

Rotary View

The Rotary Club of Fallbrook



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CREATE HOPE
in the WORLD

Thursday's Program

Fallbrook FireSafe Council



We meet at Grand Tradition this week. Our speaker will be **Ken Derry** from the Fallbrook FireSafe Council. The FFSC is a non-profit organization working to provide education and information that fosters fire safety preparedness within the Fallbrook, Bonsall, DeLuz, and Rainbow region. Established in November 2002, nine months after our area's Gavilian Fire, the FFSC focuses on three key Wildland Urban Interface Fire Disaster areas: Prevention, Preparedness, and Recovery

Looking Ahead

May 9 – Homes for our Troops

We meet at Grand Tradition again next week. We'll hear about Homes For Our Troops (HFOT). HFOT builds and donates specially adapted custom homes for severely injured post-9/11 Veterans, to enable them to rebuild their lives. HFOT was started in 2004 by a Massachusetts general contractor who offered to build a Massachusetts Army National Guard Soldier a specially adapted custom home. The soldier, who had been injured in Iraq, agreed to have him build the home on the condition he do the same for other injured Veterans.



Upcoming Events

- May 9 Club Meeting at Grand Tradition
- May 16 Club Meeting via Zoom
- May 16 Club Board Meeting
- May 18 Highway Cleanup
- May 23 USS Midway Tour
- May 25 & 28 Operation Flags for Veterans
- May 29 Neighborhood Food Distribution

Service Above Self

Operation Flags for Vets

The Rotary 5340 District Military Coordinating Committee (DMCC) is sponsoring the inaugural "Operation Flags for Vets" at Miramar National Cemetery this Memorial Day weekend. Members of Rotary District 5340 will be placing a small American flag at every gravesite to honor our fallen heroes. Volunteers will place flags on Saturday, May 25 and remove the flags on Tuesday, May 28. Sign up at the DMCC website:



www.rotarydistrict5340dmcc.com

Let Dale know if you can participate so club members can form a carpool to Miramar.

Getting Artsy

Arts in the Park

Club members showed their creative side by helping out with *Arts in the Park* last Sunday. Our club ran the table where kids could decorate their very own walking sticks. There was a flurry of activity at Live Oak Park that day as families enjoyed arts and crafts. Thanks to the Rotarians who came out to help make the day a success for our community.



Quote of the Week

Experience is a hard teacher because the test comes first, and the lesson afterward.

Vernon Law

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