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Bob Bard, Ed.

Editor's note: We had a recorder malfunction, today, so we accept no responsibility for the accuracy or completeness of this bulletin.

Early morning rumor

Our highly-paid transportation planners want to put a roundabout at the junction of Hwys. 12 and 113. One incredulous Rotarian remarked, “Are they out of their minds?”

Visitors

Jack presents Edwin Okamura, who revisits us, and Tatyana Pool, who greets us. Tatyana hails from Kamchatka, Russia; she’s been in U. S. 10 years and works at Richards Real Estate. She’s nice; Gene could like her. Harvey greets Cole, who touts Camp Royal, where students quickly learn to let down barriers, interact, and support each other. Gene presents Walt Stanish of Pets 4 All.

Announcements

We still need Bass Derby Chair.

Next weekend is Rotary P. R. & membership workshop in Vallejo.

Greg says Sept. 14, Sat., is Children’s Safety Fair. Lira’s supplies food, Delta Pharmacy supplies 8 items for kids, CHP demos children’s car seat usage, volunteers needed, Taser, canine demos.

District Governor visits next week

D. G. Steve Lack, who visited us on Charter Night at the Nines, will be our program next week. He and your editor were raised in the same town. He’ll meet with our club leadership Thurs., 6:00 p. m. at Poppy House.

Birthday

We sing to Norm, who claims to be just 39, prompting Jim Mac to observe that Norm must have had a very rough life.

Confessions

Mel flew to MN for 60th H. S.

**Our hearts are with you,
Cliff.**

reunion. He broke 100 playing golf, prompting some rude Rotarian to ask if that was for 9 holes. Mel also landed 12 smallmouth bass, kept 6, visited family and paid \$50 to PHF.



Mayor Norm Richardson

Derek Jones takes 6 hr. ride to So Cal and 6 **more** hours in horrendous traffic to Julian, which is NE of San Diego. It was 72° every day...worth every penny of \$50 toward PHF.

Wayne explains to Ken that pills are wrong.

Jim Mac “rides along” with sheriff on Ryer Is., so Cub asks, “Oh, is that what they call it, now?” Later, Jim



Tatyana Pool

Walt Stanish

goes 3 for 3 in highly competitive softball game. He gives \$50 to PHF.

Joe launches shaggy dog story re: chiropractic seminar in Burlingame, hazards of altered foods, alternator replacement for \$20 + \$20 tip in Corning, and Rotary at Bend, OR. He gives \$50 to Jacob’s PHF. Cub adds, “and that’s our program for today.”

Neil visits Curley following 5 day hospital vacation. (Not for fun) Later, he visits Curley at home.

We all miss you, Curley!

Cole speaks on life changing experiences of students at Camp Royal, where he was a Camp Director’s Assistant. Directors are attempting to improve completion rate of service projects planned there. Dillon Coito and Tyler Gomes went to Durham to help complete project. Molly reports Dillon went to Giants game with Woodland friend from camp.

Program

Our city has flirted with bankruptcy ever since the gas wells started to dry up. So, we brace ourselves for more gloom and doom, but we’re surprised when Norm says this year expenses fell below revenues. And, surplus sales taxes are still out. Shea is expected to start pulling more permits with the improving economy.

Our interim city manager is going after grants with a vengeance. He’s also pursuing developers for waterfront, occupants for business park, and a new medical facility.

The Army base will host 160 scientists working in 160,000 square feet. We expect design approval by 2014 and ground breaking by 2016.

Future plans call for Hwy. 12 crosswalk & interchange upgrades. 50/50 Raffle

Lucky Eddie’s gets wrong marble.

COMING ATTRACTIONS

DATE	EVENT	SPEAKER
Friday, August 23	District Governor’s Visit	Steve Lack
Saturday, August 24, 8:30-1:00, Vacaville	Membership & Public Relations Workshop	Club and District Foundation
Friday, August 30	Airport Day	Jerry Nolan
Friday, September 30	Rotary and New Generations--Interact	Karen Smith