



The Spoke & Wheel

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Rotary Club of Mission Viejo, Club 842 in District 5320, was Chartered September 13, 1974.*

Club Leadership/Board Members: Ken Dever, President; Paul Bucknum, President-Elect; Joe Lavoie, Vice President (IPP); Dave Williams, Secretary; Bill Kersten, Treasurer; Barbara Kogerman, Club Administration Chair; Jim Colitz, Membership Chair; Mike Getto, Public Relations Chair; Bob McQueen, Service Chair; Rich Frieder, Co-Director, Int'l Service; Pushpa Chandwani, Co-Director, Int'l Service; Dennis O'Connor, Director, Community Service; Gary Brenner, Director, Vocational Service; Scott Walker, Director at Large (Speakers); Chris Skorina, Director at Large (Bylaws); Dave Leckness, Director at Large (City Hall); Bob Brown, Co-Director, Youth Service; Fred Chambers, Co-Director, Youth Service and Eric Johnson, Director, Club Service.

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: Ron D. Burton, RI President; Rae Shirer, District 5320 Governor.

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Food collection for South County Outreach!

Report by Dennis O'Connor • Photo by Dennis O'Connor



Mission Viejo Rotarians collected 670 pounds of food for South County Outreach (SCO) on Saturday, September 21, 2013. This ongoing Community Service project is coordinated by **Tom Ross** and is very successful. Summer, with children out of school, was a critical time for SCO. Rotarians change lives!

Rotarian volunteers over the past few months include: **Dave Williams, Dennis O'Connor, Dave Leckness, Chris Skorina, Paul Bucknum, Bud Tysinger, Rick Murray, Ken Dever, Barbara Kogerman, Jacki Hanson, Jim Hansen, several guests, and coordinator Tom Ross.**

Photo above (L to R): PDG Dave Williams, Director Chris Skorina and his daughter, and President Ken Dever.

Selected Upcoming Events

(Please see the two-month calendar at the end of this bulletin for more details.)

Upcoming Club Events

[MV Rotary Club Web site:](http://www.missionviejorotary.org)
www.missionviejorotary.org

Oct. 19: Walk Against Drugs.

Oct. 18: Rotary Business Awards & Expo.

Dec. 8: (Sun., 6 p.m.) MV Rotary Holiday Party.

Upcoming District Events

[District 5320 Web site:](http://www.rotary5320.org)
www.rotary5320.org

Oct. 18: Rotary Business Awards & Expo.

Dec. 6: (5:30 p.m.)

Presidents' Holiday Party. Embassy Suites, Brea.

CLUB SERVICE

Timeless Melodies Foundation for Educ., Inc.

Photo by Bill Kersten • Report by Jim Hansen

Mr. Larry Maurer was guest speaker during the September 18, 2013 meeting of the Rotary Club of Mission Viejo. Mr. Maurer, from Timeless Melodies, spoke to the topic, “They Don’t Write Them Like This Any More!”

Mr. Maurer guided the audience through a brief history-through-music lesson. During his speaking and audio-visual presentation the audience was given brief backgrounds on Rogers and Hammerstein, Irving Berlin, Fred Astaire, Frank Sinatra, Gene Kelly, and many more.

The presentation was very entertaining and informative.

For more information, please feel free to visit: www.timelessmelodies.org or contact Mr. Maurer at larrym410@cox.net.



Photo: President Ken Dever and Mr. Larry Maurer.

The Timeless Melodies Music History Education Program is a series of presentations designed to intrigue and delight a variety of audiences, from musicians and music industry groups to museum, college and extension classes, from corporate conference attendees to church groups, and from seniors to school children.

- Larry Maurer



QUOTE OF THE WEEK - October 1, 2013

Judge Gideon J. Tucker (1826-1899) opined, “No man’s life, liberty or property are safe when the Legislature is in session.”

CLUB SERVICE

Mission Viejo Library

Report by Verl Nash • Photo by Bill Kersten

The Mission Viejo Rotary Club was informed about the new Mission Viejo Library's Online Resources by Gayle Meldau, Stephanie Tanton and Kathi Dickey - all from library services. Examples of resources includes: Biographies; Learning Express Library; Job search; "How to" sections; E-books; Foreign Languages; Legal (wills, power-of-attorney, Estate planning); Home Health Care; How to obtain a Library card; etc.

A Library Card will be needed to work at home on the many projects that you can do on line. Ms. Meldau demonstrated how easy it is with the resources and Ms. Tanton provided the introduction to the fascinating process.

I'm certain that most of us were unaware how much can be done from home with the Library



Card and a computer. This was a very interesting and informative program.

Any of the ladies, or other staff, would be very happy to see you at the MV Library and help you get started on a program of interest.

Please feel free to visit: <http://www.cmvl.org> for more information.

Reporter: Verl Nash

CLUB SERVICE

Rotarians in Disguises!

Can you name them?



COMMUNITY SERVICE

Get Ready...

Walk Against Drugs

Get Ready to Distribute 1,500 hot dogs on October 19, 2013 to support the City of Mission Viejo's Walk Against Drugs.

This will be the 24th year of this community event and the 24th anniversary of the MV Rotary's participation. As a matter of fact, MV Rotarian Bill Craycraft was instrumental in starting the City's Walk Against Drugs in 1989 while he was Mission Viejo's mayor.

This year, as in the past, the Rotary Club of Mission Viejo will prepare and deliver FREE hot dogs to the first 1,500 finishers of the walk from Mission Viejo High School to the Norman P. Murray Community Center.

The Rotary Club of Mission Viejo takes pride in, and is pleased to support, our City, our community, and our youth!

Special thanks to **Rick Murray** for coordinating this year's Rotary project.



ROTARY SHARES!



Photo Above: PP Dennis O'Connor, Webmaster and Facebook Coordinator

WEBSITE NEWS

Be sure to visit the Rotary Club of Mission Viejo Website at:
www.missionviejorotary.org

and

FACEBOOK NEWS

Like us on Facebook!

SERVICE ABOVE SELF



Photo Above: The "White Elephant" photo was taken by Director Jack Wallace during his trip to Hawaii in 2008.

WHITE ELEPHANT

Please bring a White Elephant item on your assigned date. (If you choose, you may donate \$20 in lieu of a White Elephant item).

REVISED SEPT. 2, 2013

Oct. 2 - David Bugay
Oct. 9 - Fred Chambers
Oct. 16 - NO MEETING
Oct. 23 - Jim Colitz
Oct. 30 - George Cooper
Nov. 6 - Bill Craycraft
Nov. 13 - Ken Dever
Nov. 20 - Richard Frieder
Nov. 27 - Mike Getto
Dec. 4 - Bill Greenfield
Dec. 11 - Jim Hansen
Dec. 18 - Jacki Hanson
Dec. 25 - NO MEETING
Jan. 1 - NO MEETING
Jan. 8 - Pushpa Chandwani

BRING A GUEST!

Make-up Clubs

Coto de Caza/Rancho Santa Margarita - Wednesdays at 7 A.M., Bell Tower Regional Community Center, 22232 El Paseo, Rancho Santa Margarita 92688.

Laguna Niguel - Tuesdays at 12:00 P.M., Savannah Chop House, 32441 Golden Lantern, Laguna Niguel 92677

Monarch Beach - Laguna Cliffs Marriott Resort in Dana Point on Wednesdays at 7:00 A.M.

San Clemente - Thursdays, 12 p.m. at the San Clemente Inn, 2600 Avenida del Presidente.

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 goodwill and better friendships?*
- 4. Will it be beneficial to all concerned?*

**ROTARY CLUB OF MISSION VIEJO
OCTOBER 2013**

- OCT. 2 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- OCT. 9 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- OCT. 10* - BOARD MEETING, 7 A.M. (M.V. City Hall)
- OCT. 16 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- OCT. 18 - BUSINESS LEADER OF YEAR LUNCHEON
- OCT. 19 - WALK AGAINST DRUGS
- OCT. 23 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- OCT. 30 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- OCT. ?* - VOCATIONAL VISION HALLOWEEN PARTY

* To be confirmed

**ROTARY CLUB OF MISSION VIEJO
NOVEMBER 2012**

- NOV. 6 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- NOV. 9 - ROTARY FOUNDATION GALA - 5:30 P.M., The Bowers Museum, Santa Ana
- NOV. 13 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
(*Club Leaders Nominations**)
- NOV. 14* - BOARD MEETING, 7 A.M. (M.V. City Hall)
- NOV. 20 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- NOV. 27 - REGULAR MEETING - 7:10 A.M., Mission Viejo Country Club
- NOV. ?* - SCOUTING FOR FOODS

* To be confirmed