

ROTARY CLUB OF SANTA CRUZ OFFICERS 2014 - 2015

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CLUB SERVICE - Martin Bernal

Attendance..... Tom Parker
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Classification Ian Mackenzie
Club Drawing Peter Huemer
Detective Hank Olson
Historian Marv Jensen
Invocations Jeanette Pagliaro
Membership Background Wally Dale
Membership Development Russ Hobbs
Red Badge Advisor..... Russ Hobbs
Music..... Michael Harrison
Photographer Bryan Williams
Public Relations.....Donna Maurillo & Tom Honig
Rotary Information J. Zenner, S. Bishop, G. Turgeon
We Care..... Jeanette Pagliaro
Web Master..... Ian Mackenzie
Song Master Jan Derecho
Fellowship / Greeter Peter Cook

SPECIAL EVENTS

Club Barbecue..... Sid Slatter & Wes Walker
Fundraiser Jim Weisenstein
Holiday Program..... Larry Fogelquist
Rotary Potluck Ian Mackenzie

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COMMUNITY SERVICE - Larry Wallerstein

Benevolence and Grants..... Aleene Althouse
Community Project Fred Gawlick & Larry Wallerstein
Second Harvest Food Bank..... Sharon Caiocca
Senior Citizens..... Jeanette Pagliaro
RotaCare John Mahaney
Salvation Army Bell Ringers Tom Reese

New Generations - Bosso, Clifton, M. Harrison & Kilian

Youth Activities / Boy & Girl Scouts..... Grant Dow
R.Y.L.A..... Larry Fogelquist
Interact..... Larry Fogelquist
Rotaract Elizabeth Clifton
Speech Contest..... Bob Bosso & Wally Dale
Club Youth Service Chair Elizabeth Clifton
Club Youth Protection Officer..... Jeanette Pagliaro

VOCATIONAL SERVICE - Janet Gluch

Club Directory Ian Mackenzie
Career Planning Kim Adamson
Magazine..... Janet Gluch
Academic Scholarships Dan Aldrich
Vocational Scholarships..... Michael Harrison

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE - Karen Beeson

World Community Service..... Karen Beeson
Rotary Foundation..... Janet Krassow
Sister City Coordinator Bill Schuette
Ambassadorial Scholarship Stephen Karon

ROTARY CLUB OF SANTA CRUZ ENDOWMENT

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ROTARY CLUB OF SANTA CRUZ COMMUNITY FUND

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ROTARY INTERNATIONAL OFFICERS 2014 - 2015

President..... Gary C.K. Haung
District Governor 5170 Ed Jellen
International Convention..... Sao Paulo, Brazil
Assistant Governor, Area 7 Cheryl Rebottaro

CLUBS OF SANTA CRUZ COUNTY

Scotts Valley Bruno's BBQ Mondays 12:15 PM
Santa Cruz Sunrise....De Lavega Golf Club..... Tuesdays 7:15 AM
Freedom Valley Heights Tuesdays 12:15 AM
San Lorenzo Valley....Mt. Hermon Con. Ctr. Wednesdays 7:15 AM
Watsonville Elks Club Wednesdays 12:15 PM
Capitola / Aptos Seascape Golf ClubThursdays 12:15 PM

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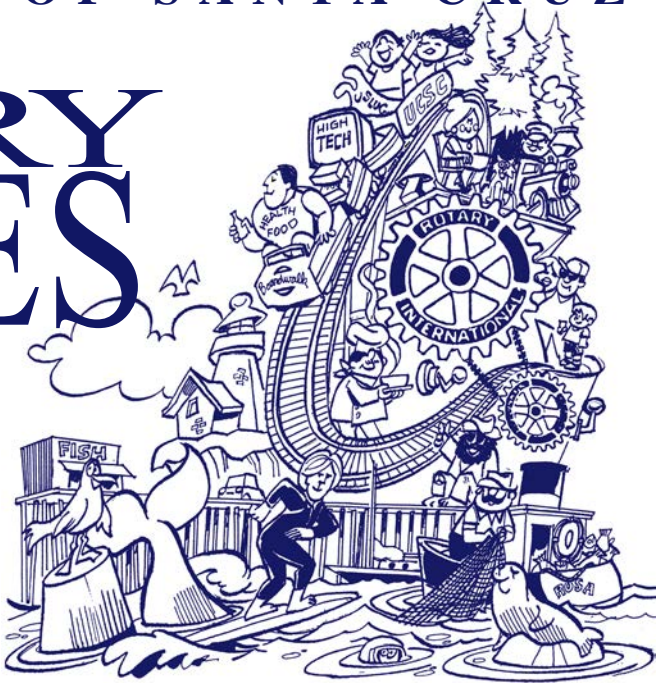
ROTARY SPOKES

P.O. Box 497 – Santa Cruz, CA 95061

Meets Friday at 12:15 p.m.

Santa Cruz Elks Lodge – 150 Jewell Street

Light Up Rotary



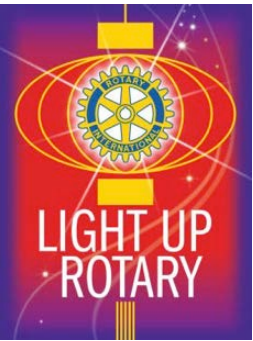
President - Donna Maurillo

Editor - Galham Zuanich

February 20, 2015

Todays Program

State of the Club



Programs - Colleen Harrison

Invocation: Matt Shelton

Detective: Jan Derecho

Meeting: It was Friday the 13th and some things went wrong. Our guest speaker canceled at the last minute. However as true Rotarians we pulled through. It was a meeting for Rotarians by Rotarians. We began with our all-Rotarian band strumming away and **Jan Derecho** checking our key to ensure proper tune with our Rotary song.

Invocation: Insurance agent/armchair psychologist **Aleene Althouse** delivered an uplifting message of hope. She reminded us that hope is the most powerful force in the world. If you have hope, you have everything. Consider this advice free, her normal rate is \$100 per hour.

Raffle: **Peter Dean** shows up to the meeting and wins. Peter has been to 3 meetings this year and has won 3 raffles. Thank you, **Jim Kelly**, for your donation to the Peter Dean Foundation.

Announcements: Get your friends and family out for a fun evening at our second annual Rotary Warriors night on 3/20. The \$25 tickets are selling fast. We have sold 92 tickets so far and each ticket comes with a glow in the dark T-shirt. Also mark your calendar for 4/25 for our annual fund raising event featuring the magic of rotary.

Detective: In true rotary style, **Drew Miller** began his detective report by

flattering fellow Rotarians on this preview to a Valentine's Day. He asked three of the most distinguished and handsome men to stand up: **Jim Weisenstein, David Heald, and Galaham Zuanich**. Then he flattered the Spokes editor by inferring he reads the newsletter cover to cover. Drew then dazzled us with his knowledge of fascinating Valentines facts. We learned that teachers get the most Valentine's Day cards. Also, Juliet, of Romeo and Juliet, gets over 1000 Valentine's Day letters. Finally, if you didn't make Valentine's Day plans, you are probably a man. Drew then asked a few members to share how they proposed to their spouse. **Bob Rittenhouse** worked for the boardwalk and was paid with a brass ring. Not knowing what to do with it, he handed it to a passerby and she accepted. 60 years later their story is still being written. **Jim Bargetto** did not propose to his wife, because he's Jim Bargetto and women propose to him. **Tom Canfield** did not have to propose to his wife because they're just having some fun under the Boardwalk. **Gerry Turgeon** is bad at proposing. That's why it's never worked out. **Linda Burroughs** proposed to John but the offer expired in 30 seconds. John is a smart man and didn't need that long. **Blaine Brokaw** asked his wife's parents to get approval. When they said yes, he asked if they could get out of the front seat so he may have a private

moment with their daughter. He was only 20 and didn't own a car. **Steve Karon** proposed to Susan who was 21 when he was 25. She lived in Tucson and he in LA, they met in San Diego and he asked her to marry him. She said no. Steve impressed her with a feat of strength and she's been hooked ever since. **Tom Honig** got married the first time by telling her he would give her his love. He got married the second time by telling her he would give her a house. He got married the third time by telling her that he would give her everything he owns. He gave her his shower caddy.

Program: An always prepared **Colleen Harrison** subbed in for our guest speaker who called in sick. Colleen is a disaster preparedness expert and reminded us on this pre Valentin day that nothing says I love you more than disaster preparation. She displayed a few essential items to keep around for emergencies. Then she asked fellow Rotarians to share disasters or close calls with us this Friday the 13th. Here are a few. Blaine told us of a time he nearly insured a burning building. **Bill Schuette**, a fireman, arrived just in time to give birth to a child. **Maurice Carrillo's** Life was saved by his mom's ability to control her car and her reaction to a black cat. **Fred Gawlick** got into a hit head on collision with a 92-year-old man and saved his life twice. **Annie Asche** likes

Friday the 13 because she had a tubular pregnancy that ruptured. Don't worry she survived. **Heather Stiles** went rollerskating with her husband and ended up in stitches. Donna opened a few stitches in Italy when she flashed a crowd while in a glass elevator. **Michael Harrison** avoided the great 1980 MGM Grand fire in Las Vegas. Soon after, he moved to Santa Cruz and was met with an earthquake. **Bruce Dunn** fashioned a member for a Hells Angels member who lost his member while lying with a member of the opposite sex. Another member got jealous and knocked the member out then severed the member in question. Bruce also remodels kitchens. While working on a remodel **Erik Dybdahl** avoided an electrical fire. We avoided near disaster when Erik avoided being silent.

CLUB CALENDAR		
Member Birthdays:		
2/25 Tom Reese		
2/26 Tom Foster		
Wedding Anniversaries		
2/18 Jim and Kathleen Bass	57	years
Club Anniversaries:		
2/26 Jim Bargetto	22	years
2/26 Bob Pensinger	11	years
2/26 Jim Weisenstein	11	years
Next week's meeting 2/27:		
Program: Guatemala Water Project		
Detective: Jim Bargetto		
Invocation: Sid Slater		
Drawing: Martin Bernal		