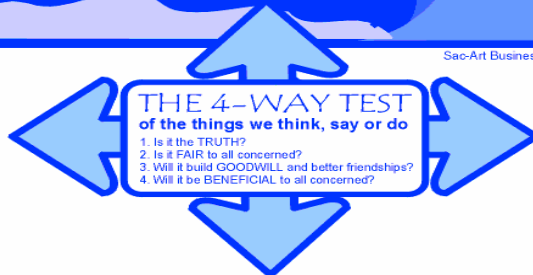


THE SCHOONER

The Spanish word for "schooner" is derived from the Arabic word "galata," and by the mid-1800's the area became known as "the place of the goleta."



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RI President: **Wilfrid J. Wilkinson, R C of Trenton, Ontario Canada**
District 5240 Governor: **Jane McClenahan, of Rotary Club of Ojai West**
Assistant Governor: **Deepa Willingham R C of Santa Ynez Valley**
Group 8 Representative: **Suzie Swenson, Rotary Club of S.B. North**

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April is Rotary Magazine Month

Upcoming Programs

4/29 - Los Prietos Program Construction

5/6 - Dark for noon meeting at E-Bar (Joint Meeting with the evening club Fireside Chat)

5/13 - Becky Albano - foreign exchange student

Special thanks to Bruce Holms for the meeting pictures and David Gore for the meeting notes that made this Schooner possible.

This Week: 4/22 - Rotoract President, Liz Werhane will tell the club about her trip to Italy

Last Week: 4/15 - Sarah McKittrick her roll as the Executive Director of Tradart Foundation. Tradart Foundation's mission is to operate and promote career development and workplace preparation programs through active partnerships with the community and industry so that students learn skills and gain competency as they work toward their professional goals. Sarah told the story about Santa Barbara High School was going to close the wood shop when Tradart step in to save the program. Sarah covered a vast range of programs Tradart is involved in from The Tools for Schools Program a partnership with Rabobank for \$25,000 and Hayward Lumber to supply tools for the wood shops.



McKittrick is also a teacher at SBCC in Santa Barbara City College Construction Academy Program where she teaches Construction 110, the first in a series of professional construction classes, set out to create a real-life construction experience for the students. This class was created to prepare the entry-level person for their first construction job. The curriculum was derived from interviews with SBCA members and Tradart's past experience teaching to prospective construction personnel.

The graduates of this class not only have been exposed to the overall construction process, but have concentrated on the basic first-day-on-the-job skills. They can safely carry lumber and plywood, nail rhythmically and operate a power saw, as well as read a tape measure. Many of the graduates are now employed by local contractors. For more info check Tradart's Web Site at www.tradartfoundation.org

Two Weeks Ago Meeting: Caitrin Mc Kiernan, reported back to the club with help from her father's mini documentary about her roll in producing the Martin Luther King Story in Beijing China. Caitrin worked with the nationally known Chinese actor Cao Li of the China National Theater in China and the Martin Luther King Jr., Research and Education Institute here in America to translate and produce the play in China. Caitrin point out the similarity between the gradual progress in politics and human rights in China and the 60s and 70s in the USA. As part of the broader cultural exchange Catrin McKiernam brought the Chinese actors to Kings hometown in Atlanta. Catrin and her father (Kevin) is hoping to raise money for a full length documentary, "Bringing King to China" This documentary film about building a bridge of understanding between young people in China and young people in the United States. For more info contact McKiernan Productions, PO Box 30036 Santa Barbara Ca. 93105 or Phone (805) 569-0380.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

1.) Steve Jones was standing in for President Barbara Kline continues promoting the **RI Convention in LA** and the need for volunteers to help at the convention. The RCGN has nine members sign up for the convention at this time. Steve promoted the upcoming District Assemble in Oxnard on the 26th of April



2.) Michael T. Bennett and other SB County figures will be honored by the Community Action Commission at a dinner April 24 in Solvang. The \$75 dinner ticket will go 100% to fund community service programs for youth and seniors, as the tables have already been purchased by a major sponsor. Barbara and Michael T. both have additional info.



3.) David Gore inducted Dan Singer into the Rotary Club of Goleta Noontime with the classification of City Administrator.

4.) RCGN will be participating in the District 4-Way Test Essay contest. A committee of four (Barbara K, Barbara T,

Steve and Dick) will review 30 essays submitted from San Marcos HS students, and will also nominate a 3rd grader essayist.

5.) Kathy Boomer needs the following supplies (See Picture) for redistribution to the homeless. You are encouraged to bring the shampoo, soap and other items you have been collecting from your travels.



6.) Bruce Holms took a few minutes to promote the Fireworks and had the chairs speak about how each committee is doing. It was reported that we now have \$28,000 pledged. We slightly be hide last years fund raising.

7.) RCGN will again sponsor Depot Days at the South Coast Railroad Museum on June 21, helping with handcar rides for young residents

9.) The Rotary Club of Goleta Noontime is sponsoring programs local and international over the last two weeks. Two weeks ago Diane Durst from the Food Bank of Santa Barbara received a \$500.00 check from our club to help buy need food.



Diane Durst from the Food Bank

Last week the club offered up \$1200.00 to AG, Deepa Willingham for PACE School Project in Piyali India. Deepa told the club the school has now added a 7th grade to the school.

Deepa Willingham from the PACE School

10.) David Gore's Rotary Minute was on Rotary's Ethics Workshops held for students at SB High, San Marcos High, Dos Pueblos High, Bishop, and El Puente Community School on April 17. The workshops are sponsored by the Rotary Clubs of Montecito, Santa Barbara Sunrise, and Goleta Noontime.





2007-2008 RCGN ACCOMPLISHMENTS

as of March 2008

Not all are listed - Just some highlights!



- Club Budget Approved In August
- Foundation Giving Approvals Finalized In August
- Club's Continuing Resolution Updated And Adopted
- Began Process Of Incorporating Club
- Implemented Quarterly New Member Orientations
- Created And Approved Weekly Meeting Cost Policy
- Updated Club Brochure
- Brought Awareness To Our Club To Strive For 100% Meeting Attendance
- Increased Our Membership By 20%
- One Existing Member Transferred Membership Due To Job Relocation
- Updated Blue Badge Requirements
- Updated Website To Include President's Letter
- Planned And Celebrated Our Roaring 20th Anniversary Party
- Celebrated The 20th Anniversary Of Women In Rotary
- Qualified For All District 5240 Awards
- Hosted Foreign Exchange Student Beck Albano
- Sponsored Successful 2008 Ambassadorial Scholar Robyn Smyth
- Sponsored Successful 2008 Ambassadorial Scholar Abby Horn
- Sponsored The Graduating World Peace Scholar Luke Brothers
- Hosted The Annual Fireside Chat With Evening Club
- Co-Sponsor The Los Prietos Boys Camp Scholarship Program With The Santa Maria Club
- Co-Sponsor The Annual 4th Of July Fireworks Festival With The Evening Club
- Sponsor The Annual Goleta Run For Youth
- Sponsor The Annual Goleta Teen Of The Year Community Service Award Program
- Sponsor A Booth For The Teens At The Lamor Festival
- Newly Sponsored Project - Toiletries For Shelters
- Registered Over 40% Of Club To Attend LA Int'l Convention By Early Bird Time Frame
- Won The Grand Marshall Award For The Fiesta Float
- Organized The Transportation And Decorating Of The Rotary Rose Parade Float
- Attended Joint BBQ Twice With The Evening Club
- Family Of Rotary Event Called Concert Night At The Bowl - Boomer's Hosted
- Family Of Rotary Event Called Soup Night Attended - Bennett's Hosted
- Family Of Rotary Event Celebrating 50th Birthday Of Barbara Klein Attended
- Issued Award Certificates To Important Community Members And Organizations
- Participated In Career Days, Job Shadowing And Other Youth Activities
- Presented 4 Honorary Rotary Memberships
- Hosted A GSE Team Member
- Organized And Worked For The Annual Rotarians At Work Day Celebrating 103 Years Of Rotary
- Held 2 Club Meetings At Vocational Sites - Friendship Manor And Alpha Resource Center
- Participated In Group 8 Activities - Verdi Concert, Funding Retract Liz Werhane Trip, Etc.
- 2 Club Members Assist District 5240 In The Administration And Training Modules
- 1 PRLS Graduate And 1 PRLS Teacher
- Sponsored 1 Outbound GSE Team Member
- Sponsored 1 3rd Grader In The 4-Way Test Essay Contest
- Literacy Project Giving Library Books To Our Goleta Union School District
- Community Tree Planting Project With Goleta Valley Beautiful
- Joint Community Project With Merchants To Provide Children With A Safe Halloween
- Supported The Arts Program In Our Community
- Supported Elementary School Teachers With Service Learning Grants
- Assist Our Local Food Bank
- Issued A Number Of Press Releases On Club Activities
- Club Member Michael T. Bennett Voted In To City Council And Appointed Mayor
- Club Member Attendance At Almost All District Seminars, Conferences, Meetings
- Sponsor 2 Websites - www.goletanoontimerotary.org and www.colstallfireworks.org
- Assist District 5240 In Maintaining District Website: www.rotarydistrict5240.org

Be Proud
RCGN Rocks!

PAY AND TELL

Cami Helmuth \$10.00 for her daughter work at Cali Poly
Michael Gartzke \$20.00 Tax season is over
Barbara Tzur \$5.00 Passover with her family
Bruce Holmes \$20.00 for going to Pittsburg
Deepa Willingham \$25.00 for a pitch for volunteers for LA Convention
Kathy Boomer \$5.00 ?????

VISITING ROTARIANS AND GUEST

We had one visiting Rotarians last week, our guest speaker Deepa Willingham from R C of Santa Ynez Valley. We welcomed our guest speaker Sarah McKittrick the Executive Director of Tradart Foundation.

AWARDS

Rotary International, Presidential Citation 1994, 96, 97, 98, 99, 03, 05, **07**
Rotary International 100% Paul Harris Club 2003
District Governor's Citation of Excellence 1996, 97, 98, 01, 03,04,05,06,**07**
District 5240, Small Club – Best Vocational Service 1996, 2003, 04, 05, **07**
District 5240, Small Club Best International Service, 1997, 03, 04,05,06,**07**
District 5240 Small Club Most PRLS graduates 2001
District 5240 Largest Increase Rotary Found. Giving 2001
District 5240, Small Club – Best Community Service 2002, 03, 04, 05, 06, **07**
District 5240, New Generations 2007
District 5240, Small Club – Best in Public Relations 1997, 2002
District 5240, Small Club – Best Club Service 1997, 2001, 02, 03, 04, 05, 06, **07**
District 5240 , Small Club – Super Club Citation 2003, 05, 06, **07**
District 5240, Small Club – Youth Service Award 2003, 04, 05
District 5240, Small Club – The Family of Rotary 2003, 04, 05

MAKE-UP INFORMATION

Rotary strongly encourages weekly attendance at club meetings. If you can't attend our meeting, you need to make up the missed meeting two weeks before or after at one of over 29,000 Rotary clubs worldwide. Other Group 8 clubs are:

Montecito Tuesday Noon Montecito Country Club
Goleta Tuesday 6:30 PM Elephant Bar
Santa Barbara Sunrise Wed. 7:00 AM Santa Barbara Club
Santa Barbara North Wed. Noon Harry's Plaza Cafe
Carpinteria Thursday 11:45 AM Community Center, Lion's Park
Carpinteria Morning Wed. 7:00 AM Carpinteria Women's Club
Santa Barbara Friday Noon Doubletree Resort

2007-2008 OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS - ROTARY CLUB OF GOLETA NOONTIME

PRESIDENT Barbara Klein CLUB SERVICE Kathy Boomer
PRESIDENT-ELECT Barbara Tzur COMMUNITY SERVICE Connie Burns
SECRETARY Sandy Stanbrough INT'L SERVICE Walt Stephens
TREASURER Michael Gartzke VOCATIONAL SERVICE Cami Helmuth
PAST PRESIDENT: Steve Jones Rotary Foundation Chair Dick Brody

ADDITIONAL GOLETA NOONTIME ROTARIANS

Michael Bennett Larry Brown Patricia Fabing
Glenn Davis Brian Gilbert David Gore
Ed Graper Bert Hansen Bruce Holms
Jana Kriling Emma Torres Roger Waldron

HONORARY GOLETA NOONTIME MEMBERS

Scott Campbell Donna Simons Dennis Trammell