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This Week’s Worker Bees

Presiding ................. Ursula Behiel  Roving Microphone...........
Team Captain .............. Jack Fischer  Set-Up/Take-Down...........
Speaker Intro................ Georgia Cockerham  Song Leader.............. Doug Goodrich
Thought/Pledge.... Georgia Cockerham  Ticket Sales............... 
Visitors Intro................ Mike Frost  Birthdays.....................
Next Bulletin Editor...... John McClintic

Upcoming Events

Saturday August 19  District 5160 Fun Day at Cal Expo, Sacramento. $24 including parking, all you an eat BBQ, and entrance to the fair. Raffle Tix support RI Foundation, and get Paul Harris Fellow and Sustaining Member credit.

Also Saturday August 19  Special Olympics. We need 5-6 BBQers to assist in hosting this WC event.

Sunday Aug 20  Going Away party for Keiko Sakata, at the Uffindells’.

Yosemite Weekend, September 28, 29, 30. See Paul Fisher or Fletcher Tyler for information. Spaces are still available.

February 3, 2001  Annual Crab Feed Fundraiser. This year supporting the DARE program.

Upcoming Meeting Programs

August 15  Kohoku Exchange Program, with Keiko Sakata, Jon Kirkham, Carrie Uffindell
August 22  Ranger Randy Hawley, Walnut Creek Open Space
August 29  Walnut Creek’s New Women’s Center
September 5  Meet at Noon at John Muir Medical Center. Guest speakers Drs. John Roberts, Stephen Taylor, and Randall Oyer on Prostate Cancer.

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS**

**Special Olympics, August 19**th. Contact Prez Barry Slavin ASAP if you can be a BBQ chef at the Special Olympics. We need 5-6 volunteers. Cash donations to cover food costs are also appreciated.

**Our September 12**th meeting is at John Muir Medical Center, Ball Auditorium. Guest speakers Drs. John Roberts, Stephen Taylor, and Randall Oyer will discuss Cancer of the Prostate. Husbands and wives are both encouraged to attend this program.

**CPR Classes:** Training in CPR for adults will take place at John Muir Medical Center from 9-12 on the morning of September 12 (before our lunch meeting). Signup during our regular meetings during August. Cost is $25. Infant CPR classes are offered on Thursday September 7th at 6:30pm and Saturday September 9th at 9:30am (space is limited; call 947-3331 to enroll). Child CPR (ages 1 and above) are offered August 12 and September 9 from 1-4pm (space is limited, call 947-3331 to register). Cost is $20.

**Group Study Exchange** applications for next year are due now. The program is open to non-Rotarians, age 25-40, in all vocations.

**Rotary Lapel Pins For Sale:** Get your Rotary lapel pins now from Quentin Alexander at the bargain price of $2, and avoid the $5 charge promised to the pin-less by Prez Barry.

**Notes from the Road:** Don’t miss out one of the best parts of being a Rotarian: make up a missed meeting while traveling anywhere in the world. Rotarians in other Clubs will warmly welcome you, just as we welcome our visitors and guests each week in Walnut Creek.

When in Orange County, you can make up at the Rotary Club of Laguna Beach at the Laguna Hotel, noon on Fridays, at the Rotary Club of Newport Beach Sunrise at the Balboa Bay Club at 7am Tuesdays, or at the Rotary Club of Monarch Beach at the Ritz Carlton Resort at 7am on Wednesdays. Your editor had the pleasure of attending a meeting last week with the Monarch Beach Club, which is 65 members strong, about half men and half women, and one of the leading Clubs in its District year in and year out in all avenues of service. One of their projects supports massive renovation and reconstruction of a school facility in Tijuana Mexico which serves 450 students in grades K through 12.

If you will be traveling outside of the area, see Sal Flavetta or Quentin Alexander and use the Club’s international guidebook to locate some Rotary Clubs in the areas that you will be visiting.

Share the worldwide fellowship that makes Rotary so special. If you attended an interesting Club meeting or heard about another Club’s special projects or activities, please let John McClintic know so that he can share your experiences with fellow Club members in the Walnut Leaf.

**Pay Your Dues.** If you haven’t paid your dues, please see Milt Smith ASAP. Avoid embarrassment of publication in future editions of the Walnut Leaf, and stiff recognition charges from Prez Barry.

**Get Your Rotary Announcements in the Bulletin:** Our regular publishing deadline is Sunday night. You can phone your bulletin announcements to John McClintic by 9:00pm on Sunday to be sure to be included. Call John at 930-7352 and leave your message on the answering machine, or fax to 925-945-8932, or email to johnm@rotarywc.org.