

Rotations

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Meetings:
Thursdays 12:15 pm
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President Geoff began the meeting at 12:31pm

We had a visitor from Orinda.

Guests

Mike Heller had Kevin Healy as his guest from Next Energy

Amy Goodheart was at the meeting and she represents Town Hall Theatre

Jamie Patrick who was our guest speaker

Anna had Dino Riggio back for the third time. He is running for Lafayette City Council

Bob Shusta told us that Dino's 7 day notice was going out to the club





Amy Goodheart announced that Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde will be running through October 31st. She brought some tickets of raffle at today's meeting. She also invited anyone interested in becoming a celebrity bartender at one of the shows this year. Bring your material to advertise yourself, your business or your organization.

Geoff thanked all those that participated in the Oktoberfest at Bob Shusta's house and thanked Bob as well.

Some of the members still need to pay up for their raffle tickets from the golf tournament. A list of delinquent members was called off but Mike Heller said he had settled up already!

John Sherry had three announcements:

1. Reno Train Trip is on a weekend this year. Rooms are \$269 (corner rooms). To book a spot, please see John.
2. Permanent Stage – work should be OK'd to begin soon.
3. District Conference coming up in November.

Geoff – District Governor will be here next week.

Don Jenkins told us that matching funds have been approved for the Brail machines.

Jesse mentioned that Budd MacKenzie will be visiting us soon. We have donated \$3,000 towards the new school Budd is working on in Afghanistan.

Larry Blodgett announced the dedication of a bench in memory of Eddie Roodveldt, friend, Rotarian and Chamber member. The ceremony will be 4:00pm Wednesday, October 20, at Moraga Commons.

Geoff – alerted us that Dick Holt was having surgery today.

Mike Heller announced the sign ups for the Pancake Breakfast at the Res Run on Sunday, October 31st and the Movie in the Plaza on Saturday, October 30th at 7:00pm.

Fines

Larry Blodgett had Jay fined because he called Maurice –MO instead of Maurice in the weekly newsletter.

Anna – Happy dollars for daughter Jessica who is turning two and she will soon have a sibling
Mo L. – happy dollars for Jesse's daughter – in – law for her recent movies that have attracted much attention "Too Perfect"

Daniel Barnes gave a few happy dollars for Anna

Dan was still complaining about how few passes Acalanes Football Team is throwing, but they did improve including 5 passes for 138yds. To his grandson. His grandson also intercepted a pass. His granddaughter is playing on the championship volleyball team

Any Goodheart gave \$20 in honor of Geoff being such an active board member at THT

Geoff recognized Anna for bringing in 2 new members in the two months since she has been back with us

Geoff introduced Jamie Patrick our guest speaker

Jamie began swimming at the age of 7

Participated in iron man competitions ultra man contests and over 100 triathlons

Jamie has been very competitive over his lifetime. Last year he decided to try and become the first swimmer in history to swim the length of Lake Tahoe. He was able to accomplish this in 25:26. He had to spend two days in the hospital after the endurance swim. Officially he swam 44.2 miles but he actually swam over 48 miles with current, etc.

Next is Africa to Italy 88 miles in the summer of 2010.

An RN4 hand was donated in his name

Raffle: Chuck got \$2 and Bud L. got \$5.00

Rotary International News

Historic Moments: Friendship Trees

By Susan Hanf
 Rotary International News -- 14
 October 2010



Paul Harris plants a tree with members of the Rotary Club of Göteborg, Sweden, in 1932 in this silent video.

Rotarians have planted trees in the name of fellowship, friendship, and community service since the early 20th century. These trees, which can be found worldwide, have grown into enduring monuments of Rotary's ideals.

As president emeritus, Harris traveled extensively during the 1920s and 1930s, often accompanied by his wife Jean. During these trips, the nature-loving Harris planted trees to symbolize goodwill and friendship.

[read story.](#)

Other News:

The Four Way Test

Of the things we think, say or do:
 1. Is it the TRUTH?
 2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?
 3. Will it build GOODWILL and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?
 4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?

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Give Hope - Give A Hand

The Rotary Club of Lafayette donates an LN-4 Prosthetic Hand in the name of our speakers each week.

The LN-4 Prosthetic Hand transforms lives and empowers those who have lost hands and limbs due to land mines, birth defects, and other catastrophes.



Make Up Meetings

and locations of nearby clubs:
<http://rotary5160.org/clubs/where-clubs-meet/>

Club Calendar

Upcoming Speakers

10/21 DG Karl's visit
 10/28 Budd Mackenzie

Local & District Events

Rotary International Events

Birthdays

10/18 Troy Winkles

Anniversaries

Greeters

10/14 Larry Duson
 10/21 Bill Eames