



# Napa Sunrise Rotary Bulletin

<http://www.rotary5130.org>

## Events

### July 2014

07/31 - Mtg for 9/11 Day of Remembrance

### August 2014

08/05 - The Table

08/06 - Board Meeting

08/14 - Mtg for 9/11 Day of Remembrance

08/21 - Pathway Home BBQ

08/28 - Mtg for 9/11 Day of Remembrance

### September 2014

09/03 - Board Meeting

09/20 - Evening at Monticello

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## Upcoming Speakers

### 7-31-14

Doris Duncan

Sonoma County Wild Life Rescue - Born Free (sort of)

### 8-7-14

Debby Wheeler - Rotary Webpages 101

### 8-14-14

Sal Alvarez - Napa Victim witness Services

### 8-21-14

Marci Atkison

Aldea Children and Family Services

### 8-28-14

Patricia Sklar - Larry Sharp will introduce

### 9-4-14

Alfred Pedroza - Born in the Barrio (Napa Style)

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## Club Leaders

[Mark Foxworthy](#)

President

[Hugh Linn](#)

President-Elect

[Frank Thomas Feutz](#)

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International Service Chair

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iPast President

## Birthdays

## Jul 24 2014

### Submitted by Charlie Bogue

**Welcome:** President Mark welcomed the group to breakfast in the Member's Clubhouse on another beautiful summer day in the Napa Valley.

**Pledge & Thought:** Ex Sergeant-at-Arms Mike Basayne lead the group in pledge to our flag and several thoughts and advice for our District Governor as we began the day. Among them, "always remember to drink up stream" and "sacred cows make great hamburger".

**Song:** In welcome to our District Governor Kevin Eisenberg, Tom Feutz led a lingering version of "we hope you won't forget us".

**Visiting Rotarians:** Stand in Sergeant-at-Arms Mike Basayne announced visiting Fairfield Rotarian L.

**Guests of Rotarians:** Mike Murray and the group welcomed guest Scott Hueun.

**Announcements:** With August near, Cathy Dickey announced the upcoming **Student of the Month** program and the request for sponsors. We will start at the end of September and 21 member sponsors will be needed for the recognitions. She made it sound easy as all will be done and you just show up and present the awards, cash and appreciation of the student. The sign up was passed so sign or call Cathy.

President Mark announced that he has met with other valley wide Rotary presidents and was looking to do a joint project. With five clubs participating the suggested recipient would be **The Vine Trail** and more detail will follow.

He made a request also that the **Napa Valley College Rotaract** co-presidents were looking for assistance and direction from our members to get the club moving and membership growing. Anyone willing help should contact President Mark.

Also referenced from our President was the segment of membership that comes from our **"Under Forty"** who are organizing on a national level and seeking individuals at this level to represent this age bracket at upcoming events. See Mark if you qualify and have interest.

Rumored that Napa noon is on a similar "over eighty" contingent..... it was announced that the last Wednesday board meeting and **Social for District Governor** at the Beazley House was without incident and well attended. Thanks was expressed to Jim Beazley and to Jose Rossi for hosting and organizing the event.

**Happy Dollars:** **Peter Mott** was \$20 happy that his daughter Maddie placed 13th in the hammer throw at the Texas Track and Field competition.

Jay Hull  
July 31  
Lenore Hirsch  
August 05  
Raymond F. Sercu  
August 07  
Todd Walker  
August 10  
Iris Barrie  
August 14  
Alexander J Myers  
August 16  
Rose Sheehan  
August 23  
George Lambrix  
August 24  
Ron Driscoll  
August 25  
Debby Wheeler  
August 25  
Harold Moskowitz  
August 26

You remember **John Cordiero**, our past president, who returned from 10 days in Mexico looking tan and relaxed after his post presidency sabbatical

As did **Jim Beazley** looked relaxed after his first in a long time 10 day trip to Colorado.

Followed **Matt Salsman** who had a "plethora" of things to be happy about. Among them a holiday to Sweden and Norway and a questionable performance at the recent Napa Valley Country Club golf tournament where his car keys became lost in his locked up bag. What ever happened George Nielson received \$25 donation from the result.

**Lenore Hirsch** was \$100 happy for a trip to Europe and Nicaragua and added to her Brother Herbert's foundation.

**Tom Feutz** was happy to give \$70 happy dollars to Pathway Home after wife Linda won her 7th Homemaker of the Year prize at The Town and Country Fair.

George Nielson rewarded Mitch Johnson for the great tournament he ran at Napa Valley Country Club rewarding Pathway Home with a \$50 donation.

**Al Bahn** was back after travels and Police Day and \$100 to wife Mary Lou's Paul Harris.

**Ken Lydon** was lamenting that early next year he will be married to a grandmother which does sound a little odd. For clarity, not his grandmother. Excited a grandchild is on the way.

And **Mark Luce** fessed up that he bought a new family taxi to pack around his children and grandchildren always in increasing numbers.

**Paul Harris Pin Awards:** Called to the podium to receive recognition for their multiple Paul Harris Fellow donations were Joel Tranmer, Joe Fischer, Denny Mosher, Mike Allen Murray and Lenore Hirsch. Our District Governor did the formal pinning and reminded the membership that it was not just the \$1000 that was being recognized but it was all of the good the money can accomplish around the world as his example of \$1000 can assure 600 children of being polio free.

### **Speaker Program: District Governor Kevin Eisenberg**

Jim Reilly, Past President of Napa Noon Rotary, introduced for the 3rd time in 24 hours our District Governor of District 5130, Kevin Eisenberg from Calistoga Rotary. A UCLA graduate, Jim was here with his wife of 35 years Mary, to share some Rotarian words of wisdom. He is an avid cyclist and they have two grown children. Interesting to note on the district website [www.rotary5130.com](http://www.rotary5130.com) that we are club visit number 2 of the 43 clubs Kevin will be speaking to between now and mid October. Last Wednesday, when meeting with our board before the social, Kevin learned more of our orientation program for new members and looked forward to carrying our process to other clubs.

He gave a history lesson on "Rotarian Singing" referencing its first use to sound over an inappropriate joke or comment, something we might consider for the future. He gave background to this year's theme of "Light Up Rotary" that was not the North Coast reference we suspected. Rotary

International President 2014-15 Gary Huang from Taiwan drew upon Confucius who said, "It is better to light up a single candle, than to sit and curse the darkness". Citing 35,000 clubs and 1.2 million members around the world in 227 countries we create and have the opportunity to create a lot of light by doing good. Kevin made the challenge that we enhance the Rotary brand by being proud and making known that we are an organization that "gets things done". As well, we have a code of ethics under which we operate that would exceed many other organizations and companies in the private sector. He encouraged us to be more effective in spreading the word about "who we are" and "what we do" and in this way more would contribute to Rotary and want to become members. His next challenge, an easy one for Napa Sunrise, is to "have fun" in the process of doing what we do. To more than just create light but to also "lighten up" as we work together in making the world a better place.

From the International theme Kevin had a spin of his own and similar message for the clubs of 5130: The Pride and Joy of Rotary. Complete with photo prop of a bottle of Pride and Joy, he is suggesting that we "deserve" to be proud of our Rotarian accomplishments and that we take "joy" in what we do and the satisfaction that comes from helping those in need locally, nationally and around the world. Defining the Rotarian, Kevin identified someone who believes, who acts, who participates and leads in all aspects of their lives be it personal or professional. Confirming that we are under marketing our brand he polled to find that 50% of us were wearing our pins that morning and therefore miss the opportunity to show ourselves to others and invite conversation about what is that?, what do you do? And possibly the question how can I become a part of that, reminding us that as Rotarians we are always representing Rotary.



The District Governor also gave an overview on the 6 areas of need where the Rotary Foundation places its resources and activity. Founded 12 years after Rotary itself, the Foundation had \$5,739 in 1928 and \$73,000,000 in 2000 to meet the needs of its activities in the following areas:

1. Disease Prevention
2. Water and Sanitation
3. Maternal and Child Health
4. Education and Literacy
5. Economic Independence and Sustainability
6. Peace and Conflict Resolution

Kevin cited some of his personal experiences doing service in these areas around the world. He spoke of how much has been accomplished at so many different levels and how much more is to be done. To point, he noted that Polio has been eradicated in India and without the political and military interference Nigeria and Pakistan could well be free by 2018 or 2019.

In a "save the date" plug, Kevin invited all members to join at the Tenaya Lodge at Yosemite next year on April 24,25 and 26 for the Rotary 5130 Conference. A flyer was provided with reservation contact at [www.tenayalodge.com](http://www.tenayalodge.com) or you can contact Barry Thompson who will no doubt have all the information you need. He closed the talk thank us for the visit and encouraging us to be proud of Rotary, a find joy in our accomplishments and share this opportunities with others.

### **Concluding Breakfast:**

President Mark thanked the Governor and his wife for coming and wished us all a successful and joyful week.

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