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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

APRIL IS



TAKE ACTION: Get Involved, Be a People of Action

Rotary makes amazing things happen, like:

Mobile prenatal clinics:

Haiti has the highest maternal and infant mortality rate of any country in the western hemisphere. [Rotary provided a fully equipped medical Jeep](#) to volunteers and midwives to reach mothers and children in remote areas.

Cancer screening

Rotarians provided a mobile cancer screening unit and awareness trainings around Chennai, India, where there is a high mortality rate of women with breast and cervical cancer due to late diagnosis.

Preventing injuries and deaths

Rotary members launched a \$3 million, five-year pilot to [save lives of mothers and children](#) during home deliveries in Nigeria. Since 2005, they've also repaired 1,500 obstetric fistulas — 500 more than their initial goal — restoring dignity and hope to vulnerable mothers.

CALL TO ORDER

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

ROTARIANS AND GUESTS

Today's guests were **David Hansen** and Rotarians **Phyllis Baughman** and husband **Carl Daniel** from the Rotary Club of El Dorado Hills, **Jennine Sparks** from the Rotary Club of Laguna Sunrise, and our speaker, **Lee T. Lovallo** of the Renaissance Choir Sacramento. **Phyllis** is visiting every club in the district to learn more about Rotary and, so far, she has visited 24 clubs.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

District 5180 Speech Contest

PP **Marilee Monagan** announced that the Semi-final Speech Contest will be on April 10th at the Crocker Riverside Elementary School (2970 Riverside Boulevard, Sacramento, CA 95818). at 5:30 P.M. Please come and support our winner, **Amber Chambers** from Antelope High School.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

CLUB CALENDAR:

- APRIL 15 Regular Meeting @ Lions Gate: Program TBD
 APRIL 22 Regular Meeting @ Lions Gate: Program TBD
 APRIL 29 Special Meeting @ Lions Gate: (DA Anne Marie Shubert)

DISTRICT 5180 CALENDAR

- APRIL 10 Semi-final Speech Contest
 MAY 18 District 5180 Conference, Citrus Heights Community Center

WEEKLY ASSIGNMENTS

MONDAY, APRIL 15, 2019

GREETER: **GORDON LIPP**

PLEDGE: **KATY WRIGHT**

INVOCATION: **SAM MORGAN**

NOTE TAKER: **RICHARD HANSEN**

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We meet on Mondays at 12:15 p.m.

Lions Gate Hotel and Suites

McClellan Business Park

3410 Westover Street

North Highlands, CA 95632

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.

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SUNSHINE

PE **Roland Wright** shared that **John Hallsten** is out of the hospital and back at El Comino Gardens and is in good spirits.

Blood Drive

PP **Bob Meyer** announced that he has given his 134th pint of blood.

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.

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.

Wine-d up for Youth

Jennine Sparks invited the Rotarians to the Wine-d up for Youth fundraiser on Saturday, May 11th at the California Automobile Museum benefiting Rotary Youth Exchange. The fundraiser is presented by Rotary District 5180.

Save The Date

Jennine

Wine-d Up For Youth

ADVANCED TICKET PRICE \$50

Presented by Sacramento District Rotary Clubs

Rotary

Wine & Food Tasting Silent / Live Auction

Benefiting Rotary Youth Exchange, 3Strands Global (Human Trafficking) & other Local Youth Programs

Saturday, May 11th, 2019 6:30-9:30pm

California Automobile Museum
2200 Front Street Sacramento

Winery, Restaurant & Sponsorship Opportunities

Tickets & Information: WinedUpForYouth.com

BE INSPIRED

ONE DAY

MAY 18, 2019

District 5180 Conference

BE THE INSPIRATION

THE ROTARY FOUNDATION

PROMOTE PEACE - CLEAN WATER - IMPROVE & CONSERVE LOCAL ECONOMIES - POLARIS PLUS - EDUCATION

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

FOOD TRUCKS

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 5210



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 \$16.00 at today's meeting.**

We have a total of \$658.10 for this Rotary Year. This is 65.81% 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.



ROTARY FOUNDATION BENEFACTORS

NAME

Hallsten, John
 Hansen, Richard
 Kaiser, Joe
 Lipp, Gordon
 Magnani, Patrick
 Mecklenburg, Dominic
 Meyer, Bob
 Monagan, Marilee
 Morgan, Cheryl (Sam)
 Spears, Robert B.
 Wiggins, Lee N.
 Wright, Roland

A Benefactor is someone who has contributed \$1,000 to the Permanent Fund or made provisions in their will of at least \$1,000 benefiting The RI Foundation.

RECOGNITIONS

Finemaster Joe Kaiser began by asking **Richard Hansen** if he had lost his voice recorder. He had left it behind at the last meeting and **Joe** returned it to him. **Richard** spun the wheel for \$6.

PP **Bob Meyer** had a wedding anniversary. **Bob** and **Dayme** have been married 57 years. **Bob** spun the wheel for \$14.

PP **Marilee Monagan** celebrated her 20th year in Rotary by ringing the bell for \$100 to the Club.

President Patrick had two happy thoughts. He met wife **Jennifer** 24 years ago and won a contest at work. **Patrick** bonged the gong for \$100 to The Rotary Foundation.



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?

District 5180 Training Assembly

PE **Roland Wright** and club members **President Patrick**, PEN **Marilee Monagan**, PP **Bob Meyer**, **Katy Wright**, **Richard** and **David Hansen** attended the District Training Assembly on March 30th at Sierra College. The Rotary Club of Fair Oaks Flash Mob appeared and they were a big hit!



Select to play video by PE Roland

<https://youtu.be/q9VGqcTMInq>

HIGHLIGHTS OF THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

PP **Dominic Mecklenburg** introduced **Dr. Lee T. Lovallo**. **Dr. Lovallo** has extensive experience in early music, dating to his founding Principia Musica, the Medieval-Renaissance ensemble at California State University, Bakersfield in 1978. He established the annual series of Evensong performances in Sacramento 1982-1987 for which he edited and directed music of Orlando Gibbons. Since 2006 **Dr. Lovallo** has directed Renaissance Choir Sacramento for which he edited and led performances of Ockeghem's Missa cuiusvis toni and directed a wide range of 15th and 16th century choral works. He is active as an organ builder, specializing in historical style tracker pipe organs and serves as organist and as music director at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Antelope. Following graduate work in music at SUNY Buffalo where he earned a Ph.D. in music, **Dr. Lovallo** taught choir and music history in high schools and colleges in Northern California, recently took part in the Tallis Scholars Summer Course, the Musica Antica a Magnano seminar, and the San Francisco Early Music Society Medieval/Renaissance summer program.

About the Choir

Formed in the summer of 2011 as the Antelope Renaissance Choir, we changed our name to reflect more closely the area where we live and perform. Renaissance Choir Sacramento specializes in singing motets and Masses of the 15th and 16th centuries. The Choir is organized as a 501(c)3 non-profit, educational institution. While much of our music is performed a capella, where appropriate viols, lute, organ and other instruments are occasionally added to the

texture. Prospective singers should have choral experience, read music and know the rudiments of music theory, be able to sing a range of 1-1/2 octaves with good intonation and tone quality without vibrato, have some acquaintance with European languages and Latin, possess sufficient keyboard or other instrument to help learn their music. and most importantly share our great enthusiasm for the fine, sublime music of the Renaissance.

We are not a church choir per se, but we do sing mostly sacred music, rehearse in the lovely chapel-like space of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Antelope occasionally using its late Renaissance-style pipe organ, and perform in various churches and other venues throughout the Sacramento area. Membership in the choir is open to all with no requirement as to religion.

For more information go to.

<http://renaissancechoirsacramento.com/>



Dr. Lee Lovallo and President Patrick

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



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ROTARY CLUB

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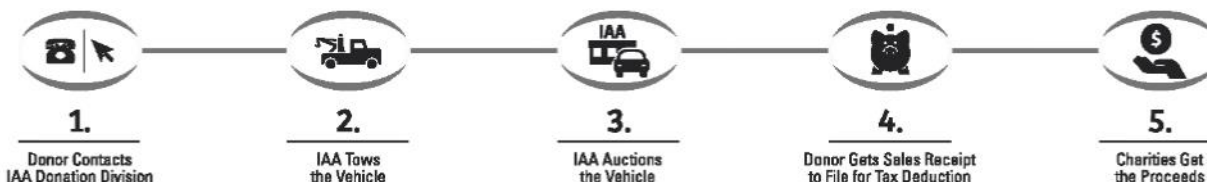
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