I serve high net worth individuals and their families by designing and implementing wealth management plans that help accumulate, protect and transfer wealth. My commitment is to provide trusted advice and exceptional service to all my clients and their families.

For the latest “scoop” on upcoming meeting programs, visit our website and click on the link on the home page: www.rotarywc.org
Today’s Song: “Camptown Ladies” (favorite of Foghorn Leghorn)
The Camptown ladies sing this song, Doo-da, Doo-da
The Camptown racetrack’s five miles long, Oh, de doo-da day
Chorus: Goin’ to run all night, Goin’ to run all day
I bet my money on a bob-tailed nag, Somebody bet on the gray.
Oh, the long tailedilly and the big black horse, Doo-da, Doo-da
Come to a mud hole and they all cut across, Oh, de doo-da day
Chorus

Are You Ready for Crab? Our Crab Feed Fundraiser is Sat, Feb 2, 2008
It is only 4 months until the 10th annual crab feed on Saturday, February 2, 2008. Now is the time to start making those contacts for auction items, for both live and silent auctions. Step up to the plate and volunteer for committee chair or to be a member of a committee. The committees are: Ticket Sales, Silent Auction, Live Auction, Registration, Bar, Raffle Tickets, Corporate Sponsors, Kitchen, Reverse Draw, Desserts on Display and check out. Contact Layton Hansen laytonh@rotarywc.org or 925-686-5148 to sign up for a committee chair or other position.

Rotary Online Meeting Makeup Directions
Try making up a missed meeting by vising a Rotary e-Club site. You will learn about Rotary projects and Rotarians around the world. Open your web browser and go to http://www.rotary.org/RIdocuments/en_pdf/

eclub_list.pdf It will open up a .pdf file with links to several E-Club web pages from around the world.

Paul Harris Recognition
Thanks to Andy Halperin who has completed another Paul Harris recognition with contributions to the Rotary Foundation.

Membership Activity
Be sure to welcome our new members, Lauren M. Kraus, Coldwell Banker, classification “Real Estate, Jane Diritco, Diritco Bros VW-Saab-Nissan, Classification “Auto Retail—Retired”, Brenda Goodrich, Goodrich Ad Valorem Property Tax Services, Classification “Property Tax Consulting”, and Dess Benedetto, an estate planning attorney with the Family Trust Law Center.

Invite a Prospective Member to Join Us for Lunch
Here’s how it works. You invite your prospect to a Club lunch meeting. You pay the prospect’s lunch tab for the first visit. The prospect can visit two more times, and the Club will pay the cost. If the prospect joins, the Club also will reimburse you for the first lunch. See page 38 of this month’s Rotary Magazine for a great introduction to Rotary projects to introduce prospective members to the Rotary world.

Upcoming Club Meetings: Plan to attend these Club meetings and invite at guest!
October 23 Donna Bedford, the Path to Effective Leadership
October 30 Tom Kendrick, Sea Urchin Diver
November 6 Gordon Fischer and Layton Hansen, Rotary Foundation Day
November 13 Bill Killips, Medicare
November 20 Zak Zahar, Accounting Systems
November 27 TBA

Rotary Trip to Nigeria for National Immunization Day Nov 10-20 2007
Rotary Wheelchair Project Trip to Monterrey, Mexico Jan 16-20 2008
District 5170 has organized a tour for up to 100 persons to work on the West Africa Project Fair (WAPF) and National Immunization Days (NIDs) in Nigeria, Nov 10-20. And the Rotary Club of Danville/Sycamore Valley is planning another trip to Monterrey, Mexico, to deliver wheelchairs. Cost is $1,459 (or $899 “land only”). For info on either tour, contact Bradford R. Howard, District Governor, 2002/2003, Rotary District 5170, 516 Grand Avenue, Oakland, CA 94610, Phone: (510) 834-2260, FAX: (510) 834-1019 E-mail: BHoward@HowardTours.net

Reno Train Trip, January 13-14
Sign up now with Randy Walker to go on the annual East Bay Rotary Reno Inter-City Train Trip. Lodging will be in the East Wing at Harrah’s, $265 per person single occupancy. We already have 18 members going, and we have room for more.

Annual District Conference April 25-26, 2008
On April 25-26, 2008, the annual District Conference will be held at the Sacramento Radisson Hotel. You won’t want to miss the paddle boat races and the prospector “daze, Rotary fellowship at its best!