

# Orange Peel

Rotary Club of Orangevale

District 5180

Jan 21, 2022 Meeting

## Welcome on Zoom

--Steve B., Tommy P., Sue F., Michelle F., Bert S.

## Announcements

--**Dennis S.** thank you all who attended the Flight Party at Joni & Mark Cyr's home. It was a terrific party.

--**Lorie R.** special thanks to all (16 people) who worked Winter Sanctuary. One Gentleman stopped me to say thank you for the wonderful dinner and thank you to everyone who smiled at him with their eyes.

--**Audrey SW.** is chairing the Orangevale Open House on Saturday, Jan. 29 from 9am to Noon. Stop By!

--**Prez. Dennis** presented an embroidered Rotary shirt to Dianna for her terrific candy sales \$794!

--**Bob K.** asked if anyone has the boxes he uses for the Rotary pens please if not wanted, give them to him. They are on order and like so many things right now are no where to be found.

--**Ann H. & Jeff V.** asked members to volunteer for jobs for the speech contest. Still more slots to fill. Please talk to them before the meeting if you can help. Remember it is on March 8 at Round Table Pizza.

--**Mike Mc.** Asked for volunteers to help clean up at Rotary House on Saturday, Jan. 29 from 11am to 1pm. Our previous guests have moved out and this is inside work to get it ready for our next guests.

--**Steve B.** also asked that we prepare for American River Bike Trail Clean Up on Saturday, Feb. 5 from 9am to about 10:30am

--**Don R.** said coming up on your social calendar will be Cocktails & Candles at **Dianna N.** Home.

## Vocational Speaker

**Russ R.** reminded everyone that we still need to work on a fundraiser. Texas Roadhouse is the option that the committee is most seriously considering. BUT, everyone needs to commit to supporting this! Just like the crab feed, it is all hands on deck! **Don G.** did all the leg work on this a few months back and other clubs have used them successfully. The basic cost is \$12 per meal, tickets would be \$25. Russ can get you a list of all the tickets individuals sold for the last crab feed, so you will have a ready list to start with. More information to follow. But again, unless members are willing to walk away from popular projects, we have to do something. If you've got a better idea, please talk to Prez. Dennis ASAP. Don't come up as we are in full swing and announce you think something is better. That is a day late and a dollar short.

Prospector --**Don R.** stepped in for **Deanna M.** as she is battling a nasty cold. **Audrey SW.** snatched on **Russ R.** eating brownies so he paid, Happy Fines were offered by **Bill W.** regarding the KofC Golf Tournament, **Rob A.S** announced he has a beautiful new Granddaughter. Mom and baby are fine! **Mairy D.** on Zoom, had to be lip read by **Lorie R.** as the Zoom is not working for members who want to chime in. She is offering \$100 to TRF in honor of her first husband, Robert Guthleben's birthday.

## Guest Speaker

**Elyse Polis** was introduced by Phyllis Mac. Elyse has been involved with WEAVE for over 5 years. She works in the Investigations Department dealing with people who have been assaulted, or used in sex trafficking. In the earlier years, WEAVE worked only with women. Now it supports all people. There are many parts of this organization, support lines where people can call in. It also has assault teams, counseling, legal department, supportive housing, adult human trafficking, and Youth Teams. They interact with Receiving Home, high schools, and Juvenile Hall. One of their many networks is Sacramento Step Forward which is a housing program.

## Raffle

With 7 balls and \$110 in the pot, **Joni C.** swished around but pulled a white. More chances for us next week!

Upcoming Speakers for January & February

- Jan. 28 – Barry Ross ...sharing updates about Orangevale Park and Rec.
- Feb. 4 – Club Assembly
- Feb. 11 – Jeff Devoll...speaking about Camp Hope
- Feb. 18 – Horacio Oroteza speaking about his life
- Feb. 25 -- TBA

Jobs for Next Week

- Greeters – **Tommy P. & Catrina W.** (be there at 6:30am)
- Invoker – **Audrey SW.**
- Vocational – **Tommy P.**
- Raffle Ticket Seller – **Joni C.** (be there at 6:30am)

Thought for today...as we deal with Winter Sanctuary

“Too often we underestimate the power of a touch, a smile, a kind word, a listening ear, an honest compliment, or the smallest act of caring, all of which have the potential to turn a life around. –Leo Buscaglia

Pictures following thanks to **Bob K. & Dennis S. & Joni C.**

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