

ROTARY CLUB OF SANTA CRUZ OFFICERS 2020 - 2021

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Attendance M. Bayless, S. Madsen, J. Gluch, J. Davis
 BulletinB. Brokaw, G. Zuaunich, S. Caiocca, S. Madsen
 Classification Ian Mackenzie
 Club DrawingHeather Gorley
 Detective Chris Murphy
 Historian Marv Jensen
 Invocations Ceil Cirillo
 Membership Background Erik Dybdahl
 Membership Development Gary Reece
 Red Badge Advisor..... Tom Castillo
 Music..... Michael Harrison & Sam Bishop
 Photographer Donna Maurillo
 Public Relations..... Jill Stone
 Rotary Information Stephen Karon & Gary Reece
 We Care.....Janet Krassow
 Web Master..... Peter Huemer
 Song Master Jan Derecho
 Fellowship/Greeter Jill Stone / Michele Costa

SPECIAL EVENTS

Club BarbecueJohn Burroughs
 Fundraiser Jeanette Pagliaro
 Holiday Program..... John Burroughs

ROTARY CLUB OF SANTA CRUZ COMMUNITY FUND

President Wes Walker
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COMMUNITY SERVICE - Masi Bayless

Benevolence and Grants..... Fred Gawlick
 Community Project Masi Bayless
 Senior Citizens..... Jeanette Pagliaro
 RotaCare Larry Fogelquist
 Salvation Army Bell Ringers Sam Bishop
 Parklet Project Manager Masi Bayless
 Beach Clean Up..... Donna Maurillo
 Avenues of Flags Chris Murphy
 R.Y.L.A..... Molly Parks
 Interact..... Molly Parks & Kris Munro
 Rotaract Peter Cook
 Speech Contest.....Peter Dean
 Club Youth Service Chair.....Elizabeth Clifton-Doolin
 Club Youth Protection Officer.....Aleene Althouse

VOCATIONAL SERVICE - Cristian Gonzalez

Club Directory Ian Mackenzie
 Career Planning Cristian Gonzalez
 Magazine Cristian Gonzalez
 Academic Scholarships Richard Beach
 Vocational Scholarships..... Michael Harrison

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE - Gary Reece

World Community Service..... Gary Reece
 Rotary Foundation..... Annie Asche
 Youth Exchange David Terrazas
 Sister City Coordinator David Terrazas

ROTARY CLUB OF SANTA CRUZ ENDOWMENT

Chairman Linda Burroughs
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 Treasurer Ian Mackenzie

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL OFFICERS 2020 - 2021

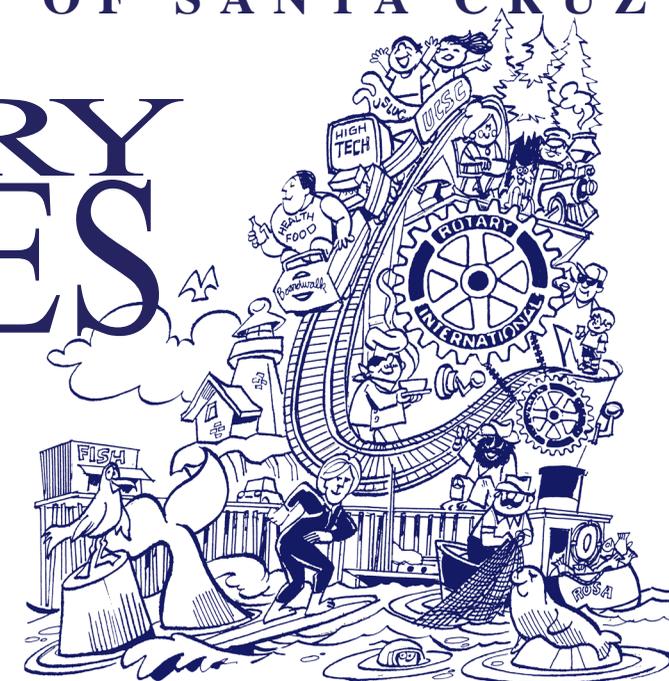
President..... Holger Knaack
 District Governor 5170 Gregg Giusiana
 International Convention..... Taipei
 Assistant Governor, Area 7 Camilla Boolootian

CLUBS OF SANTA CRUZ COUNTY

Scotts Valley.....Four Points by Sheraton... Mondays 12:15 PM
 Santa Cruz Sunrise...DeLavega Golf Coarse Tuesdays 7:15 AM
 Freedom SC Fair GroundsTuesdays 12:15 PM
 San Lorenzo Valley...Cosa Nostra Restaurant...Wednesdays 7:15 AM
 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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June 4, 2021

President - Bob Bosso

Editor - Sarah Madsen

*Santa Cruz & Monterey Walk to End Alzheimer's
 Alzheimer's Association
 Northern California & Northern Nevada*

Gabrielle DiMariano

Getting Connected: Programs, Services and How You Can Help

Programs - Jill Stone

Invocaton: Ralph Miljanich

Detective: Jill Stone

Rotary Spokes 5/28/21

Meeting started with an amazing lunch by Mickey! Jim Weisenstein proclaimed it was all of his favorite foods: ribs, chili, mac-n-cheese, salad, fresh fruit. YUM!

President Bob Bosso called the meeting to order. Michael Harrison and Sam Bishop led the group in, "God Bless America." Wally Walker led the Welcome Song with the help of Michael and Sam.

Invocation - Gary Reese

Stoney Brook was walking through the forest... then there was a grizzly bear... he ran as fast as he could... looked over, the bear was closer. And then he tripped and fell, caught by bear.

Stoney cried, "oh my God." Then... time stopped, bear froze, and a light out of the sky grew bright. A big voice said, "You claim to be a Christian and yet you gather with sinners every Friday at noon, why should I help you?" Stoney looked into the light and responded, "You might be right, but maybe you can make the bear a Christian." The light went away, the bear unfroze. The bear then brought his paws together and spoke, "Lord... bless this food I am about to receive..."

Visiting Rotarians

Constantine!

Guests

Phil Dundas

Announcements

Have old club photos? Donna Maurillo is putting together the 100th Anniversary Yearbook for our club. Contact Donna for details.

Community Toolshed! Donate tools June 4 at the Elk's with a drive-by drop off to Bob Ciapponi or drop off at ACE Hardware. Donations help our local community rebuild after the CZU Lightening Complex fire.

Bob Bosso had a Rotary scholarship recipient from a few years ago contact him and ask if she can shadow him at work for a day. She said she is so grateful for the scholarship she received from our club.

Detective - Aleene "Ace" Althouse

\$\$ Happy Dollars \$\$

Heather G. – Celebrating 38 year wedding anniversary today

Annie A. – She is cancer free and doesn't need Chemo! Her donation will go to the Rotary Foundation as we're still short of this year's goal.

Richard B. - His son and fiancé just moved back to Santa Cruz, they finally saw the light

Wes W. - Matched Annie's donation

John B. – Linda & I love you Annie!!

Donation for the Foundation.

Ceil C. – also donated in honor of Annie

David T. – also donated in honor of Annie

Stoney B. - also to the cause so we make our goal. And don't forget Monday is Memorial Day.

Ceil C. – gave for Stoney and all that he does for others

What have you never done before during COVID?

Linda Burroughs – made 400 masks

Sam Bishop – Did not go fishing

Donna Maurillo – binged Metropolitan opera productions (and Cheers, Mary Tyler More and now it's the Gilmore Girls)

Bob Bosso – never had worn shorts to work, but it happened during COVID – suit and jacket on top, shorts on the bottom

Wally Dale – staying in pajamas until 10am in the morning... but Bruce Dunn has stayed in them later. Talking to himself more than in the past.

Gary Reece – showing up early by a day or two weeks to events... thinking it was a different day

Duf Fischer – We decided that we could drink before five

Jill Stone – became an assistant barber... helping Andy with his haircuts.

Program - Stoney Brook

"My favorite journey is a journey which you walk alone but at the same time you know somebody is waiting for you at the end. It's a perfect journey..." - Ai Weiwei, Chinese Artist and Activist

Stoney is no stranger to long walks, having done the Camino de Santiago in 2014 (500 miles in 30 days) and Journey for Change in 2015. He was told by his doctor he could not do Florence to Rome, but he could do Assisi to Rome, so that's what he did. In May of 2018 he set out on a 14 day pilgrimage with a guide book (by Rev Sandy Brown, whose name he took in vein more than once on his journey), two hotel reservations, and a 22lb backpack.

For the entire route was just Stoney; no companion or partner. He had exactly 5 conversations with English-speakers while he was in Italy. And while his Italian was bad, he knew how to say "Good morning," "Please," and "Thank you," which will get

At one point Stoney experience heat exhaustion and was lost and hungry. He was 2 miles off course and a total stranger who did not speak English, drove Stoney to his hotel. At another point he was caught in a torrential rain and asked a shopkeeper if she knew where there was a hotel he could use. She walked him to a nearby hotel. These two stories are examples of what Stoney says were angels and Saints that God put in his path and helped provide everything he needed.

Stoney advised that while guide books are fairly reliable, you do become comfortable with "being lost" and the beauty of walking. We often miss the signs from other people, but Stoney takes them as an opportunity to check out other paths/people and discover new things.

Being a sweaty and raggedy backpacker made Stoney realize he might have appeared to some as a transient. It taught him how some of those who live unsheltered must feel at times.

This trip challenged him physically, emotionally, intellectually and spiritually. At the end of it he felt this great sense that he was still in the game of life.

Club Calendar

Birthdays:

6/3 Larry Wallerstein

6/4 John Huffman

Club Anniversaries:

6/1 Jeanette Pagliaro - 12 yrs

6/1 Lawrence Wolfsen- 32 yrs

6/1 John Ritchey III - 48 yrs

Wedding Anniversaries:

6/2 Stephen & Susan Karon - 47 yrs

6/2 Martin & Martha Bernal - 31 yrs

6/3 Gerry & Shelly Turgeon - 4 yrs