This Week’s Worker Bees

Presiding ..................... Gill Bordenave
Team Captain ................. Bob Morgan
Guest Intro & Mic..........Stacy Taylor
Thought/Pledge ............. Andy Halperin
Speaker Intro ............... Lee Schneider
Set-Up/Take-Down ....... James Greathouse
Ticket Sales ............... Fletcher Tyler

Birthdays....................
Anniversaries................
Song Leader ............... Doug Goodrich
Bulletin Editor .......... John McClintic
Next Bulletin Editor .... John McClintic

Upcoming Events

Saturday, February 5, 2005, our next Crab Feed Fundraiser. Mark your calendars now.
Saturday, August 14, 2004 Annual District Conference. A new one-day format designed to be a fun day for Rotarians, their spouses, and their children.

Upcoming Meeting Programs

2004-07-13: Latvian Entertainment Troupe
2004-07-20:
2004-07-27: Aspira Foster and Family Services

For the latest “scoop” on upcoming meeting programs, visit our website and click on the link on the home page: www.rotarywc.org
Protocol for Those Leaving Early

The bag starts again with 12 marbles. Every week(s) drawings until a white marble is drawn and the marble drawn is removed from the bag for the next meeting. A white marble collects what has accumulated for quantity purchases. One ticket will be available for each. Tickets remain $1 for one, and a substantial discount for quantity purchases. One ticket will be drawn as usual at the end of each meeting. The winner will draw a marble from the President’s bag. We understand that circumstance may arise which prevent you from staying through the end of the meeting. All is forgiven IF BEFORE THE MEETING STARTS you introduce yourself to the speaker (with an appropriate apology for leaving early) and tell the President or Sergeant at Arms Jack Matkin that you will be leaving. Otherwise, Jack will visit you later for an appropriate penance.

Membership Survey:

President Gill wants to help match Club members with projects particularly of interest to them. To do this, we need each Member to fill out and return the “Member Survey” that was delivered during June. If you didn’t get one, as Gill and he will get you one. You also can use the Member Survey to sign up for “Immunity” ($75 for the year, as in past years), and to indicate a cap on “recognitions” for items not covered by Immunity.

Club Directors for 2004-2005 and their Avenues of Service are:

Pam Raumer: Director of Internal Club Service
John Milsap: Director of External Club Service
Remsen Barnard: Director of Community Service
Tony Gourkani: Director of International Service
John Young: Director of Vocational Services
Gordon Fischer: Director of Youth Services

Raffle Drawing:

The stakes are raised for our weekly raffle drawing. Tickets remain $1 for one, and a substantial discount for quantity purchases. One ticket will be drawn as usual at the end of each meeting. The winner will draw a marble from the President’s bag. We understand that circumstance may arise which prevent you from staying through the end of the meeting. All is forgiven IF BEFORE THE MEETING STARTS you introduce yourself to the speaker (with an appropriate apology for leaving early) and tell the President or Sergeant at Arms Jack Matkin that you will be leaving. Otherwise, Jack will visit you later for an appropriate penance.

Presentation: Gordon Fischer: Director of Youth Services

District Conference 2004-2005 to be Held Saturday, August 14, 2004, from 9am to 5pm at the 50 Acre Ranch in Vacaville.

The 2004-2005 District Conference changing to a one-day format with activities for Rotarians, spouses, and their children. Events will include softball, soccer, swimming, go cart, tennis, fishing, motivational speakers, and information on Rotary programs from around the district.

Rotary Foundation Fun Day/Fundraiser 2004-2005 Scheduled for Mar 2005

With the District Conference moving to August 2004, the Rotary Foundation Fun day and fundraiser will be held in May 2005. Details to follow.

Club Does—July 1 Bills Are Now Due:

Members who have elected the July 1st billing cycle have received their invoices. Please pay your dues immediately to avoid late charges. Dues remain at $175 per year and payment is due by July 1st and becomes delinquent if not received by July 27th.

Thanks to Bruce Cockermam and his merry band of dapperly dressed dudes and dudettes who put on a rousing demotion fitting for the ouster from office of now Past President Jack Fischer (aka “Juan Pescadore”). Among the highlights were:

...the opportunity to see many Rotarians spotted wearing suit and tie (unheard of since the last wedding or funeral they attended), while normally nattily attired Jack dressed down in overalls and denim.

...a rousing song “Jack It’s Time to Go” led by Doug Goodrich.

...Pam Raumer’s thought for the day, an inspiring quote from leadership guru Peter Drucker, and concluding thought that “Jack has made her [and all of us] better Rotarians…what a good leader does.”