

Chulatarian



**ROTARY CLUB
OF CHULA VISTA**

The weekly newsletter of the Rotary Club of Chula Vista

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**February 1, 2019
Past President's Day**

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Mystery Past Presidents will share their stories about their time in the spotlight. Join us for this unique journey down memory lane. Looking back to continue moving forward in service to our community and the world.

- Carmen Fernandez, Immediate Past President



Past Presidents—2017

Coming Soon

February 8—Chula Vista Animal Shelter

February 15—Valentines Program

February 16—Club's 93rd Birthday



Friday January 25, 2019

CLUB BOARD MEETING
2nd Thursday of each month.
6:00 p.m.
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Susie Murphy, Executive Director of the San Diego Mountain Bike Association and Chelsea Jander, Park Project Manager for San Diego County presented the plan for developing the new Sweetwater Bike Park at the Sweetwater Regional Park. In their county every five year survey of the public's park needs a bike park has been the most sought. Supervisor Greg Cox has long supported its development.

Construction is to start in the Spring and it will open this Summer on a five acre county plot along San Miguel Road. It will be for all ages and will have a kids area, a bike trail around the perimeter, jump trails, 4 jump lines and a pump track. It will support all skill levels. There will be signs posted which state that those who use the trail do so at their own risk. The county is protected from liability concerns.



News at Noon

Sponsored by: Leon Redondo

SDG&E is heavy into new technologies including Smart Meters at your home, automatic balancing of electrical loads among power resources, and the company has been labeled one of the best places in America to work in IT. Leon Redondo is a Senior Software Developer for SDG&E and they may soon put a display in your home so that you can monitor and control your own energy usage. Interesting things ahead for Leon and us just ask him.

Winners



Special Notice of Future Events

May 14—serving breakfast at the SWC Jag
Food Kitchen—see Dave Hoffman

June 1—Annual Tijuana Home Building—see
Carmen Sandoval

Honoring Bill Padelford and the Scholarship Program



Bill Padelford has been in our club for over fifty years. He has recently celebrated his 90th birthday. President Dan announced that the club board took action to honor him in two ways. He was presented with a Paul Harris Fellowship and the second scholarship awarded to each school will be named the Bill Padelford Scholarship Award. Congratulations, Bill

Bill was given time to review the scholarship program with the club. The program started in 1948 with Chula Vista High School principal Joe Rindone. At that time, the club met at the school and adjourned to support the football team at their afternoon games. The first scholarship award was for \$100 to one student. Years later a second scholarship was awarded at each school named the Joseph Rindone Scholarship for Service Award. Over the 70years since inception there has been over \$250,000 awarded, primarily from donations by club members. There have been 170 recipients. The high schools now involved are: Chula Vista, Hilltop, Castle Park, Otay Ranch and Olympia. Current club members who have received the award are Lisa Johnson, Kathi Mits, Mark Scott and Brad Wilson.

Hi Rotarians,

We just wanted to thank you again for the generous donations of 30 bikes. Some were distributed to youth in our Y Academy Day Camp program who didn't have bikes and some will be distributed to students at Loma Verde Elementary. The students at Y Academy attend Title 1 schools in Chula Vista and National City. We have Rotary a shout out on our South Bay Family Facebook page.

We appreciate our partnership with Rotary so much!
Laura Munoz Humphreys
Executive Director
SOUTH BAY FAMILY YMCA | EASTLAKE YMCA
1201 Paseo Magda



The Community Service Committee project for February is the Chula Vista Animal Care Facility. Below are the donations requested along with cash and checks. See David Hoffman and Lisa Johnson

Thank you for contributing to the CVACF with an item or two from the wish list below.

All items are available to purchase locally and online.

If you prefer, contributions can be made online at www.sdfoundation.org/cv-friends-animal-care or by mail payable to:

The San Diego Foundation, Fund 7211
2508 Historic Decatur Rd., #200
San Diego, CA 92106



Hand towels and wash cloths in good condition



Nursing bottles for kittens, puppies, bunnies & other small animals



Beggin' Strips dog treats



Extra large Kongs for dogs



Cat toys wand charmer and tower of tracks



Nutri-Cal for puppies, dogs and cats



Laundry detergent - liquid or pods



Fabric softener sheets



Hip and Joint Supplement for dogs (Glucosamine Chondroitin)



February 16 is the club birthday. In celebration, and to promote the Past President Program, the pictures below are offered to engage the members in a look back to our club history. Many thanks to Duane Buckingham and Betty Waznis for their pictorial contributions.



First Club President
1926
Warner Edmunds



1960 Membership—at
visit from
President Eisenhower



1978—Past Presidents

