

Rotations

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE: LAST WEEK

we were visited by our District Governor, Brian Thiessen and Assistant DG Laura Day. Laura was substituting for our regular ADG Joanne Luscher, who is presently in Russia. Brian was fined \$5 by our opportunistic Finemaster, Tom Courtright. It seems that Brian was the attorney for Tom's ex wife some years ago, and Tom just couldn't pass up the chance. Brian accepted the recognition in very good humor, and lest anyone think this exchange challenged the Four Way Test, Tom had just agreed to provide flowers for the District Conference in October. Brian gave us some thoughts on RI President Karl-Wilhelm Stenhammar's leadership objectives for the start of Rotary's second century: Literacy, Clean Water and Humanitarian Projects, Public Image. Rotary's motto for the year is "Service above self." Brian is a very good speaker and gave us a preview of the District Conference on October 21 and 22. The speakers at the Conference will include Kim Peek, the "Rain Man" about whom the movie was made, and Al Mathis, whose grandfather wrote The Four Way Test. There are also a number of events and activities for golfers, hikers and a host of others. All of us should check out the details at rotary5160.org. Our club is committed to join 5 other clubs to provide a hospitality suite at the Concord Hilton for the two evenings of the conference. We will be soliciting volunteers to be hosts in the coming weeks. Our speakers for today are Vicky Kennedy and Susi Cherry. Vicky is with Guide Dogs for the Blind. Susi is a volunteer who raises puppies in her home up to the age when they can enter guide dog training. Ed Searby

**TODAYS SPEAKERS:
VICKY KENNEDY & SUSI CHERRY**

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Make Up Meeting locations in the area, **MON.** 12:15 Danville-Brass Door
TUES. 12:15 Moraga, Soda Center, **WED.** 12:00 Rossmoor Hillside Clubhouse
WED. 12:15 Orinda-community center, **FRI.** 7AM Lamorinda-Postino's

SCHEDULED GREETERS:

AUGUST 18	PAUL PARKHURST: SENIOR ACTIVE
AUGUST 25	WARREN RUPF: GOVERNMENT-LAW ENFORCEMENT
SEPTEMBER 1	BILL SHEPARD: SENIOR ACTIVE

BIRTHDAYS

ANNIVERSARIES WEDDING & CLUB

Bill Shepherd	8/20/2005
Eric de la Cerna	8/24/2005
Michael Henn	8/26/2005



Larry Blodgett	8/1/2005
Barry Toomajian	8/8/2005
Alan Mac	8/14/2005
Ed Stokes	8/14/2005
Jay Lifson	8/19/2005
Bob Shusta	8/20/2005
Daniel Baker	8/23/2005
Larry Duson	8/25/2005