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#### From the Woodshed

#### Happy New Year!

Wow, December has gone by in the blink of an eye, and we are all once again at that awkward stage of

starting a new year, and having to remember to enter the correct year (2013) when we date documents

In December, Kim and I finished up our first round of club visits. We started the month in Susanville finishing up with the last three Area 1 clubs. Then we took the northern Nevada tour to Fallon, on to Winnemucca, finishing up in Ely. Then we hit the "Loneliest Highway in America" (US 50) for the trip back home. Lots of miles, lots of beautiful scenery,



and lots of incredible Rotary Service! Our final visit was at my very own club, the Rotary Club of Loyalton, on December 13th. It was so great being able to meet with the leadership of my club, and relate so much of what I have learned from all of the great clubs in the District. Even better to have lunch with my Rotary friends, and deliver my "Governor's Speech" to this very special group for the final time.

As many of you know, my speech is all about making Rotarians aware of the impact they have on the lives of others, and the powerful tool for good that Rotary brings to our lives. January is "Rotary Awareness Month," a time to reflect and appreciate what Rotary is all about, and why it is so important to continue to grow this magnificent movement. So what is Rotary all about?

As I reflect on this question (after giving my speech nearly sixty times) I think of what Past Rotary International President Matt Caparas said at the Zone 25/26 Institute at Squaw Valley this last November. As part of a panel of Past RI Presidents, Matt said that as an organization, we must bring our focus back to the "Object of Rotary." He said this in the context of ensuring that we maintain our identity and purpose as we search for ways to adapt to our ever changing world.

I remember getting a printed copy of "The Object of Rotary" upon my induction. I had a difficult time understanding it because I couldn't get by thinking of the word "Object" as a material thing, rather than the objective or purpose of an activity. So, substituting the word "Purpose" for the word "Object" clarifies things for me.

January is "Rotary Awareness Month," a time to reflect and appreciate what Rotary is all about...

"The Purpose of Rotary" is a concept we should all readily understand. Our purpose is our justification for existence, or as the French say our "Raison d'etre" (reason for being).

Over all, Rotary's purpose is "To encourage and foster the ideal of service as a basis for worthy enterprise."

The ideal of service is really embodied in our motto, "Service Above Self." That truly is an ideal, something to strive for, although we may never truly fully attain it. Rotarians believe that life's most worthwhile endeavors (worthy enterprise) are founded on providing for the needs of others. Our purpose is to encourage and foster this ideal through our words and deeds.

More specifically, our purpose is to encourage and foster service in four particular areas.

FIRST - Encourage and foster "the development of acquaintance as an opportunity for service." Developing networks is a key to success in life. Friends and business contacts are what make the world go around. Likewise, strong networks of business, professional, and community leaders represent incredible potential to provide service. Rotary encourages the development of these networks through the *Avenue of Club Service* 

SECOND - Encourage and foster "high ethical standards in business and professions; the recognition of the worthiness of all useful occupations, and the dignifying of each Rotarian's occupation as an opportunity to serve society." Our Four Way Test helps us to maintain and foster high ethical standards in our business and professional undertakings. In addition, we view our vocations as vehicles to provide a service to our fellow citizens. This is a different perspective than viewing our jobs totally as a means to self support. It changes how we look at our work, and the world. The idea that we are providing for ourselves by providing service to others elevates and "dignifies" our vocations. Rotary encourages this through our Avenue of Vocational Service.

**THIRD** - Encourage and foster "the application of the ideal of service in each Rotarian's personal, business, and community life." This part of our purpose focuses on the individual Rotarian and her/his relationship to the local community. Our personal life is all about family, work, and community. This is probably the most visible and easiest part of our purpose to understand. Serving in our communities, we see the instant effect of our efforts; we feel the impact of our service directly. Rotarians accomplish this through our **Avenue of Community Service**.

**FOURTH** - Encourage and foster "the advancement of international understanding, goodwill, and peace through a world fellowship of business and professional persons united in the ideal of service." This last part of our purpose

#### **Assistant Governor's Straight Talk**



#### Area 12, David Mason

Happy New Year from Area 12 to all the clubs in District 5190 and to all of the Rotary Clubs around the nation and the world!

It has been a very busy last few months for the clubs in Area 12, the Alturas Rotary Club, which meets Tuesdays at 12:10 p.m. at the Brass Rail Restaurant, the Alturas Sunrise Rotary Club, which meets Thursday mornings at 6:30 a.m. at Antonio's Cucina Italiana, and the Surprise Valley Rotary Club, which meets Wednesday evenings at

6:00 p.m. at the social hall in Cedarville, California.

The Alturas Rotary Club conducted its annual Holiday Tea Social at the historic Niles Hotel in November. There were about 100 guests at tables for eight, each elaborately decorated by a different table host. Tea, coffee and several courses of homemade foods and treats were served to the guests dressed in their holiday finery. Excellent service was provided by Rotary leadership class students and by club members. A very fine and elegant time was had by all.

The big event of the season was the annual Rotary Block M basketball tournament which was, as always, organized and hosted by the joint efforts of the Alturas Sunrise Rotary Club and the Alturas Rotary Club, with much help and support from Modoc High School. This is a three-day annual tournament at the Modoc High School gym featuring round robin competition among four area high schools (Modoc High, Weed High, Lakeview, Oregon High and Big Valley High), each of which brought four teams: varsity and junior varsity boys and girls. It is a big event in Alturas, drawing large crowds of students, families and friends, and raising money for the two Rotary clubs to support youth and others in the community.

#### ... in Area 12, we all have the Rotary spirit ...

In addition, all three area clubs met for a Christmas lunch in December. Area Rotarians, along with many spouses and guests, were treated to an afternoon of fellowship. A highlight of the lunch was the presentation by Karen Shimamoto of slides featuring the adventures of our area participants in the first annual Rotary Eighth Grade Leadership (REGL) camp held at Grizzly Creek Camp earlier this summer. All of the Area 12 REGL camp participants were guests at the lunch and each said a few words about the camp and their experiences. It was truly inspiring to hear the enthusiasm of these young people for the opportunity and experiences the camp afforded them. Kudos to Karen for all of the work she and others in the District did to make this camp a reality.

Area 12 clubs are also justifiably proud that this year we sent more students RYLA than ever before: eight. Considering that this area has less than 10,000 population and the three clubs' total membership is less than 75, we think sending eight students to RYLA was a fine accomplishment. Add to that eight middle school students sent to the REGL camp and we are positively affecting the lives of a significant percentage of our total student population!

Another program that the Alturas Rotary Club has started under President Carol Sharp this year is having two Modoc High School students come to the club's lunch

expands our reach beyond the things that we can see or observe locally. It is the international purpose of our international organization. It binds us in common cause with Rotarians all over the world to provide service, in communities everywhere. It makes the entire planet our community. Rotarians accomplish this through the *Avenue of International Service*.

So, as Rotarians we have a comprehensive purpose, to spread "*Peace Through Service*" to each other through *Club Service*; to those we touch in our jobs through *Vocational Service*; to people in our communities through *Community Service*; and across the globe through *International Service*.

It's up to us.

Sam "Woody" Wilbanks

#### 2012-2013 Midyear Visits

DG Woody Wilbanks and DGE Vicki Puliz

Jan 6	Area 2
Jan 24	Area 13
Jan 25	Area 3
Jan 26	Area 10
Jan 30	Area 9
Feb 4	Area 7
Feb 5	Area 6
Feb 6	Area 4
Feb 6	Area 5
Feb 16	Area 12
Feb 19	Area 8
Feb 21	Area 1
TBD	Area 11

#### Give Rotary Your Best Shot

The 8th annual Rotary photo contest runs December 1 through February 28, 2013. First place wins a Nikon digital SLR camera. For details, go to www.rotary.org/photocontest

meeting once a month to report on what is going on at the school. This has proved to be a much anticipated and informative event that keeps the club connected to the school and the students.

Currently the Surprise Valley Rotary Club is participating in an international project with the Rotary Club of San Felipe, Baja California, Mexico by gathering medical equipment and supplies for use at the clinic in that rural Mexican community. It is hoped and anticipated that the Rotary Club of El Centro, California may partner in the project as well.

In addition, the two Rotary Clubs in Alturas are in the process of considering another international project with the San Felipe Rotary Club to construct a covered porch area outside of the local school so that teachers and students can conduct classes outside protected from the sun during the hot days of summer.

So as you can see from this brief and by no means complete look at the activities in Area 12, we all have the Rotary spirit!

#### **Club News**

#### Welcome Back Larry Clark!

Article submitted by Pat Nahin and photo by Ed Nahin

After a leave of absence, The Rotary Club of Bishop again inducted Larry A. Clark into the club. President Mike Gable presented Larry with a new club membership pin and certificate. Edward Nahin stood up to sponsor Larry for a second time.

Clark is a retired Education/Administrator who has a BA in Economics/History and a MA in Education Administration. Larry arrived in Bishop in 1998 as the new principal of the Pine Street Elementary School. Larry and his wife Lynne, who is a speech and Language Specialist for the Inyo County Office of Education, enjoy traveling and devote any free time that they may have to serving on many charitable programs in the community. Larry does find the time to play golf and is the current senior golf champion at Bishop Country Club.



Mike Gable Larry Clark and Ed Nahin

President Mike is more than happy to have Larry back in the club continuing his participation on giving out scholarships, working in the soup kitchen, distributing Easter baskets to the elderly, delivering needed school supplies to schools, working in the snack shack, going to the juvenile detention center and giving talks to the students, delivering Christmas gifts to the needy, plus always being willing to pitch

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## "The most valuable possession you can own is an open heart. The most powerful weapon you can be is an instrument of peace."

Carlos Santana

in and help on any club program. Clark said he was attracted to Rotary as their many charitable programs give him the opportunity to "give back" to the community and society. He believes in the Rotary motto "Service Above Self."

#### Open Hearts Have a Fulfilling Affect

Since arriving in Reno in 1976, Evelyn Mount has provided holiday meals to thousands of Reno and Sparks families through the

Community Outreach Food Drive she and her late husband founded. For over 30 years Evelyn has given food to the needy, but now she is calling on the community to help out.

On December 19, the Rotary Club of Sparks Centennial Sunrise delivered 40 hams along with 40 bags of groceries to the Evelyn Mount Community Outreach. All together the hams weighed a generous 370 pounds. Special thanks goes out to the Raley's store located in Wingflield Springs, which assisted



**Evelyn Mount** 

Sparks Centennial Sunrise in locating the herd of the nearly 10 pound hams.



When current RI President Sakuji Tanaka unveiled his Rotary theme, "Peace Through Service,"he told Rotarians and the world, "I realize that by helping others, even in the simplest ways, I could help build peace." The thoughtful acts of the Rotary Club of Sparks Centennial Sunrise and Evelyn Mount Community Outreach are simple examples of caring for others and bringing a moment of peace to individuals and the world.

#### One Foot in Front of the Other

Last year was a start of a new tradition for the Rotary Club of Bishop. In mid November Mike Gable took the lead and made plans to continue with the Bishop Rotary Santa Mile. This year both of Bishop's Rotary Clubs joined for a fun run just before the onset of the Bishop Christmas Parade. The energetic runners dashed from the City Park to Clark Street, and back to the park. Prizes were given to the top 3 male and female finishers, and kids earned prizes as well.



Proceeds from the event will benefit the many charitable projects of both clubs, including support of the Polio Plus program. Although the global number of cases of Polio has been decreased by 99%, the fight is not over.

#### Soft and Cuddly Goes a Long Way

Jackson Rotary held its annual Christmas Party on December 18. President Jim's wife, Jody and her assistant Monica created the centerpieces. The stuffed bears ultimately served three purposes, first as attractive centerpieces. Second that they were bought from a big



Club supporter, Raley's, with half of the purchase price going from Raley's to the Food Bank. Lastly, after the dinner the bears were part of a much larger donation of toys to the Amador Sheriff's Toy Drive.

#### **District News**

#### Rotary Awareness Month

Submitted by Tom Hardy, District Public Image Chair

Two of Rotary's most important opportunities for increasing public awareness are coming up in early 2013. First, each January is designated by Rotary International as "Rotary Awareness Month". Every club, worldwide, is urged to plan some project or event that will increase awareness of Rotary in their local community. Does your club have an event or public image project planned for January? It doesn't have to be a "big deal" but we should all be finding ways to promote what are clubs do and what we stand for in the month of January.

Second, February 23, 2013, will mark Rotary's 108<sup>th</sup> birthday. This is another opportunity to tell the Rotary story. Rotary has come a long way in just a little more than a century. This can be a time to reflect on the history of Rotary in your town and to let your community know what an important role your club has played in making your community a better place.



Rotary celebrating its 15th Birthday. If we could party this hard in 1920,

#### Rotary International Goes Big!

Some of you may have been fortunate to have seen the Rotary International Float live at the 2013 Rose Bowl Parade. Others may have had an up-close and personal view from the comfort of your home. For those that were unable to see the festivities, here's an opportunity to catch a glimpse of our own DG Sam "Woody" Wilbanks and International President Sakuji Tanaka having a great time. Rumor has it that DG Woody embraced the moment with the full enthusiasm and adoration that he has for Rotary, as he yelled out to the crowd,

### "Rotary Rocks!"





Rotary Promotes
Peace Through Service
In All the Places We Go!

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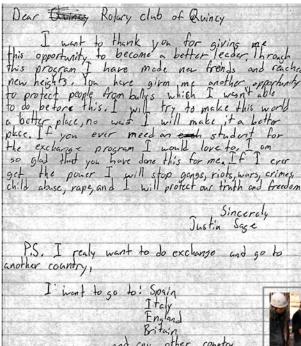
### Voices and Visions From An Exchange Student and REGL Youth

Hello Quincy Rotary!

It's been awhile since my last email, so here an update for you. These last months have been incredibly eventful. I went on the first Rotary sponsored trip. It was so amazing! The trip was to the Pantanal, a region in southern Brazilian notable for its remarkably sized swamp. We went piranha fishing, and rafting and water tubing and swimming and saw waterfalls and jumped off a 50 foot platform into water below, which was a lot fun. We all thought it crazy when we went swimming in the same spot we went piranha fishing the day before. I let someone else get in first.

My relationship with my host Rotary club is extremely good. They all love having me at the meetings, and I go much more often than I am required. I also participate in Interact events, and was a part of Miss Socorro, which was an incredible experience. I spoke for the crowd briefly, just about myself, that fact that I am exchange student, etc, for some 500+ attendees.

So there is an update for all of you! Thank you much, Ethan Skemp (Exchange Student to Brazil)













#### Tech Corner - District Website Now on ClubRunner

Have you visited the District 5190 website lately?

Our site has been migrated to the ClubRunner platform to facilitate better communications throughout the district. We still can be found at the same web address <a href="www.RotaryDistrict5190.org">www.RotaryDistrict5190.org</a>. Please note that any logins or bookmarks that you used with our previous website will no longer function. To access certain information at the new site you will need your ClubRunner login and password. If your Rotary Club is also on Club Runner, your Club login and password will work at the new District site. If you do not know your login or password, just click on "Login" in the upper right hand corner. There will be a link for New and Existing Users to retrieve their password. Simply provide your club, last name and email address and the required information will be automatically emailed to you. Once logged in, click on "My Profile" to verify your personal information and then click on "home Page" in the upper right corner to return to the front page of the website.

Please continue to send all update requests to <a href="webmaster@rotarydistrict5190.org">webmaster@rotarydistrict5190.org</a>. Thank you to Mike Neal of Cameron Park Rotary Club for the creation and maintenance of our previous website and for his assistance in this conversion.

Be sure to check the Tech Corner each month for a tip or two on using ClubRunner and other technology tools.

HAPPY NEW YEAR, YOUR DISTRICT IT COMMITTEE

#### **Polio Score Board**

Wild Poliovirus (WPV) cases – As of 26 Dec 2012

Total cases	Year-to-date 2012	Year-to-date 2011	Total in 2011*			
Globally	215	604	650			

#### Case breakdown by country

Countries	Total as of 25 Dec 2012	Total as of 27 Dec 2011	Total in 2011	Most Recent Case
Pakistan	57	181	198	20-Nov-12
Nigeria	118	50	62	20-Nov-12
Afghanistan	35	71	80	25-Nov-12
Chad	5	130	132	14-Jun-12

19 December 2012 - The World Health Organization (WHO) and UNICEF join the Government of Pakistan and the Sindh and Khyber Pakhtunkhwa in condemning the multiple attacks that killed nine health workers this week. Those killed were among thousands who work selflessly across Pakistan to eradicate polio.

The Government of Pakistan and the affected provinces have temporarily suspended the vaccinations campaigns due to safety concerns for the health workers.

Such attacks deprive Pakistan's most vulnerable populations - especially children - of basic life-saving health interventions.

WHO, UNICEF and all their partners in Pakistan and globally express their deepest sympathy to the families of the health workers.





#### Club Kudos

This section is dedicated to sharing brilliance in action. As you read through these ideas you will be reminded that Rotarians are creative, action oriented people. Borrow an idea, refashion it to fit your club, or use it to spark a new idea. Please submit your ideas to ecavasso@gmail.com, for inclusion in future District newsletters.

#### **Peace Through Service**

The Cameron Park Club has perfected a really impactful win/ win bicycle project. It's been working wonderfully for over 20 years! Rotarians and Ponderosa



High Interactors collect donated used bikes and deliver them to Folsom Prison, where inmates refurbish them. The Interactors fundraise to provide necessary tools, paints replacement parts. The inmates are given the opportunity to experience "Peace Through Service" hand. while first

Christmas the Interactors were forward to them each month. able to present lucky local kids with 50 beautiful bicycles!! AND community yards no longer look like used bike lots (like Woody's does!!!) Contact Project coordinators Joe Ryan or Jim Buckley for additional information joervan@internet49.com and jasbuck@att.net.

#### Senior Movie Night

Alturas Super Rotarian Eppler developed heartwarming project for serving senior citizens: Jay established a program of "Elder's Movie Days." Participating club members pick up interested folks from the local Extended Care Facility and transport the jolly group to the theater and back,

learning marketable skills. The providing lunch and popcorn "new" bikes are given to local during the movie. The seniors underprivileged children ... last LOVE the outings, and look



Since Jay's recent passing, Rotarian Clarence McCarty has stepped up to carry this service project forward in Jay's honor. President, Carol Sharp, can answer questions about these "Movie Days." (Note: be sure to davs chose featuring appropriate films - LOL!!!)

#### **Getting The Word Out**

As part of our District 5190 Public Relations (PR) campaign Puliz Moving and Storage had these moving Rotary billboards added to one of their delivery trucks. Carol Hatch, 2011-12 PR Chair set this up as part of a District Public Relations grant. This is a nice way to raise awareness about



Rotary and Rotary's work in helping make the world a better place to live.



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#### **Club Attendance Report: November 2012**

#### John Sullivan

		Planning					Annual				Planning			1		Annual	
	Members	Guide	Current #				Giving	Restricted		Members	Guide	Current #				Giving	Restricted
	as of 7/1	Goal	Members	Mo ±	% Goal	Attendance	YTD	Giving YTD		as of 7/1	Goal	Members	Mo ±	% Goal	Attendance	YTD	Giving YTD
Alturas	25	3	27	0	67%	70.00%	\$5,003	\$2,648	Nevada County South	30	4	31			94.94%	\$3,981	\$150
Alturas Sunrise	25	2	25	-1	0%	81.00%	\$411	\$0	Penn Valley	36	2	35	0	-50%	73.00%	\$4,910	\$950
Amador Upcountry (Pioneer)	23	8	22	-1	-13%	65.00%	\$1,000	\$200	Placerville*	42	2	46			0.00%	\$3,004	\$415
Auburn	106	4	105	1	-25%	86.00%	\$6,880	\$2,000	Plymouth-Foothills	27	2	28	0	50%	51.00%	\$616	\$0
Auburn Daybreak	12	13	13	0	8%	93.56%	\$2,148	\$165	Pollock Pines-Camino	14	4	16	0	50%	75.00%	\$300	\$225
Auburn Gold Country	43	9	45	0	22%	91.72%	\$4,550	\$1,438	Portola	30	3	30	0	0%	87.65%	\$550	\$226
Bishop	34	16	43	2	56%	56.40%	\$3,320	\$100	Quincy	44	7	47	4	43%	76.15%	\$3,125	\$1,875
Bishop Sunrise*	23	4	25	0	50%	0.00%	\$1,725	\$100	Reno	202	10	208	1	60%	60.23%	\$17,108	\$5,416
Cameron Park	59	10	58	0	-10%	78.30%	\$2,200	\$1,500	Reno Centennial Sunset	29	5	30	1	20%	94.25%	\$2,325	\$580
Carson City*	83	2	86	0	150%	0.00%	\$3,125	\$400	Reno Central*	57	8	59		25%	0.00%	\$4,416	\$0
Carson City - Sunset	17	7	18	0	14%	100.00%	\$1,000	\$0	Reno Midtown	26	11	28	0	18%	43.00%	\$50	\$0
Chester	22	3	22	0	0%	64.00%	\$2,200	\$100	Reno South	59	3	61	0	67%	57.60%	\$4,182	\$1,175
Elko*	76	3	77	2	33%	0.00%	\$1,290	\$951	Reno Sunrise	50	4	49	0	-25%	70.47%	\$3,610	\$2,907
Elko Desert Sunrise	28	2	25	0	-150%	84.00%	\$3,906	\$4,045	Smith Valley	24	4	23	1	-25%	61.00%	\$665	\$572
Ely	29	2	30	1	50%	68.00%	\$0	\$0	South Lake Tahoe	57	2	53	-1	-200%	66.28%	\$2,295	\$0
Fallon	47	5	46	-1	-20%	40.91%	\$8,080	\$1,100	Sparks	122	6	116	-1	-100%	84.95%	\$9,364	\$3,344
Fernley	24	4	25	0	25%	69.00%	\$0	\$0	Sparks Centennial Sunrise	28	5	28	0	0%	79.46%	\$6,159	\$683
Georgetown Divide	29	5	36	1	140%	48.04%	\$0	\$125	Surprise Valley	19	2	17	0	-100%	75.00%	\$0	\$0
Grass Valley	72	5	70	0	-40%	78.60%	\$11,190	\$659	Susanville Rotary Club*	45	2	56	1	550%	0.00%	\$1,200	\$0
Greenville	9	1	9	0	0%	34.00%	\$2,020	\$0	Susanville Sunrise	30	1	30	0	0%	72.58%	\$3,050	\$643
Incline Village	25	5	26		20%	95.35%	\$2,375	\$300	Tahoe City	38	3	40	1	67%	81.00%	\$2,900	\$2,000
lone	28	5	27	0	-20%	78.50%	\$4,200	\$50	Tahoe-Douglas*	50	2	49	1	-50%	0.00%	\$7,550	\$111
Jackson	47	2	49	1	100%	82.03%	\$100	\$250	Tahoe-Incline*	38	8	42	0	50%	0.00%	\$3,000	\$750
Loyalton	27	1	26	-1	-100%	88.00%	\$2,348	\$500	Tonopah*	20	3	19		-33%	0.00%	\$45	\$400
Mammoth Lakes Noon	42	5	40	0	-40%	55.83%	\$800	\$100	Truckee*	87	2	88	-1	50%	0.00%	\$1,950	\$3,025
Mammoth Lakes Sunrise	17	3	16		-33%	82.00%	\$435	\$0	Truckee Sunrise	23	5	25	0	40%	76.00%	\$100	\$0
Minden	38	6	36	-1	-33%	77.78%	\$40	\$500	Westwood-Lake Almanor	7	6	11	0	67%	89.00%	\$0	\$0
Nevada City	43	10	40	0	-30%	50.00%	\$220	\$1,000	Winnemucca	37	10	37	0	0%	52.60%	\$1,275	\$0
Nevada City 49er Breakfast	90	1	91	0	100%	81.31%	\$11,700	\$0	Yerington	42	4	43	0	25%	92.31%	\$2,730	\$1,531
* No Attendance report made	* No Attendance report made. Last known member count used.							TOTALS	2456	276	2503	10			\$172,727	\$45,210	

#### **Rotary Officers 2012-13**

#### **Rotary International**

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Area 8: Gary MacDonald

Area 9: Joe Zarachoff

Area 10: Greg Hunewill

Area 11: Michelle Urain

Area 12: David Mason

Area 13: Randy Van Tassell

#### Calendar

Jan 1-31: First Call for Ambassadorial Scholarship Candidate

Jan 13: International Assembly & Past Officers Reunion

Jan 20: Last day to submit December attendance

Feb 2: District Team Training

Feb 9: RYE Orientation Inbound #2 & Outbound #1

Feb 9: PrePETS for 2013-14 Club Presidents

Feb 20: Last day to submit January attendance

Feb 23: Rotary International's 108th Birthday

Celebrate Rotary Awareness Month by training members on Rotary history, or how to raise awareness of your club's projects among your community.

#### **District Newsletter**

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