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Rotary Club of La Mesa

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Wednesday's @ 12:30pm Via

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Meeting ID: 618 141 217



KATHY'S LEGACY Ginny Scharbarth

Making a Difference for victims of Domestic Violence!

After the murder of our beautiful daughter, mother, and sister to domestic violence we were paralyzed with grief. One of the most difficult things we had to avoid as a family was the black hole of despair. We talked everyday about the void that only Kathy could fill. Desperate to make sense out of this tragedy we wondered what Kathy would want us to do. We came to understand that Kathy didn't want us to move on; she wanted us to move forward.

We realized we could make something positive out of this unfathomable tragedy. Grateful for the support our family received from the community, in particular for Madison, Kathy's daughter, we focused on paying our blessings forward. We felt a deep sense of responsibility to make a difference in the lives of all the Kathys we will never know and the Madisons we may never meet.

Kathy's Legacy Foundation was established in Kathy's memory. We are committed to inspire dreams, change lives, and revive hope. Kathy will not be remembered for her murder, but rather for all the good she inspired

<u>Lunch Time Service</u> <u>Opportunities</u>

March 3, 2021

Pledge Rose Hurst
Thought
4-Way Bonnie Welch

March 10, 2021

Pledge Dale Bailey
Thought Bill Ashman
4-Way Keith Dindinger

March 17, 2021

Pledge John Fistere
Thought Dani Womack
4-Way Dan Willis

March 24, 2021

Pledge Dani Womack
Though Bonnie Welch
4-Way Courtney Patterson

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

Important Dates:

Feb 27-28 Binational Virtual Project Fair

Mar 1st Deadline for Charitable Giving submissions

Mar 2nd La Mesa Rotary Board of Directors Meeting 6:00 pm

Mar 3rd Club Meeting on ZOOM – 12:30pm

Guest Speaker: Kathy's Legacy - Ginny Scharbarth

Mar 10th Club Meeting on ZOOM – 12:30pm

Guest Speaker: Girl Scouts

Apr 6th La Mesa Rotary Board of Directors Meeting 6:00 pm

Apr 10 District Assembly via ZOOM

RYLA Saturday April 17th

What: A one-day Virtual Leadership experience!

Where: From the comfort of your home.

When: Saturday, April 17th 8:30am 0 4:00pm

Who: High School Juniors & Seniors who are proven leaders in their schools, churches and / or communities!

During the one-day virtual leadership expereicence you will hear from top rated and highly sought-after speakers, connect with peers from all over San Diego and sign off feeling energized top continue your leadership efforts!

Speakers include: Jonathan Sprinkles, Fary Moini, Edwin Oketch & John Beede!

If you know of any Junior or Senior High School student interested please let us know. La Mesa Rotary can sponsor 4 students to attend RYLA!

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La Mesa Rotary Board of Directors Meeting

Tuesday, March 2nd 6:00 pm via ZOOM

If you have anything to add to the agenda please email me so I can add it to the agenda. Scott

Join Zoom Meeting

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Participant ID: 366111 Password: 008757



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La Mesa Rotary

Charitable Giving Campaign

The Rotary Club of La Mesa, California, Foundation (the "Foundation") is proud to support deserving programs in need through its Charitable Giving Program. Through the generous contributions of community members and members of the La Mesa Rotary Club, the Foundation offers semi-annual donations following a review and approval process for each Charitable Giving Request submitted to the Foundation by the Rotary Club of La Mesa.

The following are the Foundation's guidelines for Charitable Giving Requests. The Foundation reserves the right waive, amend or supplement these guidelines at any time or as circumstances may require.

- 1. Charitable Giving Requests may be made submitted by any person on behalf of a charitable organization qualified as a charitable entity under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- 2. Each Charitable Giving Request must be accompanied by a separate letter from a member of the La Mesa Rotary Club who shall serve as the sponsor for the Request. Each sponsor letter shall specify why the Foundation should consider the Request.
- 3. Each Charitable Giving Request shall specify how the charity will use the funds being requested.
- 4. The combined amount of Charitable Giving Requests submitted by any one charitable organization during each fiscal year (July 1 through June 30) shall not exceed the sum of \$1,000.00
- 5. Each Charitable Giving Request must contain the organization's federal and state tax identification numbers.
- 6. Each organization must be able to attend a La Mesa Rotary Club meeting via a representative for the purpose of receiving the donation subject to the deadlines set forth below.
- 7. Charitable Giving Requests will be provided to the Foundation through the La Mesa Rotary Club.
- 8. The Foundation will duly consider Charitable Giving Requests recommended by the La Mesa Rotary Club. However, the Foundation reserves the right to increase, decrease, deny, approve, or place any limitations or restrictions on any Charitable Giving Grant.

The La Mesa Rotary Foundation was created as an Internal Revenue Code Section 501(c)(3) Foundation to accept donations to support the work of the La Mesa Rotary Club. The La Mesa Rotary Club supports activities to benefit underprivileged, elderly, children, and world-wide projects.

Evaluation of competing applications to determine which activities will be funded and the amounts shall be based on "impact:"

<u>Relative Impact</u>. Preference shall be given to activities that will be significantly impacted by the amount of the contribution. For example, a contribution of \$1,000 to an organization with a \$25,000 budget has more impact than one to an organization with a \$1 million dollar budget. Impact might, however, be assessed on specific projects within an organization.

<u>Local Impact.</u> Preference shall be given to projects that specifically benefit La Mesa and East San Diego County. Organizations that serve East County shall be given preference even if the organization is located elsewhere.

<u>Member Impact</u>. Preference shall be given to projects to which La Mesa Rotary members have invested substantial time and treasure.

All submissions need to go to Kathy Olsen, Chair of the committee.

4-Way Test Speech Competition

Congratulations to Kylie Womack for winning this years 4-Way Test Speech Contest. It was a bit different this year being on ZOOM but we were able to give 2 High School Students an opportunity to practice their public speaking. Our other contestant was Jonothan Chong – a sophomore. Each gave a great speech based off the 4-Way Test.

Our judges this year were Bill Ashman, Sue Richardson& Gary Clasen.

Kylie gets to move on to the next level of competition in the District!

