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The weekly newsletter of the Rotary Club of Chula Vista

Chartered February 16, 1926 - Club Number 908 - District 5340—
Meets Twice a Month, noon, 4475 Bonita Road, Bonita (CV Golf Course)

LORI HOLT-PFEILER
Building Industry Association
Friday, October 21, 2022



The Building Industry Association (BIA) of San Diego exists to represent the many companies that plan, design and build the many places where San Diegans live, work and play. Members of the BIA generate thousands of jobs in the greater San Diego region and together are one of the most important driving forces in our local economy.

With nearly 800 company members and all of their thousands of employees, the BIA is a major voice supporting the efforts to build all types of residential and commercial projects. The BIA marshals the collective influence of those who are engaged in the building industry to address issues that impact the development community in San Diego County.

Join us Friday to meet CEO **Lori Holt-Pfeiler**—and fellow Rotarian— to learn how builders are working to meet our regional housing shortage.

CLUB CALENDAR

Monday, October 24—WORLD POLIO DAY

Chula Vista Rotary Golf Tournament—Friday, October 28

Friday, November 4 - Chief Mike Sims, Bonita/Sunnyside Fire Dept.



MEETING HIGHLIGHTS— October 7, 2022

President Mark Scott called the meeting to order.

Jesse Fernandez gave an update on the Club Golf Fundraiser on Friday, October 28, noon. There are still foursomes available—sign up now!

Members were reminded about the community service opportunity at the Project Hand food distribution at St. Marks on October 14.

Bob Silvas was the sponsor for the News at Noon. Lucky drawing winners were Bob Bliss, Tina Mattias and David Hoffman.





**CLUB GOLF TOURNAMENT ALMOST HERE!
FRIDAY, OCTOBER 28, Noon, Chula Vista Golf Course**



Ways Members Can Help!

Golf! Sign up to play on our Club website; organize a Four-some. See Eric R.

Buy Drawing Tickets—Big Tickets prizes including the Wine Cooler, Hotel stay and giant TV etc. Available at meeting on October 21st.

Donate door prizes for the fabulous drawing following the tournament—
See Lisa Johnson to donate gift cards, gift baskets, services etc.

Sponsor a Hole! Your name or your business' name will be on a great sign for everyone to see and appreciate your generosity. \$250—See Jesse Fernandez.

Provide goodies for the golfers' bags. Pens, treats, letter openers etc.! Give them to Jesse.

Volunteer for a shift to sign in golfers, help with set up for dinner, assist with drawing. See Betty Waznis.

Donate 90 pt.+ wine (that means fancy) for the Wine Cooler, which will have its very own drawing. See Michael Monaco. He can even buy it for you—just give him the cash! (*BevMo is having their 5 Cent event until October 17—buy one wine or spirit and get the 2nd for only 5 cents.*)

Attend the Dinner! Non-golfing members are invited to join in the fun at the dinner for only \$20. See Carmen Sandoval.

Golfers in Costume Will Be Entered to Win Prizes





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JIM BIDDLE NEWS AT NOON

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With Betty Waznis

Hello, fellow Rotarians. Welcome to today's edition of the Jim Biddle News at Noon. Today's News sponsored by Bob Silvas and The Silvy Group.

Two great things in San Diego this week. On Wednesday, Barry Sharpless of La Jolla's Scripps Research won a second Nobel Prize in chemistry, this time for helping create a swift, Lego-like method for building molecules that is revolutionizing the development of pharmaceutical drugs. He will share this year's Nobel with two others for their work in so-called "click chemistry." Sharpless is only the fifth person in history to win a Nobel twice, also sharing the prize in 2001. Sharpless's latest Nobel arises from his efforts to simplify the process of creating molecules. The older method that starts with complex molecules and manipulates and pares them down did lead to generations of pharmaceutical drugs. But it can be very expensive, difficult and time-consuming. "Click chemistry" on the other hand, is a comparatively inexpensive, streamlined process for snapping simple molecules together to create other original types of chemicals, particularly those meant to prevent and treat disease. The prize comes with a \$900,000 award that will be split among the three scientists.

In other great San Diego news: The Padres are going to the playoffs. They left for New York on Wednesday after the regular-season finale, for a best-of-three series against the Mets. The games will be played today, tomorrow, and if necessary, Sunday at Citi Field, where the Padres won two of three games immediately after the All-Star break in July. Today's game airs at 5:07 pm on ESPN. As they came to bat in the seventh inning Sunday at Petco Park, in what ended up a 2-1 loss to the White Sox, the Padres were guaranteed a playoff berth by virtue of the Brewers losing in 12 innings to the Marlins in Milwaukee.

When the Marlins' 4-3 victory went final, thousands among the sellout crowd began to stand and cheer.

This is just the seventh time in the franchise's 54 seasons the Padres will participate in the postseason. They went to the playoffs in 2020, playing to empty stands, following a season that was shortened to 60 games due to COVID.

This is the first time since 2006 they've qualified for the playoffs in a full season and the first time while at home in front of their fans since 2005.

In news from one of our other home teams, the San Diego State Aztecs, quarterback Braxton Burmeister is expected to play Saturday night against Hawaii. His availability came into question after leaving last week's game in the third quarter after helmet-to-helmet contact during the Boise State game. Burmeister has been challenged with injuries throughout the first half of the season, leaving the season opener against Arizona with a right shoulder injury. Two weeks later, leaving in the first half at Utah with an eye injury.

The SDSU offense has fallen to 117th in the nation, and to 131st — last place— in the FBS in passing yards. As a result, coach Brady Hoke released offensive coordinator/quarterbacks coach Jeff Hecklinski over the weekend. SDSU now faces Hawaii in Snapdragon Stadium tomorrow night.

Bob Silvas is a native Chula Vistan and has over 30 years in the airport business. His programs earned both local and national recognition during his time at the San Diego International Airport. He now runs his own private consulting practice devoted to all matters of the airport business and has been asked to speak at numerous conferences including an international conference in Sweden. And somehow he's found time to serve as our club president. This concludes today's edition of the Jim Biddle News at Noon. Today's News sponsored by Bob Silvas and The Silvy Group.





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**GOOD-BYE POLIO
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Food Distribution volunteers this month were (l-r): Duane Buckingham, Kathleen Carroll, and Chris Lewis. Thank you for your service!





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SUPER TICKETS AVAILABLE THIS FRIDAY!



Tickets for the SUPER DRAWING will be available this Friday at the Club meeting.

Tickets are \$20 each or 6 for \$100. Winner need not be present to win.

This is part of our Golf Tournament Fundraiser. Super prizes include a two-night stay at the Ayres Hotel in Otay Ranch (great for out of town guests!), Republic dumpster, 40" TV, Botox treatment and the grand prize:

A premium wine refrigerator fully stocked with quality wine and spirits valued at \$1000+.



20 UNITS—BOTOX



40 " Television





ROTARIANS SUPPORTING THE HOME TEAM!

LET'S GO PADRES!



Above: Carmen Sandoval, David Hoffman and Jesse Fernandez enjoying pre-game happy hour on the patio.

Right: Bernard Hernandez and kids enjoying Wednesday's win.

ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT MONTH

OCTOBER

“The ultimate resource in economic development is people. It is people, not capital or raw materials that develop an economy.”
- Peter Drucker



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