



The Spoke & Wheel



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Rotary Club of Mission Viejo, CA, (Club 842), District 5320, Chartered September 13, 1974.

Club Leadership/Board Members: Dr. David Bugay, President; Jim Colitz, President-Elect; Christopher Skorina, President-Nominee; Barbara Kogerman, Vice President, (IPP); Mike Getto, Secretary; Bill Kersten, Treasurer; Dr. Richard Frieder, Director at Large; Pushpa Chandwani, Director of International Service; Dennis O'Connor, Director of Community Service; Sita Gyan-Gorski, Director of Youth Service; Gary Brenner, Director of Vocational Service; Greg Raths, Director of Club Service; Dr. Steve March, Membership Chair; Jack Jones, Public Relations Chair; Dave Williams, The Rotary Foundation (TRF) Chair; Paul Bucknum, MV Rotary Foundation Representative and Jennifer Emanuel, Executive Secretary.

Club Meetings: Wednesdays, 7:10 A.M. to 8:30 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club, 26200 Country Club Dr., Mission Viejo, CA 92691

CLUB SERVICE

The Wisdom of Walt

Report by PP Jim Hansen • Photo by PP Bill Kersten



Mr. Jeffrey A. Barnes was guest speaker on July 20, 2016 during the regular meeting of the Rotary Club of Mission Viejo. Mr. Barnes shared his knowledge of, and passion for, Disneyland. His book, *The Wisdom of Walt - Leadership Lessons from the Happiest Place on Earth*, is a best seller and can be found on Amazon.com.

During Mr. Barnes' presentation the audience learned about the first days of Disneyland, Walt's dreams, the financing of Disneyland, and much more.

The audience also learned that Disneyland and Disney World have thirty-three million visitors per year. (By the way, Mr. Barnes, and his wife Nikki, have visited Disneyland over three hundred times during the past few years). Each visitor seems to have a favorite attraction. We learned that PDG Jack Jones' favorite ride is, "It's A Small World" and Victoria Avery's favorite is "Peter Pan."

For more information, please visit: www.thewisdomofwalt.com or www.missionviejorotary.org.

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Rotary District 5320 Website:
www.Rotary5320.org
Rotary Club of Mission Viejo Website:
www.missionviejorotary.org

UPCOMING EVENTS:

- **Sept. 10 - ANGELS' NIGHT - Angels Stadium**
- **OCT. 4 - CANDIDATE FORUM - Norman P. Murray Community & Sr. Center**
- **OCT. 12 - NO REGULAR MEETING - (MVCC CLOSED for the week)**
- **OCT. 15 - WALK**

CLUB SERVICE

Rotary Club of MV - Satellite

Report submitted by Mark Furlan • Photo by Bill Kersten

On July 20, MV Rotarian Mark Furlan gave an update on the Rotary Club of Mission Viejo’s satellite club activities. “The Satellite” has been scheduling meeting once per month, typically on Monday nights. The attendees will likely plan a regularly monthly meeting; but for now, the meetings are “as announced.” Satellite members may, and are encouraged to, participate in all of the club’s activities and are welcome to attend any regular meetings, as well.

More to come...



YOUTH SERVICE

After a year in the U.S., Youth Exchange Student Giovanni Fiore is returning to Italy!



Before heading home to Italy, RCMV’s Rotary Youth Exchange Student, Giovanni, stopped by a meeting on July 20, 2016, to thank club members for being his Host club this Rotary Year. For more, you may contact Giovanni at: anonimoargentino@hotmail.it or go to: www.missionviejorotary.org.

QUOTE OF THE WEEK - AUGUST 1, 2016!



“Maybe it's true that life begins at fifty; but, everything else starts to wear out, fall out, or spread out.” - Phyllis Diller

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Symphonies in the Cities

Report by PP Jim Hansen

It was the perfect way to end a lazy summer day. The Rotary Club of MV participated with the City of Mission Viejo at the Annual Symphonies in the Cities Concert on Saturday, July 30, 2016.

The day featured Prelude in the Park, including entertainment and a Musical Playground for Children, and a main Concert featuring the spectacular Pacific Symphony.

The Rotary Beer & Wine Garden opened at 4:00 P.M. and club members served beverages throughout the day and evening. The Norman P. Murray Community and Senior Center and the adjacent Oso Viejo Community Park was a perfect venue.

The performances were superb and were supported in large part by the City of Mission Viejo.

Thank you Mission Viejo Rotary!



The Shea Center for Therapeutic Riding

On July 16, 2016, Rotary Club of Mission Viejo members visited The Shea Center for Therapeutic Riding.

The Club helps sponsor Emerson, the service dog. Emerson and his trainer were highlight of our visit.

The J.F. Shea Therapeutic Riding Center is one of the largest and most respected accredited therapeutic riding programs in the country.

Today, The Shea Center serves over 860 participants annually with more than 200 weekly volunteers who provide in excess of 25,450 volunteer hours per year. Through therapeutic riding and physical, occupational and speech therapies 63 distinct disabilities are addressed. For more please visit: www.sheacenter.org or www.missionviejorotary.org



CLUB SERVICE

Welcome new member Steven Tran

Report by PP Jim Hansen • Photo by PP Bill Kersten

Dr. Steve Marsh, Membership Chair, and Jim Colitz, President-Elect, welcome new member Steven Tran to the Rotary Club of Mission Viejo.

Mr. Tran is Managing Partner at Brandcreative, LLC. Steven earned his BA in Business Administration & Marketing at California State University, Fullerton. Steven is sponsored by MV Rotarian Tam Nguyen.

Look for many more details from Steven during his upcoming Rotary Craft Talk!

For more information, please visit: www.missionviejorotary.org.



CLUB SERVICE

The Rotary Foundation

Ms. Erin Jones was guest speaker during the July 27, 2016, meeting of the Rotary Club of Mission Viejo. Ms. Jones is the Senior Planning and Giving Officer for The Rotary Foundation (TRF).

Ms. Jones shared many projects of TRF and the many ways Rotarians can include Rotary in their estate plans. A few examples include: 1) General gift; 2) Gift of a specific asset; 3) Contingent bequest; 4) Residual bequest; and more.

For more details please visit: www.rotary.org.



ROTARY SHARES



Photo Above: The “White Elephant” photo was taken by Rotarian **Jack Wallace** during a trip to Hawaii in 2008.

WHITE ELEPHANT*

Please bring a White Elephant item on your assigned date. (You may make a \$20 donation in lieu of an item).

- Aug. 3 - Shawna Olsen
 - Aug. 10 - Bill Petkewicz
 - Aug. 17 - Gary Poertner
 - Aug. 24 - Jennifer Posey
 - Aug. 31 - 5th Wheel
 - Sept. 7 - Greg Rath
 - Sept. 14 - Millard Roth
 - Sept. 21 - Chris Skorina
 - Sept. 28 - Steven Tran
- *Occasionally revised. Check weekly!

GREETERS*

Please arrive by 6:45 AM. Wear the red greeter's badge and greet members and guests. Each week's “Greeter” is invited to share a 5-minute presentation at the beginning of the meeting in which he/she acts as Greeter.

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SERVICE ABOVE SELF

FACEBOOK NEWS



Facebook Coordinator Rotarian **Greg Rath**

WEBSITE NEWS



Webmaster **Jennifer Emanuel**
www.missionviejorotary.org

RC OF POONA, INDIA

To view the Poona (India) Service Wheel, our sister club’s weekly bulletin, go to:
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/RCPoona/>

BRING A GUEST!

Make-up Clubs

Coto de Caza/Rancho Santa Margarita - 1st Thursday of the month at 7 A.M. and 3rd Thursday of the month at 7 P.M. at the Tijeras Creek Golf Club.

Laguna Niguel - Tuesdays at 12:00 noon at Savannah Chop House, 32441 Golden Lantern, Laguna Niguel

Monarch Beach - 7 A.M. Wednesdays at the Laguna Cliffs Marriott Resort in Dana Point

On-line make-up: <http://www.rotaryclubone.org/programs.htm>

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THE ROTARY

FOUR-WAY TEST



Of the things we think, say or do:

1. Is it the **TRUTH**?
2. Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?
3. Will it build **GOOD WILL** and better **FRIENDSHIPS**?
4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

ROTARY CLUB OF MISSION VIEJO
 ROTARY YEAR 2016-17
 AUGUST 2016*

- AUG. 1 - SATELLITE MEETING, The Hills Hotel
- AUG. 2 - BOARD MEETING - 7:00 A.M., The Hills Hotel
- AUG. 3 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- AUG. 10 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- AUG. 17 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- AUG. 24 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- AUG. 31 - FIFTH WHEEL MEETING - TBA**

**DATES AND ACTIVITIES SUBJECT TO CHANGE*

ROTARY CLUB OF MISSION VIEJO
 ROTARY YEAR 2016-17
 SEPTEMBER 2016*

- SEPT. 6 - BOARD MEETING - 7:00 A.M., The Hills Hotel, Laguna Hills
- SEPT. 7 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- SEPT. 10 - ANGELS NIGHT - Rotary at Angels game "End Polio Now"**
- SEPT. 14 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- SEPT. 21 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- SEPT. 28 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club

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ROTARY CLUB OF MISSION VIEJO
 ROTARY YEAR 2016-17
 OCTOBER 2016*

- OCT. 4 - BOARD MEETING - 7:00 A.M., The Hills Hotel, Laguna Hills
- OCT. 4 - CANDIDATE FORUM - Norman P. Murray Community & Sr. Center, Time TBA**
- OCT. 5 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- OCT. 12 - NO REGULAR MEETING - (MVCC CLOSED for maintenance)**
- OCT. 15 - WALK AGAINST DRUGS - 8:30 A.M.**
- OCT. 19 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- OCT. 26 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club

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ROTARY CLUB OF MISSION VIEJO
 ROTARY YEAR 2016-17
 NOVEMBER 2016*

- NOV. 1 - BOARD MEETING - 7:00 A.M., The Hills Hotel, Laguna Hills
- NOV. 2 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- NOV. 9 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- NOV. 16 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- NOV. 23 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- NOV. 30 - FIFTH WHEEL MEETING - TBA**

*DATES AND ACTIVITIES SUBJECT TO CHANGE

ROTARY CLUB OF MISSION VIEJO
 ROTARY YEAR 2016-17
 DECEMBER 2016*

- DEC. 6 - BOARD MEETING - 7:00 A.M., The Hills Hotel, Laguna Hills
- DEC. 7 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- DEC. 14 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- DEC. 21 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- DEC. ? - MV ROTARY HOLIDAY PARTY, TBA**
- DEC. 28 - NO MEETING**

*DATES AND ACTIVITIES SUBJECT TO CHANGE

ROTARY CLUB OF MISSION VIEJO
 ROTARY YEAR 2016-17
 JANUARY 2017*

- JAN. 4 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- JAN. 10 - BOARD MEETING - 7:00 A.M., The Hills Hotel, Laguna Hills
- JAN. 11 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- JAN. 18 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- JAN. 25 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club

**DATES, LOCATIONS AND ACTIVITIES SUBJECT TO CHANGE*

ROTARY CLUB OF MISSION VIEJO
 ROTARY YEAR 2016-17
 FEBRUARY 2017*

- FEB. 1 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- FEB. 7 - BOARD MEETING - 7:00 A.M., The Hills Hotel, Laguna Hills
- FEB. 8 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- FEB. 15 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- FEB. 22 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club

**DATES AND ACTIVITIES SUBJECT TO CHANGE*

ROTARY CLUB OF MISSION VIEJO
 ROTARY YEAR 2016-17
 MARCH 2017*

- MAR. 1 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- MAR. 7 - BOARD MEETING - 7:00 A.M., The Hills Hotel, Laguna Hills
- MAR. 8 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- MAR. 15 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- MAR. 22 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- MAR. 29 - FIFTH WHEEL MEETING - TBA**

**DATES AND ACTIVITIES SUBJECT TO CHANGE*

ROTARY CLUB OF MISSION VIEJO
 ROTARY YEAR 2016-17
 APRIL 2017*

- APR. 4 - BOARD MEETING - 7:00 A.M., The Hills Hotel, Laguna Hills
- APR. 5 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- APR. 12 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- APR. 19 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
 (MV Rotary Memorial Garden & Grove)
- APR. 26 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club

**DATES AND ACTIVITIES SUBJECT TO CHANGE*

ROTARY CLUB OF MISSION VIEJO
 ROTARY YEAR 2016-17
 MAY 2017*

- MAY 2 - BOARD MEETING - 7:00 A.M., The Hills Hotel, Laguna Hills
- MAY 3 - NO MEETING (Mayor's Prayer Breakfast May 4)**
- MAY 4 - MV ROTARY MAYOR'S PRAYER BREAKFAST**
- MAY ? - PANCAKE BREAKFAST - 8 to 12 at Esperanza SE School**
- MAY 10 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- MAY 17 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- MAY 24 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- MAY 31 - FIFTH WHEEL MEETING - TBA**

**DATES AND ACTIVITIES SUBJECT TO CHANGE*

ROTARY CLUB OF MISSION VIEJO
ROTARY YEAR 2016-17
JUNE 2017*

- JUNE 3** - **RELAY FOR LIFE -Team Rotary at Saddleback College, 9 a.m.**
- JUNE 7 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- JUNE 14 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- JUNE 15 - BOARD MEETING - 7:00 A.M., The Hills Hotel, Laguna Hills
- JUNE 21 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- JUNE 28 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- JUNE ?** - **DEMOTION DINNER - TBA**

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ROTARY CLUB OF MISSION VIEJO
ROTARY YEAR 2016-17
JULY 2017*

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PENDING BOARD APPROVAL