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THE ROTARY CLUB OF FOOTHILL-HIGHLANDS

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Assistant District Governor Area 8 **Joseph (Joe) Scheimer** Rotary Club of Rancho Cordova

Joseph (Joe) Scheimer was born on May 15th in Logan, UT and raised in Central Valley (now Shasta City), CA. He currently resides with his wife of 36 years, Marie, in Gold River. Joe has been blessed with two daughters—Joanne (47) and Jessica (23), and two granddaughters—Zoe (6) and Sammi (5). Joe is anticipating living a long and active life, as his 90-year old father Tiny, is still alive and spends his time feeding a herd of deer and making his own wine.

Joe is currently self-employed with LPL Financial as an Investment Advisor/Branch Manager. Joe has been in the finance industry for 17 years since retiring from the USAF. Joe served in the USAF for 24 1/2 years, retiring in 1993. During his time in the Air Force, Joe was a fighter pilot, Headquarters Squadron Commander, and ultimately a Colonel. Interestingly enough, Joe served at RAF Upper Heyford with fellow Rotarian John Chapman. Joe also spent 3 years as a corporate pilot flying the Intel Shuttle!

Joe has been a Rotarian for 14 years with the Rancho Cordova Rotary Club. He has held several positions during his time in Rotary: International Services Chairman 1997-1999 and again 2010-?; Speaker Chairman 2005-2007; and District GSE Committee 2010-?. He also recently served as GSE Team Leader to Colombia in 2010. In addition to the many hours he devotes to Rotary, Joe also volunteers with Junior Achievement and the Order of Daedalians, where he was past president.

In his free time, Joe enjoys studying history, bicycling, fishing, traveling, and drinking wine. One of his main hobbies is scuba diving for lost treasure. With his many years as a fighter pilot, he has also developed the talent for being an instructor pilot!

CALL TO ORDER

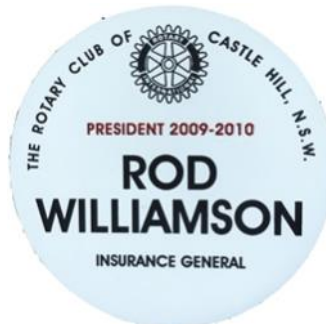
We met for lunch at the **Hangar Café**, 5411 **Luce Avenue**. **President Gene Long** began the meeting promptly at 12:15 p.m. Because of the venue, **President Gene** decided to dispense with the usual format of a regular meeting. **Richard Hansen** was the note taker. After lunch and a few announcements, we headed for **Newlife Electronics** at 4929 43rd St. on the campus of McClellan Business Park for a vocational tour.

VISITING ROTARIANS AND GUESTS

Joining us today was Rotarian **Rod Williamson** from the Rotary Club of Castle Hill, Australia.



President Gene presented **Rod** with our Club Banner.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

Rotary District 5180 Foundation, Youth Services and Literacy Seminar —Saturday, July 25th.

PP **Roland Wright** invited any Rotarian interested in learning more about RYE, RYLA, REGLE, Interact, Rotaract as well as Literacy and Foundation Grants to a district seminar. Location, time and registration info is below.

Sacramento Assn. of Realtors' Office
2003 Howe Avenue , Sacramento
Time: 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM (PDT)

Register on the District 5180 Website. There is no cost to attend.

Backpacks

PP **Maureen McBride** asked that Rotarians start collecting backpacks for students at local schools in our service area. While we don't have a recipient school(s) as yet, now is the time to purchase the backpacks as Office Max, Staples, Target, etc. are having great sales on back-to-school supplies. We'll start collecting the backpacks at next week's meeting.

North Highlands Jubilee

President Gene reminded the Rotarians the NH Jubilee will be **Saturday, October 10, 2015**. **Jeff** will need help with this event and will be forming various committees to orchestrate the event.

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Rotary Club Address

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

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

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



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Foundation News:



END POLIO NOW

As we begin a new Rotary year, **Mo** reviewed the club's goals for the End Polio Now campaign. For the past two years, we have exceed our goal of \$500 and collected in excess of \$1,000. So, this year's goal is \$1,000. We will continue to have our **END POLIO NOW** banks on the tables at our weekly meetings.

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.

BRING YOUR POCKET CHANGE TO ROTARY. WE NEED YOUR CHANGE FOR CHANGE.

ANNUAL GIVING

Our goal is to have **every Rotarian** contribute **\$100 to The Rotary Foundation** and strive to achieve the status of 100% EREY and 100% Paul Harris Sustaining Fellows.

JOKES

PP **Bob Spears** shared a joke, he received a fine-free pass.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

UPCOMING PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

CLUB CALENDAR:

- JULY 27 CLUB ASSEMBLY/Ryla Student
- AUG. 3 BOB MUTCHLER/From Iron Lung to Iron Butt
- AUG. 31 DISTRICT GOVERNOR'S VISIT
- SEPT. 14 SACRAMENTO COUNTY DA ANNE MARIE SCHUBERT

DISTRICT 5180 CALENDAR:

- JULY 25 FOUNDATION, YOUTH SERVICES AND LITERACY SEMINAR
- AUG. 15 ZONE 25/26 NEW FOCUS MEMBERSHIP SUMMIT
- AUG. 24 6TH ANNUAL ROTARY DISTRICT 5180 GOVERNOR'S CUP
- SEPT. 19 FOUNDATION SEMINAR
- NOV. 7 DISTRICT FOUNDATION DINNER DOUBLE TREE HOTEL
- MAY 19-22 DISTRICT CONFERENCE DOUBLE TREE HOTEL/Berkeley Marina

WEEKLY ASSIGNMENTS

MONDAY, JULY 27, 2015

GREETER: DOMINIC MECKLENBURG

PLEDGE: PAT MAGNANI

INVOCATION: DAVID STONE

NOTE TAKER: RICHARD HANSEN

ROTARY FOUNDATION BENEFACTORS

NAME

Donlevy, Jeff
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 (has contributed \$1,000 to the Permanent Fund or made provisions in their will of at least \$1,000 benefiting The Rotary Foundation).

BELL RINGERS, GONG BONGERS PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Jordan Backhaus		PHF
Sonja Cameron		PHF
Warren Coffeen		PHF+ 1
Jeff Donlevy		PHF
John Hallsten	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 5
Richard Hansen		PHF+ 6
Joe Kaiser		PHF+ 7
Gordon Lipp	(GRIF)	PHF+ 2
Gene Long	(GRIF)	PHF
Patrick Magnani		PHF
Maureen McBride		PHF+ 8 +
Dominic Mecklenburg		PHF+ 7
Bob Meyer		PHF+ 4
Marilee Monagan		PHF+ 2
Gary Monk		
Sam Morgan		PHF+ 4
Bob Spears		PHF+ 2
David Stone		PHF+ 5
Lee Wiggins		PHF+ 4
Roland Wright	(B)(GRIF)	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.



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?

Can you help?! Volunteers Still Needed for Summer Soiree!

Volunteers Needed!



We are looking for a few more volunteers for our upcoming Summer Soiree fundraising event!

When: Friday, July 24, 2014 | 5pm to 10pm (or before!)

Where: 701 Crocker Road, Sacramento 95864

Volunteers are needed to help with event registration, selling raffle tickets, and assisting our restaurant partners!

If you are interested in supporting Wind Youth Services by volunteering for the biggest fundraiser this summer, please email [Sarah Mullins](mailto:Sarah.Mullins@windyouthservices.org) or call 916.712.9961

Volunteers must be over the age of 18.

Rotaract Institute

PP and District Rotaract Chair **Roland Wright** received the following thank you.

Hello **Roland**, this is **Eric Muller** from the Sacramento State Rotaract Club. I would like to thank you for giving me the opportunity to attend the Big West Rotaract Institute. I had a great time and learned many useful skills to implement at my club! I met many great students and Rotaractors from all around the West Coast, and I was inspired to further my hopes of doing humanitarian work throughout the world from Past Rotary International president Richard King, whom was a keynote speaker at the event. It was an amazing experience, and I am grateful for district 5180 sponsoring me for this event. Again, thank you **Mr. Wright**!

- **Eric Muller**



HIGHLIGHTS OF THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

PP **Patrick Magnani** introduced **Gordon Mills**, owner of Newlife Electronics. Newlife Electronics LLC is located at 4929 43rd Street in McClellan Business Park.

Gordon was born in Seattle, WA in 1960 while the Space Needle was being built. His mother, Marion was a pioneer in Upper Michigan settling the Lake filled wilderness. His father, William, a WWII and Korean War Vet was originally from Sperry, OK and worked in the Boeing Factory. The family moved to the Santa Clara Valley, then to Dallas, TX and back to CA following electronics jobs.

After finishing high school in 1978, he started working for Hewlett Packard in Cupertino, CA and was a pioneer of the HP Roseville Site. **Gordon** worked in the Customer Service Parts Supply Chain doing everything from repair to finance. He helped start the Reuse and Recycling Business at HP that is now the SIMS Recycling Plant in Roseville.

During the HP merger with Compaq, he was assigned to work recreating the Inventory Valuation process for Service Parts at HP. This inventory had a \$1 billion value in 2004.

By 2008, 30 years after starting at HP, he left to start Newlife Electronics. Newlife has a million dollars in sales per year. It's in its sixth year of operation and has ten employees.

The Mission of Newlife Electronics is to provide rare and hard-to-find HP Enterprise Server, Storage and Networking parts for the best price and quality available. Newlife also serves local schools and ships to customers worldwide. A secondary focus is recycling.

Gordon has been married to Pamela Kay for 34 years and they have four adult children

and 10 grandchildren. He is active in the Men's Ministries of his church and is happy to help out with community projects that serve a good purpose.

Newlife Electronics LLC opened in May 2009 as a family business and pride themselves as community oriented and supportive of the schools and non-profits they have the opportunity to serve.

Gordon took the group on a tour of the facility and explained the different functions of the company.



Rotarians touring Newlife Electronics



Gordon showing the different types of server parts they have in stock.



Rotarians touring Newlife Electronics



Rotarians touring Newlife Electronics



Patrick introducing Gordon



Rotarians in Gordon's office



The inside of an "early" hard drive



Gordon Mills and President Gene

As is our usual custom, **President Gene** presented **Gordon** with a gift in gratitude for his informative presentation.

The meeting was then adjourned.



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- Medical Equipment
- Video Games
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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!

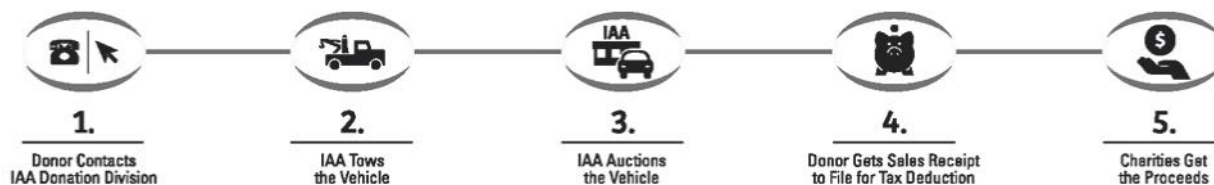
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