

# District Governor Frank's Weekly Letter for Club Presidents - January 20, 2013



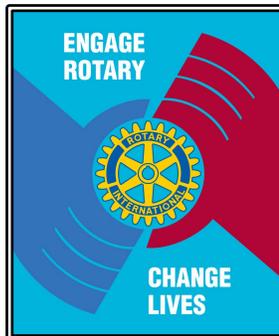
## *This Past Week*

This was the week of our final official DG visit. Scottie and I had a pleasurable experience with the RC of Camarillo Breakfast (Mike Morgan) on Tuesday morning. This group has pride in their club and I enjoyed listening to the many members who shared experiences with us. I must acknowledge the efforts of EAG Nick Frankle (Westlake Village Sunrise) who joined us at the meeting. Nick has done an outstanding job in support of not only the clubs in his area of responsibility; but our Rotary District as a whole. Thanks Nick, and thanks RC of Camarillo Breakfast for your hospitality.

As I communicated to many of you; as District Governor, I am quite honored to be the only person (as well as Scottie) who has the privilege of visiting every club in the District this year. 74 club visits that included the merging of two good Fillmore clubs, and adding one new Five Cities club. Additional meetings with all of the club Board of Directors capped off a truly memorable experience that gave us a snapshot of service that makes me proud to be a small part of what we do in this great District. Thanks to all for what you do!

The District Finance Committee has been working diligently to keep us on track with our finances. I attended another meeting this past week and was impressed with this committee's work.

DGE Jack McClenahan and Jane had a great experience at this year's **Rotary International Assembly** held in San Diego. All 530 DGE's from around the world were in attendance. This year, all of the District Rotary Foundation Chair-elects were invited. Luz-Maria Ortiz-Smith was our representative.



Theme for 2013-2014

## *UCSB at CalPoly Women's Basketball*

Scottie and I had the opportunity to support the Polio Plus effort this past Saturday at the Cal Poly Women's basketball game. It was fun! My donation allowed me to take ten 3-point shots at half time. I made one of them!! Thanks to Curtis Reinhardt (Arroyo Grande) for organizing; and to Larry Emrich (Ventura), Bob Putney (Cambria), and Roxanne Nomura (Carpinteria Morning) for their assistance.



## *Club Presidents and District Staff: "Tell Me About Your Events!"*

Please share your events, activities, and committee meeting highlights with me so I can post it as part of this weekly letter.

## *Foundation Gala and STEPS!*

Make it a weekend! You will find information about these fantastic events on our District Website:

[www.rotarydistrict5240.org](http://www.rotarydistrict5240.org)

January 25<sup>th</sup>: Foundation Gala (Holiday Inn Goleta)  
January 26<sup>th</sup>: District STEPS Conference (UCSB)