

July 2015



PRESIDENT: BRYAN GUST

PRESIDENT-ELECT:

SECRETARY: KEN HEINZ

TREASURER: AL BASKIN

2015-16 Rotary International Theme:

Be a Gift to the World

"All of you have been given so many gifts. And you have now been given this great gift: one year to take all your talents, all your gifts, everything that you are and can become -- and Be a Gift to the World,"



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE ... My grand kids have an expression that sums up what Rotary is all about - "sharing is caring". As Rotarians, we care about our neighborhood, our community and our world. We share our time and talents to help others. Rotarians are people who make the world a better place. It all starts with our small club and our commitment to helping others with projects like the fun run, distributing dictionaries and RAW. We may be involved internationally this year with a project to help detect hypertension in children in India. I know we can make this a great year and I ask for your support and commitment to share the Rotary message to others.

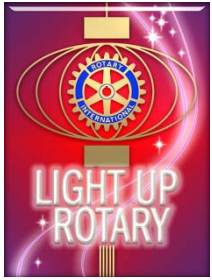
Bryan

ASSIGNMENTS

	<u>PLEDGE</u>	<u>INSPIRATION</u>
July 2	Ken Heinz	Danny Kazmarek
July 9	Danny Kazmarek	Eric Pahlke
July 16	Eric Pahlke	Mike Scogin
July 23	Mike Scogin	Mike Van Horne
July 30	Mike Van Horne	Al Baskin
August 6	Al Baskin	Brent Clous

HAPPY, HAPPY BIRTHDAY ... July 14th is Mike Scogin's birthday. Wish him a happy day and year to come ... no singing please! You can ask him how old he is now ... and what he wants to be when he grows up!

HAPPY ROTARY ANNIVERSARY ... Danny Kazmarek joined San Diego North Rotary in July 2004. Wish him a happy anniversary - the one he doesn't get into trouble for forgetting!



DEMOTION/PROMOTION DINNER ...



Have we ever NOT had a Demotion/Promotion Dinner, to mark the end of one Rotary year, and the beginning of another? If NOT, the 23rd annual dinner was held on Thursday, June 25th, at the Claim Jumper restaurant in Carmel Mountain Ranch. Outgoing president Jean Heinz passed out growlers to the Rotarians who served during the past year. Incoming president Bryan Gust handed out assignments to everyone ... what a guy!

The officers and board members who assisted Jean this past year were: Brent Clous (Past President and Programs), Bryan Gust (President-Elect), Ken Heinz (Secretary), Al Baskin (Treasurer), Eric Pahlke (Club Service and Newsletter),

Mike Van Horne (Community Service), and Danny Kazmarek (International Service and all things technology).

Those who will assist Bryan during the new Rotary year include Ken Heinz (Secretary), Al Baskin (Treasurer), Jean Heinz (Past President and Community Service), Brent Clous (Programs), Eric Pahlke (International Service and Newsletter), and Mike Van Horne (Vocational Service). Mike Scogin will assist Eric with International Service ... we're looking at a project in India testing school-age children for hypertension. Danny Kazmarek will continue to be everything new tech, as well as RYLA.

LINKS ... to other Rotary web pages ...

San Diego North Click here to see the schedule of programs and other late-breaking club news.

District 5340 Click here for the DG's newsletter, training schedules, and district and other club events.

Rotary International Click here for professional resources on a wide range of club management issues.

THIS DAY IN HISTORY QUIZ

ROTARIANS ARE CHALLENGED TO CORRECTLY ANSWER THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS.
THE ANSWERS WILL BE REVEALED AT THE MEETINGS DURING "THIS DAY IN HISTORY."

July 2	On this day in 1964, what U.S. president signed the Civil Rights Act meant to prevent segregation in public places? (Hint: it wasn't JFK)
July 9	The video game Donkey Kong was released on this day in 1981 by what company? (Hint: the game debuts the company's future mascot, Mario)
July 16	Father Junipero Serra founds California's first mission in what future city, on this day in 1769? (Hint: the city was incorporated in 1850)
July 23	This comet, visible to the naked eye for a record 18 months, was discovered on this day in 1995 and formally designated C/1995 O1. (Hint: Alan Hale in New Mexico and Thomas Bopp in Arizona were the first two observers to report the sighting to the Central Bureau of Astronomical Telegrams)
July 30	On this day in 2003, the last "old style" VW Beetle rolls off the assembly line in what country? (Hint: nicknamed El Rey, it was shipped to the company's museum in Wolfsburg, Germany)

FUN ROTARY FACTS ...

WOMEN IN ROTARY

Until 1989, the Constitution and Bylaws of Rotary International stated that Rotary club membership was for males only. In 1978 the Rotary Club of Duarte, California, invited three women to become members. The Rotary International board of directors withdrew the charter of that club for violation of the RI Constitution. The club brought suit against RI claiming a violation of a state civil rights law which prevents discrimination of any form in business establishments or public accommodations. The appeals court and the California Supreme Court supported the Duarte position that Rotary could not remove the club's charter merely for inducting women into the club.

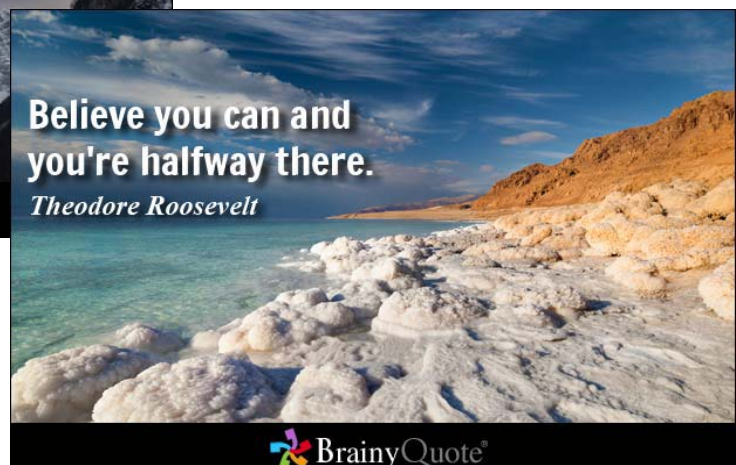
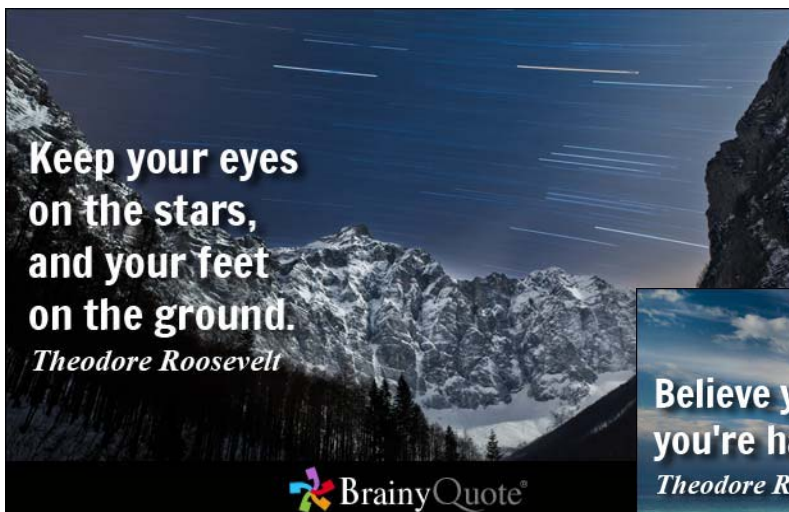
The United States Supreme Court upheld the California court indicating that Rotary clubs do have a "business purpose" and are in some ways public-type organizations. This action in 1987 allowed women to become Rotarians in any jurisdiction having similar "public accommodation" statutes.

RI changed its constitution at the 1989 Council on Legislation, voting to eliminate the "male only" provision for all of Rotary.

The first women club president was Sylvia Whitlock of the Rotary Club of Duarte. By June 1990, there were about 20,200 female Rotarians worldwide. In 1995, eight women became district governors, the first ever elected to that role. By 2010, there were an estimated 199,000 female Rotarians worldwide. The first female RI vice president began her term in 2013. Today, approximately 20% of Rotarians are women.

Who will be first with a women president ... the United States or Rotary International?

START YOUR DAY OFF RIGHT ...



IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Meeting Location	Broken Yolk Cafe 11630 Carmel Mountain Road San Diego, CA 92128 (858) 675-9655 Thursdays, 7:00 a.m. – 8:15 a.m.
Club Mailing Address	San Diego North Rotary P.O. Box 721986 San Diego, CA 92172
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