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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





Annual Holiday Party at the Lions Gate Hotel



Front Row: PP Lee Wiggins, Brent Seizer, Diane Wright, Eddie Wiggins and Sam Morgan

2nd Row: John Hallsten, David and Richard Hansen, PP Bob Spears, Tyna Marie Katona, PP Bob Meyer, Mary Mecklenburg, Karla Curran and Polly Lipp

Last Row: Shawn Narayan, PP Annie Hallsten, PP Maureen McBride, PP Chuck McBride, DG Sandi Sava, PDG Barry Kalar, PP Patrick and Jennifer Magnani, PP Joe Kaiser, IPP Dominic Mecklenburg, Dick Biddle, Gordon Lipp and President Roland Wright

CALL TO ORDER

We were dark at noon in anticipation of our annual holiday party which began with no host cocktails at 6:15 p.m. in the Lobby Bar at the Lions Gate Hotel. As guests arrived, Photographer Extraordinaire Lee Wiggins took pictures of them posed in front of the Christmas tree in Club Ballroom A. President Roland Wright called the meeting to order at 7:10 p.m. and thanked PP Lee Wiggins for serving as Greeter. PP Bob Spears led us in the pledge and IPP Dominic Mecklenburg provided the invocation.

Richard Hansen was the note taker and PP Lee Wiggins served as the Club Photographer.

VISITING ROTARIANS AND GUESTS

Twenty seven Rotarians and guests were in attendance for our annual holiday gathering. Attendees included John Hallsten along with "favorite" granddaughter-former member and PP Annie Hallsten with her friend, Shawn Narayan; PP Joe Kaiser; PP Patrick Magnani and his wife, Jennifer; IPP **Dominic Mecklenburg** with wife, Mary; PP Bob Meyer; Cheryl Anne "Sam"

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

Morgan and her partner, Dick Biddle; PP Maureen McBride along with hubby, Rotarian Chuck McBride from the Rotary Club of Carmichael; Honorary Member Brent Seizer; Honorary Member Karla Curran; PP Bob Spears and friend, Tyna Marie Katona; Gordon Lipp and wife, Polly; Richard Hansen and son, David; PP Lee Wiggins and wife, Eddie and President Roland Wright and wife, Diane. Special guests included DG Sandi Sava from the Rotary Club of Sacramento Breakfast with her partner, PDG Barry Kalar from the Rotary Club of West Sacramento and ADG David **Veden** from the Rotary Club of Natomas.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rotary Day at the Kings

President Roland invited the Rotarians to District 5180's Rotary Day at the Kings! Join fellow Rotarians at the Golden 1 Center as the Kings play the Toronto Raptors! District 5180's own quartet Rotary Four-Way Test will sing both the American and Canadian National Anthems. It's Star Wars Theme Day - so you can dust off your lightsabers and bring your favorite Wookie!

WHEN: 12:30pm, Sunday, December 10,

2017

WHERE: Golden 1 Center

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P.O. Box 6 North Highlands, CA 95660-0006

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

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/

Night at the Museum Fundraiser

IT'S OFFICIAL—MARK YOUR CALENDARS

President Roland announced last week our NATM fundraiser will be held on Saturday, April 28th. At the California Automobile Museum.

We were reminded this is a great time of year to solicit sponsorships as businesses are preparing their budgets for the new year.

If you got any unwanted gifts during the Gift Exchange at tonight's dinner, remember we can always use them for the Balloon Pop or the Estate Sale which will be held in the spring following NATM.

Tickets and flyers for the event will be available after the holiday break.

DICTIONARY PROJECT

IPP **Dominic Mecklenburg** announced he has picked up 42 boxes of dictionaries which we will be delivering to all third-grade students at F.C. Joyce, CCAA and Hillsdale Elementary Schools. Delivery date to be announced.

Ink and Toner Cartridges Mini Fundraiser



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

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

NEW MEMBER

DG Sandi Sava likes to induct new members when she visits Rotary clubs. As a special treat during our holiday party, DG Sandi inducted Mary Mecklenburg into our club. She shared some interesting tidbits about Mary's background before presenting Mary with a Women in Rotary pin and asked the Rotarians to come forward to officially welcome Mary into the Foothill-Highlands Rotary family.

We are so excited to have **Mary** as our newest member.



DG Sandi Sava pins Mary Mecklenburg



Fellowship Event



The U.S.A.F. Commanders Jazz Band of the Golden West will be in Sacramento on **Wednesday**, **December 13th** at **7:00 p.m.** at **Memorial Auditorium**. We have acquired 24 complimentary tickets and invite you to join us. Limit—two tickets per Rotarian.

If interested in attending, contact PP Maureen McBride no later than this Friday, December 8th to reserve your tickets.



EVERGREEN FUNDRAISER

Thanks to the herculean efforts of **Elf Mecklenburg** our annual evergreen fundraiser was a success.

Thanks to everyone who participated.

ANNUAL MEETING

Our **Annual Meeting** to elect officers and directors for the 2018-19 Rotary Year will take place on **Monday, December 18th**. PE **Patrick Magnani** is looking for volunteers to accept various unfilled positions. Please give serious thought to lending a hand during his year as our President.

WEEKLY ASSIGNMENTS

MONDAY, DEC 11, 2017

GREETER: TBD

PLEDGE: TBD

INVOCATION: BOB MEYER

NOTE TAKER: RICHARD HANSEN

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

UPCOMING PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

December is Disease Prevention and Treatment Month

CLUB CALENDAR:

DEC. 11	LINNEA EDMEIER/CAPITAL	PUBLIC RADIO

DEC. 13 U.S.A.F. BAND CONCERT

DEC. 18 ANNUAL MEETING—ELECTION OF 2018-19
OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

DEC. 25 DARK/CHRISTMAS DAY

JAN. 1 DARK/NEW YEARS' DAY

JAN. 8 ROGER NEILLO

JAN. 9 BOARD MEETING

JAN. 15 DARK/MARTIN LUTHER KING'S BIRTHDAY

JAN. 22' OPEN

JAN. 29 OPEN

FEB. 5 OPEN

FEB 12 OPEN

FEB. 19 DARK/PRESIDENTS' DAY

FEB. 26 OPEN

APRIL 28, 2018 NIGHT AT THE MUSEUM FUND RAISER AT THE CALIFORNIA AUTOMOBILE MUSEUM

DISTRICT 5180 CALENDAR:

DEC. 10 ROTARY DAY AT THE KINGS

MAY 11-13, 2018

DISTRICT CONFERENCE AT HYATT REGENCY HOTEL, SPA AND CASINO AT INCLINE VILLAGE

Rotary House Cleanup

Addendum to last week's article.

PP Chuck McBride was also in attendance helping to ready Rotary House for the incoming guests.

Holiday Gift Wrap Day

PE **Patrick Magnani** announced there will be a free Holiday Gift Wrap Day at the Umpqua Bank at 7921 Walerga Rd. in Antelope on **December 9th** from **10 am** to **2 pm**.

E-Waste4Good Program

Our E-waste Program is going strong with monthly pick-ups at Umpqua Bank. Large items are being picked up and stored at Hallsten Corp. until a scheduled E-waste pick up. **IPP Dominic** announced that Year to Date we have earned \$121.91.

Thanks to everyone for your continued support of this program.

Support the Santa Rosa/Napa Fire Victims

IPP Dominic Mecklenburg announced Umpqua Bank will be supporting the Santa Rosa/Napa fire victims and the families impacted by the damage and devastation incurred by the recent fires. On December 16 & 17, the bank's Santa Rosa main location will be converted into Santa's Workshop. A Santa and professional photographer have been hired to take pictures of the kids and their families for free. It is Umpqua's goal to give every child a toy during those two days which could be between 1,000 and 2,500 kids!!! **Dominic** asked the Rotarians for their support; and as is their usual custom, they earmarked \$200 from the budget to purchase toys and the following members/spouses

donated actual toys—Sam Morgan and Dick Biddle, Gordon and Polly Lipp, Eddie and Lee Wiggins and Mo and Chuck McBride.

Thanks to everyone for their support.



Ending homelessness one woman - one family - at a time!

Club members have been supporting Women's Empowerment by donating clothing to the women they serve. They need items in good condition such as: coats/jackets, dresses, suits, pants, tops, skirts, jeans, sweats/activewear and accessories, i.e. scarves, knit hats, gloves, belts, shoes, etc.

Women's Empowerment recently provided



Mo with a Christmas Wish List. One of the items requested was Christmas Stockings which will be filled with gifts for the women enrolled in the program

and their kids.

On behalf of the club, **Mo** purchased 12 Christmas stockings and **Chuck** delivered them to the Women's Empowerment campus on Monday morning. They were very appreciative of the donation.

BELL RINGERS, GONG BONGERS PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Jordan Backhaus		PHF	
Sonja Cameron	(GRIF)	PHF	
John Hallsten	(GRIF)	PHF+ 5	
Richard Hansen	(B)(GRIF) (GRIF Polo Plus)	PHF+ 7	
Joe Kaiser	(GRIF x2)	PHF+ 8	
Gordon Lipp	(B)	PHF+ 4	
Gene Long		PHF+1	
Patrick Magnani	(GRIF)	PHF+1	
Dr. Steven Martinez			
Maureen McBride	(GRIF)	PHF+ 8	
Dominic Mecklenburg	(GRIF)	PHF+ 8	
Bob Meyer	(GRIF)	PHF+ 5	
Marilee Monagan	(GRIF) (GRIF Polo Plus)	PHF+ 2	
Sam Morgan	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 6	
Gerred Popejoy		PHF	
Bob Spears	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 3	
David Stone		PHF+ 8	
Lee Wiggins	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 4	
Roland Wright	(B)(GRIF) (GRIF Polo Plus x2)	PHF+ 8	
P. H. P. C. C. I.			

Bell Ringer & Gong Codes:

(B) = Bell Ringer chi\$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 the **Rotary** \$1,000 to International Annual Program Fund or other approved programs. Each contribution additional \$1,000 is recognized with a plus and the number.

FOUNDATION NEWS

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 **Marilee Monagan** 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. YTD is \$626.99 or 62.70% of this year's goal.

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 fourth year in a row.

For those who donate \$100 or more to **The Rotary Foundation**, **Marilee** will be presenting them with a special sticker for their badge.

ROTARY FOUNDATION BENEFACTORS

NAME

Backhaus, Jordan Hallsten, John Hansen, Richard Kaiser, Joe Lipp, Gordon Long, Gene Magnani, Patrick McBride, Maureen Mecklenburg, Dominic Meyer, Bob Monagan, Marilee Morgan, Cheryl (Sam) Spears, Robert B. Stone, David M. 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.



SPECIAL RECOGNITIONS

President Roland and **IPP Dominic Mecklenburg** made a special presentation to our regular servers **Tracy** and **Cecelia.**They take care of our regular Monday luncheons and special evening events throughout the year with aplomb.

Each was presented with a thank you note and gift for the holidays.

We are very fortunate to have them.



President Roland, Cecelia, Tracy and Dominic Mecklenburg



January Board Meeting

The January 2018 Board Meeting will be held on

Tuesday, Jan. 9 at **5:30 p.m.** at Umpqua Bank in Antelope.

Just a reminder: All members are invited to attend.

Ambassadorial Scholarship

PP **Maureen McBride** shared an email she and **Chuck** received from PDG **Steve Lemmon** which contained a letter from a former Ambassadorial Scholar. See below.

Dear Mr. Lemmon,

Thank you for forwarding me the personal information about the late, Mr. John M. Cole. I appreciate your assistance and in sharing his biography with me as I have benefited, in an invaluable manner, from Mr. Cole's generosity.

For what it's worth, and as a token of gratitude toward Rotary International and in respect to Mr. Cole's legacy, I utilized the John Cole Rotary Foundation Scholarship to study abroad as a John Cole Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar in Dublin, Ireland in 2012. While abroad, I completed an MBA at the Trinity College Dublin, School of Business. While overseas as a John Cole Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar, I assisted local Irish Rotary clubs in their outreach and in fundraising efforts towards a water-well project in Kenya. In addition, I helped in other Rotary volunteering outreach efforts involving the development of a local, Dublin-based sensory garden for disabled children and persons abiding in wheelchairs (picture attached). After my tenure abroad, I have worked (or currently work) on governments behalf of US orState implementing and assessing public-health access care programs for low-income families individuals, and/or in regulating and international financial entities complying with Dodd-Frank initiatives and statutes. To my understanding, one of Mr. Cole's desires was to select Scholars/individuals who do work in the field of law and justice. Because of Mr. Cole's and Rotary's generosity, I can work in the field of law and securities regulation. As the first person in my family's history to graduate from college (or possess an advanced professional degree), had Rotary (or Mr. Cole) not been involved with aiding me in funding my educational pursuits and interests, I would not be the citizen or professional that I have become today.

With the most sincere sense of gratitude and thanks for your service, Rotary, and Mr. Cole,

Andrew Smith

John M. Cole Rotary Ambassadorial Scholar, 2012-13

When we receive letters like this one, it's an affirmation we are having a positive impact on the lives of others and renews our resolve to continue making a difference.

John Cole is surely looking down on us with a broad smile on his face.

Special thanks to **PDG Steve Lemmon** for sharing the letter and to **Andrew Smith** for writing it.

Makes one feel proud to be a Rotarian!!!!!!

DISTRICT NEWS

2018 District Conference

The 2018 District Conference will be held at the **Hyatt Regency Hotel**, **Spa and Casino** at **Incline Village** in **Lake Tahoe**, **May 11-13**, 2018.

Conference and hotel reservations are now available on the District Website.

If you have any questions, call **Mo**.



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?

HIGHLIGHTS OF THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

Elf Dominic Mecklenburg began the gift exchange by having the attendees chose a number to determine in what order they would be called upon to choose a gift.

He then explained the rules of the game—a gift is chosen, stolen and finally retired.

Patrick was first and chose a \$25 Fandango gift card.

Joe Kaiser was next and chose a battery-powered Salt and Pepper Shaker.



Sam Morgan was up next and chose a 7-Piece Popcorn Bowl Set.

Bob Meyer chose a Flameless Candle Set.



President Roland chose a bag which contained his gavel and a Bread Dipping Set.

Diane Wright followed **Roland** and stole the Flameless Candle Set from **Bob Meyer**.

Bob chose again; and this time, it was a gag gift—one of the dictionaries from the order **Dominic** just picked up. **Bob** then chose a Salt and Pepper Shaker.

Lee chose a Pfaltzgraff glass platter with a Christmas Tree Motif.



Mo was next and chose a ceramic replica of a truck filled with assorted Ghirardelli Chocolates.

Mary Mecklenburg stole the glass platter from **Lee**.

Lee went again; and this time, chose a \$25 Fandango gift card.

Polly Lipp chose an electric Key Finder.

Chuck stole the truck from **Mo**. **Mo** will undoubtedly get the candy and **Chuck** — the truck.

Dominic chose a bag of Ghirardelli Chocolates.



Jennifer Magnani chose a Bottle of Wine.



Karla Curran chose a Lantern.

Bob Spears chose a Grass Seed Spreader.



Brent (for Marilee) stole the Ghirardelli Chocolates from **Dominic**.

Mary stole the Tennessee Fire Whiskey from **DG Sandi.** As you can tell from our Governor's expression, she was not very happy.



Gordon chose a Shot Roulette Game.



DG Sandi Sava chose a bottle of Tennessee Fire Whiskey.

DG Sandi got to choose again. This time it was candle holders which spelled out the word JOY.

PDG Barry Kalar re-stole the Tennessee Fire Whiskey from Mary. To be sure, it will wind up in DG Sandi's stash.



Mary stole the Ghirardelli Chocolate from **Brent**.



Brent chose a Plush Nome.

John Hallsten chose a Wine Aerator.

Tyna Marie Katona chose Bottle of Wine.



Eddie
Wiggins
chose a
Musical Beer
Stein.

Richard Hansen chose a Dash Camera. Just what he needs for his new Buick.

There being no additional numbers and all the gifts accounted for, **President Roland** called the meeting back to order.

To finish off the festivities, **President Roland** asked us to stand and join hands in a circle of friendship and fellowship and we sang *Silent Night*.



Circle of Friendship

President Roland wished everyone a happy holiday season and asked us to join him in a toast to *Rotary Around the World*.

At the conclusion of the evening, we gathered in front of the Christmas Tree for our annual holiday photo which was taken by **Lee Wiggins** using a timer.



A truly great evening of fun and fellowship.

2017 Holiday Party











Rotarians and their Guests enjoying dinner

2017 Holiday Party



Diane and Roland Wright



DG Sandi Sava and PDG Barry Kalar



Sam Morgan and Dick Biddle



Tyna Marie Katona



Mary and Dominic Mecklenburg



Patrick and Jen Magnani





Bob Spears



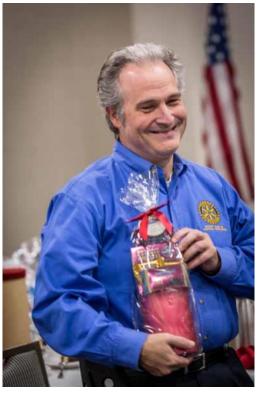
Bob Meyer



Joe Kaiser



Eddie Wiggins



Honorary Member Brent Seizer



Gordon and Polly Lipp



David and Richard Hansen



Karla Curran



ADG David Veden



Shawn Narayan, John Hallsten and Annie Hallsten



Mo and Chuck McBride

Special Note:

I have searched through 177 pictures but cannot find one of PP and Photographer Extraordinaire **Lee Wiggins.**

Next year we'll have to be sure he doesn't get left out because he's busy taking the pictures.





DISTRICT 5180 UPDATE - FIRE VICTIMS SUPPORT

From District Governor, Sandi Sava

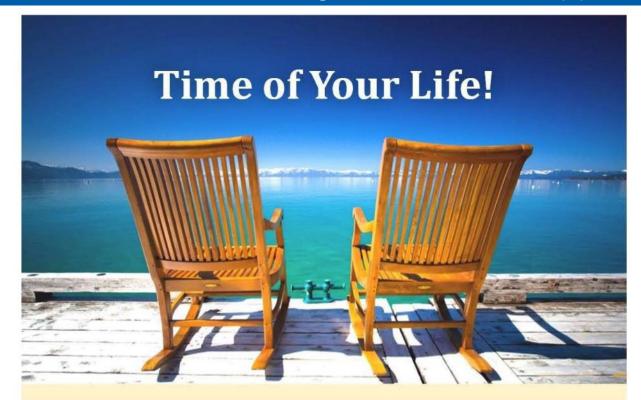
Rotarians and members of our communities have been devastated by the fires in Northern California with loss of homes, schools and businesses, relocation, and, worse yet, death and injuries. We all are trying to figure out how, when, where and who to best help. I have been communicating regularly with the 41 Club Presidents in District 5180, our 8 Assistant Governors, our District Leadership, and a number of Rotarians. I also have been in close touch with Rotary International, our Zone Director John Matthews, and the District Governors in 4 neighboring Districts. Several plans are being developed and carried out at this time.

First, individual clubs and Rotarians are collecting and delivering personal hygiene and related items to evacuees and to victims of the fires in Yuba and Butte Counties in the Northern part of our District. They also are helping fire personnel and first responders. Our Assistant Governors are working with Club Presidents, Rotarians and members of our communities to proactively identify needs and provide assistance. While this is very important, the outpouring of donations has exceeded some needs. And, in some cases, the donated items cannot get to or through certain locations. Collection of personal hygiene items and new supplies still should be considered for victims who you specifically can identify, but donations of gift cards is preferred for many Napa and Sonoma victims at this time.

Second, our District has developed a funding platform to collect monetary contributions from donors who want to help financially. Specific details about use and disbursement of these funds will depend upon what information we obtain about needs and forms of assistance. Contributions can be made by check payable to "Rotary District 5180 Foundation" and mailed to District 5180 Foundation Chair, Robert Deering, 4917 Olympia Court, Carmichael, California 95608. We are not accepting electronic donations at this time.

Third, District 5180 is working with neighboring Districts to develop a regional fund with the help of and through Rotary International. As with the hurricanes and earthquakes, our fires make people from all over the world want to help directly, and a "Donor Advised Fund" through RI enables this. Although a DAF provides a platform to help with immediate help, it primarily provides opportunities for longer term assistance. We expect to have this in place within the next week.

The Lake Area Rotary Club Association [www.larca5130.org] is already set up to accept contributions and help those victims in Napa, Sonoma, Mendocino and Lake Counties. Our District will continue to work with the Presidents, Assistant Governors and other Rotarians as we navigate through this disaster. If you have specific information about how to help, please contact your Club President, AG or me. We are here to help too and will provide further updates in the future.



Join us for Fun in Tahoe

Rotary District 5180 Conference May 11-13, 2018

Hyatt Regency Lake Tahoe Resort, Spa and Casino, Incline Village

You're invited to <u>register for the Rotary 5180 District Conference</u>, May 11-13, 2018 in Incline. And you can now <u>book your room at the Hyatt Regency Lake Tahoe Resort!</u>

Speakers:

Rotary International Convention Speaker Minda Dentler Leadership and Fitness Expert Sara Kooperman

Friday Night Beach Party
Speech Contest Finals
Activities on the Hotel Property
Fun and Fellowship





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WHEN: 12:30pm, Sunday, December 10, 2017

WHERE: Golden 1 Center

WHY: Great venue, great company, rare day game

Order online at the link below to be included in the Rotary bloc of tickets using discount code Rotary:

http://bit.ly/RotaryDayAtKings12102017

Tickets limited so order now!

If you have questions, contact John McIntyre at 916-851-2011 or john.mcintyre@Dignityhealth.org

Ready. Set. Save Lives!

Rotary District 5180 Blood Drive Challenge



For more than 60 years, Rotarians, their families, friends and coworkers have teamed up with BloodSource® to ensure that our community's blood supply is safe and plentiful for patients in need. Rotarians are a generous group, but to inspire even more lifesaving, BloodSource® has an annual challenge for us - give whole blood or platelets/plasma/source plasma and receive rewards!

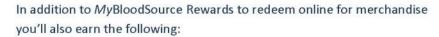
Challenge, Accepted!

Donate (and encourage friends, family and coworkers too!) from April 16, 2017 through April 15, 2018 and make it count by mentioning your Rotary Club when donating. Results will be announced at the 2018 District Conference!

Awards By Category | Club Categories: Small, Medium & Large

- ✓ Most Donors
- Percentage of Club Membership Clubs in each category will also be recognized for participation percentage based on total membership.





You Give Whole Blood Automated Donation (platelets/plasma)

You Receive (1) Rotary Point (2) Rotary Points

Questions?

For Blood Drive Challenge information or to schedule a speaker for your club program, contact:

Angelina Pillet (Folsom Lake Rotary Club) 916.453.3741 APillet@bloodsystems.org





Schedule your donation at my.bloodsource.org or call 866.822.5663 - and make it count by telling them it's for your Rotary Club!





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.