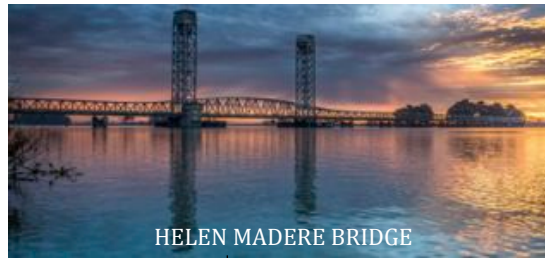




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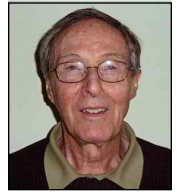
*"Do not go where the path may lead, go instead where there is no path and leave a trail."*  
 —RALPH WALDO EMERSON



HELEN MADERE BRIDGE

# Rotarian

*"Having fun helping others... watering the rosebuds"*  
 —DR. TED SCHULZ



Bob Bard, Ed.

## Special Notice re: Bass Festival

Rotary needs only 2 more volunteers for the Beer Booth. Please contact Walt at the store (374-2011) or stop in at Pets 4 All, and choose your shift.

### Who's awake this early?

Cub correctly observes that "Peanuts" started on this day in 1950.

### Gary leads us in moment of silence

We reflect on yesterday's senseless killing of OR students.

### Our national anthem has 4 verses!

Greg gives us printouts to read.

### Thanks for your help, Walt

Walt foolishly demonstrates his amazing capabilities, pinch hitting for both Jim McCracken and Derek Jones.

### Welcome DGE & spouse

Fred & Joan Collignon from the Berkeley club pay us a visit. Fred says their club membership is at 124.

### 50,000 volts...doesn't feel good

Pres. Greg menacingly waves his TASER around, after a foolhardy soul fearlessly "relocates" the bell.

### Jacks Guest...let her in!

It's good to see Tatyana Pool. Inter-club barbecue, Tuesday, Oct 20

Come join the other local service clubs at Veterans Hall for lunch.

### Hey, Dave, how's Bass Festival doing?

Answer: Great! (Signup list passed around; see note above.)

### Milestones

Al has wedding, Tim and Walt have club anniversaries.

### Student Rotarians Report

They started CSU applications yesterday, rally today at 11:05, Hector's away at League of CA Cities conference in San Jose, Homecoming theme is "exotic" today, Vs. Highland, floats are ready, sports teams discussed, Dance was lots of fun with no "issues" (congrats, Don!)

### Nice weather, lately...right?

Cub gripes about mosquitos. *Hey, this is the delta!*  
Confessions



RVFD Chief Alan Hartford updates us on latest fire codes.

Cub spends 2 days at track, 11 Corvettes beat all others. He's so proud that he gives \$50 to start PHF for Dad.

Wayne & Connie drive lawfully to SF, fly to NY, cruise on luxury liner to Boston, Kennebunkport, Halifax, VT, 50' tides, no fall colors, suite with bidet (what's that for?) unimpressed by NY sanitation; he flashes \$35 medallion.

Ted saves \$30 buying Amazon Prime, so he gives it to Xmas 94571.

While in Chacala, Mexico, this summer, Fred noted placard on a school recognizing Rotary Clubs' help, and our club is one that is listed. (*We believe Jack was instrumental in that effort.*) Fred says the schools have had

a huge impact.

Smooth talking Jim Mac easily handled the city engineers when his little old 180,000 lb.

crane was sitting on their subways at Macy's on Union Square with neither proper permitting nor exit route this weekend. Why do these officials get so stressed? Later, "animal" Jim played in Bank of R. V. tournament, modestly claiming he only scored in the middle of the pack, while not saying how many balls he lost.

### Program

Pres. Greg introduces Al Hartford, our first full time fire chief in a lot of years. Al brings us up to date on all of the latest fire code changes, explain-

ing how they affect our health, safety, welfare and cost.

Medallion Jim Mac auctions it off to Al for \$55.

Raffle Gene gets the right ticket, but the wrong marble.



Student Rotarians Alyssa and Cheyanne deliver report.

## COMING ATTRACTIONS

DATE	SPEAKER/EVENT	PROGRAM CHAIR
Friday, October 9	No Meeting--Bass Festival, Linguica Booth	Dave Mason
Friday, October 16	Mary Ellen Lamothe--Rio Vision	Dave Falk
Friday, October 23	Chacala--a Rotary Miracle	Jack Krebs
Friday, October 30	Just in Case	Jim McPherson
Friday, November 6	To Be Announced	Jamie Wilson