



Laguna Beach Rotary **#1 in the District**

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ROTARY CLUB OF LAGUNA BEACH PRESIDENTS MESSAGE

I hope that all of you are having a great summer! This is an exciting time of year with Pageant of the Masters, Sawdust Art Festival, and all of the other fun events taking place in Laguna Beach.

While most Rotary Clubs are declining in membership, Laguna Beach Rotary is gaining new members each month. The word is out that we know how to have fun! Mary Hayes was inducted on July 21st, and two more people will be inducted in the next few weeks. Another person just contacted me stating that they heard about our Club and are interested in joining.

We have some great programs lined up during the next few months. Jeff Bott from the Transportation Corridor Agency will be our speaker on August 4th. He will discuss eighteen ideas that are being examined for connecting the 241 Toll Road to I-5, arterial road improvements, widening options to I-5, railway expansion, mobility hubs and bikeway improvements.

Other speakers include the following:

- Bruce Furniss who won two gold medals for swimming in the Olympics.
- Kim Lorenz, Rotary Liaison with World Vision, will present on how World Vision works with Rotary to support water, sanitation, hygiene and other humanitarian projects.
- Ken Cornelison will present on the Tumaini Children's Home in Kenya.
- David Marks and Lucien Toma from The Ecology Center, will conduct a presentation about growing garden eco-systems at homes or in schools, cutting our daily water use in half, and transforming our schools, homes, workplaces and communities into vibrant spaces.

Save the Date! The 2017 Rotary Foundation Gala "Rotarians Making A Difference" takes place Friday, October 20th. The Gala will be held at the Richard Nixon Presidential Library and Museum, and the cost per ticket is \$120.

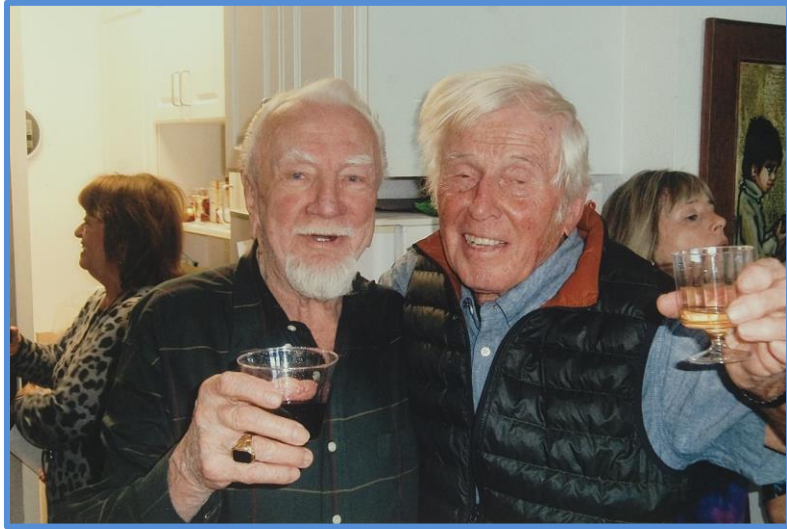
It's a great feeling to know that by combining our time, talent and resources, we are all making a difference in people's lives both in our community and around the world.

Yours In Rotary Service,

President Stan



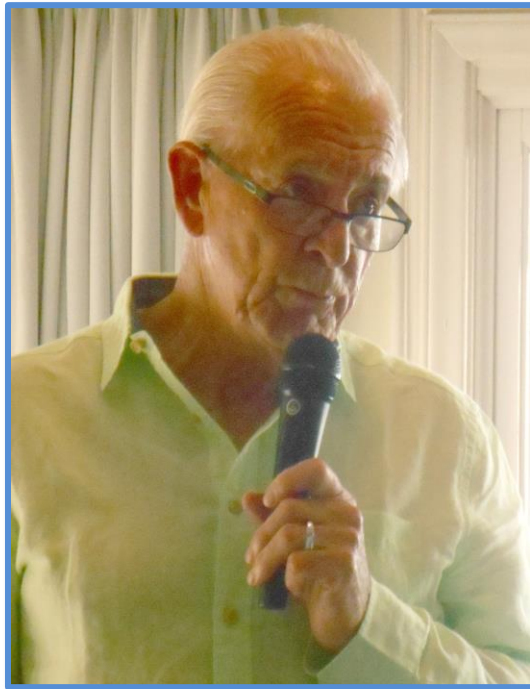
July Happenings



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New Rotarian



Mary Hayes

Traveling Rotarian



Cameron Cler exchanging a Laguna Beach banner with Morea Rotary Club president



Rotary Club of Laguna Beach Since 1931

President

Stan Carmichael

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Rod Hatter

Co-Treasurers

Angela Popowa and Patricia Stoop

Co-Secretaries

Karin Imhoff and Sherine Smith

Immediate Past President

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Club Service

Ashley Johnson

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Jerry Catalano

Membership

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Club Foundation

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Senior Advisors

Harry Bithell and Peter Freeman

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Irfan Khan and Jerry Catalano

Club Meeting Information

When: Every Friday, at 12:00 noon
Where: Hotel Laguna, 425 S. Coast Hwy.

ROTARIAN ASSIGNMENTS & PROGRAMMING

August 4

'241 Toll Road Extension & Lawsuit Update' with Jeff Bott

Inspiration: Thomas, Tory
Greeters: Bernard, John
Drew, Marv

Cash: Imhoff, Karin
Tickets: McLean, Joan
Badges: Raczkowski,
Marianne

Pledge: Cox, Bobbi

Fines: Barnes, Beverly

August 11

T.B.D.

Inspiration: Tehranchian, James
Greeters: Estes, Pam
Parrish, Bill

Cash: Blackburn, Ward
Tickets: Khan, Irfan
Badges: Lang, Rick

Pledge: Mendoza, Alex

Fines: Alvarez, Ted

Cake: Imhoff, Karin

August 18

'San Clemente Military Family Outreach (SCMFO) & Tumaini Children's Home' with Ken Cornelison

Inspiration: Anderson, Nicole
Greeters: Freeman, Paul
Lawler, Jim

Cash: Herkelrath, Jan
Tickets: Martin, Dan
Badges: Hatter, Rod

Pledge: Freeman, Peter

Fines: Campbell, John

August 25

Lucian Toma & David Marks present on the 'Ecology Center in San Juan Capistrano'

Inspiration: Hile, Julie
Greeters: Andrus, Jay
Bithell, Harry

Cash: Barnes, Beverly
Tickets: Turner, Andy
Badges: Toft, Nicole

Pledge: Popowa, Angela

Fines: Hile, Julie



August Birthdays

(Observed on the 2nd Friday of the month)

Charles Johnson – 2

Bobbi Cox – 4

Keith Matassa – 12

Angela Popowa – 26

Peter Freeman – 29

Alex Mendoza – 29

