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THE ROTARY CLUB OF FOOTHILL-HIGHLANDS

Chartered March 12, 1959
serving the Greater Sacramento Area communities
of Antelope, Elverta, Foothill Farms, McClellan,
North Highlands and Rio Linda



BE THE INSPIRATION

In Remembrance



John Hallsten

July 23, 1924 to April 18, 2019

Paul Harris Fellow,

Member of the

Rotary Club of Foothill-Highlands

Joined December 1, 1976

CALL TO ORDER

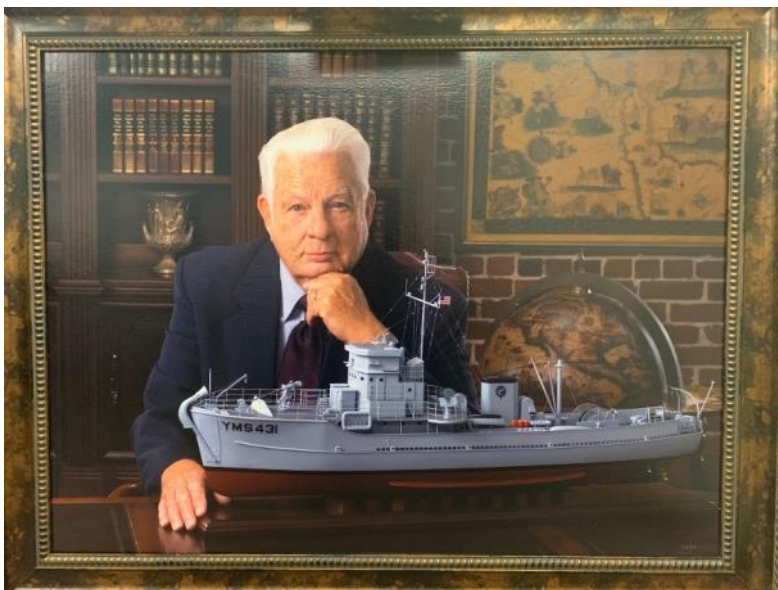
President Patrick Magnani called the meeting to order at 12:15 p.m. We were greeted by **Gordon Lipp**. PP **Joe Kaiser** lead us in the pledge and **President Patrick** provided the invocation. **Richard Hansen** served as the note taker.

ROTARIANS AND GUESTS

Today's guests were **David Hansen** and **Clark Kenn**, father of our speaker **Heidi Sanborn** from SMUD.

John Hallsten

July 23, 1924 to April 18, 2019



John Hallsten with a model of the ship he was Captain of in WWII



This photo of **John** was taken just a few weeks ago. He was comforted and at home in his factory with the big aluminum structures all around him. **Roland**



John's desk



Hallsten Corporation

CLUB WEBSITE: www.foothillhighlandsrotary.org/ (Club Runner)

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

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



DONATE TO HELP OUR ROTARY CLUB SUPPORT LOCAL CHARITABLE AND NONPROFIT CAUSES.

Foothill-Highlands Rotary Club Foundation is a non-profit 501(c)(3) organization.

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

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

CLUB CALENDAR:

- APRIL 29 Special Meeting @ Lions Gate: (DA Anne Marie Shubert)
- MAY 6 Regular Meeting at Lions Gate, TBD
- MAY 13 Regular Meeting at Lions Gate, TBD
- MAY 14 Board Meeting
- MAY 20 Regular Meeting at Lions Gate, TBD
- MAY 27 NO MEETING - In Observance of Memorial Day
- JUNE 3 Regular Meeting at Lions Gate, TBD
- JUNE 10 Regular Meeting at Lions Gate, TBD
- JUNE 17 Regular Meeting at Lions Gate, TBD
- JUNE 24 NO Meeting at Lions Gate Demotion Dinner

DISTRICT 5180 CALENDAR

- MAY 5 Bike to Scott's on the River (See Flyer)
- MAY 11 Rotary Leadership Education (See Flyer)
- MAY 18 District 5180 Conference, Citrus Heights Community Center

WEEKLY ASSIGNMENTS

MONDAY, APRIL 29, 2019

GREETER: **KATY WRIGHT**

PLEDGE: **BOB MEYER**

INVOCATION: **LEE WIGGINS**

NOTE TAKER: **RICHARD HANSEN**

We meet on Mondays at 12:15 p.m.
Lions Gate Hotel and Suites
McClellan Business Park
3410 Westover Street
North Highlands, CA 95632

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

May Board Meeting



The May Board Meeting will be held **Tuesday, May 14th, 5:30 p.m. at the Umpqua Bank in Antelope.**

All members are welcome and encouraged to attend.

If you have ideas to share, Board meetings would be a great forum. Just ask **President Patrick** to be put on the Agenda.

BE INSPIRED

ONE DAY

MAY 18, 2019

District 5180 Conference

PROMOTE PEACE • CLEAN WATER • WOMEN & CHILDREN • LOCAL ECONOMIES • POLIO PLUS • EDUCATION

WORK PROJECT ON FRIDAY, MAY 17TH
1 - 5 PM
FOOD TRUCKS

Citrus Heights Community Center
6300 Fountain Square Drive

ENTERTAINMENT

RYE BREAKOUT SESSIONS

SPEECH CONTEST FINALS

YOUNG PROFESSIONALS RECEPTION

SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKER:
JACK GALLAGHER

KEYNOTE SPEAKERS:
PAUL CHAPPELL
AUTHOR AND PEACE LITERACY DIRECTOR

SHIRLEY GRACE, PDG
DISTRICT 5230

Club Fellowship on April 18 at Strikes bowling in Rocklin



Steven and Dominic Mecklenburg , Jennifer and Madeline Magnani, Roland Wright, President Patrick and Anthony Magnani Diane Wright, Brent Seizer, Richard and David Hansen



Steven bowling



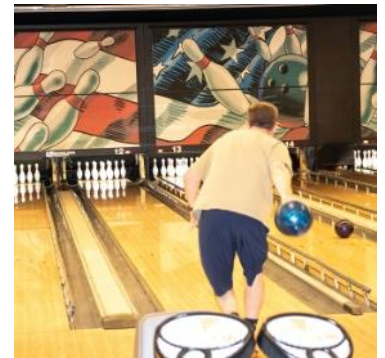
Jennifer, Anthony and Madeline Magnani



Anthony bowling



Steven and Dominic



Dominic bowling

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ROLAND

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black foul line or walk on to the line

Roland with top final score of 147



Joe Kaiser with Roland



David Hansen, Roland and Diane Wright



ANNUAL GIVING/PAUL HARRIS SUSTAINING FELLOWS

We continue our goal to have **Every Rotarian** contribute at least **\$100** to **The Rotary Foundation** and strive to achieve the status of 100% Paul Harris Sustaining Fellows for the fifth year in a row.

END POLIO NOW CAMPAIGN



EVERYONE BRING YOUR POCKET CHANGE — TO AFFECT CHANGE BY ENDING POLIO THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

The **END POLIO NOW** campaign is still one of Rotary's top priorities. The Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation have extended their partnership with Rotary during the critical endgame phase of the Global Polio Eradication Initiative. Thanks to this partnership our contributions are matched two for one—\$25 becomes \$75.

Foundation Chair **Bob Spears** previously announced this year's goal is to raise \$1,000. Please save your loose change and deposit it in the *Change for Change* banks on the tables at our weekly meetings. **We collected \$46.00 at today's meeting.**

We have a total of \$704.10 for this Rotary Year. This is 70.41% of this year's goal.

BELL RINGERS, GONG BONGERS PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

John Hallsten		PHF+ 6
Richard Hansen	(B)(GRIF)(\$300 Polio Plus)	PHF+ 8
Joe Kaiser	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 8
Gordon Lipp	(B)	PHF+ 4
Patrick Magnani	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 1
Dr. Steven Martinez		
Dominic Mecklenburg	(B)	PHF+ 8
Bob Meyer		PHF+ 5
Marilee Monagan	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 3
Sam Morgan	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 6
Bob Spears	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 4
Lee Wiggins	(B)(GRIF)(GFHF)x5	PHF+ 4
Katy Wright		
Roland Wright	(B)	PHF+ 8

Bell Ringer & Gong Codes:

(B) = Bell Ringer \$100 to Club

(GFHF) = Gong Bonger \$100 to Club Foundation

(GRIF) = Gong Bonger \$100 to RI Foundation

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



District 5180 Speech Contest

PP **Marilee Monagan** and Friend of Rotary **Brent Seizer** attended the Semi-final Speech Contest to cheer on our club's contest winner, **Amber Chambers**. Although **Amber** didn't win the contest (she came in fourth), we thought she did great! As she is only a freshman this year, we hope to see her at future speech contests sponsored by our club the next couple of years. Here are a couple of pictures taken by **Brent**.



Amber with her parents and **Marilee** and **Amber** after her speech.

RECOGNITIONS

Finemaster Joe Kaiser began by spinning the wheel in Remembrance of **John Hallsten**. He spun a \$10.

The following members joined **Joe** in Remembrance of **John**.

PE **Roland Wright** spun a \$8.

President **Patrick** spun a \$3.

PP **Bob Spears** spun 2 all the members donated \$1.

PP **Lee Wiggins** spun a \$10.

The following members joined **Lee** and donated \$10.

Bob Meyer \$10.

Gordon Lipp \$10.

Richard Hansen \$10.

HIGHLIGHTS OF THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

President Patrick introduced **Heidi Sanborn**. **Heidi** was first elected to the SMUD Board of Directors in 2018 and began serving on the SMUD Board in January 2019. She represents Ward 7, which includes North Highlands, Carmichael, Antelope and Foothill Farms.

Heidi currently works for 2 nonprofits dedicated to reducing waste, increasing recycling and advocating for a circular economy. She is the Founder and Executive Director for the National Stewardship Action Council and also serves as Senior Advisor of the California Product Stewardship Council.

In addition to her work, **Heidi** also takes a personal interest in going green. Since purchasing their home in 2001, **Heidi** and her husband have been remodeling their house to include solar hot water, solar panels from SMUD and LED lighting. They're even Greenergy® customers.

Heidi is also active in the community. She served as the President of the Sacramento Chapter of the National Alliance for Mental Illness. As such, she spearheaded the efforts to start a walk for mental health, conducted police trainings and taught family-to-family classes.

Over the past 15 years, **Heidi** and her husband have also volunteered with Front Street Animal Shelter, fostering 64 dogs during that time.

A native of Pennsylvania, **Heidi** also lived in Delaware, Massachusetts and Michigan before moving out west. **Heidi** is a graduate of UC Davis where she earned a bachelor's degree in Political Science-Public Service. She also earned her master's degree in Public Administration from USC. **Heidi** and her husband have lived in Sacramento for over 25 years.

Heidi began by reviewing some of the programs SMUD has.

Residential Electric Vehicles

SMUD has incentives and information for your electrical vehicle needs.

SMUD has a list to choose from, when you purchase or lease a new plug-in electric vehicle (pre-owned vehicles are not eligible):

- \$599 incentive to charge free for two years (approximately covers the average cost to charge your plug-in electric vehicle for two years), or a 240 Volt high-powered electric vehicle charger ([see charger details here](#))

Getting started with solar

Follow these steps to get started with solar today.

Step 1: Run the numbers

Our [Solar System Estimator](#) combines satellite information about your rooftop together with your current monthly bills to lay out a cost-benefit analysis.

Step 2: Make your home energy efficient

Make sure the energy you make from solar isn't wasted. Discover ways to [save energy and earn rebates](#).

Step 3: Select a contractor

Once you commit to solar, it's important to choose the right contractor. See our tips below. Once you select a contractor, they will need to complete an [online application](#).

Step 4: Approval and installation

- SMUD reviews and approves the application
- Your contractor obtains permits, installs the system and has it inspected
- SMUD does a final safety inspection and meter installation

Your contractor turns on your system

Residential Renewable Energy

Join SMUD's Greenergy program and we will meet up to 100 percent of your electricity needs with power made from renewable resources like wind, sun and biomass.

SMUD offers two levels of participation in

Greenergy.

Either **\$3 more a month** which will provide you with energy from 50% renewable energy sources or

\$6 more a month which will provide you with 100% renewable energy.

Time-of-Day (5-8 p.m.) Rate

This rate is now the standard rate for all residential customers.

What is Time-of-Day?

On the Time-of-Day (TOD) Rate, you pay different rates for electricity based on the season and the time of day that you use it.

Rates are lower during off-peak periods because it costs us less to produce or purchase electricity. Rates increase as demand and cost for electricity increase, especially during the summer months.

Peak hours are only three hours – 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. – Monday through Friday. All other hours, including all weekends and holidays are off-peak. TOD Rates help you control your electric bill when you:

- Shift your electricity use to lower-cost off-peak times
- Use less electricity during the 5 p.m. - 8 p.m. peak hours

Reduce your overall usage

Why the change to Time-of-Day Rates?

Time-of-Day Rates better reflect the actual cost of providing service. And with clean energy, timing is everything. For example, electricity costs 2 to 3 times more on weekdays between 5 p.m. and 8 p.m., especially during the summer, when demand for electricity soars. Reducing electricity use during peak hours will help keep our energy clean and our prices among the lowest in California. These rates will also help us avoid or delay building new power plants and reduce the need to buy electricity from more expensive, less environmentally-friendly sources.



Heidi Sanborn and President Patrick

As is our usual custom, **President Patrick** presented our speaker with a gift in gratitude for her informative presentation.

He then asked the group to stand, raise their glasses and join him in a toast to Rotary Around the World.

The meeting was then adjourned.

E-Waste4Good Program



Our program is going strong with monthly pick-ups at Umpqua Bank. Larger items are being picked up and stored at Hallsten Corp. **We have a total of \$264.76 e-waste revenue for the fiscal year to date deposited.**

Car Donation Program



To arrange for a donation, call **Dominic's** cell **916-995-4006**. He will make the arrangements for the pick up.

Several donations have been made and will be processed soon.



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 and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?**
- 4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?**

Ink and Toner Cartridges Mini Fundraiser



IPP Dominic is continuing to collect spent ink and toner cartridges as a mini-fundraiser for the club.

IT'S SO EASY TO DO!

Keep a plastic or paper bag by your printer; and as you replace the ink or toner cartridges, put the old ones in the bag and bring them to Rotary.



7th Annual Bike to Scott's on the River

May 5, 2019

Folsom Lake to Sacramento



Join fellow cyclists for a fun day of riding, friendship and food while supporting the eradication of Polio.



Meet at 8:00 a.m. at start of American River Bike Trail near Folsom Lake (Beals Point) for a 38 mile ride, or join us at William Pond Park.



This is an unsupported ride. Please arrange for your own water, food, gear and transport. There will be a water station between Mile 13.0-13.5 in William Pond Park.

Lunch served on North Patio of Scott's on the River Restaurant
4800 Riverside Blvd., Sacramento CA 95822

Cost: \$50.00 per person (plus Eventbrite fee). Includes lunch and \$25 donation to Polio Plus (a program of Rotary International)

Register on Eventbrite.com - <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/7th-annual-bike-to-scotts-on-the-river-tickets-58014786789>
Questions to Sandi Sava at gorotary5180@gmail.com (916) 920-5983 or (916) 947-1958

D5180—Rotary Leadership Education

Herding
Cats??



Join us to learn:

- How to retain members
- How to provide fulfilling Rotary experience for your members.
- Hear from Jenny Bates, D5150, on how to conduct motivational interviews to determine your members' desires!

Saturday, May 11, 2019
CITRUS HEIGHTS CITY HALL
6360 Fountain Square Drive
Citrus Heights, CA 95610

9:00a—12:00p
Continental Breakfast

Register: <https://www.rotary5180.org/> Eventbrite link will be on flyer.

Rotary



District 5180



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pickup
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ROTARY CLUB

Schedule your **FREE** pick up by visiting
www.eWaste4good.com

Fill in your information and within a few days a dispatcher will contact you to schedule an at home or office pickup date. Then, your electronics will be picked up, recycled and the proceeds will be donated to the organization of choice.
You can also call **eWaste4good** at **800-317-3112**



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Items we pickup, working or not:

- All Televisions
- Computer Monitors
- Fax Machines
- Desktop Copiers
- Telephones
- Vacuum Cleaners
- Keyboards
- Mice
- 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!

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

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to schedule.



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US!!



E-WASTE RECYCLING IS HERE!

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!

THIS IS AN ONGOING PROJECT. CONTACT DOMINIC FOR MORE INFORMATION.

You can also call eWaste-4good at 800-317-3112 and tell them proceeds are to go to The Rotary Club of Foothill-Highlands.

Drive change. Donate a vehicle today.

It will be sold at auction, and we will get the proceeds.

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.

We have a partnership with the IAA Donation Division to process and sell the vehicles donated to us. They provide us with a simple solution to turn donated vehicles into much needed dollars.

The process of donating your vehicle is quick and easy. Call Dominic at 916-995-4006 or visit us online at foothillhighlandsrotary.org. Better yet, towing is free and scheduled for your convenience.

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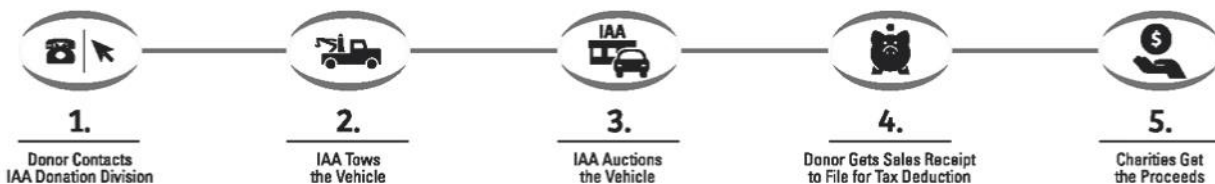
Not every "vehicle" is a car, but every donation helps!

We accept every type of vehicle, including:

- Cars
- Trucks
- Boats
- Motorcycles
- Snowmobiles
- Personal watercraft
- Heavy equipment

The process is easy.

Here's how it works:



- Tax deductible
- Free towing
- Any vehicle, any condition

Donate today!

Program Powered by the IAA Donation Division.

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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!

Not every "vehicle" is a car - but every vehicle, in any condition, can be donated!