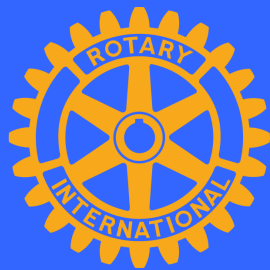


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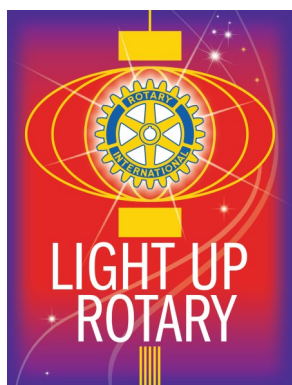
DATES TO REMEMBER

MAY

- 1 - Special Athletes BBQ
Summerville High
School 11:00 AM
- 1 -3 - District Conference
in Monterrey
- 10 - Mother's Day
- 12 - Special Board Meeting
at Interfaith 7:00 AM
- 28 - Board Meeting at
Berkshire Hathaway
- 30 - District Assembly

JUNE

- 6 to 9 - International Con-
vention
- 27 - Kick-out Dinner



7AM Wednesday Mornings
Pine Tree Restaurant
President Cathie Peacock
209-586-4802

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Things are quieting a down a little after the Celebrity Waiter Dinner. It turned out very well, despite the awful weather. The Fire Academy folks, and some from the college will be here on May 6th to share their thoughts on this, and to receive a check for \$21, 000. Thanks to all of you who were able to participate in some way to make this a success. I'm sure Tom will be getting started earlier for next year's event.....so now is the time to express your thoughts, possible beneficiary. A wrap-up report will be available at the May 6th meeting.

Next big event of course is the Barrels, Brews, and Bites event in October at Railtown. Be ready to step up and support through selling tickets, providing your time in planning, or helping in some way that day. Robin Rowland will be sharing info soon.

Thank you to those who helped at the Special Athletes Day at Summerville HS. That's always a most enjoyable event. Rotary's presence is so helpful to them as we provide the lunch meal.

In Service,
Cathie Peacock, President

ROTARY HELPS NEPAL

Rescue missions and emergency aid continue to arrive in Nepal after a massive earthquake hit the country on 25 April, killing at least 9,000 people and injuring thousands more. The 7.8-magnitude quake, the worst to hit Nepal in more than 80 years, has left more than 1.4 million needing food and assistance, according to government officials.

"Rotarians worldwide stand together in expressing a profound sadness at the devastation resulting from this weekend's deadly earthquake in Nepal," says RI President Gary C.K. Huang. "As we mourn the thousands of lives lost, Rotary joins other international agencies in providing immediate relief to survivors and mobilizing our expertise to support long-term recovery and rebuilding efforts throughout the country."

Rotary partner Shelter Box is sending a response team to the affected areas to determine immediate needs. Because of previous disasters in Nepal, the group already has tents and other nonfood items ready for deployment.

Here is how you can help:

District 5220 Disaster Relief Fund for Nepal. Simply write Nepal in the memo line and mail your check to:

**Rotary District 5220
Attn: Chris Elswick
PO Box 2301
Oakdale, CA 95361**

UPCOMING SPEAKERS

- May 6 - Assembly & Fire Academy Presentation
- May 13 - State Champions Sonora High School Girls Volleyball Team
- May 20 - Guest speaker: Bobbi Bankston, local business owner from Mason Bar Company. Has accounts with Whole Foods & over 30,000 followers on social media. Expert in Etsy and Instagram.
- May 27 - Darrell Slocum, President, Tuolumne County Business Council
- June 3 - ??
- June 10 - ??
- June 17 - Sierra Outdoor School Vocational Tour - Come meet the raptors and see what's new in outdoor education. This is always one of the best breakfasts of the year!
- June 24 - ??
- July 1 - Be a Gift to Rotary Year Begins
- July 8 - ??
- July 15 - ??
- July 22 - ??
- July 29 - ??

Paula Johansen pins new member
 Benny Stuth—Tuolumne County Airports Manager



CLUB OFFICERS

District Governor #5220	Teri Amerio-Bell
President	Cathie Peacock
President-Elect	Tom Teach
President Nominee	Kaenan Whitman
Immediate Past President	Robin Rowland
Secretary	Robin Phillips
Treasurer	Del Hodges
Foundation Chair	Gregory Oliver
Community Service Chair	Leon Casas
Club Service Chair	Kaenen Whitman
Youth Services Chair	Keri Luce
Community Relations/PR	Chris Daly
Membership Development	Paula Johansen
International Service Chair	Aimee Campiotti
Vocational Service Chair	Dana Mayo
Meal Tickets	Bill Curnutt & Jim Barth

“A truly happy person enjoys the scenery on a detour”



Fire Academy receives a check for \$21,000 for Personal Protective Equipment for Students.