

Chulatarian



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September 6, 2019
District Attorney Summer Stephan



The Chula Vista Rotary welcomes San Diego County District Attorney Summer Stephan, who has devoted her life to protecting children and families and providing justice to the voiceless and most vulnerable. She is a national leader in the fight against sexual exploitation and human trafficking, who has served as a Deputy District Attorney in San Diego County for 28 years.

During this time, she combined extensive courtroom experience with over 15 years of management and leadership experience. She rose through the ranks to appointments as Chief of the DA's North County Branch and Chief of the Sex Crimes and Human Trafficking Division, a Special Victims Unit she pioneered. In 2017, she was appointed District Attorney.

On June 5, 2018, the voters elected Summer as District Attorney in the most resounding victory recorded for DA races in San Diego County. She has been named the 2017 Southern California District Attorney of the Year by Crime Victims United.

District Attorney Stephan will be accompanied by Chula Vista's own Marissa Bejarano, Deputy District Attorney. Marissa Bejarano has served as a prosecutor for the past 13 years as both a Deputy Attorney General for the California Department of Justice and currently as a Deputy District Attorney for the San Diego County District Attorney's Office. As an appellate prosecutor she argued over 50 times in the California Courts of Appeal and argued in the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeal and the California Supreme Court. She is lead counsel in 19 published opinions. In the trial court, Marissa has tried over two dozen cases to verdict. She currently serves as the Community Partnership Prosecutor for the South Bay Branch of the District Attorney's Office.



CLUB BOARD MEETING
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY DEAR ROTARIANS!

September Birthdays:

Eric Rimmele	September 1
Bob Bliss	September 4
Steve Brodbeck	September 4
Ben Vallejos	September 18
Gus Slovinsky	September 22
Donna Moss	September 25

BRING A FRIEND TO A MEETING
SHARE THE GIFT OF ROTARY



Foundation Update

Lane Pearson has the update on Rotary International Foundation.
You can ask Lane how close you are to your next Paul Harris award.



Tribute To Mark Greene

Many Rotarians were on hand as family and friends paid tribute to Mark Greene this past Sunday.

There was love and laughter when those present shared special moments and funny stories about Mark—truly one of a kind.

L: Pictured with his wife, Kathy.

Mark apparently lost his gavel early on and was reduced to using this homemade version. The historic club gavel was returned to him in a giant car engine at the actual Installation/Outstallation—when everyone wore white suit jackets back in the day.

Pictured with Kathy and his kids: Stacy, Amy, and Eddie.

Little club banners at every table spoke to the major importance of Rotary in Mark's life—52+ years of perfect attendance.

He will be missed!

