



Napa Sunrise Newsletter

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Events

[Evening at Monticello](#)

August 24

Speakers

Jul 25 - Chiropractors in Peru (making a film)

Aug 1 - Kathy Hoffman/Mike Glancy, Habitat for Humanity

Aug 8 - Guinn Massey from Arkansas, Rotary 4 Way Test

Birthdays

Greg A. Bennett

July 24

Jay Hull

July 31

Club Leaders

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Denny Mosher

Rotary Foundation Chair

Mike Basayne

Sergeant-at-Arms

Michael Alan Murray

Membership Chair

Kent Imrie

Club Director, Vocational Service Chair

Todd Walker

Past President

Inside This Issue

No stories found.

July 18, 2013

Written by Merlin Knechtel

As I enter our meeting room, and position my Badge, I say to Leona, "super-size me". That'll get you six tickets for the day's drawing for only five dollars. Well worth it to get a leg up on life.

Todd Walker, Past Prez, stands at the dais for The Sun God today. . . rumor has it that J C is in Europe doing make-ups, and will be back standing tall in two weeks.

Matt Salsman intoned The Pledge and then, prodded by threats of a fine, came up with a thought for the day: "Like what you have and you'll always be happy". This ode to self-acceptance satisfies the Viceroy and the fine is withdrawn. With true Operetic* fervor, Tom Feutz led us in "America The Beautiful". No one does it like Tom.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

We are reminded that Cathy Dickey is undergoing surgery on her back at Queen of The Valley Hospital at this very hour, as we meet. Our courage, strength and Prayers reach out to you, Cathy. There is much Love for you here. Speedy recovery. We look forward to seeing you real soon!

Mike Basayne now appointed our Sergeant-at-Arms.

Al Bahn will present a course on Cyber-Crime Safety to the California School Employees Association July 29th to Aug 1st. Interesting. See Al for details.

Brian Kelly will manage our Paul Harris and Polio-Plus efforts as Head of the Sunrise Rotary Foundation. Denny Mosher carried the ball for the past 3 years. Chris Craiker is preparing a celebratory dinner for 8 people as a silent auction prize offered at the EAM on August 24th. If you enjoy barbecue this is it. He's The Man!

ONLY FAMILY... NO GUESTS TODAY

Mike Ledwich sees lots of excitement building over EAM Sponsorships. \$13,000 in Corp. Sponsor guarantees so far and growing daily. Mike is booking two raffle prizes of a week in Hawaii, including a trip in a real submarine. Lots of possibilities. See Mike for details.

Matt announces that his son has become expert at panning for gold. And that the boy recently made \$30 profit from his hard work. Matt generously offers 10% of that to the Club on behalf his son. (Likely a future Rotarian). It was unclear to your Scribe what happened next. But, following some repartee and innocent banter, the Viceroy at the dais ended up with all the money, the full \$30 bucks. (It's hard to upstage a past Prez who is also a seasoned fund-raiser.) Just then a SECOND table earned a \$5 fine all around for T O T. (Talking Over Todd).

Denny Mosher holds the winning ticket at the draw, but couldn't find the Joker. Maybe next time.

Mark Diekroetger , on the path to retirement and feeling the success of selling the Bookkeeping portion of his business, has \$100 for Pathway Home. Mark will still be available for some taxes, part time.

Scott Young steps up with \$25 to mark the success of his wife as a recent graduate of Medical School. We're all proud with you, Scott.

Our peripatetic Leona brings a flag and a make-up from the enchanted Pacific Islands. Leona used to be an officer of the Bank of Hawai'i. (Who sez you can't go home again?) She is wearing both a tan and a smile.

Mark introduces our Speaker, Ms. Laura Moss, Regional Director of the American Cancer Society. We learned that the Society has raised over \$3 Billion since it's inception 100 years ago, to fund palliative care at first and then research and prevention since 1945. Three Cancer Society researchers are Nobel Prize recipients. Laura noted that research points to life-style, notably waist-size, as critical in preventing and curing cancer. Your Scribe noticed a half-dozen Members distancing themselves from the Hormel and the home-fries. More power to them !

(Of course Don't Smoke, Duh.) Relay For Life takes place in Napa on July 27, at Napa College. 11am to 3pm. Contact Laura at laura.moss@cancer.org or 707) 291-7832.

Just as the meeting was adjourned Don Andrews announced that his table, still simmering over the \$5 fines all 'round for talking, would hold a brief meeting to discuss ways to recall Todd's Past President pin. With that the Second Sunrise meeting in the year of J C was over.

Just remember that next Thursday Mr Walker still officiates, DON'T TOT !

* There is no evidence that this word appears in the Random House Dictionary, Whatever. You know what the Scribe means.