"For Whom the Bell Toils"

for the month of April 2015

...dedicated to the hard-working President-Elects





The Rotarians in your Club are among the very best in the World! Work with them and your incoming Board members in order to give them both yours and the district's goals. This will ensure the recognition your Club deserves and will help to attain the following achievements:

✓ <u>RI PRESIDENTIAL CITATION CLUB</u>

To qualify for a Presidential Citation, you must complete two mandatory activities and additional activities in each category. ALL activities must occur between 1 July and 1 April. PLAN AHEAD!

✓ EVERY ROTARIAN EVERY YEAR (EREY) CLUB This is a very impressive award for your club and easy to attain since you're giving to TRF already. Why not make it "official"? Follow the instructions we gave you at the Assembly and you'll be there.

Contact Sandi Schwartz for assistance: rpschwartz@sbcglobal.net.

DISTRICT CONFERENCE BAKERSFIELD ~ <u>SAVE THE DATE</u>!!

October 2-4 in Bakersfield. Come and enjoy the Bakersfield Sound of Rotary! Registration begins on July 1st. Effective in April, visit

www.rotary5240DC.com as the place for the info!



"The excitement builds as the train speeds along!!"





PRLS (Practical Relevant Leadership Skills) Courses

Have you considered brushing up on your Leadership Skills?

PRLS has transformed the speaking and leadership skills of literally thousands of Rotarians since its 1993 inception in our own District 5240.

Registration for classes is via the District website; see class schedule under "Events" – "District Events Calendar". (<u>www.rotarydistrict5240.org</u>)

SAO PAULO DINNER

Friday, 5 June, 6pm at the Convention with Host, Scott Farrenkopf.

Scott has negotiated virtually unlimited food and drink at a top-end *Churrascaria* called *FOGO de CHAO*. Please email Scott with your reservation: <u>bsfarr@amcham.com.br</u>.

Scott will also be leading the Samba lessons !!





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