

Rotary



Club of Fairfield-Suisun

Sunday, May 12, 2019

Club Meeting

Fairfield-Suisun
Meets at KROC Center
KROC Center - 586 East
Wigeon Way
Suisun City, CA 94585
Time: Tuesday at 12:10 PM



BE THE INSPIRATION

Club Officers



M. Kendall Hillman
President



Kelly Rhoads-Poston
President-Elect



Nadine Pieroni
Secretary



David L. Dacus
Treasurer



Michael G. Fadden
Club Director



Natalie Hicks
Club Director



Joan M. Lovell
Club
Director/President-
Nominee

James Pierson

Speakers

May

14th - Krishna Abrams, Solano County District Attorney
21st - Latest from the Fairfield-Suisun Sewer District
28th - Team Day - Planning socials, service & fun!

Dates to Remember

May

12th - Mothers' Day on the Waterfront - 11:30 - 1:00 - Event Support (Rough Riders)
17-19th - 4-Way Fest District Conference - Peppermill, Reno

June

1st - Solano Land Trust - Help Manage Lynch Canyon Run (Rough Riders)
8th - Solano Food Bank - 9:00 - 11:00 - Fill Food Bags (Rough Riders)
25th - Kick-out President Kendall - 12:10 to 1:30 - Kroc, Suisun City

July

13th - Solano Food Bank - 9:00 - 11:00 - Fill Food Bags (Rough Riders)
13th - District 5160 Awards/Inductions - Tailgate Party - Ready, Kelly?!

August

10th - Solano Food Bank - 9:00 - 11:00 - Fill Food Bags (Rough Riders)
12th - Fairfield Suisun Rotary Outhouse Open Golf Tournament

Birthdays

Carol Clague
May 6th

David L. Welch
May 9th

Murray T. Bass
May 10th

Kevin Flanagan
May 13th

Clarence H. Siemens
May 14th

Betty L. Homer
May 18th

Rene' Bojorquez
May 18th

Nicholas R Van Male
May 21st

Ione Sanders
May 26th

Thank You to Our Rotarians

Set-Up Take Down: Betty Homer, Dave Dacus

Pledge, Song AND Rotary Moment: Joe Scholtes

Inspirational Moment: Tara Dacus

Sgt at Arms: Jerry Wilkerson quizzed us on golf! He proved we didn't know our Albatrosses from a Blue Bayou!



Club Director



Cathy Ritch
Club Director



William K. Wesley
Membership Chair



Gail Zick
Club Director



Cynthia K. Garcia
Rotary Foundation
Chair



Jerry Wilkerson
iPast President



Carol Landry
Asst Governor co-
chair



Jerry Wilkerson
Asst Governor co-
chair

District Leaders

Jonathan R. Dwyer
District Governor

Tina S. Akins
DG-Elect

World's Newest Rotarian



Layna Kinsman was inducted by Dave Dacus.

Layna is retired after a career as a forest ranger (sounds like a future Club program, Joan Lovell!) Her proud sponsor is Joan Gaut, who achieved her Rotary Goal of bringing one new member into Rotary. **Welcome Layna!**

Sad News - In Memory of Bill Hunter

Joe Scholtes announced that **Bill Hunter** passed away last week. Bill was a longtime member and great asset to our club. Remember those amazing award-winning cakes from Raley's?

He also served as a member of the Travis Regional Air Force Committee, coached his kids' football, baseball and basketball teams and served on the Little League and Pop Warner board of directors. After his many years of coaching, Bill refereed basketball and baseball games and was a public address announcer at football games at Rancho Cotati High School. Most recently, Bill was serving as the President of the Davis Madrigals, a Davis High School singing group that his son Christian performs with - a group that is invited to sing all over the world.



His Celebration of Life will be June 29th from 2 to 6 pm in Dixon.

Little-Free-Library Project Takes Off



The Rough Riders showed off their Free Lending Library project which will be installed in front of Steve Lesslers House in Suisun City. Kelly volunteered her husband to paint the house (thanks, Jim!) Kendall offered to buy one for the Wild Turkeys if the team decides it wants to do one also.

You say you've never heard of a "free lending library?" Used books are stocked in the cute little house. People passing by take a book, leave a book, return the book to the original cute little box or another.

Each book we put into the box are stamped accordingly, and you never know where these books will end up as they travel the world. Just like Rotary.

Special Announcements

Natalie Hicks reported that the BrewBash had raised over \$23,000 this year, a \$3,000 increase from last year. This money will be divided 50/50 with the Suisun City Parks, Recreation and Marina Department. Yahoo!

Mike Fadden announced that the golf tournament has received checks from 3 sponsors so far. More are needed. **AND GOLFERS TOO!**

Too inspire us ALL to Mike's Call for support....**The Beatles:**
"IMAGINE the Outhouse Open
It's easy if you try.
No prob' getting golfers
Sponsors fallin' from the sky.
IMAGINE all that money
Helpin' people live todaaay..."

So email the Outhouse Flier sent to you a few weeks back to your friends, colleagues, church members, sport addicts, do-gooders and all the rest. "IMAGINE" having a full roster of golfers and too many sponsors to count by July 15th!

The Write Stuff - Our Speaker, John Thompson



Our speaker last week was John Thompson, former Vacaville City Manager and longtime Rotarian. He shared his trials and travails of authoring, printing and marketing his book "Without Purpose of Evasion." He offered a number of helpful tips for our MANY would-be author Rotarians.

As summarized on Amazon:

"...**Without Purpose of Evasion** provides a behind-the-scenes look at what it's like to run a city, fascinating incidents in California history, and interesting background on contemporary policy issues that appear on the front pages of today's newspapers."

President Kendall ordered up one on Kindle right there at the meeting!!

Did the Bocce Team "Kill It?" or "Not?"

Saturday May 11th was an AMAZING day to join over 200 fellow Rotarians in Martinez for a day of wine, beer and BOCCE!

Our sparkling team of "Fairfield-Suisun Ballers" included Tim, Gerry (Captain), Cathy, Kirk (Suzanne's hubby) Debbie (Cathy's friend and future Rotarian - we hope!) and Suzanne (who dacdb cut out from the photo... the fun of technology!) Gerry will share the grand results on Tuesday. All we'll divulge here is that records have been broken!



Our Amazing Fairfield-Suisun Rotarians (PLUS JERRY WILKERSON)...
(Sorry Jerry, still unable to address the technological glitch on dacdb, but we're trying.)



[Randeep Singh Arora](#)
April 8th



[Nathaniel Atherstone](#)
March 16th



[Murray T. Bass](#)
May 10th



[Rene' Bojorquez](#)
May 18th



[Suzanne Bragdon](#)
April 8th



[Kevin Burke](#)
November 9th



[Ralph Buss](#)
August 30th



[Carol Clague](#)
May 6th

[David L. Dacus](#)
September 12th

[Roderick Dichoco](#)
January 3rd

[Joseph Michael Dingman](#)

[Charles David Eason](#)



Michael G. Fadden
September 5th



Kevin Flanagan
May 13th



August 10th



July 17th



Thomas G. Giugni
September 14th



Tim Goree
July 15th



Cynthia K. Garcia
February 25th



Joan Karen Gaut
September 3rd



Joseph Hernandez
September 24th



Natalie Hicks
February 15th



Randy Hartt
January 28th



Robert Henley
June 20th



Steven R. Hoover
October 13th



Mark David Hostler
June 4th



M. Kendall Hillman
November 28th



Betty L. Homer
May 18th



Steve Lessler
January 23rd



Pamela Loar
February 27th



James D. Inks
November 24th



Layna Kinsman
June 16th



Richard G. Lubman
October 11th



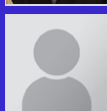
Mathew R. Lucas
February 18th



Roger Loar
April 10th



Joan M. Lovell
November 20th



Brian C. McEvilly
August 15th



Thomas L. Myers
October 27th



Edward Joseph Lydon
January 27th



Chris Matthews
November 9th



James Pierson
April 30th



Zach Powell
August 10th



Robert P. Ogan
July 21st



Nadine Pieroni
January 15th



Cathy Ritch
June 6th



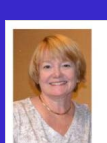
Juan Romagosa
February 2nd



Gerald Raycraft
March 2nd



Kelly Rhoads-Poston
October 31st



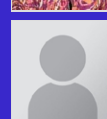
Jim Sanders
October 7th



Joe Scholtes
June 15th



Cecil F. Ross
June 14th



Ione Sanders
May 26th



Chris Hoekstra Singer
September 18th



Kimber Smith
November 23rd



Robert H. Sherman
October 9th



Clarence H. Siemens
May 14th



Nicholas R. Van Male
May 21st



David L. Welch
May 9th



William K. Wesley
October 11th



Charles B. Wood III
January 20th



Barry R. Young
April 4th



Gail Zick
August 28th