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<p align="center"><b>2016-2017</b></p>	<p align="center">Tom Brault Editor-in-Chief</p>	<p align="center">Vickie Prosser Photographer</p>	<p align="center">Terri Hall Reporter</p>	<p align="center"><b>PRESIDENT</b> Renee Richardson</p>

*March 10, 2017*

At 12:30, PPP (Past President President) RENEE RICHARDSON welcomed everyone to the meeting after the clang of the bell three (count ‘em... three) times.

- Inspirational Moment: PAM MYERS

“You are an Inspiration! You might not be the most successful or the highest achiever! You may not even be the most productive, but that doesn’t change the fact that you are making a positive impact with everyone around you, as well as those that you come in contact with, which makes you a high achiever, productive, successful, and a Great Leader because you are an Inspiration!”



- Pledge: Our do-everything-herself-because...she can! PREZ RENEE RICHARDSON

- Songs: PP TOM BRAULT led us in a lively rendition, totally traditional, chorus of *The Mickey Mouse Club March*. Sadly, the Millennials, Gen Xs, Gen Ys and WW II Vets were sort of clueless. As they shook their heads, the Baby Boomers rocked the house. This was followed by *Smile*. After Song Leader TOM remarked how fun it is to watch the newer members valiantly try to recall the words to sing along, our PPP (how many Ps does it take to change a..., sorry!) reminded the new members that the words to this traditional club mantra can be found in their folder, to which A.J. MAZZARELLA was heard to mumble “There’s a folder?”



## MICKEY MOUSE CLUB MARCH

Who's the leader of the club  
That's made for you and me  
M-I-C-K-E-Y M-O-U-S-E  
Hey! there, Hi! there, Ho! there  
You're as welcome as can be  
M-I-C-K-E-Y M-O-U-S-E  
Mickey Mouse!  
Mickey Mouse!  
Forever let us hold our banner  
High! High! High! High!  
Come along and sing a song  
And join the jamboree!  
M-I-C-K-E-Y M-O-U-S-E



- Club Updates: President-Elect CHUCK WARD came to the lectern and pronounced that “we are all exactly where we need to be!” He then began the announcements with PPP RENEE, his mentor, hovering nearby looking over his shoulder ready to pounce (or something!)



- a. Next Thursday, March 16<sup>th</sup>, Away meeting Military Awards Day, with Fallbrook Rotary at the Grand Tradition 220 Grand Tradition Way, Fallbrook, CA 12:00 PM Anyone willing to car pool?
- b. Friday, March 17<sup>th</sup> Re-Grand opening of Solutions Farms, 10 AM. (And since we are dark that day, your calendar is free to attend, should you wish to!)
- c. Saturday, April 8<sup>th</sup>, Rotarians at Work Day 9:00 to 12:30. Pizza will be served at noon! Please sign up on clipboard.

- Introduction of Visiting Rotarians and Guests: PE CHUCK  
It seems as if all of our guests chose to cluster at one table in the front. PP MIKE CURTIN introduced speakers BECKY ROSALER and DEBBIE EVANS as well as Visiting Rotarian LISA WALSH from HI NOON Rotary Club in Carlsbad, accompanied by ADAM JUNGK who is interested in Rotary and checking out local area clubs.



- Welcome Song: TOM started to lead us in “Welcome to Oceanside” in an alarmingly high key, trying to match the starting note to the tone of CHUCK’s clang of the bell. It went horribly wrong, so he stopped and restarted at a good baritone, which helped the altos in the room.



- FINES AND HAPPY DOLLARS:

\*\*PE CHUCK WARD was \$20 happy because he had just come from a customer’s home and asked the MAN if he had ever considered a service club and told him about Rotary. The WOMAN asked if Rotary was the group that helps to end polio and after he said yes, she shared that she was a polio survivor. It was unclear if CHUCK closed the deal and actually invited both (as we do accept women members) to attend a meeting as his guest.

CHUCK was also happy that MELISSA RODRIGUEZ and DIEGO DOBSON will be coming to the Rotary District 5340 Assembly this month and invited us all to attend. PPP and Secretary RENEE asked if he had registered them (and himself) and he replied, “No, I have people for that.” He also had some Coast Newspapers on the greeting table.

\*\*PP TOM BRAULT was a measly \$3 happy. (He must have paid big bucks for the royalty for the Disney song.) He was proud that his daughter, GERILYN, was, at that very moment in time, performing one of three performances that day of *A Midsummer Night’s Dream* to student assemblies. She is employed in an educational outreach touring group as an actor (in addition to her regular performing gigs). As we all supported her growth, we all feel like proud parents! Congrats TOM and GERILYN!







**\*\*DALE MAAS** was \$21 happy that as of February 21 he is the proud dad of **BLAKE CARTER MAAS**. As soon as **BLAKE** gets his vaccinations and grows a bit he will come to a meeting.

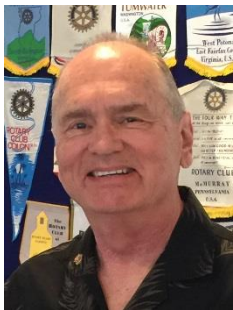


**\*\*PAM MYERS** was \$5 happy that her son sold his condo and put money down on a house.



**\*\*DAVID NYDEGGER** was \$1 happy because he seemed to be having some sort of a bromance with PP **TOM**'s tropical print shirt. **DAVID** said he loves the palms...(kissing up for something in the future, no doubt!)

**\*\*BOB PICKREL** was \$10 happy that his family members from Mammoth Mtn. were visiting along with his 1 year old great grandson. Wonderful family fun!



**\*\*PP DAVE HALL** was \$5 happy that **TOM** sang The Mickey Mouse Club March and NOT "It's a Small World" to which a rousing cacophony of murmurs of agreement were heard. **DIEGO** was heard to say, "A small world is my favorite song!"

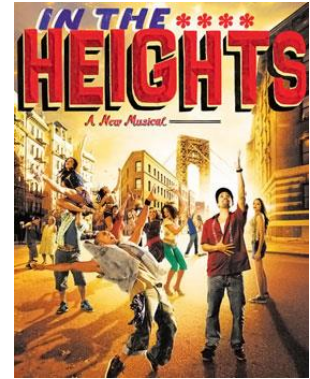
**\*\*PP JAY CRAWFORD** was \$2 happy that **ANITA** came back safely from Solvang with a huge cringle or Kringle? This reporter is not clear on whether they have a new roommate or are gaining weight as we speak! *{Managing Editor's Note: FYI ... We have it on good authority that a "kringle" is a yummy Danish almond pastry.}*



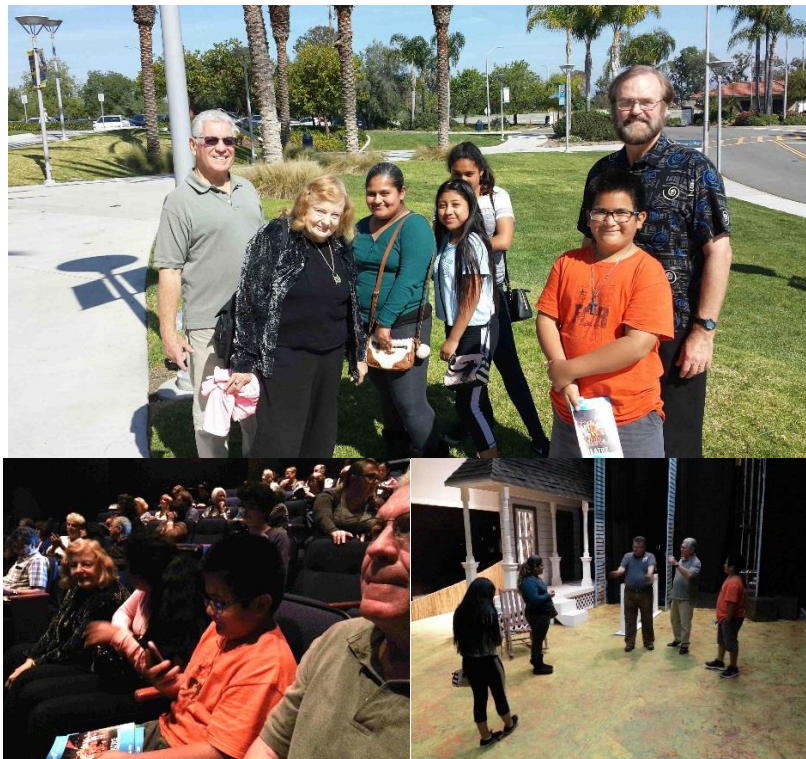
**\*\*DAVID SHORE** was \$10 happy about the earlier reference to Rotary's polio eradication efforts as he is a Disability Lawyer and has many clients who are polio survivors. He was also grateful for people like **GERILYN** who bring Shakespeare to schools as this type of program was his first introduction (and the seed for his future appreciation) of the works of the Bard.

- OTHER ANNOUNCEMENTS:

PP TOM BRAULT announced that the play “In the Heights” was chosen to be the Club’s Moonlight Amphitheatre outing on September 22. This is a fun evening with dinner out, dessert at the intermission and a lot of Rotary fellowship and culture. He will actually be buying the tickets before you see this newsletter, but if you still would like to be added into this event, let TOM know right away and he would probably be able to get seats in the same general area of the audience for you.



LARRY HATTER thanked those who took kids from Crown Heights to events. The next one on the schedule was the play *Oklahoma* at MiraCosta (thanks to LOLA SHERMAN, TOM BRAULT and JIMMY (!) SCHRODER who were on deck to chaperone the next day! They took three young ladies and one young man to a tour of the MiraCosta campus, a rollicking production of the classic musical, a special onstage and backstage tour after the show, and dinner at the Jolly Roger.) There is also an upcoming baseball game somewhere sometime soon.



PP JAY CRAWFORD joined wife ANITA, PE CHUCK and LOLA SHERMAN, representing the Club at the Mission San Luis Rey essay contest and display of California Mission models on Friday afternoon. Our Club donated \$500 to help fund this contest. There were wine and hors d'oeuvres served, and Rotarians who could not attend missed a fun art exhibit, contest, and a great social gathering!



Program: BECKY ROSALER from Outside the Bowl introduced herself and another OTB representative, DEBBIE EVANS, one of the co-founders of the organization. BECKY was happy to speak at Rotary as she was awarded a Rotary Exchange Student in Australia at age 16 which changed her life and gave her a heart for



Service

Here is some background on their project:

### THE MISSION OF OUTSIDE THE BOWL



In response to Jesus' command to feed the hungry, Outside the Bowl is dedicated to eliminating physical and spiritual starvation in impoverished communities by building Super Kitchens, and working with established community partners to serve hot, nutritious meals to those who need them most.

In 2005, Jae and Debra Evans moved to South Africa. Not long after, they began a discipleship program with Xhosa kids in a township called Mbekweni. About 60 kids came, but many were too hungry to hear God's Word.

Two years later, the couple began feeding these children before each program. Those attending multiplied. God was working and the Spirit was moving in the Evans.

In 2007, Jae and Debra shared their hearts with a North Coast Church pastor, Chris Brown. He traveled to South Africa and saw the need firsthand. Chris quickly caught in the vision and became an advocate for the Evans. In 2008, the first food center opened in Paarl, South Africa and the idea of "Super Kitchens" was born.



This first Super Kitchen fed 1.5 million people in its initial year of operation and continues to feed thousands every day.

When Jae and Debra realized the large numbers of children suffering from hunger in South Africa, they sought out the most effective feeding method. In the process they learned kids rarely see the pre-packaged meals intended for them. Older, wiser, and also hungry adults often steal the dry-packaged food. *They eat it themselves. They sell it.* The potential meals often end up supporting gambling or drug habits, not growth and life. The Evans' knew they had to get perishable meals directly to the children in order to actually get the food into their stomachs. They wanted to feed the hungry adults, too. So, they developed a feeding and distribution system centered around the Super Kitchen.



A Super Kitchen feeds thousands every day. Outside the Bowl workers renovate cargo shipping containers; pack them with a complete kitchen (700-pound electrical kettles, water storage tank, tools & more), add roof support and other building materials, and ship it to the site. Once it arrives, the Super Kitchen can be constructed and operational in weeks.

Some sites of kitchens include: PORT-AU-PRINCE, PORT-AU-PAIX, TIJUANA, MEXICALI, JALISCO. They build every Super Kitchen with the goal of sustainability. To do this they:

- partner with established in-country organizations
- employ locals to run the kitchen
- teach the community to care for itself
- supplement their partners with a feeding powerhouse so their ministries can flourish



Outside the Bowl is a 501 (c) (3) organization, and its [annual report](#) is available for review online. Their work is made possible through the generous donations of individuals, organizations, corporations, and foundations. OTB averages 78% of donations going directly to fund kitchens! Fundraising costs include all costs incurred to prepare, print, and mail educational materials used to grow their ministry, as well as a portion of staff salaries for time spent raising funds.

PPP RENEE thanked BECKY and gave her a book of “Thank You” quotes as our parting gift of appreciation.

PPP RENEE proudly announced that we are 27 Rotarians strong at the meeting today! GREAT TURNOUT!

Opportunity Drawing – With \$52 in the pot, MELISSA RODRIGUEZ won the draw but lost the pot! She generously donated her consolation prize back to the Club. (No tacos tonight, MELISSA?)

The meeting was adjourned at 1:20 p.m.





REMEMBER: NEXT WEEK'S MEETING WILL BE AT THE GRAND TRADITION IN FALLBROOK ON THURSDAY FOR THE MILITARY AWARDS. THERE WILL BE NO MEETING ON FRIDAY, MARCH 17.

### **HOW DID WE MISS THIS??**

There was not a peep about this at the meeting itself, but soon afterward our President relayed the following message to be included in this edition of the newsletter:

A Note to the Gavel Grabber from President Renee

Well, so you are so desperate for my precious gavel that you wait until I'm distracted with IMPORTANT ROTARY BUSINESS IN ANOTHER ROOM, AND THEN YOU HAVE THE B\*\*LS ENOUGH TO GO THROUGH MY BRIEFCASE TO TAKE THE GAVEL???

JUST SO YOU KNOW, RULES OF ENGAGEMENT REGARDING GAVEL GRABBING GENERALLY ARE THAT IF THE PRESIDENT LEAVES HIS/HER GAVEL IN PLAIN VIEW, THEN IT'S FAIR GAME TO BE GRABBED. IT IS GENERALLY OFF LIMITS IF YOU HAVE TO SNEAK UP AND GO THROUGH BAGS TO FIND IT. THAT BEING SAID, I DON'T MISS TOO MUCH IN THE ROOM, SO YOUR GRABBING ATTEMPT WAS VERY SHORT-LIVED. I SAW WHERE YOU HAD STASHED IT AND THE GAVEL IS BACK IN MY POSSESSION, SAFE AND SECURE. I AM SURE YOU HAVE BEEN WONDERING WHERE THE HECK IT WENT! I'M A LOT FASTER ON MY FEET THEN YOU ARE, GAVEL GRABBER!

FAIR WARNING: STICK YOUR HAND IN MY BRIEFCASE OR PURSE AGAIN AND YOU WILL FIND A NICE (RAT) TRAP!

I mean, golly! RENEE MUST be serious to have written the bulk of this screed in ALL CAPS!!! And, in a follow up email, she added, "I'm not kidding about the RAT trap!"

So there, Gavel Grabber, whoever and wherever you are!



## **SOMETHING ELSE WE MISSED**

You saw some brief comments in last week's Shorelines about the excursion with Crown Heights kids to Camp Pendleton, but we neglected to include the full report on the event, submitted by the commander of the expedition, DAVE NYDEGGER. Here it is, in full detail:

“We had a great time!!! The Marines were outstanding and I think they also had a great time talking and working with the kids! We had great support from Lincoln Middle School with teachers, interns, and the bus driver (a former Marine).

We had a total of 36 students and with the 14 Marines who helped, it made for a really fun day.

I think all of the kids got to practice shooting with the 45 pistol and the AR15 rifle all simulated on screens but the real weapon made with the computer generation.

To me the highlight of the day was watching Jim Schroder and Ernie Mascitti as well as the 36 students try to eat their lunch. (Combat MREs)  
"Meals Ready to Eat" - A complete meal over 3,000 calories and it had its own "oven in a Bag"

After lunch, they got to crawl all over trucks and tanks!”

Sounds like quite a memorable event. A hearty “OOORAH!” to all who participated!

## **COMING UP AT OCEANSIDE ROTARY**

### **March 16 – JOINT MEETING AT FALLBROOK CLUB MILITARY AWARDS CEREMONY**

*12:00 PM @ Grand Tradition Estate, 1602 S. Mission Rd, Fallbrook*

Reporter: VICKIE PROSSER (on assignment in Fallbrook)

### **March 17 – REGULAR MEETING DARK**

### **Saturday March 18 – DISTRICT TRAINING ASSEMBLY**

USD KROC CENTER, 8 am to noon

### **March 24 – TERESA BARNES, Uphearing / Listen UP**

Reporter: PAM MYERS

### **March 31 – DAVID LOPEZ, Teach America – San Diego**

Reporter: TOM BRAULT

### **April 7 – HOWARD LA GRANGE, Oceanside – Active Transportation Projects**

Reporter: TBA

### **Saturday, April 8 – ROTARIANS AT WORK DAY**

Crown Heights Family Science Day

### **April 14 – DARK for Good Friday**

### **April 21 – TERESA COLLIS, Principal of Oceanside High School**

Reporter: TBA

### **April 28 – DARK**

May 5 – Regular meeting will be DARK. Evening “Taco Friday” Happy Hour at 5:30 pm instead! (\$10 per person)

