



# The Spoke & Wheel



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*Chartered September 13, 1974, Rotary District 5320*

***“Proudly serving the Saddleback Valley since 1974”***

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## **CLUB SERVICE**

***The Rotary Club of Mission Viejo Wishes Everyone a Happy New Year New!***



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[www.missionviejorotary.org](http://www.missionviejorotary.org)  
*Rotary District 5320 Website:*  
[www.Rotary5320.org](http://www.Rotary5320.org)

### **UPCOMING EVENTS:**

- *Jan. 9: Board Meeting*
  - *April 14: Annual Texas Hold'em Fundraiser*
  - *June 9-10: Annual Relay for Life.*
- For more information and details, please visit:*  
[www.missionviejorotary.org](http://www.missionviejorotary.org)

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***Mission Viejo High School's Choral Singers***

Singers from Mission Viejo High School Choral Program enlivened the regular meeting of the Rotary Club of Mission Viejo on December 20, 2017!



Singers and leaders from the school have helped the Rotary club enter the Holiday Season for many years. Once again, Mission Viejo Rotary Program Director **Scott Walker** made arrangements for a festive and joyful meeting prior to the Holiday break.

For more, please feel free to visit: [www.missionviejorotary.org](http://www.missionviejorotary.org).

As usual, the music and singers were outstanding!

By the way, the Club continued the tradition of donation \$100 to the MVHS Choir!

***Quote for  
January 1, 2018***



*“Let our New Year's resolution be this: we will be there for one another as fellow members of humanity, in the finest sense of the word.”*

*- Göran Persson*

*Göran Persson, (born Jan. 20, 1949, Vingåker, Swed.), politician who was prime minister of Sweden from 1996 to 2006. Persson led the Swedish Social Democratic Party (Sveriges Socialdemokratiska Arbetarepartiet; SAP), which was the dominant political party in Sweden for most of the 20th century.*

**ROTARY SHARES**

**WHITE ELEPHANT\***

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

- Jan. 3 - Dave Leckness
  - Jan. 10 - Don Lewellen
  - Jan. 17 - Heidi Larkin-Reed
  - Jan. 24 - Steve March
  - Jan. 31 - Fifth Wheel
  - Feb. 7. - Steve Mugg
  - Feb. 14 - Rick Murray
  - Feb. 21 - Tam Nguyen (evening)
  - Feb. 28 - O'Connor
  - Mar. 7 - Bill Petkewicz
- \*Occasionally revised. Check regularly!

**GREETERS\***

- Jan. 3 - Dave Leckness
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  - Jan. 17 - Heidi Larkin-Reed
  - Jan. 24 - Steve March
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**SERVICE ABOVE SELF**

**FACEBOOK NEWS**



Facebook Coordinator:  
Greg Rath

**WEBSITE NEWS**



Webmaster:  
PP Paul Bucknum  
[www.missionviejorotary.org](http://www.missionviejorotary.org)

**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

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

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<https://www.facebook.com/groups/RCPoona/>



**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?

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ROTARY YEAR 2017-18

JANUARY 2018\*

JAN. 3 (Wed.) - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club

**JAN. 9 (Tues.) - BOARD MEETING - 7:00 A.M., Office of Mosher & Skorina, P.C.**

JAN. 10 (Wed.) - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club

JAN. 17 (Wed.) - REGULAR MEETING - 7:00 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club

JAN. 24 (Wed.) - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club

**JAN. 31 (Wed.) - EVENING MEETING - 5:30 P.M., Mission Viejo Country Club**

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ROTARY YEAR 2017-18

FEBRUARY 2018\*

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FEB. 14 (Wed.) - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club

**FEB. 21 (Wed.) - EVENING MEETING - 5:30 P.M., Mission Viejo Country Club**

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