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Rotary Club of Coronado

<b>VOL. 80, NO.19</b>	<b>November 5 , 2008</b>	<b>SCRIBE: Jim Tom Pinch</b>
<b>NEXT WEEK:</b> November 12 , 2008		
<b>PROGRAM:</b> A New Generation of Economists		
<b>SPEAKER :</b> Mark Skousen, Economist		
<b>LOCATION:</b> Carousel Room		

## CLUB PROGRAM CALENDAR

19 November	Beating Cancer, Stroke and Heart Attack	Brad Willis
26 November	"Tora, Tora, Tora"	Ed Klapka
3 December	SD Armed Forces YMCA	Capt. Paul Steffen
10 December	The SD Sports Scene	Jane Mitchell
17 December	Rotary Family Christmas Party	Santa Claus
24 December	DARK	

## CLUB EVENT CALENDAR

8 November	Beach Clean up	Tim Cusick
11 November	Rotary Board Meeting	President Al

11 November	Flags on the Avenue	Doug Weisbarth
9 December	Board Meeting	President Al
13 December	Beach Clean up	Tim Cusick
24 December	Rotary Santas	Lew Barnum
10 January	Foundation Gala	Rob Jones
10 January	Beach Clean up	Tim Cusick
13 January	Board Meeting	President Al
28 March	Rotary Golf Tournament	Bob Plumb
3 April	Rotary Night at the Opera	Ross White
25 April	Rotarians at Work	Steve Haley

#### NOTES FROM THE SCRIBE:

It was a day for Rotarians to work on their November tans as our meeting commenced on the Hotel Del's Sundeck. Reminiscent of some Greek orator filling his mouth with pebbles and trying to talk over the ocean **President Al** tried to be heard through the elements. The Scribe was at the back of the patio so this is what I THINK transpired. **President Al** gave his own invocation and led the Pledge to the misplaced flag. Former, current, or loser city council candidates **Mike Woiwode** and **Greg Walker** handled the microphones and as a nice touch **Mike Woiwode** led a "Happy Birthday" chorus for the November celebrants. I think **Lionel Rowe** needed no microphone to make the visiting Rotarian introductions, but he DID have the pebbles in his mouth.

## ROTARY NOTES OF INTEREST AND ANNOUNCEMENTS:

- **Chuck Howe** and **Samantha Bowman** accepted our \$5000 donation to Coronado SAFE.
- It's Armistice Day, er, Veterans Day on Tuesday, November 11. Rotary Flags will go up at 7:00 a.m. and we'll strike the set at 5:00 p.m. Meet at First and Orange and plan on staying after and we'll have beer and fellowship at the Island Sports Bar also at First and Orange.
- Youth Exchange Meeting! All students (and their parents) considering Rotary long-term or short-term exchanges and summer camp for next year should attend the Y-E informational meeting November 11th at 5:30pm at the Hotel Del, in the Garden Room.
- On January 22, 2009 San Diego, in general, and Coronado, in particular, will have the opportunity to host District Governor-elects from around the world. If you would like to invite one to your home for dinner please contact **President Al**.
- Thursday Night Football! December 4 at the Island Sport Bar. **Dan Runyan** is taking sign-ups.
- The Rotary Haberdashery will be open for your Christmas shopping the week after next.
- Beach Clean-up this Saturday morning at 8:00 a.m. Meet at Central Beach. Fellowship afterwards.
- Being outdoors we did have the best fed birds in the county.

## ROTARY OPPORTUNITY FOR 2009-10

The District will field two GSE Teams – a team of educators to Ecuador in the Winter/Spring of 2009-10 and a healthcare team to East Africa in April/May 2010. For Rotarians who have wished to lead a GSE team there are now two opportunities. Information about the GSE program is at the link below. APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE DISTRICT 5340 OFFICE NO LATER THAN NOVEMBER 28th 2008 TO BE ELIGIBLE. Interviews will be held on 12/6/08. Questions? Contact the District Office by phone or the GSE Chair Larry Sundram by email. The dates shown are approximate and will be finalized on 1/31/09. For more information please go to: [www.rotary5340.org/foundation/gse.html](http://www.rotary5340.org/foundation/gse.html)

## THE FAMILY OF ROTARY

Please contact **Mary Sternad** at 522-9452 or [psternad@aol.com](mailto:psternad@aol.com) for updates and information.

It is with deep regret that we must announce the passing of our member **Maury Shaw**. Maury's service will be Monday, November 10 at 1:00 p.m. at Sacred Heart Parish.

**Suzanne Manuel** and her family could use your prayers as her husband Gary faces cancer treatments.

## FINES & RECOGNITIONS

1. **Gloria Nedel** confessed to something. It must have been travel of some sort as she brought home a Rotary banner for **Paul Plumb's** collection.
2. **Dan Orr** confessed immense pride that his lovely, gracious, and talented wife is the first Orr to run a qualifying time for the Boston Marathon. **President Al** assessed "only" a \$50 fine, wanting to save some for the recognition of USC's impending National Championship.
3. **Jim Laslavic** "confessed" that Penn State fans are the most arrogant and self-aggrandizing. Oh yeah, he also celebrated his birthday in London while traveling with the hapless Chargers.
4. **Doug Weisbarth's** son John finally got married so Doug doesn't have to pay anymore on that after this.
5. It now costs \$75 for a "Mid-life Crisis." That's what it cost **Dan Runyan** for advertising his band. They play a little music every Thursday night at Costa Azul. "Little" being the operative word there.
6. **Bill Greene** is very proud that his son is either off to Iraq or on his way home. I told you we couldn't hear anything!

## NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT – Proposed slate of officers for next year:

President: **Dan'l Steward**  
President-elect: **Tim Cusick**  
Treasurer: **Jane Simeral**  
Secretary: **Steve Haley**

Directors Two Years: **Tom Mitchell, Chip Garry, Jim Kaufman** Directors One Year: **Suzanne Manuel, Steve Moffett, Mark Thompson**

## **PROGRAM**

COSA (Coronado School of the Arts) performed! We were treated to an instrumental prelude to the meeting and charmed by the cast of the recently completed COSA musical "Anything Goes." Pamela Koker of the COSA Foundation explained the mission and what the community can do support the arts in Coronado. Mainly, buy tickets and attend the performances! COSA founder Kris McClung was also in attendance to answer our questions. COSA is a real hidden jewel in Coronado.

**RAFFLE:** You know them, you love them, and you can't live without them -- buy raffle tickets weekly.

***The difference between "ordinary" and "extraordinary" is just a little "extra."  
Now go out and be EXTRAORDINARY!***







