



# The Pitch

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A Sergeant at Arms dream come true!! President Ken (R) pops open a University of North Carolina umbrella to celebrate the Tar Heels NCAA National Basketball Men's Championship! Bernard Streiff (L) calculates KenTranbarger's fine for the outrageous breach of etiquette!



New member Dr. Kai Pinkernell with his son Linus. Kai presented his **Who Am I** on April 8th. Kai was born in Germany and worked as a cardiologist in Munich. Ken was offered a research position at Tulane University in New Orleans and promised his wife, Anke, that they would only stay in America for two years. Today Kai works for Cytori where he is conducting research on stem cells derived from fat. Young Linus keeps asking his father when he can come back to the club!



Torrey Pines Rotary is always so serious! Members of the club pose with our April 15th program speaker Sheryl Roush. Her fun and lively program reminded us all to look at life with a sparkling attitude!



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Tom Ferrier will not be playing short stop for the Padres this season! Tom injured his left hand in the wood shop!



Go tell the Spartans! Happy dollars from Bob Goodman who was thrilled to see his Michigan State men's basketball squad advance to the finals of the NCAA tournament.



Nancy Russian briefed the club on this years Rotary Youth Leadership Assembly (RYLA). Our club sponsored six students from University City High School who will talk about their experiences at our May 27th meeting. Philippe Lamoise is travelling to East Africa in May to identify worthy International projects for our club and for the District.

## Rotary Calendar

- Friday, April 24th- UCSD International Cafe
- Friday, April 24th- Rotary District Padres Game
- Saturday, April 25th- Rotarians at Work Day in Balboa Park starting with Breakfast at the Hob Nob Restaurant.
- Thursday, May 14th- Sunday, May 17th- The Rotary District 5340 Conference at the Temecula Creek Inn.

## Future Programs

- April 29th- International Rescue Committee
- May 6th- San Diego Foundation
- May 20th- Early Music Society



Wine Club Chairman, Bernard Streiff (L) plans the May Grand Opening of his restaurant, Coast 101, in Encinitas. Bernard enjoys a glass of Oregon Pinot Noir with International Restaurateur Eric Rimmele.



On April 8th we listened to a program called "Chasing a Dream in the Galapagos Islands" presented by self published author Bette Blaydes Pegas.

The Rotary Club of Torrey Pines (La Jolla) meets every Wednesday at noon at the Rock Bottom Brewery at 8980 Villa La Jolla Drive in UTC. Visitors are welcome !