

Rotations

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President's Message: Your President

missed his first meeting of the year, and took a week off with the kids, so I hope that is a good enough excuse for now! I even missed getting my truck to A.C. to go to the District Leadership Conference in Vacaville last Saturday! The kids and I stayed at the Monterey Park Plaza, the sister hotel to our own Lafayette Park Hotel, which has some fabulous views and terrific food, almost as good as our local Duck Club!! We spent one whole day at the Monterey Bay Aquarium, another day out on the ocean watching whales and dolphins, and it was great! I only wonder what the children of Palestine and Bethlehem would do if they could have such an opportunity to enjoy life the way we do. We hardly watched the television the whole week because it is so hard to watch innocent people being killed daily. We must find a way to make peace in the Middle East before everyone destroy an entire generation of families. I hope Colin Powell can open the doors of communication and get everyone back to the tables to work out a cease fire and a peace settlement.

TODAYS SPEAKER :

Ed Searby

North Coast Engineering

Guests? I was not there to get the names!!!

Birthdays;

April 1st - Ron Wake - the president elect-elect!

April 2nd -Indu Paul - How are you doing? we haven't seen you lately! April

7th - Lisa; Alan Mac's Wife!

I heard there was a crowd for the Egg Scramble at Acalanes. We must thank Chris Lane, Officer Dan Hoffman, Greg Vaisnor and anyone else there who helped! I need some pictures for my posters please!

A.C. Webb, Mike Kearney, Bud Multhrop, Sandi Mitchell, and Bill McCabe rode up in Mike's Caddie to the District Leadership Training. They were joined by Ron Wake who drove down from Tahoe to meet them in Vacaville. I understand they had an enjoyable morning and were exposed to some good info!

We are in need of one home for two of our Russian Bakers as one of our families had to cancel. We have two women to house next week and I am desperately looking for help. Please let me know if you have a home for them! There are 15 Bakers who are here already and are having a great time!

Next Saturday the club is invited to John Sammon's Barn in Lafayette to enjoy a B.B.Q. dinner and lots of singing and dancing! This is a Club Social that we are hosting with the Clayton Valley Club so please mark your calendars for April 20th starting at 6:00p.m.

Alan Mac and Stanley Smith Insurance hosted our speaker Barbara Hogan, the Program Coordinator from Futures Explored. She explained their goals and provided us with an excellent slide show, displaying their work. They are a non-profit group located in La Fiesta Square. Their mission is to provide life skills and work related training to adults with developmental disabilities. They support these wonderful men and women in reaching their optimum level of individual potential by delivering a broad rang of resources and on going guidance. If you would like more information or would like to donate any business equipment, please contact Barbara at 925-284-3240. We presented them with a donation of \$250.00 and Stanley E. Smith Insurance matched this amount as well.



Calendar of Upcoming Events!

April 16th - 23rd. The Russians are coming!

WEEK THREE – ROTARY CLUB OF LAFAYETTE

April 16, 2002

Lafayette Home Hosts Pick-up Delegates:

Time: 5:30 pm

Location: Cal-Fed Bank, Lafayette

NOTE: Rich Bailey has all luggage delivered to his home. He transports to Cal-Fed Bank by 5:30 pm. Van is turned over to Lafayette Club

April 20th. The Farewell Event with a Western theme at John Sammans Barn with our club hosting the event. If you have not gone to a BBQ at the Barn you will really be impressed! Larry our caterer will do the honors and Sandi Mitchell is working on the program. The Russian Bakers and every one involved in the program will be there along with all the other clubs involved. Cocktails at 6:30 and dinner at 7:00 and our club and the Clayton Valley club will be picking up the costs! Save the Date!

April 21st. Highway Cleanup. Please sign up before the 21st so we know how many people will be helping. We will meet on Sunday at 8:00 a.m. under the Acalanes Road freeway overpass.

May 17-19 The Rotary District Conference in Ashland, Oregon. There is still time to sign up for some great theater tours and some special Rotary programs.

June 1st. CONCERT ON THE REZ - Dick Holt and A.C. Webb are the program chairs. This is our big fundraiser. Lets support them and our club and our community!!!!!!

July 1st The New Prez; A.C. Webb and his team take over!!!

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SCHEDULED GREETERS:

APRIL 4	BARRY TOOMAGIAN - REAL ESTATE MANAGEMENT
APRIL 11	DALE TURNER - ARCHITECT
APRIL 18	BOB UNDERWOOD - SENIOR ACTIVE
APRIL 25	GREG VAISNOR - CPA / TAXATION

Birthdays

April 16	Tom Courtright	◆
April 18	Steve Davis	◆
April 12	Dan Hoffman	◆
April 13	Mike Kearney	◆
April 2	Indu Paul	◆
April 10	Warren Rupf	◆
April 17	Dale Turner	◆
April 1	Ron Wake	◆

Anniversaries Wedding & Club

April 18	Jack Clarkson
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