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Rotary Club of La Mesa

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Meeting Date: 3/7/18 Wednesday's @ Noon, La Mesa Community Center, 4975 Memorial Drive, La Mesa CA 91942



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Rotary 4-Way Test Speech Contest



The Four Way Test

of the things we think, say and do

1. Is it the TRUTH? 2. Is it FAIR to all concerned? 3. Will it build GOODWILL and **BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?** 4. Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all

concerned?

Rotary's Four-Way Test is the basis of this public speaking contest among high school students. They must weave the values of the 4-Way Test into their subject matter. Each student's speech must be 5-7 minutes long and incorporate the 4-Way Test. We will have prizes for 1st, 2nd & 3rd then winner advances to the sub-regional, regional and district contests.

Lunch Time Service **Opportunities**

March 7, 2017

Greeter Sonas Pledge Thought Raffle Fines 4-Way

Tim Miller Marsha Starr Jerry Esqueda Mike Fellows John Kalas Steve Looser Scott Elam

March 14, 2017

Greeter Songs Pledge Thought Raffle Fines 4-Way

Ron Morell Jay Thompson Gary Clasen John Fistere Jerry Esqueda Larry Mascari Mike Fellows

March 21, 2017

Greeter Nathan Oestreich Songs Bonnie Welch Pledge **Bridgette Tabor** Thought Jenny Flynn Raffle Jim Kline Fines Mike Mascari 4-Way Keith Dindinger

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

Important Dates:

Mar 7th Board Meeting – Jack's House

Mar 7th 4-Way Speech Test

- Mar 14th Words A Live Books for Kids
- Mar 15th- 17th Camp Enterprise
- Mar 21st Catholic Services
- Mar 24th District Training Assembly USD
- Mar 24th Global Grants Management Seminar USD
- Mar 28th Patrick Henry High School Interact Club
- Apr 12th Rotary Baseball Night Padres vs. Giants

La Mesa Little League Opening Day

Special Thanks to Larry, Bonnie & Ron for setting up this year's barbecue for the La Mesa Little League Opening Day! We had a lot of volunteers to help serve 400
Hamburgers & Hot Dogs to all the families of the Little Leaguers! Thank you for helping make this a special day for these Little Leaguers!



La Mesa Rotary Board of Directors Meeting

The next Board of Directors Meeting will be

Wednesday, March 7th 5:30pm at President Jack's House

Greetings from

Please note that this is a day change then the regular date! In March the meeting is a Wednesday rather than the regular Tuesday!

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Rotary Baseball Night Padres vs. Giants Thursday, April 12th at 7:10pm



Join Rotary members from across the District as we watch the San Diego Padres beat the San Francisco Giants. District Governor Scott Carr will throw out the honorary first pitch, along with a special Rotary Flag Raising from the Rotary Flag Court.

We have a block of terrific seats in the Section 109 along the first base side. Tickets are only \$36.50 plus processing fee. These specially-reduced tickets are now on sale by clicking here:

https://groupmatics.events/event/Rotary0412

Don't delay! Deadline to purchase these specially-reduced tickets is March 30, 2018. Special thanks to <u>Sean Nickelsen</u>, our inside source at the San Diego Padres, for his help in arranging this special evening event.

7th Annual Peace Forum Brings Message of Hope for Future



The 7th Annual Rotary District 5340 / University of San Diego Joan B. Kroc School of Peace & Studies' Peace Forum took place Saturday, February 24, 2018 at the Kroc Institute for Peace and Justice Theatre at USD. Dr. Cynthia Villis, Assistant Provost at USD and a member of the La Jolla Golden Triangle Rotary, served as host of the forum, featuring a number of presentations on:

- Defying Extremism
- Contact Theory: An Approach to Peacebuilding
- The Bent Prop Project: Making Peace Across Time and Distance
- Presentations by the Rotary and Grillo-Marxuach Scholars on Peacebuilding
- Presentation of the Prestigious Peacemake of the Year Award

Dr. Patricia Márquez, Dean of the USD Joan B. Kroc School of Peace Studies was also awarded the 2018 Pathways to Peace Award. The Pathways to Peace Award is the Rotary District's major award given for exemplary performance in the field of peace building and peace making. Honorees have made a significant, distinguished difference in advancing conflict prevention and resolution, promoting understanding of the advancement of peace and human rights through their contributions and efforts for peace building.

The award was presented by Scott Carr, District Governor and Joy Prowse, Chair of the Pathways to Peace Award. Dr. Márquez' research focuses on the intersection of business and social value creation, with an emphasis on alleviating poverty through free market mechanisms. Since her arrival at USD in 2007, Dr. Márquez has developed the Center for Peace and Commerce (CPC), the Social Innovation Challenge and the USD Changemaker Hub. Dean Márquez was also awarded the Paul Harris Fellow, the first time a recipient of the Pathways to Peace Award had earned the distinction. Named after the founder of Rotary, Paul Harris Fellows power the Rotary Foundation and its peace-building projects across the globe.

"The annual Peace Forum is a vital link between Rotary and the peace building taking place at the University of San Diego," said Carr. "Peace is a major priority of Rotary and its Foundation. The Rotary Foundation, one of the highest-rate charities ever ranked by Charity Navigator, has six main areas of focus. And every single one of these areas, every path we take, leads back to peace."