



ROTARY SPOKES

Rotary Club of Santa Cruz
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Lost Restaurants of Santa Cruz

President: **Bob Bosso**
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Invocation: **Ceil Cirillo**
Detective: **Annie Asche**



Last Week’s Meeting:

President Bob opened the meeting with an invocation from Jill Stone who reminded us to care for one another and to make a commitment of contacting a friend by phone or video chat to catch up and encourage him/her as we all try to stay safe and sane. We had one guest, Al Smith came along with Annie Asche. Jeanette Pagliaro gave an update on club surveys. We’ve received 54 and there is more time to send yours in, so contact Jeanette if you want to participate. I did mine this week and it only took 10 minutes or so to complete (Jeanette@santacruzrotary.com). Donna reported on the good work of the beach clean-up crew. Contact Donna for info if you want to help.

Detective:

Sam Bishop served as detective and gave a really great “Rusty Badge” presentation. He collected happy dollars and fined a few folks here and there. The main theme of his program was really about his history moving to Santa Cruz after serving in the military. His photos are posted on our website, so check it out. Sam’s report was really great, and it was fun seeing the evolution of mobile phones. My favorite photo was the car phone with the rotary dial feature (awesome!). The only scary part of the report was Sam’s warning about all the hacking, phishing and other online threats constantly attacking our accounts. Great job Sam.

Program:

Gary Griggs was the program and his program can also be seen on our website. I really encourage you to go see the slide show Gary put together. There are all kinds of historic photos from around Santa Cruz and the Central Coast. He went into the history of natural disasters that have befallen our area and California in general. There were photos of quakes, floods, landslides, El Ninos, fault lines and all kinds of stats to go along. Gary commands the room with his knowledge, smooth delivery and very interesting topics. It was really a great presentation. Thank you to Deval Thacker for setting up the programs for this quarter!

Next Week’s Program: Cesar Molina

Detective: Thornton Kontz

Invocation: Kasey Hinchman



Blaine & Emma on
An evening bike ride
Along Westcliff Dr.



Blaine and Kelly
On another Ride

Send me your photo if you’ve got a fun activity you’re enjoying lately to keep the fun alive.

Heard around the Club: “Share your Screen” “unmute” “can you hear me?”

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