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# The Highlander

## 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



ROTARY:  
MAKING A  
DIFFERENCE



### ***The Rotary Club of Foothill-Highlands***

***Presents the Eleventh Annual***

## ***Night at the Museum***

### ***Wine-and-Food Gala***



***Friday, June 8, 2018***

***6:30 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.***

***California Automobile Museum***  
***2200 Front Street, Sacramento, CA***

Proceeds benefit local charitable and non-profit causes, including:

- Birth and Beyond • Sacramento Crisis Nursery
- Children's Receiving Home • WIND
- Scholarships: Academic and Vocational

Music and Dancing

Live and Silent Auctions

Balloon Pop for Special Prizes

Business Casual Attire

\$40 per person/\$50 at the door



For sponsorship opportunities and additional information, contact Event Chairperson Roland Wright at 916-417-1426 or [fhrotaryclub@gmail.com](mailto:fhrotaryclub@gmail.com)

Tickets available online at: [www.night-at-the-museum-rotary.org](http://www.night-at-the-museum-rotary.org)  
Club website: [www.foothillhighlandsrotary.org](http://www.foothillhighlandsrotary.org)



## CALL TO ORDER

**PE Patrick Magnani** called the meeting to order at 12:15 p.m. and thanked **Sonja Cameron** for serving as today's official greeter. Leading us in the pledge was **PE Patrick** and providing the invocation was **PP Lee Wiggins**. **Richard Hansen** served as the note taker.

## VISITING ROTARIANS AND GUESTS

Visiting Rotarian **Phillis Baughman** from the Rotary Club of El Dorado Hills and our speaker **Phil Darke**, President of Providence World.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

### New Board Retreat

The New Board Retreat *will be held Saturday, June 2* from **12:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.** at **PE Patrick Magnani's** home



at 6661 Alder Park Circle in Roseville. Afterward the board will be joined by their spouses or partners for an evening of fellowship. More details on the evening activities

will be forthcoming in the next couple of weeks.

## Night at the Museum Fundraiser

Our **NATM fundraiser** will be held on **Friday, June 8th** at the **California Automobile Museum**.



**PE Patrick Magnani** reminded everyone that next week is a **Club Assembly** for our 11th Annual Night at the

Museum fundraiser that is fast approaching. We are still in need of **Sponsorships, Wineries, Breweries and Restaurants.**

Also items for the **Silent Auction** and the **Balloon Pop**. These are two very important avenues of revenue for us so please be diligent soliciting donations.

Tickets sales are slow so please get out there and sell your allotted tickets.

Check the NATM Webpage for the updated list of Wineries and Restaurants.

[www.night-at-the-museum-rotary.org/](http://www.night-at-the-museum-rotary.org/)

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

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**CLUB WEBSITE:** [www.foothillhighlandsrotary.org/](http://www.foothillhighlandsrotary.org/) (Club Runner)

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

**R.I. OFFICIAL WEBSITE:** [www.rotary.org](http://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.

EIN 68-0392810, PayPal link on Club Website: <http://www.foothillhighlandsrotary.org/>

## Used medicine bottles for a recycling project

PP **Marilee Monagan** announced that she would start collecting used medicine bottles for a recycling project that a friend of hers is spearheading. Please bring in your used pill bottles with the labels removed, if you can. If they cannot be removed, simply black out the personal information on the label with a Sharpie. The bottles are put through a recycling chipper, then sold to a recycling company and the money gained is used for shipping the bottles that can be used again. This project is administered through Matthew25Ministries ([www.m25m.org](http://www.m25m.org)).

## RECOGNITIONS

Finemaster **Joe Kaiser** fell and broke his nose last week, he spun the wheel for \$8.

**Joe** then asked if the Rotarians all had there Rotary pins on, they did.

Then **Joe** asked a question of all the Rotarians present, he picked PP **Lee Wiggins** to represent the members. No one had the answer, **Lee** then spun the wheel for a \$9. All the Rotarians paid \$9.

**NOTE:** “**Joe** said his goal is 100% bell ringers, so he’ll be looking at those first who have not completed that commitment to the club, weekly, until he reaches his goal.”

## CALENDAR OF EVENTS

### UPCOMING PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

#### CLUB CALENDAR:

MAY 21	CLUB ASSEMBLY ON NATM
MAY 28	NO MEETING—MEMORIAL DAY
JUNE 2	NEW BOARD RETREAT
JUNE 4	SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE BRIAN VAN CAMP
JUNE 8	NATM
JUNE 18	DEMOTION - PAUL MARTIN'S RESTAURANT, 1455 EUREKA RD, ROSEVILLE

#### DISTRICT 5180 CALENDAR:

## WEEKLY ASSIGNMENTS

MONDAY, MAY 21, 2018

GREETER: **JOHN HALLSTEN**

PLEDGE: **LEE WIGGINS**

INVOCATION: **BOB SPEARS**

NOTE TAKER: **RICHARD HANSEN**



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 Conference

Photos from President **Roland Wright** and IPP **Dominic Mecklenburg** from the **District 5180 Conference** at the Hyatt Regency Resort in Lake Tahoe on May 11 to 13.

The FHRC club earned a few significant pieces of recognition at the 2018 district conference. The most exciting and probably the most impressive was receiving the award for BEST NEWSLETTER in the district. It was an honor to receive such a prestigious award. We also secured 3rd place in the small club category for all of our accomplishments with Rotary International Foundation giving. Those in attendance representing our club this weekend included **President Roland Wright** and his wife **Diane**; IPP **Dominic Mecklenburg** and his wife and fellow Rotarian **Mary Mecklenburg** and finally, **Maureen McBride** and her husband **Chuck** proudly representing both FHRC and Carmichael as Rotarians from their respective clubs.



**BEST NEWSLETTER** award received by the club



**3<sup>rd</sup> place award for small clubs for foundation giving**



**DG Sandy Sava and Chief of Staff Mo McBride**



**President Roland on stage receiving the Foundation award from DG Sandy Sava**



**Chuck and Maureen McBride**



**President Roland and Diane**



**President Roland and Diane Wright**



**Minda Dentler and Mary Mecklenburg—**  
Minda was a keynote speaker at our conference; Minda was the 1<sup>st</sup> female wheelchair athlete to complete the Ironman World Championship. She contracted Polio before her 1<sup>st</sup> birthday.



**Dominic & Mary Mecklenburg**



**Announcement of results for the  
student speech contest**





**View of the Cabanas from the Lone Eagle Grille near the beach**



**View of the Dock from the Lone Eagle Grille near the beach**



**Mo and Dominic reviewing the minute by minute before the last session on Sunday**



**Chuck and Mo, Sunday morning; Mo can see the finish line.**



**Dominic & Mary, Sunday morning**



**Diane & Roland, Sunday morning**



**View of the lake, pristine blue waters...**



*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.

If you have items to donate, please bring them to one of our weekly meetings.

## 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!**

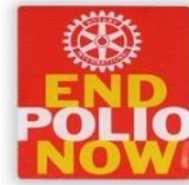
Keep a plastic or paper bag by your printer; and as you replace the ink or toner cartridges, put the old ones in the bag and bring them to Rotary.

## 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 **\$297.28**.

## 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. **We collected \$4.00 at today's Rotary meeting. YTD is \$1036.65 or 103.67% 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

Hallsten, John  
 Hansen, Richard  
 Kaiser, Joe  
 Lipp, Gordon  
 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.

## Car Donation Program

To arrange for a donation, call **Dominic's** cell **916-995-4006**. He will make the arrangements for the pick up.



## BELL RINGERS, GONG BONGERS PAUL HARRIS FELLOWS

Sonja Cameron	(GRIF)	PHF
John Hallsten	(B)(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 5
Richard Hansen	(B)(GRIF) (GRIF Polio Plus)	PHF+ 7
Joe Kaiser	(B)(GRIF x2)	PHF+ 8
Gordon Lipp	(B)	PHF+ 4
Patrick Magnani	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 1
Dr. Steven Martinez		
Maureen McBride	(GRIF)	PHF+ 8
Dominic Mecklenburg	(GRIF)	PHF+ 8
Mary Mecklenburg	(GRIF)	PHF
Bob Meyer	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 5
Marilee Monagan	(B)(GRIF) (\$50 Polio Plus) (GRIF Polio Plus)	PHF+ 2
Sam Morgan	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 6
Bob Spears	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 3
David Stone	(GRIF)	PHF+ 8
Lee Wiggins	(B)(GRIF)	PHF+ 4
Roland Wright	(B)(GRIF)(GRIF) (GRIF Polio Plus x2)	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.



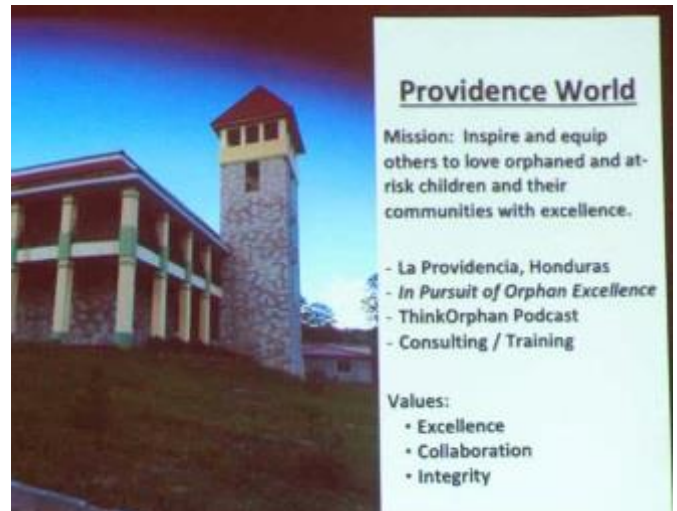
## HIGHLIGHTS OF THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

PP **Marilee Monagan** introduced **Phil Darke**. **Phil** is the husband of one, father of five, co-host of the Think Orphan Podcast, co-author of *In Pursuit of Orphan Excellence*, and President of Providence World ([providenceworld.com](http://providenceworld.com)), which exists to inspire and equip others to love orphans, widows, and at-risk communities with excellence. He received a J.D. from Vanderbilt University Law School and a B.A. in Rhetoric and Communications from U.C. Davis. Before his time with Providence, **Phil** worked as an attorney for law firms in Sacramento, CA, and Atlanta, GA, and as a clerk for a federal judge in Honolulu, HI.

**Phil** began by explaining what the goals of Providence World are. To inspire and equip others to love orphaned and at-risk children and their communities with excellence.

We are working toward that goal by researching orphan care and collaborating with other excellence-driven orphan care providers and advocates to establish a model framework for best-practice driven, innovative, and culturally appropriate communities of care for orphans and widows.

La Providencia, our incubator family-based orphan care community in Honduras, is one example of such a best-practice orphan care community. We also are advocating for orphans among governments, society, and the Church through a collaborative book project, dissemination of information and training materials, and Internet-based discussions.



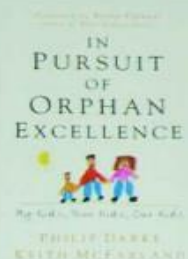
### AWARENESS (WHY): The Problem

- 150+ million orphaned and at-risk children worldwide
- Numbers grow each year
- Current approach is not solving the problem
- We need a full spectrum solution - both preventive and restorative measures working together



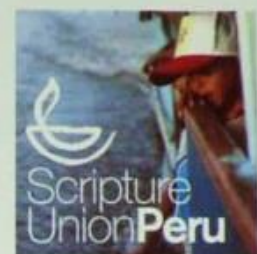
### CULTIVATION: OVC Best Practices (How?)

1. Family
2. Community Integration
3. Education
4. Nutrition
5. Medical/Dental Care
6. Psychosocial Care
7. Self-sustainability
8. National Leadership
9. Spiritual Formation



### CULTIVATION (HOW): Consulting

- Education
- Mission & Vision Planning
- Principles of Excellence
- Collaboration
- DISC Assessments & Training





To inspire and equip others to love orphaned and at-risk children and their communities with excellence.

We do this by leading collaboration in preventing and restoring orphaned and at-risk children, their families and communities through the implementation of best practices.

### Phil Darke

President, Providence World

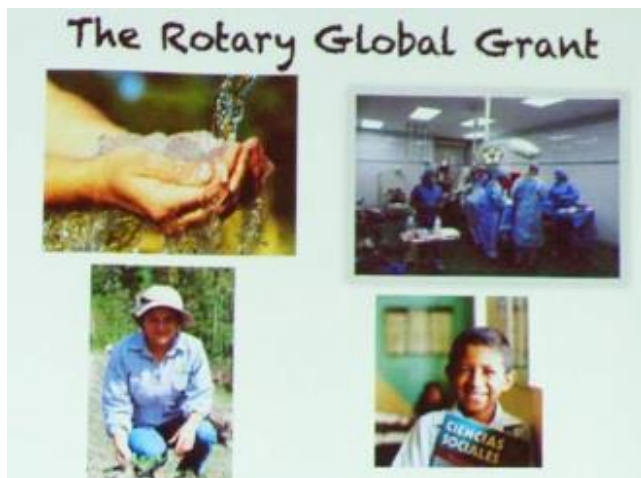
Host, Think Orphan Podcast

Co-author and editor, In Pursuit of Orphan Excellence

[www.providenceworld.com](http://www.providenceworld.com)

<https://providenceworld.com/think-orphan/>

916-705-9357



Working with Rotary to fund projects through grants.

Phil then answered questions from the Rotarians.



**PE Patrick Magnani and Phil Darke**

Then, **PE Patrick** asked us to raise our glasses and join him in a toast to *Rotary Around the World*.





**Rotary** 



**free**  
**e-waste**  
**pickup**  
**fundraiser**

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**HELP**  
**SUPPORT**

 **FOOTHILL HIGHLANDS**  
**ROTARY CLUB**

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Fill in your information and within a few days a dispatcher will contact you to schedule an at home or office pickup date. Then, your electronics will be picked up, recycled and the proceeds will be donated to the organization of choice.  
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- Cell Phones
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 **thank you**  
**FOR HELPING**  
**US!!**

### 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.



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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.

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The process of donating your vehicle is quick and easy. Call Dominic at 916-995-4006 or visit us online at [foothillhighlandsrotary.org](http://foothillhighlandsrotary.org). Better yet, towing is free and scheduled for your convenience.

**Call Dominic at 916-995-4006**

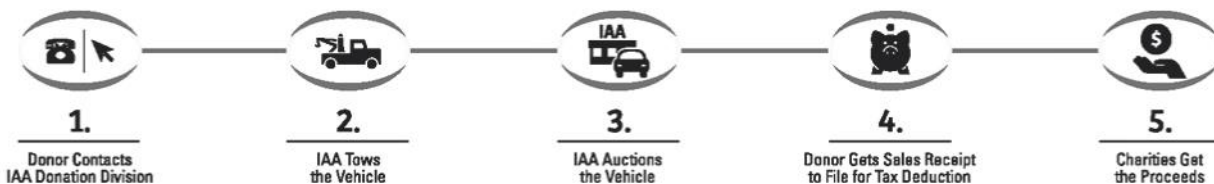
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