

District 5150
Chartered April 22, 1946

Greetings Susan Howell,

WOW! What a great District Conference! Ok it certainly did not hurt that I shared third place in Poker with Stephanie Schmautz and our club collected SIX club awards. A tad cold, a tad windy and a bit of fog outside but incredibly warm and toasty inside with a whole bunch of folks intent on doing good works in the world.

This Week - High Speed Rail Authority

Tomorrow we will hear from **Ben Tripousis** from the High Speed Rail Authority about what is happening with that big policitical hot potato. Mr. Tripousis was appointed in August 2012 to get this project and a train going somewhere. Let's see where that is these days!

Next Week - Amber's House for Tri-Tip!

Next week we will abandon the Old Spaghetti Factory for home cooking over at one of our newest member's houses. How cool is that? AWESOME I say. We will have quite the spread and learn about the benefits of soccer for young girls in sports! Yep, there even is a program!

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Other News!

Host a Youth Exchange Student for Just TWO WEEKS in JUNE!

Our Exchange Student Vittoria Farneze desperately needs a host family in the Sequoia High School District for her last two weeks here, starting June 13th or so. Hopefully a club member or someone they know can take her in. We really don't want to have to send her back to Brazil early. All we need is one member to have a big heart and say YES!

Our "Work" Book

When President Elect Barbara Bonilla asks you to join her and actually DO SOMETHING next year. Take a quick look refer for perhaps a bit of a primer for what the job may entail. I am sure PE Barbara will be adding more info and her own branding to the manual, but it is better to take a look and see that the job is easy versus ducking under that table in a meeting. If you would like a Word version for yourself or your club, please email president@redwoodcityrotary.org

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Be a Host Family for a Global Grant Scholar!!!

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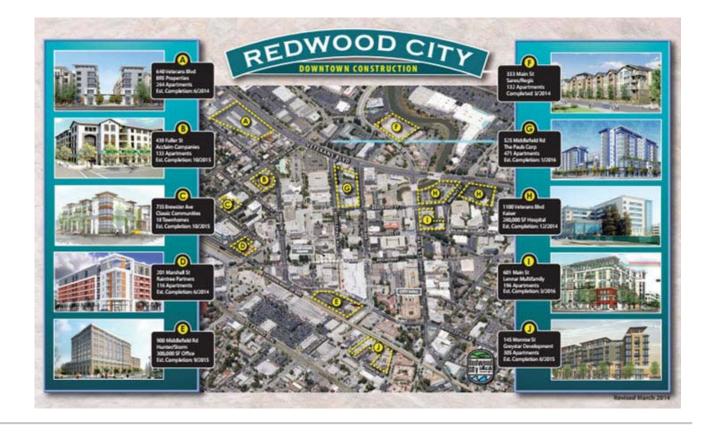
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This Week - SAMCEDA CEO Rosanne Foust

Fresh off of the February State of the City address over at Oracle our very own Rotarian, Vice Mayor and SAMCEDA President Rosanne Foust, will be in the house to give us a small taste of the event!

Last Week - Information on Girl's Club Soccer and EXCELLENT Food

We spent last Tuesday offsite over at Rotarian Amber Harris' house. There was excellent food, fantastic company and a lot of information about girl's club soccer. We heard from the coach, parents and the club manager about the benefits for the girls, the trials of funding and the need for sponsors. These clubs need some corporate sponsors to keep them going! Much thanks to Amber and her husband Chris for opening up their homes to a bunch of hungry Rotarians for lunch.

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Sponsored by SSF Rotary and Mid-Peninsula Rotary



Join us for a night of bowling, fun and food!

Saturday May 17, 2014 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm Sea Bowl 4625 Coast Highway At Rockaway Beach in Pacifica



It will be a night of good fun and fellowship! Bring your friends and bring the kids!

\$20.00 per person Includes 2 hours of bowling, shoes, and buffet dinner!

RSVP by: May 9, 2014

Contact: Michele Evans SSF Rotary micheleevans@msn.com or 415-559-1261

> Carly Baleix Mid-Peninsula Rotary carly@carlybaleix.com or 650-862-1884



Join Rotary International District Governor Eric Schmautz & Stephanie and The Rotary Foundation District Chair John Bottari & Elizabeth for a toast to The Rotary Foundation at the

ROTARY FOUNDATION MAJOR DONOR AND ALUMNI RECOGNITION RECEPTION

Sunday, May 18th at 2:30 - 5:00 Program begins at 3:00

Golden Gate Yacht Club

America's Cup room on the upper Club level Home of ORACLE TEAM USA <u>1 Yacht Road; San Francisco</u>

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HOW CAN YOUR CLUB HELP? If your Club is interested in supporting this project, either with a cash donation or designation of any available District Designated Funds, please contact Mark Shirley by phone (415)945-9593 or email: <u>markshirley@me.com</u>

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Tomorrow - Decorate Golden Gate Memorial Cemetery



Join Rotarians from the Rotary Club of Pacifica, numerous scouts, the Golden Gate Harley Owner's Group and many, many others to decorate over 110,000 graves at Golden Gate Memorial Cemetery.

If interested please be at the cemetery no later than 8:15 am this Saturday, May 24th. The program starts at 8:30. The flag planting starts around 9 and the Rotarians meet for a bite to eat afterward around 10:30 am or so. Please let Steve Wright of the Rotary Club of Pacifica know if he should watch out for you! SteveWright@GraniteCollects.com

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A perennial favorite at our club is giving the scholarships to the deserving young scholars of our local schools. Always a good time and always a program to make members in our club quite proud of what we do in the community! I will be bugging you for a headcount on Monday or so. Need to make sure there will be enough food.

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GLOBAL GRANT PROPOSAL: The Rotary Club of La Puntilla, located in Guayaquil Ecuador has organized a Global Grant proposal to replace this waste water treatment system. La Puntilla has conducted detailed engineering studies and outlined a project budget. The total budget for this project is \$61,236. La Putilla has already secured commitments of \$41,400 from their Club and others in District 4400 leaving \$19,796 in funding still needed from an international sponsor. The Rotary Club of Marin Evening has agreed to be this sponsor; however, it needs support from other international Clubs. Marin Evening has successfully worked with La Puntilla on matching grant projects in the past, including providing a mechanical cow to Santuario De Olon several years ago. This cow is still providing soy milk to the children.

HOW CAN YOUR CLUB HELP? If your Club is interested in supporting this project, either with a cash donation or designation of any available District Designated Funds, please contact Mark Shirley by phone (415)945-9593 or email: <u>markshirley@me.com</u>

Rotary Club of Redwood City Roster as of 3-12-14 (this may not show properly in Outlook)

Officers for 2013-2014		Board of Directors		
Susan D. Preside	Del terreter	Term Expires 6-30-14	Term Expires 6-30-15	
Barbara Bonilla President-Elect	John McAfee Secretary	Carol Ebner Roland Haga Karen Krueger	Carlos Bolanos Deanna Dooley John Lowe	
Lilia Ledezma Past President	Carol Ebner Treasurer	Joseph Lucero	Steve Wagstaffe	
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ROTARY CLUB OF REDWOOD CITY

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Classification

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Rotary Date

†	Anisman, Mel	Real Estate Investments	Carla	3/1/1984
†‡	Barbara, Alpio	Auto Repair		9/28/2004
† ‡	Bergler, Bill	Funeral Planning & Direction	Trudy	9/1/1968
†	Boland, Bob	Attorney - Real Property	Mary Ann	4/1/1987
†‡	Bolanos, Carlos	Law Enforcement	Kim	4/1/2000
t	Bonilla, Barbara	Youth Development	Manuel	9/1/1997
t	Butts, Hal	Attorney - Legal Counsel	Rosemary	1/1/1986
t	Carpenter, Rod	Honorary	Ellie	8/1/2003
t ‡ **	Conklin, Bill	Attorney - Business Law	Claudia	5/1/1978
t	Cooper Higday, Judy	Facilities Mgmt	Bob	3/1/1992
	Curlionis, Carolina	Fitness Trainer		3/11/2014
t	Delfs, Tom	Property Investments	Catherine	9/1/1987
t	Dooley, Deanna	Insurance		9/28/2010
t‡	Doss, Bob	Honorary	Marsha	7/14/1992
t	Ebner, Carol	Lumber Yard	Louis	6/1/1995
	Espinoza, Andres	Salvation Army		7/17/2012
t	Foust, Rosanne	Int'l Business Development	Jim	5/1/2001
t	Gamez, JR	Law Enforcement	Patricia	3/27/2012
t	Giari, Mike	Port Management	Kathryn	2/1/1996
t	Gibson, Don	Computer Networking	Michele	2/16/1999
t	Hack, Don	Paving	Nancy	9/1/1978
t ±	Haga, Roland	Civil Engineering	Catherine	2/1/1986
1 +	Harris, Amber	Residential Real Estate	Christopher	11/19/2013
	Hayden, Jeff	Attorney - Defense		7/17/2012
t	Hodgson, Pete	Construction	Tina	8/1/2008
t +	•	CPA	111a	
	Howell, Susan		Pete	8/22/2006
†‡	Hughes, Ginny	Honorary		4/1/1987
	Johnson, Aaron	Financial Planner	Jennifer Rindge	4/23/2013
t_	Krueger, Karen	Finance Manager	George	5/4/2004
‡	Ledezma, Lilia	Consultant - Community Outreach	-	1/15/2008
	Lianides, Jim	School Administrator	Nancy	4/28/2009
t ‡	Liebengood, Pete	Communications	Alicia	4/26/2005
†‡	Lowe, John	Financial Consultant		11/14/1996
	Lucero, Joseph	Personal Trainer	-	10/1/2010
t	McAfee, John	Insurance	Janette	9/16/2008
t	Mulholland, Dan	Law Enforcement	Shelly	10/30/2012
t	Newell, Jim	CPA		2/1/1965
t ‡	Nicolet, Bill	Mechanical Engineering	Joan	3/30/1997
† ‡	Nielsen, Glenn	Law Enforcement		5/6/2008
t	Parcell Jr., Frank	Honorary	Maxine	4/1/1963
t	Piccione, Dr. Paul	Honorary	Pamela	3/14/2006
t	Raddavero, Mario	Food Service	Amanda	7/1/1987
t	Rankin, Corrin	Bail Bonds	Chris Winn	12/13/2011
†‡	Schmidt, Linda	Banking		11/1/1991
	Schwartz, Scott	Pension Consultant	Ann	6/18/2013
t	Shepherd, Brad	Residential Real Estate		3/14/2006
t	Spicer, John	Law Enforcement	Elizabeth	2/12/2013
t‡	Strathdee, Fred	Architect	Esther	10/1/1981
	Taleghani, Barry	Dry Cleaner	Stacey	10/5/2010
t	Toews, Rod	Religious Counseling	Dorothy	8/1/1999
t	Wagstaffe, Steve	Attorney - Prosecuting	Sue	10/7/2008
	Webb, Steve	General Contractor	Mary	4/28/2009
	Young, Dr. Paul	Honorary		6/1/1965

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