



**Rotary Club of Orangevale  
District 5180  
May 5, 2023 Meeting**

Welcome on Zoom

Bob Kurtz in the corner

Announcements

--**Dennis**-- Friday was food bank day...all worker bees were needed. The Charitable Fund Board meeting is on May 11 at 7am.

--**Bill**-- Only 3 members have not donated to TRF (Foundation) so that the club can qualify as an EREY Club (Every Rotarian Every Year). Please if at all possible make your donation.... Also several people volunteered to donate \$100 to Polio Plus many months ago. If you're not sure, check in with Bill.

--**Don R.** -- Dine around is May 17 at the Hacienda on Sutter Street. Joining us will be some members from the Folsom RC. Remember 5:50 for happy hour.

-- **Steve** --Big Day of Service on Saturday. Thank you to all who volunteered. Then we enjoyed a fabulous lunch at the home of Debbie Emery. It was a fun day!

-- **Don M.** -- The District Assembly will be by Zoom. If on the new board...it's important and if a newer member who has never attended, you're welcome. Talk to Don.

Vocational

**Pres. David** was at the podium! yeah, what else is new... he asked who joined the club in 1999 or earlier. Only a handful of people were able to stand. He shared a bit about a member, Joe Surra, who passed away in 2001. Joe was an amazing man whose smile would light up the room. David was co-chair with Joe for the fireworks booth one year, as since they spent so much time together, he got to know Joe well. David talked about some of the projects over the year. He believes they are important and vital to the community because "you do something for someone you don't know". There are many stories over the years, and people who impacted his life. Rotary is like that....perhaps it's time to look at your story...

Prospector

**Jeff** was ready! Starting with pin/badge check. Russ and I were fined for traveling and then being on an LOA (Leave of Absence). Farmer's Market opened last Thursday...weren't there pay \$. He went on a car kick (we should have expected that) Yugo, Wego, Theygo. What's the longest model...Suburban started in 1935. It was a fun trip down memory lane. Happy fines...Ann is off to Minnesota, Catrina has two girls graduating...one from Sac State and one from beauty school...Jim is off to Jazz Camp...always fun for him.

## Speaker

No speaker cuz we left early for Pecan Park for the annual family photo!

## Raffle

With 7 balls and \$81 in the pot **Jim** managed to find the... white one! But he was ok with that since he's going to jazz camp!

## Thought for the Day

"What's done is done, What's gone is gone, One of the best life's lessons is **learning how to let go and move on**. It's okay to look back at your memory but never let the past stop you from moving forward".

---*Unknown*

## Pictures

- 1 – Dianna was given a Rotary medallion as thanks for being such a hit with cotton candy at the project at CB
2. – Prospector Jeff
3. – Don wasn't sleeping but rather doing Jeff's job
4. - Jim didn't find the orange ball but still happy to be able to go play ---literally
5. – Food Bank Friday.....picture thanks to Dennis S.





