PICKUP FOR THEM TOO!

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Your donated vehicle will provide critical funding to our charity and further our mission while supporting our goals. Even better, by donating your vehicle - you could also earn a tax deduction.

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The process of donating your vehicle is quick and easy - simply call 800-240-0160 or visit us online at foothillhighlandsrotary.org. Better yet, towing is free and scheduled for your convenience.



Your donation has another great benefit - it is good for the environment. We share your commitment to a cleaner, greener environment - and donating your car ensures it is recycled via many different channels!

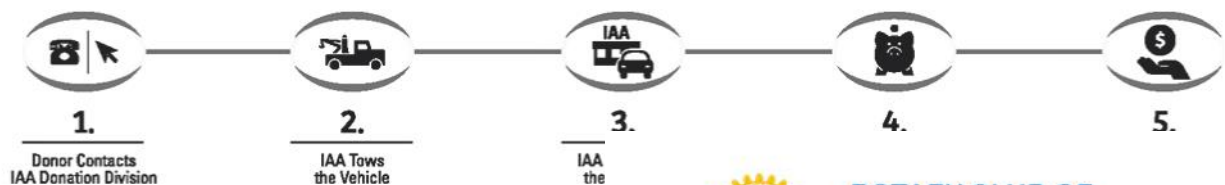
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