

ROTARY CLUB OF SANTA CRUZ OFFICERS 2014 - 2015

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CLUB SERVICE - Martin Bernal

Attendance..... Tom Parker
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Club Drawing..... Peter Huemer
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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

Light Up Rotary

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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

Chairman Linda Burroughs
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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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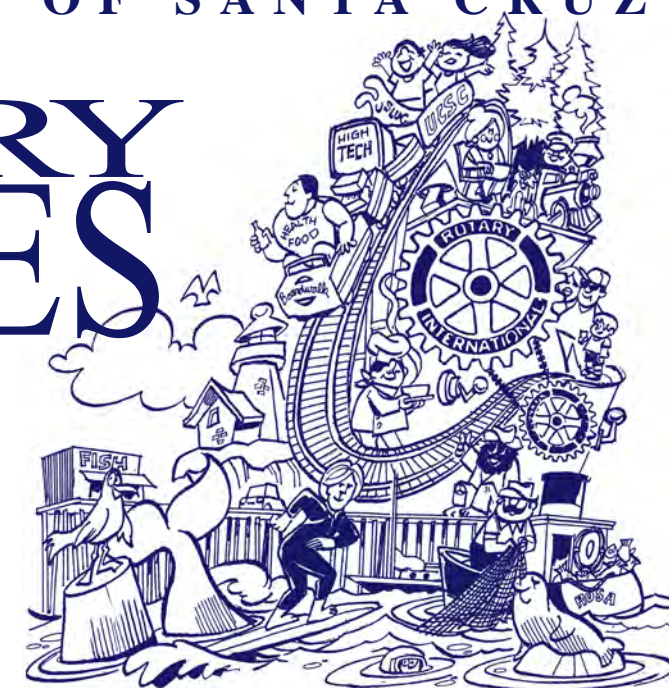
ROTARY SPOKES

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 - Ross Condit

December 19, 2014

Today's Program

CHERYL ANDERSON – CABRILLO COLLEGE CHOIR DIRECTOR



Ms. Anderson is the CHOIR DIRECTOR at CABRILLO COLLEGE. Today she will lead a Cabrillo Ensemble in what will be a most memorable Christmas Program for us. She is the Founder / Director of Cabrillo Youth Chorus Project, Cabrillo Opera, Voice Master Class and Renaissance Consort. She has also taught at Transylvania University, Colorado State University, U. of Northern Colorado and UCSC

Programs - Larry Fogelquist

Invocation: Larry Fogelquist

Detective: Linda Burroughs

A Message from President Donna:



Dear Rotarians,

Wow! I was so impressed by your generosity with the Homeless Services collection last Friday.

When I dropped off the goods, they couldn't believe their good fortune. Thanks especially to *Cynthia Killian* for bringing in three big bags of household items and clothing. I cannot wait to deliver the cash contribution, too!

That is why I love this club so much. You are so eager to be generous.

Love to you all ...
President Donna

Meeting:

We had a full agenda last Friday without a minute to spare. President Donna started the meeting early and still have to defer the Rusty Badge speech of *Gary Reece* for another week.

We have 13 guests and good Rotarian turnout for a total attendance of 77 people.

Tom Reese donated the raffle prize which *Angelo DeBernardo* won. It was a very generous gift certificate to Café Cruz.

John Burroughs introduced Karen Delaney, the recipient of our non-Rotarian Paul Harris Fellowship Grant. Ms. Delaney is very active in our community and has run the Volunteer Center of Santa Cruz for about 30 years.



We collected \$400 in cash for the Homeless Services Center. Our club will match that dollar for dollar for a total gift of \$800 (thus far). Donna delivered the gift to the nameless man pictured above.



John Huffman announced we collected \$17,895 for the Rotary International Foundation. This was 118% of our goal!

Tom Parker dazzled us with a detective report of useless trivia and thought provoking jokes. Well maybe not totally useless for we did learn that Tom and *Larry Wallerstein* both have dogs named Roxie. Additionally we know why Santa's Elves have low Elf-esteem.

Program:



LARRY'S Last introduction went well. He wore a festive bow-tie, kackie pants and a coordinated shirt. Catch his fashion blog on Instagram!

Dr. Bernick and four undergraduate research students from UCSC presented an interesting program on SYNTHETIC BIOLOGY. Basically, this is the science of shortening the carbon cycle.

We learned a lot about power, power demand and the possibilities of our future with alternative fuels.

Consider these little nuggets of wisdom:

- The SUN is the source of all energy.
- We don't generate energy we "package it"
- CARBON CYCLING is reducing the time for carbon to come into the and leave the atmosphere.
- Carbon Cycle needs to be five years or less.
- We must package energy that is carbon neutral.
- All plant cells contain cellulose – cellulose breaks down into glucose and glucose can be fermented, thus creating fuel.
- We need to create fuel from any plant material that is in the waste stream.

Quote of the week:

Aren't we forgetting the true meaning of this day - the birth of Santa?
...Bart Simpson

New Year's Resolutions:

Actually work from home on my telecommuting days. Donna Maurillo

I'll try to be more assertive if it's okay with everyone else. Sharon Caioca

I'll try to stop thinking about that yoga instructor at my gym. Sid Slatter

CLUB CALENDAR

Member Birthdays:

Dec 21 John Burroughs
Dec 25 Cynthia Killian
Dec 30 Larry Wolfsen
Dec 31 Soosan Rigi

Wedding Anniversaries:

Dec 19 Bob Pensinger 61 years
Dec 28 Tom Reese 53 years

Club Anniversaries:

Dec 20 Donna Maurillo 23 years

Detective:

Dec 19 Linda Burroughs

Invocations:

Dec 19 LARRY

Drawing Gift:

Dec 19 Gerry Turgeon

Upcoming Programs:

Dec 26 DARK