

Rotary Club of Orangevale District 5180 June 9, 2023 Meeting

Welcome on Zoom Bob Kurtz in the corner

<u>Guests</u>

-- Ann brought her caregiver Mayln who was a delightful lady who Ann said loves to cook and Ann loves to eat --Mode Brewing – represented by owner Randy Davis (he is our speaker)

Announcements

--David- Snuck back early, so Jim was not the President for the day

--*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 M. – Joint board meeting...wrap up of one year and handoff to the next year. ALSO the Summer Palooza Parade is Saturday, June 17. Please come join the fun. Don and Jeff are driving their cars with the tops down but we need as many members as possible to participate! I promise...it will be fun!!!

-- *Dennis* –Back Pack & School Supplies are being collected for at risk kids in the area. Please help in some way. Every little bit helps. Dennis will bring a box each week.

Vocational

Dennis shared some of his adventures in the 15 years he served with the California National Guard. He talked about support for the fire fighting wing which is always called upon in the summers to fight forest fires. A very needed organization

<u>Update</u>

David shared a recap of his year. There were 6 bike trail clean ups, 12 months of working at the food bank (that was over 750 hours of volunteer time), Christmas Basket Program, District Grants. Overall, there were 425 participants over the year and over 1300 service hours. Whew!!! Thank to all of you!

Prospector

Bill was ready! He continued his TRF questions....some people knew and some members did not. Guess we could all learn more. After happy fines, we all sang happy birthday to Audrey!

<u>Speaker</u>

Randy Davis is one of the owners of Mode Brewery. He has always been interested in food and prior to opening the restaurant, operated a food truck which many of us enjoyed over the years. Despite many hassles, he was able to open, with special thanks to Sue Frost who helped eliminate a last-minute crisis by the county. I strongly encourage each of you to go there. There are picnic tables in the back, great food and "sharables" to enjoy. Home brewed beer as well...made by Randy's brother-in-law. They are open Wednesday to Sunday...check their website for hours each day.

<u>Raffle</u>

With 9 balls and \$62d in the pot *Bill* managed to find the... white one! More changes next week.

Thought for the Day

"One of the most important things you can do on this earth is to let people know they are not alone". ---Shannon L. Alder

Pictures

- 1 Vocational Speaker Dennis
- 2. Bill decided to be funny and grab the orange ball --- didn't count
- 4. Second time wasn't a charm, Bill pulled a white ball
- 5. David & Guest Speaker Randy Davis



