People In Charge this Week

Presiding: Clint Collier
Director: Charlotte Quinn
Team Captain: Leo Silva
Meeting Setup: Jesse Smyers
Greeter: Joe Anthony
Ticket Sales: Randy Walker

Thought/Pledge: John Millsap
Song Leader: Valerie Ridgers
Guest Intro & Mic: Leo Silva
Birthdays: Leo Silva
Anniversaries: Leo Silva
Speaker Intro: Leo Silva
Meeting Take-Down: Jesse Smyers

Today’s Program:

This Week: Jeff Rubin “The Newsletter Guy”

Notices:

Reverse Draw Fundraiser
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Upcoming Events:

Jan 21 2007 Annual Reno Train Trip. See Randy Walker or Fletcher Tyler for late sign up opportunities.
Feb 3 2007 Crab Feed Fundraiser
Announcements:

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**Reno Train Trip January 21-22, 2007**
Check with Randy Walker or Fletcher Tyler for a possible last minute spot.

**Crab Feed Fundraiser, Saturday Night, February 3, 2007**
Centre Concord

A Special Inspirational Message from Pam Raumer: “As you are all aware, the ninth annual Rotary Crab Feed is our major fundraiser for the year. Although we have chair persons for the silent and live auction, it is all our responsibility to assist with the success of this fundraiser. I am asking all of you to step up to the plate, and either donate something for these auctions, and/or ask a neighbor, vendor, associate, friend, family member, etc to donate an item for these auctions. To set the example, I have bought a table of 10, my company is a corporate sponsor, and I am donating a Hornblower Yacht Dinner Dance Cruise for two for the silent auction. I am working on the live auction as well. The proceeds from the Crab Feed benefit so many worthy projects and causes and I would like to continue to be able to do so. Thanking you all in advance and hoping that you all have a safe and happy holiday!”

Here’s who to contact to help out:

1) We need silent auction items - at least 65 items - Lu Hughes 939-4093 luh@rotarywc.org and Oscar Wu 943-3208 oscarwi@rotarywc.org are in charge of these.
2) We need live auction items - 12 to 15. These start at a value of $300. Mitch Ambro mitchella@rotarywc.org 209-838-2927 and Mike Kilzer mikek@rotarywc.org 925-609-6525 are in charge of these.
3) We need volunteers to assist with Check-Out at the event. Layton Hansen 686-5148 laytonh@rotarywc.org is assisting with this.
4) Everyone needs to donate 2 bottles of premium wine worth between $20 and $25 each - Gordon Fischer 820-0727 gordfonf@rotarywc.org is collecting them for the wine barrel.
5) We are looking for corporate sponsors - In return for your contribution of $700, you will receive: Your business name clearly displayed on a Silent Auction Table, listed in the program, and announced several times during the evening; your business logo prominently displayed by a PowerPoint Presentation spotlighted at the front of the banquet room, two tickets to the Crab Feed (value $80), and a ticket voucher for a bottle of wine. Checks should be made out to Walnut Creek Rotary Club Foundation (WCRCCF) and mailed to Milt Smith, John Muir Health Foundation, 1400 Treat Blvd, Walnut Creek, CA 94598 in the envelope provided. If you would like additional information, you can reach me at (925) 941-2156.
6) We need 4 spotters for the event - Mike Kilzer and Mitch Ambro have volunteered - We need two more volunteers.
7) Everyone needs to buy tickets. See Bob Romero 457-4251 cell or Tom Noble 933-3166 tonnnn@rotarywc.org.

**Show that Rotary Pride—Wear Your Rotary Pins 24/7**
Don’t keep Rotary a secret. Spread the word by wearing your favorite Rotary pin 24/7. We have lots of styles and sizes. Pres Clint is ruthless and relentless on this issue. Avoid a $15 recognition fee for being caught naked without your pin.

**District Fundraiser — Raffle**
Buy 5 raffle tickets for our annual District 5160 fundraiser. Not only will you have a chance to win fabulous trips and other prizes, you also be credited with having met you Paul Harris Sustaining Membership contribution for the year. Please see Rem Bernard 925-939-6209, remb@rotarywc.org.

**Family Fun at Western Railway Museum, May 5th**
Mark your calendars for this family-oriented event for Rotarians and their families. This will be a day of fun at the Western Railway Museum located on Highway 12 between Fairfield and Rio Vista. The event includes a BBQ, train rides, silent auction, music, and fellowship. Information to follow at www.rotary5160.org.

**Sundial Bridge Dinner Dance, Redding, June 30th**
Mark your calendars for this “adult-oriented” dinner dance will ring out the old Rotary year and ring in the new. Experience the magic as the sun sets on one end of the bridge and the moon rises on the other. Information to follow at www.rotary5160.org.

**New Members**
Please welcome new members Joe Stein, Classification—Restaurant, Karen Horrigan, Classification—Promotional Products, Ron Huppert, Classification—Insurance, and Louis Ramirez-Agudelo, Classification—Real Estate.