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THE ROTARY CLUB OF FOOTHILL- HIGHLANDS

The Dangerous Dozen

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





The 2019-20 Presidents Awards



PDG **Ray Ward** presented at a safe distance, Foothill-Highlands Rotary Club's awards for the 2019-20 Rotary year to PP **Roland Wright.**

CALL TO ORDER

Todays meeting was a Regular Meeting on Zoom. **Pastor Robert Hale** organized the meeting. **President Dominic Mecklenburg** began the meeting at 12:15

pm. and lead us in the pledge with a video.

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Club level speech contest

On **Monday March 1st** we will be holding our Club level speech contest, on ZOOM. **Miguel** will be in charge with the help of PP **Bob Spears.**

Rotary Pinewood Derby

PP Patrick Magnani announced



announced that District 5180 will be having a Pinewood Derby contest, contact **Pat** for more information.

ROTARIANS AND GUESTS

Crystal Harding and **Aaliyah Cooper** from the **Black Child Legacy Campaign** at Liberty Towers Church.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

2/1 Regular Meeting on ZOOM

2/8 Board Meeting on ZOOM

Pledge of Allegiance

2/15 NO MEETING Presidents Day

2/22 Regular Meeting on ZOOM

3/1 Speech Contest on ZOOM

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ZOOM

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

WHEN WE DO NOT MEET ON ZOOM

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

DISTRICT 5180 WEBSITE: http://rotary5180.com



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/

The 2019-20 Presidents **Awards**

The 2019-20 Presidents ended their year with the pandemic. It forced them to adjust their year unexpectedly. We also were unable to give the send-off they deserved.

PDG **Ray Ward** presented at a safe distance, Foothill-Highlands Rotary Club's awards for the 2019-20 Rotary year to PP Roland Wright.

Roland will be presenting the awards to the club members at a future date.

So please join us in this salute to their year.

You are invited to the 2019-2020 Awards On-Line. Please click on the link below to attend or decline. You can also book family and friends.

Date: January 30th 2021 at 7:00 P.M. on line.



Finally, it's Time for The Awards Event

Since our Awards Event was postponed, we have been waiting to have a Live or Hybrid Event. Every time we thought we could begin planning it, things changed,

Since we understand that the 2019-20 Presidents deserve to be recognized, we decide to put an on-line event.

So mark your calendar, so we can recognize the great achievements and flexibility of these wonderful Presidents.

Please join us on Saturday, January 30th at 7pm for this special event. Register @ www.Rotary5180.org











PP Roland with Awards









ROTARY FOUNDATION BENEFACTORS

NAME

Hansen, Richard Kaiser, Joe Lipp, Gordon Magnani, Patrick Mecklenburg, Dominic Meyer, Bob 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.

E-Waste4Good Program

President Dominic Mecklenburg



announced that our E-Waste program is going strong with monthly pick-ups at Umpqua Bank. Larger items are being picked up and stored at Hallsten

Corporation. We have received \$145.92 this Rotary year.

Car Donation Program

To arrange for a donation, call **Dominic's**



cell **916-995-4006.** He will make the arrangements for the pick up.

The Donation Form is on Page 8 of the bulletin.



BELL RINGERS, GONG BONGERS PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Migual Benitez	(GRIF)	
Robert Hale		
Richard Hansen	(B)(GFHF)	PHF+ 8
Joe Kaiser	(B) (GRIF)	PHF+ 8
Gordon Lipp	(B)	PHF+ 4
Patrick Magnani	(Bx2)(GRIF)	PHF+ 1
Dr. Steven Martinez		
Dominic Mecklenburg	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 8
Bob Meyer		PHF+ 5
Marilee Monagan	(B)(GFHF)(GRIF)	PHF+ 4
Sam Morgan	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 6
Bob Spears	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 4
Lee Wiggins	(B)	PHF+ 5
Roland Wright	(B x 2)(GRIF)	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

(JH) = A donation to the John Hallsten Vocational Service Fund

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.

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.

The total amount contributed for Polio Plus fiscal YTD = \$1,273.00 and this entire amount will be eligible for the 4 to 1 match"

Ink and Toner Cartridges Mini Fundraiser



PP 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. As you replace the ink or toner cartridges, put the old ones in the bag and bring them to Rotary.



In Loving Memory

JOHN HALLSTEN

1924 - 2019

In honor of the life and memory of John Hallsten, this fund will be used specifically to further Vocational Education. Students in our Rotary service area may apply.

Donate to the Foothill-Highlands Rotary Club, "John Hallsten Vocational Service Fund"

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Mail checks to: Foothill-Highlands Rotary Club P. O. Box 6 North Highlands, CA 95660-0006



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?



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 - 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!

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

Call Dominic at 916-995-4006 E-mail dmecklenburg@comcast.net

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

We accept every type of vehicle, including:

- Cars
- Boats
- Snowmobiles
- · Heavy equipment

- Trucks
- Motorcycles
- · Personal watercraft

The process is easy. Here's how it works:



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

Donate today!

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