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Rotary Club of Coronado

VOL. 77, NO.27	January 11 , 2006	SCRIBE: <i>Jim Tom Pinch</i>
NEXT WEEK:		
PROGRAM: The San Diego Sports Scene		
SPEAKER: Jim Laslavic		
LOCATION: Carousel Room		

CLUB PROGRAM CALENDAR

25 January	Sea World	Dave Koontz
1 February	"State of the City"	Tom Smisek
8 February	Pathways to Peace Program	Marshall Saunders
15 February	Pathways to Peace Program II	Brad Willis
22 February	The Work of Rotary	Cliff Dochterman Past Rotary Int'l President
1 March	Sports at SDSU	Jeff Schemmel SDSU Athletic Director
8 March	Four-way Test Speech Contest	Becci Rocco
15 March	Coronado Schools Foundation	Patty Cowan

CLUB EVENT CALENDAR

14 January	Beach Clean-Up	Tim Cusick
January 2006	Past President's Dinner	Les Arndt
11 February	Beach Clean-Up	Tim Cusick
10 March	Jim Laslavic Charity Golf Tournament	Bob Plumb
11 March	Beach Clean-Up	Tim Cusick

31 March	Rotary Night at the Opera	Ross White
8 April	Beach Clean-Up	Tim Cusick
23 April	Pancake Breakfast	John Garrett
29 April	"Rotarians at Work" Day	DG Bob Watson
13 May	Beach Clean-Up	Tim Cusick
10 June	Beach Clean-Up	Tim Cusick
18 June	Low tide Ride & Stride	Steve Haley
8 July	Beach Clean-Up	Tim Cusick

NOTES FROM THE SCRIBE:

The not-as-Mighty Trojans took a vicious beating from the podium. You'd have thought that they lost the National Championship game by something like, say, 66-19. When the vicious attacks abated **Dave Johnson** was called upon to offer an invocation and lead the Pledge. Then the ever-eloquent **Luigi Rowe** introduced our visiting Rotarians.

ROTARY NOTES of INTEREST and ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. **Becci Rocco** accepted our \$1000 donation on behalf of the Coronado Hospital Foundation.
2. **Bob Plumb** reminded the club that the **Jim Laslavic** Rotary Golf Tournament was coming up March 10 and that golfers and sponsorships are needed.
3. **Miko Peled** has returned from a month in the Middle East. "Peace is at hand." Well, maybe not quite, but it's not for the lack of Miko trying.
4. Nancy Wong and Kevin Vienna were our "special guests" today.
5. **John Garrett**, the new CEO of the Rotary Pancake Breakfast said that job sign-up sheets will be circulated soon. The event, which is an all-hands-on-deck project for the club, will be held April 23 this year.
6. **Mary Sternad's** guest, John Wampler, invited all Rotarians to support Camp Wamp, Wheelchair Adventure Mountain Programs. For information and details on their gala go to www.campwamp.org.
7. **Harriet Sangrey** has fulfilled all her red badge requirements. But, we still have malingerers from 2001 who need to get with the program.

THE FAMILY OF ROTARY

Jane Simeral is our contact person for the Family of Rotary Committee. Please phone or email her with information concerning illnesses, hospitalizations, etc., of our Rotarians or members of their families (spouses and children), as well as spouses of deceased Rotarians. 619-435-6025; jsimeral@pacbell.net

We are sad to report that **Russ Johnson** has suffered a stroke so please keep Russ, Mary, and their family in your thoughts and prayers.

Our esteemed mayor, **Tom Smisek**, has his arm in a sling following a skiing accident. But, at least it's still in a position where he can lead the Pledge.

RECOGNITIONS & FINES

Steve Moffett's Bob Plumb -purloined badge finally made an appearance, but it still cost the good doctor \$100.

Miko Peled may be doing good works in the Middle East, and he may have had a nice vacation along the way. But, because he didn't fill out his pledge form (and he's on the Board) **President Bill** assessed him \$150.

Dwight Settles wore his Texas-themed Rose Bowl t-shirt. Fine: \$1,000,000.

It's either **Suzanne Manuel's** birthday or she's going to Hawaii. But, it's for sure a pledge increase of \$75.

Jan and Paul Plumb have just returned from a few weeks of trekking in Patagonia, but Jan is the only one poorer by \$200.

Phil "The Math Major" Monroe was fined \$10 per year for his ten years in Rotary for a total of \$150!

Mark Ochenduszko was fined \$100 for the first expletive undeleted uttered from the Rotary podium.

Finally, **President Bill** led the singing of "Happy Birthday" for his wife **Tami Sandke**. He will pay \$2 per year for an unnamed number of years in honor of the "Hillary" of Coronado Rotary. Trust, but verify.

MEMBERSHIP

The following have been approved by the Board of Directors to receive an invitation to join the Rotary Club of Coronado. If you know of any reason why these invitations should not be extended please make your reasons Known in writing to **Dan Gensler** within ten days of this notice.

NAME: Jane Blunk Huntington
CLASSIFICATION: Past Service – Artist
SPONSOR: Dr. Jim Verneti

NAME: Ed Klapka
CLASSIFICATION: Past Service – Title Insurance
SPONSOR: Greg Walker

NAME: James (Jim) Walker
CLASSIFICATION: Management Consultant-Partner
SPONSOR: Glenn Welch

NAME: Gerald (Gerry) Brummitt
CLASSIFICATION: Organization Development-Consultant
SPONSOR: Brad Willis

PROGRAM

Mark Ochenduszko allowed how Coronado's Director of Engineering and Capital Projects would be bringing us up to snuff on the transbay sewer line. And, while it just

may be a pile of s**t to us, it's Jim Benson's bread and butter! Our current sewer line was constructed in 1971, with a useful life of thirty years. You do the math (or contact Phil Monroe). Unless we plan on swimming and sailing in a cesspool we have to replace the rusting pile of pipes. And, since Coronado creates 3,500,000 gallons of sewage EVERY DAY, sooner would be better than later. Our man Benson is on the case and all he's looking for now is a place to lay his pipe.

Posted Info on Upcoming International Assembly Guests:

During the International Assembly, the Governors-Elect (DGE) are given one "free" afternoon and evening. Some of them take the time for rest. Many of them welcome the opportunity to meet local Rotarians and partners and develop international relationships. Rotarians from District 5340 have the unique and fulfilling opportunity to get to know these Rotarians and their partners from other parts of the world. The hosting in 2006 is Monday February 20, Presidents holiday. You as a host are responsible for transportation to and from the Manchester Grand Hyatt in Downtown San Diego and to provide a meal appropriate to the hours you are hosting. You may pick up your guest(s) as soon as noon and return them no later than 10 PM. Crossing the Border is not allowed for fear of problems with US Immigration. The hours that you host and how you entertain them is up to you. You can tour, take them to your home, a restaurant or to an event. You can join with other Rotarians in a group event. When and what you do is up to you, be creative, make it something our guests will look back on with fond memories of San Diego, its people and their Rotary experience.

To the extent that we are able, we will match your request for a specific Governor, District, Country or language.

Be sure to note in the [registration form](#)

(<http://www.rotary5340.org/hospitality/hosts.cgi>) any language you speak in addition to English.



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!***

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