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“Engage Rotary, Change Lives”

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Bob Bard, Ed.

### Disorderly call to order

Without a gavel the bell gets dinged up. How sad. Our motivated new Pres. makes up for it by telling a couple of hilarious jokes.

### A visit from Maryn Anderson

She followed in her dad, Ian’s, footsteps as a Student Rotarian, and she attended Camp Royal 7 years ago. Both of Maryn’s granddads, Ed Anderson and Dick Brann have served Rio Vista Rotary. She now teaches 6th grade English to poor kids in San Jose.



tion in Tuscany and Island of Elba, where Hale can’t make up Rotary. He pays \$40, gets in a plug for Sue’s new book shop location, and gives \$20 to dictionary fund. Bev officially gives him new badge without fine.



tion in the club, new service projects, etc.

Rotary Board meeting scheduled for Wednesday evening, July 17, at Rio Vista Sanitation.

### Mural

Working 7 days a week, it took Nick Styles 26 days to duplicate a 1933 photograph of Rio Vista’s first fire station on the 60’ X 16’ cement block side wall of our current station. Nick is a local artist who attended Long Beach State. Tom Myers & Hale



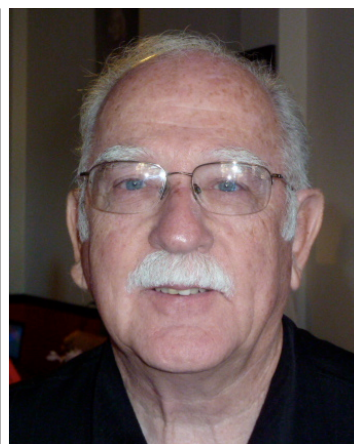
D. G. Assistant, Jon Dwyer



Past Student Rotarian, Maryn Anderson



Mural Artist, Nick Styles



Fire Chief, Tom Myers

Jack pipes up that he told Maryn’s mom that he’d fallen in love with Maryn and wished to adopt her. Her mom said, “Fine, where do I send the tuition bill?”

### Milestones

It’s Jack’s 27th year in Rotary; 19 in Rio; Lee’s 8th year; and Curley and Jim Lira have birthdays.

### Confessions

Cub takes his new travel trailer on 8.3 MPG tour of WY, Grand Tetons, visits Tim Callahan in Cody, sees nothing but beautiful women everywhere, returns with arsenal of fireworks and pays \$100 to general fund. Hale and Sue take 3 week vaca-

Jim Mac pumped out septic tank during Gene’s Demotion, so, he gives \$20 to Dictionary Fund. Sadly, he was not present to receive accolades for his latest PHF. Jim is now PHF+6. That’s (choke) \$6,000, folks. Bev makes Jim Rotarian of the Month!

Gil Labrie returns from fishing trip to Sitka, AK, where he lands 100 lbs. filets of halibut, salmon and rockfish. He gives \$50 for general fund.

### Announcements

Bev says next week is Club Assembly, so consider changes you’d like in weekly meetings, effective recruitment of new members, factors that would increase your participa-

Conklin spearheaded the effort by twisting donors’ arms.

Nick colorized and digitized the historic photo, then primed the wall. He used Sharpie pens to outline, and finished by using house paint.

### Assistant D. G. Jon Dwyer

Jon is a retired chemical engineer living in San Ramon. He lauds our club for supporting 6 kids at Camp Royal and 1 at Camp Venture.

He says we must take care of new Rotarians and get them involved, or they may lose interest and leave. He describes work of Rotary Foundation.

### 50/50 Raffle

Derek Jones picks wrong marble.

## COMING ATTRACTIONS

DATE	EVENT	CHAIRPERSON
Friday, July 19	Club Assembly	Derek Jones & Beverly Bowman
Saturday, July 20, 6:30-9:30 p. m.	Tequila Y Más, Veterans Hall	Hector De La Rosa
Friday, July 26	To be announced	To be announced
Friday, August 2	Amazing Features of the Rotary Website	Jim McCracken