# The Tattler

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Meeting Date: October 19, 2022

Wednesday @ Noon

La Mesa Community Center

4975 Memorial Drive,

La Mesa, CA 91942





### Board of Directors 2022-23

President: Jen Flynn

President Elect: Becki Schwartz

Past President: Sue Richardson

Secretary: Kathy Olsen

Treasurer: Ryan Barnhill

2021-23 Directors: Vacant Ben Hamilton Burnie Dunlap 2023-24 Directors: Jay Thompson Mark Matthews Marsha Starr

Foundation Chair: Bill Ashman

New Generations: Mark Matthews

Speakers Chair: Bill Ashman

Membership: Burnie Dunlap

Social Chair: Marsha Darling

LA MESA ROTARY BOARD MEETING The next board meeting will be Tuesday, Nov. 1st at 5:30 pm ZOOM. All members are invited. Join Zoom Meeting: Meeting ID: 618 141 217 <u>https://us02web.zoom.us/j/618141217</u>

Phone in: 669.900.6833

### Lunch Time Service

#### October 26, 2022

Greeter Pledge Thought Song 4-Way Jack Dargitz Dani Womack Becki Schwartz Dale Bailey Jim Kline

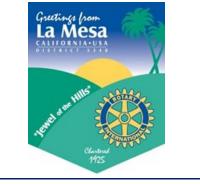
### November 2, 2022

Greeter Pledge Thought Song 4-Way Scott Elam Guy Elam Maggie Eggers Dale Bailey Mike Fellows

### November 9, 2022

Greeter Don Jenkinson Pledge Ryan Barnhill Thought Ron Morell Song Dale Bailey 4-Way Jack Dargitz

If you cannot perform your assigned duty, please arrange for a replacement





### **Member Directory - Coming Soon**

Please fill out the form below and return to Ryan Barnhill at

ryanbarnhill44@yahoo.com or at weekly meeting. Include your hobbies and interest in the lines below.



٠	Name:	•	Company:
٠	Spouse:	+	Phone number:
٠	Children:	•	Address:
٠	Occupation:	٠	Email address:
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## Sunset Park 5540 Lake Park Way La Mesa, CA 91942 Bring gloves, water, sunscreen, hat, rakes, hedging sheers if you have them.

### Rotary's commitment to PEACE

Rotary has been committed to PEACE since early in our beginnings. Through the many service projects, we do across the globe we are creating an environment where peace can flourish. Locally, we believe that a wonderful place to have this conversation is in our schools. We believe that peace promotes harmony in our communities and neighborhoods.

One simple sign of peace is a PEACE Pole. A silent symbol of peace that we can share with others across San Diego and Imperial Counties. A PEACE Pole is just that, a pole with the words: MAY PEACE prevail on Earth, inscribed on it. Typically to promote better understanding, this message is inscribed in multiple languages on the pole. Between 4-8 languages is common.

Here are a couple of examples:



District 5340 is dedicated to this mission. We would like to see peace poles installed at schools across our area in the coming few months.

### FAQs

- What is the typical cost of a peace pole? Typically, peace poles range from a few hundred dollars to as much as \$3,000-\$4,000 depending upon details, customization, etc. However, District 5340 has partnered with a local non-profit foundation to provide the peace pole for no cost to participating Rotary clubs. This is limited to the first 20 clubs that apply.
- Material choice? This is completely up to the club to decide. It's our suggestion that the pole be environmentally friendly while still being sustainable and long lasting. Most poles are either wood or aluminum.
- Installation? Each school will have its own requirements regarding installation, many schools will want to
  install it for liability reasons. Here is a good resource for installation and maintenance:
  <a href="https://peacepoles.com/pages/peace-pole-installation">https://peacepoles.com/pages/peace-pole-installation</a>
- Maintenance? This is a great project for Rotary clubs to work with their local Interact clubs. Some clubs are including a small garden or sitting area surrounding their peace pole.

#### Resources:

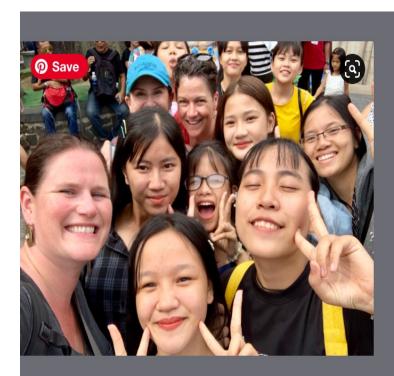
Reminder, Rotary is competing with the Lion's Club to see who can donate the most food in October! Let's support our local kids during the holidays!

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PLEASE DONATE BOX OF CEREAL COMPLETE PANCAKE MIX OATMEAL MAC AND CHEESE CAN OF CHILI JAR OF PEANUT BUTTER REFRIED BEANS	PICK UP/DELIVERY TO ARRANGE PICK UP/DELIVERY PLEASE CALL 619-319-4423 BAGS WILL PROVIDE BREAKFAST AND LUNCH TD LOCAL SCHOOL CHILDREN OVER THANKSGIVING BREAK.		
RICE SPAGHETTI SAUCE PASTA HEARTY SOUP CAN <del>NE</del> D MEAT	<b>CITY</b> Hope		



Jen and Lauren host the 10th Annual Mary's House Fundraiser on Nov. 16 at Kettner Exchange in Littly Italy. Mary's house was founded in 2011 in DaNang, Vietnam, and supports 16 school aged girls with education, medical care, clothing, activities and life skills.

Please join us at the fundraiser or donate if you are able. The link for tickets, for the online auction and for donations is: <u>Https://auctria.events/MarysHouseFundraiser2022</u>



Mary's Home was opened in January of 2012 through the non-profit organization, Giving It Back To Kids. Jen Flynn, a long time supporter and partner of Giving it Back to Kids, had a dream about opening a home for kids in Da Nang, Vietnam after living there from 2009–2011. Jen named the home after her grandmother who inspired her to travel, learn, and experience life to the fullest. Within a few months, along with many friends in the United States and around the globe, Jen and her wife, Lauren, raised the funding to open and operate Mary's Home for the first year!