



# 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); Sita Gyan-Gorski, 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; TBD, Director of Club Service; Dr. Steve March, Membership Chair; Jack Jones, Public Relations Chair; Dave Williams, The Rotary Foundation (TRF) Chair; and Paul Bucknum, Mission Viejo Rotary Foundation Representative.

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

**RI and District Officers:** John Germ, RI President; Ray Sanford, District 5320 Governor.

## SERVICE ABOVE SELF

# MV Rotary Club Presents High School Scholarships

*Report by PP Jim Hansen*

The Rotary Club of Mission Viejo's high school scholarship coordinator, **Sita Gorski**, reported this year's recipients of the club's high school scholarships include: Yanna Abrielle Garcia, Capistrano Valley High School; Anna Sedgwick, Laguna Hills High School; Austin Raslowsky, Mission Viejo High School; Sean Spencer, Trabuco Hills High School; Ashly Fundingsland, El Toro High School; Lindsay Anderson, Silverado High School and Daniel Madsen, Silverado High School.

The Rotary Club of Mission Viejo budgeted \$1,500 in scholarship money for each of the local schools listed above. Congratulations to all of the graduating seniors!



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*Rotary Club of Mission Viejo Website:*

[www.missionviejorotary.org](http://www.missionviejorotary.org)

*Rotary District 5320 Website:*

[www.Rotary5320.org](http://www.Rotary5320.org)

### UPCOMING EVENTS:

- June 24, 2017 - Demotion Dinner
- For more and details please visit:

[www.missionviejorotary.org](http://www.missionviejorotary.org)

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## **South County Outreach**

*Report submitted by PN Chris Skorina*

“I want to acknowledge and thank those who came out to support the food drive on Saturday, May 20. **Jim Hansen, Pushpa Chandwani** and **Jacki Hanson** on the morning shift and **Maddy & Jim Colitz, Verl Nash and Jacki** on the afternoon shift. Jacki was a real trooper hanging out for the full day from 9:30 A.M. until the truck was loaded just after 3:00 P.M.”

“I also want to thank Jim Colitz for agreeing to stay to meet the truck so I could leave right at 3:00 to make the start of the Ducks game. Thank you Jim!”

*-Chris Skorina*



By the way, 8 shopping carts of food and over \$200 in cash and checks were collected!

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

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## **Mission Viejo Relay for Life® Team Rotary**

*Report by PP Jim Hansen*

Mission Viejo’s American Cancer Society Relay for Life® had a strong showing again this year. Thank you to Rotarians **Dave Williams, Don Lewellen, Greg Raths, Sita Gyan-Gorski, Rick Murray, Carol Hansen, Chris Skorina and Jim Hansen** for making it to the track for Team Rotary!

By the way, Rick Murray is missing from the photo due to a

morning commitment; but he made a few laps and caught Dave Williams! As usual, **Dave Williams** is our record holder with 20 laps! In addition to his initial donation, Dave pledged an additional \$1 per lap! Yahoo, Dave! Next year, 50 laps!

**Thank you RCMV and friends for your donations to Team Rotary MV!**

**Total = \$1,000!**



*Photo: Carol Hansen, Chris Skorina, Dave Williams, Sita Gyan-Gorski, Donald Lewellen and Greg Raths. (Missing from photo are Rick Murray and Jim Hansen).*



### **QUOTE OF THE WEEK - June 15, 2017**

***Important principles may, and must, be inflexible.***

***- Abraham Lincoln***

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# ***Prescription Drugs Abuse***

*Report by PP Jim Hansen • Photo by PP Bill Kersten*

Ms. Jodi Barber was guest speaker during the June 7, 2017, regular meeting of the Rotary Club of Mission Viejo. Ms. Barber lost a 19 year-old son to drug and prescription drug abuse. Since her son's death, she has devoted her time to educating parents, students and the community regarding the crisis.

Ms. Barber has developed speaking and video presentations and offers them for free.

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



*Photo: Ms. Jodi Barber (L) and RCMV President Dr. David Bugay.*

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# ***Annual Demotion Dinner***

*Report by PP Jim Hansen • Photo by PP Bill Kersten*

Join club members and has it that we have a mild roast guests at this year's Annual of our outgoing President Demotion Dinner honoring Dr. before acknowledging the many David Bugay and welcoming Club achievements under the incoming Club President Jim President's leadership."

Colitz for Rotary Year 2017-18. Join us on Saturday, June 24,

Coordinator for this year's 2017, (time to be announced), at event, President-Nominee the Pacific Hills Banquet and Chris Skorina, said, "We are Catering Center at 23551 working on the program for the Moulton Parkway, Laguna Hills, Demotion Dinner. Tradition CA 92653.



*Photo: Outgoing President Dr. David Bugay*

**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).

June 21 - Dennis O'Connor

June 28 - Bill Petkewicz

July 5 - Jennifer Posey

July 12 - Millard Roth

July 19 - Chris Skorina

July 26 - Scott Walker

Aug. 2 - Jack Wallace

Aug. 9 - Dave Williams

\*Occasionally revised; check regularly!

**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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**FACEBOOK NEWS**



Facebook Coordinator:  
Greg Rath

**WEBSITE NEWS**



Webmaster:  
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[www.missionviejorotary.org](http://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  
JUNE 2017\*

- JUNE 3 (Sat.)** - **RELAY FOR LIFE - "Team Rotary of MV" at Saddleback College, 9 a.m.**
- JUNE 7 (Wed.) - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- JUNE 10 (Sat.)** - **RCMV FUNDRAISER - POSTPONED**
- JUNE 14 (Wed.) - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- JUNE 15 (Thurs.) - BOARD MEETING - 7:00 A.M., Office of Mosher & Skorina, P.C.
- JUNE 21 (Wed.) - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- JUNE 24 (Sat.)** - **DEMOTION DINNER - Pacific Hills Banquet & Catering Center**
- JUNE 28 (Wed.) - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club

\*DATES, LOCATIONS AND/OR ACTIVITIES SUBJECT TO CHANGE

ROTARY CLUB OF MISSION VIEJO  
ROTARY YEAR 2017-18  
TBA

(To be determined and approved by 2017-18 President and Board)