

ROTARY CLUB OF SANTA CRUZ OFFICERS 2018 - 2019

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CLUB SERVICE - Jill Stone

Attendance Jeanette Pagliaro
 Bulletin T. Castillo, C. Gonzalez, J. Dickinson, B. Brokaw
 Classification Ian Mackenzie
 Club Drawing Masi Bayless
 Detective Sid Slatter
 Historian Marv Jensen
 Invocations Annie Asche
 Membership Background Wally Dale
 Membership Development Aleene Althouse
 Red Badge Advisor.....Aleene Althouse
 Music..... Michael Harrison
 Photographer Donna Maurillo
 Public Relations..... Jill Stone
 Rotary Information Stephen Karon & Gary Reece
 We Care..... Jeanette Pagliaro
 Web Master..... Peter Huemer
 Song Master Jan Derecho
 Fellowship/Greeter Jill Stone & Chris Murphy

SPECIAL EVENTS

Club Barbecue Sid Slatter & Wes Walker
 Fundraiser Ross Condit
 Holiday Program..... Stoney Brook

ROTARY CLUB OF SANTA CRUZ COMMUNITY FUND

President Annie Asche
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COMMUNITY SERVICE - Jeanette Pagliaro

Benevolence and Grants..... Fred Gawlick
 Community Project Jeanette Pagliaro
 Senior Citizens..... Jeanette Pagliaro
 RotaCare Larry Fogelquist
 Salvation Army Bell Ringers Sam Bishop
 Parklet Project Manager Sid Slatter
 Beach Clean Up.....Donna Maurillo
 R.Y.L.A..... Molly Parks
 Interact..... Molly Parks & Kris Munro
 Rotaract Peter Cook
 Speech Contest..... B. Bosso & A. Schwartz
 Youth Exchange Maurice Carillo, Aleene Althouse
 Club Youth Service Chair Elizabeth Clifton-Doolin
 Club Youth Protection Officer..... Jeanette Pagliaro

VOCATIONAL SERVICE - Peter Dean

Club Directory Ian Mackenzie
 Career Planning Peter Dean
 Magazine Peter Dean
 Academic Scholarships Richard Beach
 Vocational Scholarships..... Michael Harrison

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE - Chris Murphy

World Community Service..... Chris Murphy
 Rotary Foundation..... Sid Slatter
 Sister City Coordinator Bill Schuette

ROTARY CLUB OF SANTA CRUZ ENDOWMENT

Chairman Linda Burroughs
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ROTARY INTERNATIONAL OFFICERS 2018 - 2019

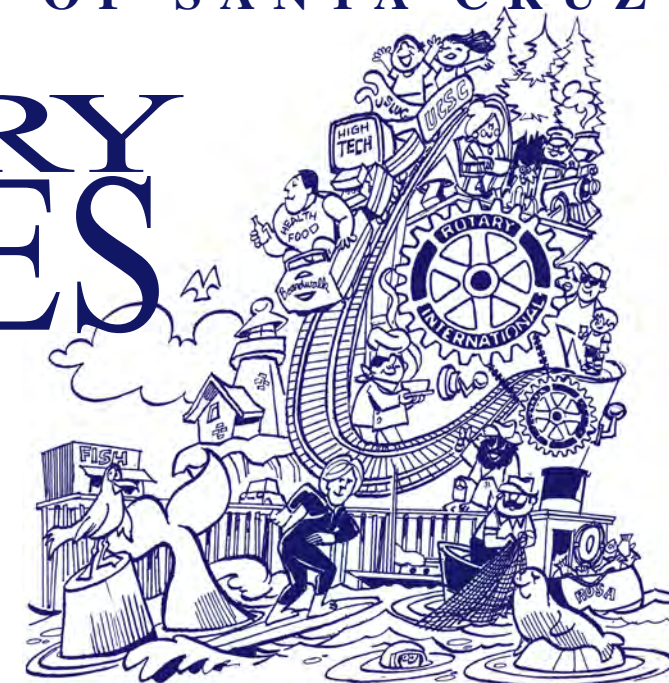
President..... Barry Rassin
 District Governor 5170 Timothy Lundell
 International Convention..... Hamburg, Germany
 Assistant Governor, Area 7 Karen McNamara

CLUBS OF SANTA CRUZ COUNTY

Scotts Valley..... Scotts Valley Hilton Mondays 12:15 PM
 Santa Cruz Sunrise... Back Nine Grill & Bar Tuesdays 7:15 AM
 Freedom..... Valley Heights..... Tuesdays 12:15 PM
 San Lorenzo Valley...Cosa Nostra Restaurant...Wednesdays 7:15 AM
 Ben Lomond
 Watsonville..... Elks Club.....Wednesdays 12:15 PM
 Capitola / Aptos..... Seascape Golf Club..... Thursdays 12:15 PM

ROTARY CLUB OF SANTA CRUZ

ROTARY SPOKES



P.O. Box 497 – Santa Cruz, CA 95061

Meets Friday at 12:15 p.m.

The Elks Lodge – 150 Jewel Street

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President - Wes Walker

Editor - John Dickinson

March 1, 2019

Today's Program

Bruce McPherson & Carlos Palacios

The County's First Strategic Plan

Santa Cruz County has developed its first-ever Strategic Plan. Supervisor McPherson and Administrator Palacios will tell us all about it.



Programs - Kris Munro

Invocation - Wally Dale

Detective - Michael Harrison

February 22nd Meeting Recap

INVOCATION: Stoney Brook quoted Albert Schweitzer: "There is no higher religion than human service. To work for the common good is the greatest creed." Further research showed that the words were in fact President Woodrow Wilson's, but they are very Rotarian in any case.

CLUB DRAWING: John Huffman won a snazzy bottle of wine and a gift certificate to Alderwood, the snazzy new restaurant in Santa Cruz, courtesy of the very snazzy Kevin Dempsey.



DETECTIVE REPORT: Mike Allard ran an auction-style garage sale where Chris Murphy paid \$20 for an ancient, unused popcorn maker, Wally Walker paid \$15 for an unused pair of size 10 Nikes, then Peter dean bought a \$5 pair of Four Seasons slippers and added them to Wally's pile. Guest speaker Matt Wetstein paid \$5 for a coin jar containing an unknown amount of money.

Bidding was quite lively for a "mystery" pin designed by the late Kate Spade, and Molly Parks won the coveted item for \$20. Another mystery was an envelope bought by Blaine Brokaw for \$10 while the very lucky Donna Maurillo scored a \$10 scented candle. Mike has signed up for the same time slot next year so he can clean out his garage again.

Cabrillo College Update

Matt Wetstein's first year as President of Cabrillo College has been a productive one, and he presented a huge array of statistics and facts describing successes that ranged from a record number of graduations to a record \$4 million year for the Cabrillo Foundation.



His data made it clear that the college serves the Santa Cruz area well, with a large proportion of graduating high school seniors going on to Cabrillo, and a goodly number of graduates transferring into UCSC.

Education reforms at the school are expected to enhance the progress, including a program that lets all incoming students start English and math classes at the college level. Previously students had to take qualifying exams, which did not encourage students.



Students have many successes to their credit, and so do faculty members. Robotics engineering students placed in the quarter finals of the NASA Swarmathon contest, 100% of the dental hygiene students passed the licensing exam, and the college itself received a technical education award for a high rate of placing students in living wage jobs.

Choral Director Cheryl Anderson was awarded Santa Cruz Artist of the year by the Arts Council, and producer/director John Nordgren continues to entertain sellout audiences at Cabrillo Stage.



Funding, always an issue these days, has been changed by the state in ways not especially favorable to Cabrillo. The new programs tend to over-fund rural colleges that have mostly young, underprivileged students, and underfund more urban colleges that have significant populations of adult students. Matt is working hard to get the state programs modified so Cabrillo can continue to provide quality education to high school graduates and adult students alike.

Other new state programs give high school graduates free tuition for one year at Cabrillo and other state colleges. Governor Newsome trying to expand that to two years.

Coming Rotary Events

March 8th Meeting

Speaker: Red Badger Ken Morse
Water Warrior Jim Zenner
Invocation: Debbie McCarroll
Raffle: Esther Lauer
Detective: Molly Parks

March 15th Rotary Warriors Night

March 19th Rotary Social
Annie Asche's Home

April 4th Rotary Social
Jeanette Pagliaro's Home

May 4th Kentucky Derby Fundraiser
Ross Condit's Home

June 29th Rotary Rumble
Santa Cruz Derby Girls

Birthdays

03/03 – Bob Ciapponi
03/03 – Jim Courtright
03/04 – Annie Asche
03/06 -- Russ Hobbs
03/13 – Tom Canfield
03/14 – Duf Fischer
03/21 – Dan Seftel
03/22 – Sam Bishop

Club Anniversaries

03/03 – Jim Kelly	23 years
03/11 – Blaine Brokaw	31 years
03/13 – Carol Lezin	11 years
03/15 – Michelle Anderson	15 years
03/17 – Dan Seftel	58 years
03/20 – George Galluci	27 years
03/23 – Sharon Caiocca	12 years
03/23 – Max Wilson	12 years
03/30 – Wally Dale	40 years

Wedding Anniversaries

03/17 – Val Macken	29 years
03/21 – Linda Burroughs	26 years
03/21 – John Burroughs	26 years
03/22 – Tom Canfield	22 years