Pacific Breezes

Rotary Club of Mission Bay

Meets 1st Three Monday Noons at the Catamaran Hotel

3rd Thursday evenings at various locations

Summary of Meeting July 28, 2014

Howard Singer led the pledge to open the meeting. President Gus Goldau then reviewed "What is happening" The club has been busy with the Music camp, The Fishing Derby, Music on the Green at Kate Session Park and reminded everyone of the last Music concert at the La Jolla Cove on Wed July 30. He also reminded members of the upcoming visits by our Congressional candidates, Carl DeMaio on August 11 and Scott Peters on Aug 18.

Susan Thorning introduced our visitors. Dr Ryan Curda, a Chiropractor in Pacific Beach, Lee Carver, Vail Valley Rotary Club and former member of Mission Bay, Joan Prosser, Bita Tahvildari, and Shay Rogs

Gus then reviewed his seminar on membership– The basis is important. Friendship, Business Development, Personal Growth and Development, Leadership Development, Citizenship in the Community, Citizenship in the World and Continuing Education.

Rachele Melious was introduced to report on the Urban Forest Management Plan. She talked about Trees, How shade trees on the South or West provide energy savings, Trees clean the Air and reduce greenhouse gasses. They stabilize the soil and storm drain runoff. They provide food for wildlife and increase property values. A plan is being prepared to be submitted to the City in early 2015 . Rachelle has been bothered by allergies caused by molds and pollen's from trees. That is also being considered in the types of trees to be recommended for planting.

Joanne Proctor then reviewed the work of her organization with an outdoor classroom in the South Bay area. They teach young students the benefits of the outdoors and growing and sustaining and encouraging kids .

Happy/Sa$$$ were contributed by Jim Willis, Ryan Curda, and especially from Susan Thorning for getting married next week to Alan Rezner- Yea!!!

Next Week: Aug. 4—Mike Bullock-Sierra Club- "Climate, Transportation and Parking