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Unsung Heroes



Vocational Service Director **Marilee Monagan** at the podium to present the Unsung Hero award to our Rotary Club's Educator of the Year, to **Desire' Hanson**.

CALL TO ORDER

Filling in for **President Patrick** who was hard at work in Hawaii, was PEN **Marilee Monagan** who called the meeting to order at 12:15 p.m. and thanked PP **Lee Wiggins** for serving as today's official greeter. PP **Bob Meyer** lead us in the pledge and PP **Lee Wiggins** provided the invocation. **Richard Hansen** served as the note taker.

ROTARIANS AND GUESTS

Today's guests were **David Hansen**, PE **Roland's** father, **Robert Wright**, our club's outbound RYE student, **Dasha Benitez**, and **Pastor Robert Hale** from Lifepoint Church in Rio Linda.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

President Pat's 2019 Rotary Demotion Dinner



**Gaucha Chefs Serve Endless Brazilian
Barbecued Meats in a Rustic Modern
Space with a Salad Bar**
Monday, June 24th at 6:00pm
963 Pleasant Grove Blvd #100
Roseville
\$45.00 per person,
RSVP to Roland for reservations

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

CLUB CALENDAR:

- JUNE 10** Unsung Hero, Chad Hodges from Patriots Honor
- JUNE 15** Demotion Golf- Woodcreek Oaks Golf Course, 12:00
- JUNE 17** Regular Meeting at Lions Gate, TBD
- JUNE 24** NO Meeting at Lions Gate, Demotion Dinner 6:00 pm, Flame and Fire Roseville
- JULY 1** Regular Meeting at Lions Gate, TBD
- JULY 7** Board Retreat, Scribner Bend 12:00
- JULY 8** NO Meeting at Lions Gate, after Board Retreat

WEEKLY ASSIGNMENTS

MONDAY, JUNE 10, 2019

GREETER: CAROL YOUNG
PLEDGE: RICHARD HANSEN
INVOCATION: DOMINIC MECKLENBURG
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



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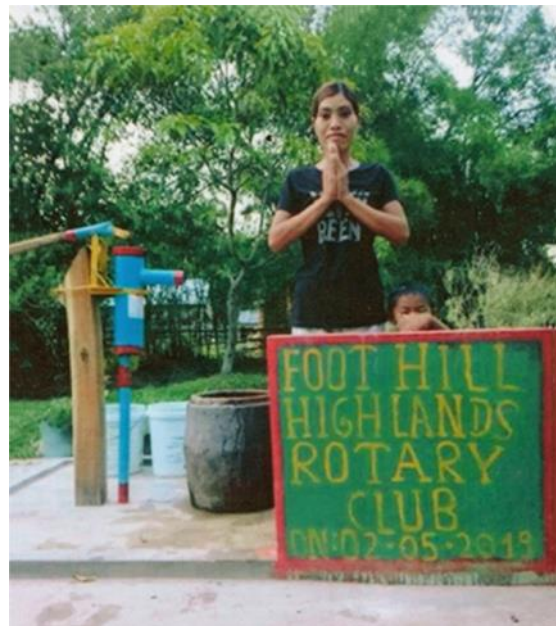
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Cambodia Well Project

Here are photos and a short note from Cambodia regarding the two wells dug in Cambodia with Rotary funds. The cost keeps going up and these are in more remote locations which costs more as well. That is why there are only two this time. Thank you so much for being a blessing to these Cambodian families. As you can see from the note from **Phillip** that the wells benefit many families and make usable water more available. God bless and please thank our Rotary friends for their generous help. Sincerely, **Kris Young (Note to PP Lee Wiggins)**



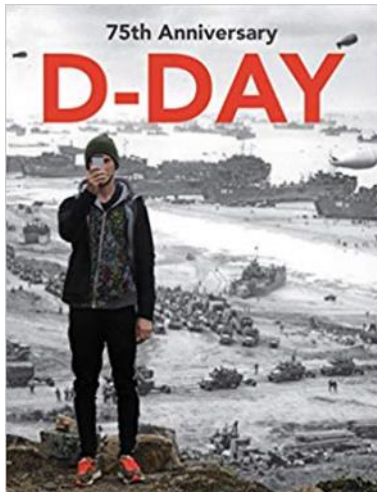
This first new well has been given to Kan Traer Village, Svay Rieng Province. This well will provide a very easy access to over 10 families that situated around the well. The closest well to these families was several kilometers away from them. This new well shortens the distance for other nearby groups to get water as well.



This second well has been given to Moha Vorn Village, Svay Rieng Province. There are 8 families living around the well. They are so grateful to the gift of water that had always wanted. This well will enable them to have enough water for their plantations.

Special Presentation by PP Bob Meyer

The U.S. Army remembers June 6, 1944: The World War II **D-Day** invasion of Normandy, France.



Bob read a portion of a letter from former member (deceased) and PP of the Rotary Club of Foothill-Highlands, **Howard Allard**.

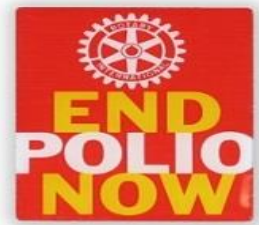
Howard shared what it was like as a GI in France after D-Day and being separated from his unit and captured by the Germans and spending time in a prison camp.



Bob making presentation



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 announced that we have achieved our goal of raising \$1,000 for the End Polio Now campaign. A total of \$1,010.21 has been raised for this Rotary year. Congratulations and thanks to all Rotarians who contributed!

BELL RINGERS, GONG BONGERS PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Richard Hansen	(B)(GRIF)(\$300 Polio Plus)	PHF+ 8
Joe Kaiser	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 8
Gordon Lipp	(B)	PHF+ 4
Patrick Magnani	(B)(GRIF x2)	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	(GRIF)	
Roland Wright	(B)(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

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 House

PP **Joe Kaiser** reported that the current guests will be staying at Rotary House for at least a few more weeks. The UC Davis social worker is working with **Mariela** (mother) to find more permanent housing because the baby's medical condition is so tenuous that her current level of care may last for many years. We will let you know when the Clean Up work day is re-scheduled once the current occupants find alternative permanent housing in the Sacramento area.



PRESIDENT PATRICK MAGNANI'S

ROTARY

DEMOTION GOLF



Saturday, June 15 (12pm tee-time!)

WOODCREEK OAKS GOLF COURSE

5880 Woodcreek Oaks Boulevard, Roseville

RSVP

1. Patrick Magnani
2. Dominic Mecklenburg
3. Roland Wright
4. Marilee Monagan
5. Brent Seizer
6. _____
7. _____
8. _____

\$45ea

18 holes, cart, water, goodie bag
Includes lunch & adult beverages
(and Sprite)

Contact Dominic @ 916-995-4006 to RSVP

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 Corporation. **We have a total of \$384.76 e-waste revenue collected for the fiscal year to date. The club has just received a check for \$120 for the most recent collection of e-waste.**



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.

RECOGNITIONS

Finemaster **Joe Kaiser** began by calling on PP **Lee Wiggins**. **Lee** had a birthday and he and **Eddie** celebrated their 48th wedding anniversary this month. After having trouble with a broken wheel, PE **Roland** fixed it. **Lee** donated \$20 to the Club.

Gordon and **Polly Lipp** celebrated their 69th wedding anniversary this month. **Gordon** spun the wheel for \$8.

Finemaster **Joe** then asked some Rotary questions. First was PP **Bob Meyer** who answered a question about Rotary Fellowships. He was correct.

Richard Hansen did not get a question about Polo Plus correct, he spun the wheel for a 2. All Rotarians paid a \$1.

Carol Young did not get a question correct. She spun the wheel for \$7.

Gordon Lipp did not get a question correct. He spun the wheel for \$7.

PP **Marilee Monagan** did not get a question correct. She spun the wheel for \$7.

Rotary



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

Vocational Service Director and PP **Marilee Monagan** introduced today's program. One of the special things we like to do at the Rotary Club of Foothill-Highlands on a regular basis is to recognize unsung heroes. By unsung heroes, we mean those individuals who quietly go above and beyond the call of duty in serving their profession and their community. We currently look for unsung heroes in the areas of business, firefighting, education, and law enforcement, and today we have one of our unsung heroes here to accept our congratulations and our award. Our final unsung hero will be recognized at our luncheon meeting on Monday, June 10th.

Today's unsung hero is our Educator of the Year, **Desire' Hanson**.

Before you hear from **Desire'** herself, allow me to tell you a little about her.

Desire' is a native Sacramentan. She graduated from Foothill High School and attended San Diego State University where she received her Bachelor of Arts degree in Psychology. **Desire'** then attended California State University, Sacramento, where she earned a Master of Science degree in Counseling Education.

Desire' has been a School Counselor at Creative Connections Arts Academy for the past 13 years, where she counsels students in the 7th through 12th grades. She runs social-emotional counseling groups, does individual counseling, college application workshops, financial aid workshops and career advisement,

along with many other tasks. **Desire'** finds her career as School Counselor to be the most fulfilling and gratifying job she has ever done, and is grateful she followed her path.

PP **Marilee Monagan** presented the Unsung Hero award, our Rotary Club's Educator of the Year, to **Desire' Hanson**.



She then talked about the many projects that she is involved in at her school.

PP **Marilee Monagan** asked the group to stand, raise their glasses and join her in a toast to Rotary Around the World.

The meeting was then adjourned.



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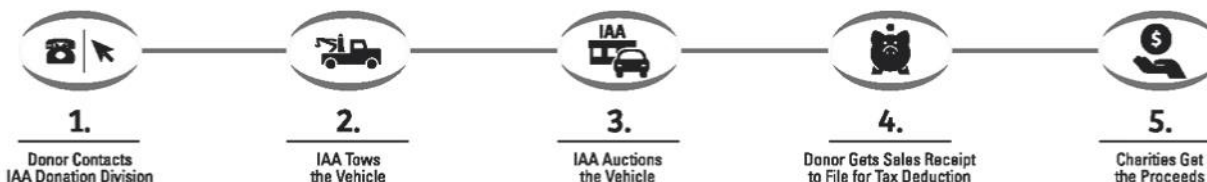
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