



THE Rio Rotarian

"Success is how high you bounce when you hit bottom."- George S.Patton



HELEN MADERE BRIDGE

"Having fun helping others...watering the rosebuds"

-Dr. Ted Schulz

Welcome

Again ringing the meeting to order with a tiny cheap dinner bell, Pres. Dan asks Executive Editor, Bob Bard, to lead the Pledge. Then, Molly stumbles in late just before the prayer. As Gene ponders our song, he glimpses at The River and declares "what beautiful weather we are having, lets all sing, 'Joy To The World, Every Boy and Girl.'" Molly spins the infamous wheel and pays \$5.

Guests of Rotarians

Incredibly, we have no visiting Rotarians or guests of Rotarians. All the Interact Students are sleeping in.

Thank You Letters

Leon read a letter from Judy Tussy thanking us for the wreath we sent to Hank's memorial. We also received a letter from RVHS thanking us for contributing to, "Every Senior Receives a Yearbook" fund. Seniors who could not afford to buy a yearbook were surprised to receive one at the Senior Breakfast on June 1st.

Financial Lessons Learned

Our Golf Tourney did not bring in nearly the amount of money of previous events because:

- There were fewer golfers.
- We charged less per player.
- We had few hole sponsors.
- There was no live auction.
- Food Costs were higher.
- It was held Friday rather than Wed.

Countdown To Demotion - One Week



Danny Boy shows a Big Smile, as he has just ONE meeting to go. Will he ever find the Gavel?



President elect Dave contemplates the awesome responsibility he is about to undertake and vows never to loose The Bell.

Changes to R.V. Rotary Club Bylaws

At the meeting, with more than 60% of members in attendance, we voted to make the following changes to our Bylaws: The club's Board of Directors was increased from 5 members to 7 members. The new members are The Executive Secretary and the Sergeant-at-Arms. The Executive Secretary provides continuity across changes of leadership and provides bi-annual reports to Rotary District 5160. Finally, checks are to be signed by the Treasurer and any 1 of 3 signatories.

Committee Report

Hector gets up to report on Tequila Y Más scheduled for July 28 at the Point. Since we did not meet our financial goal at this year's Golf Tournament we must pull out all the stops and sell a lot of tickets to the Tequila event. Over eight Tequila vendors will be pouring and the Cigar maker will be rolling. Invite everyone and anyone.



"Make Tequila Great Again-Sell.....Sell.....Sell"

Announcements

- The Demotion of President Dan is scheduled to take place at the Point Restaurant the evening of June 29th. Jimmy Mac is still keeping the theme secret and Danny is starting to sweat.

Confessions

- Patti confesses that she attended her 53rd High School Reunion in Ohio. She didn't recognize a lot of the old people there.
- Eddie confesses that he combined a trip to Seattle with a cruise to Alaska. Eddie had never been to Seattle and enjoyed the city and the cruise.
- Rob confesses that he took a 4 day trip to Phoenix, AZ and pays the club \$50.

Awards

President Dan passes out "Service Star Award" Pins to Leon Guzenda, Jay and Patti Huyssoon, Edwin Kingen and the Rio Rotarian Editorial Staff consisting of Bob Bard, Dick Burkhart and Edwin Okamura (who will get his pin next week).

Marble Draw

Gil LaBrie's number is drawn, but Gil does not find the black marble. Are we ever going to run out of those clear marbles?



Newsletter Staff

Co-Editors: Edwin Okamura, Dick Burkhart

Executive Editor: Bob Bard



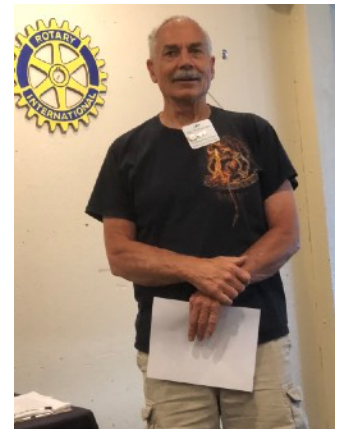
City Manager, Rob Hickey gives RV update

The Heartbeat of Rio Vista

The current city happenings are: Rio Vista Farms opening for Cannabis operations and sales. The city is refinancing CFD's which should lower property taxes. And the Liberty Island subdivision (LGI) just had their grand opening and 93 families are working to prequalify for home ownership.

Financial Report

Fire Chief Jay reports that we made income from Able's Car Show amounting to \$809 for the General Fund, plus \$938 donated to Interact by Derek Able. The golf tournament cleared \$3,438. We now have \$13,668 in the Charitable Fund, \$10,440 in the Checking account, and C.D.'s totaling \$54,628.



Treasurer, Jay Huyssoon gives his financial update.

Solano County Fair



Lee Willams, SCF President

Lee talks about the Youth Ag Day at the fair that took place on March 20, 2018. This year, in 4 hours, 119 classes from 41 schools visited 41 presenters who connected with 2,706 third-graders, 115 teachers, and 618 chaperones thanks to 49 generous supporters (including Rio Visa Rotary) who raised over \$32,200 to make it happen.

COMING ATTRACTIONS

DATE	SPEAKER/EVENT	PROGRAM CHAIR
June 22	Peter Bradbury / Author and Famous Butler	Ken Wudel
June 29	Pres. Dan's Unfortunate Demotion (Night Meeting)	Jimmy Mac
July 6	Eddie Woodruff / "The Rest of the Story"	Danny Schindler
July 13	"Growing up in Rio Vista"	Jim Lira
July 20	"Heeer's Rotary"/Golf, Camp Royal & Rotary History	Bob Bard
July 27	TBD	TBD