The Tattler

Rotary Club of La Mesa

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Meeting Date: 5/23/18

Wednesday's @ Noon, La Mesa Community Center, 4975 Memorial Drive, La Mesa CA 91942



Crohn's & Colitis Foundation

Do you know someone with Crohn's Disease or Ulcerative colitis? The Crohn's & Colitis Foundation's mission for the past 51 years is to find cures for these debilitating digestive auto-immune diseases. Our San Diego Chapter raised over \$1,000,000 last year through our fundraising programs and special events.

Take Steps Walks and Team Challenge marathons and triathlons are our team-based fundraising programs. Camp Oasis, is a cherished program that allows children with Crohn's and UC to attend a fun and memorable camp in Julian with onsite medical facilities.

We also hold an exciting annual gala and elite social events to bring together our community of donors. All of the funds we raise stay right here in San Diego, where we fund research initiatives that focus on curing the diseases. With over 18,000 patients in San Diego alone, we work very closely with the public, as well as with doctors and researchers in order to ensure that we are a source of information and support for all parties.

<u>Lunch Time Service</u> Opportunities

May 23, 2018

Greeter Bonnie Welch
Songs Martin Brickson
Pledge John Fistere
Thought
Raffle Ron Morell
Fines Bridgette Tabor
4-Way Courtney Patterson

May 30, 2018

Greeter John Witt
Songs John Carlson
Pledge Jenny Flynn
Thought Jim Kline
Raffle Nathan Oestreich
Fines Becki Schwartz
4-Way Ray Aguilar

June 6, 2018

Greeter Dani Womack
Songs Gary Clasen
Pledge Ben Hamilton
Thought Dennis Knight
Raffle Kathy Olson
Fines Larry Scott
4-Way Larry Perna

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

Important Dates:

May 23rd Crohns & Colitis Foundation

May 30th Andy Tarkas – Principal, Albert Einstein Academy Middle School

May 31st Patrick Henry High School Senior Awards – Kalt Scholarship presentation

June 4th 2018 Governors Dinner – La Jolla Marriott

June 6th San Diego Air Quality

June 18th Installation Dinner – Crossepointe Church

June 23rd 2018 RI Convention – Toronto, Ontario, Canada

July 4th Dark

July 15th Rotary Day at the Ballpark: Padres vs. Cubs



You are cordially invited to the <u>Governors Dinner</u>, the annual district awards and induction event coming **June 4, 2018 at 5:30pm** to the San Diego Marriott La Jolla. As the Rotary year winds down, the baton gets passed to the 2018-19 leadership class. The

Governors Dinner is the perfect chance to celebrate the amazing achievements our clubs have made over the past year, and then induct next year's presidents and district leaders.

The Dinner also serves as the official inauguration of **Mel Gallegos** as he begins his term as District Governor.

Cost per person is \$49.50. For clubs that have 10 or more members registered and paid, tables will automatically be set aside and reserved. You can also purchase an entire table by clicking here. Entertainment for the evening will be provided by Larry Potter of the Rotary Club of San Diego Downtown (Breakfast).

Rotary Scholar Anna Blyum



On Wednesday, Rotary Scholar Anna Blyum joined us for lunch. Anna is from Kazakhstan and is here for studies. She shared information about the Rotary Scholar program that is sponsoring her and some of her experiences.

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Bill Kalt Schoarship

Thursday May 31st will be the Patrick Henry High School Senior Awards night. This is the night we get to award Nicole Donahue-Marucheau with her Bill Kalt Scholarship Award of \$2,000. Nicole plans on studying to become a nurse. She has been in the Kalt program at Patrick Henry High School all 4 years she has been there. The Kalt Scholarship committee meets with those in the program once a quarter on campus to mentor them through high school. Thank to Jim Kline for heading up this committee.

La Mesa Rotary Installation Dinner

Save the Date! Monday June 18th will be this year's Installation Dinner. It will be held at Crosspointe Church in La Mesa. We expect all members of La Mesa Rotary to be there to thank President Jack for his year as President as well as the current Board of Directors. We will also be inducting Dani Womack as our new incoming President! Dani will then induct her incoming Board members. Bring a guest! We will have more details soon.

2018-19 Pledge Forms

We are quickly coming to the end of our Rotary year. This means it is time to get your Pledge forms into our incoming President Dani Womack for your charitable contributions and pledge to the Rotary Foundation. The new board will use these to help form their budget for the coming year. Forms are available at lunch.