**Opening:** Our new Sgt. At Arms, Ron Perry, wished us a Happy Friday and welcomed us to the best Rotary club in the world: VIVA!

**Song:** Ron Perry, in honor of the 4th of July led us in “My Country ‘Tis of Thee”.

**Flag Salute:** Otis Archie, in a role reversal, led us in “Pledge of Allegiance”

**Invocation:** Vera Wallen, recited a quote by Peter Seymour, “Life is the love that reaches out, building bridges across gulfs of uncertainty to touch hands, hearts, and souls in the experience of union.”

**Lucky Buck:** Bonnie Cameron won the lucky buck, donating it to the Club.

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**Upcoming Meetings/Events:**
- July 14, 11:00 am, Community Service Mtg., Lodge.
- July 18, 5:00 pm, Viva Meeting, Roger & Sue’s
- July 19, 5:00 pm, Club Foundation Mtg., Lodge.
- July 20, 5:30 pm, Club Board Mtg., 5:30 pm, Lodge.
- July 22, 3:00 pm, Club Beach Party, 3:00 pm, San Simeon Cove, BYO grill food, refreshment, chair + a pot luck dish. Grill itself will be provided –you cook.

**Upcoming Speakers:**
- July 14, Dennis Frahmann, “Introducing The Cambria Film Festival”
- July 21, Scott Hickok, “Millennial”
- July 28, Sue Sloan, “Amazing Central Coast underwater video”
- August 4, President Mike, “Assembly meeting”
- August 11, Tess Wright, “The Amazing Annie Leibovitz”
- August 18, Wine maker Todd Clift, “Moonstone Cellars”
President’s Messages & Announcements:

- **President Mike**, taking the podium as President for the first time, commented “the day has come!” He then introduced the Club Executives and Directors for 2017-18:

  ![Club Executives and Directors](image)

  Sgt. at Arms, Ron Perry; Membership Chair, Chris Cameron; Grants Chair, Chuck Foerster; Family of Rotary, Donna Crocker; Youth Services, Richard Torcia, Programs Co-Chair, Janet Meyers; Vocational Chair, Joe Morrow; International, Jane Howard; TRF Chair, Bob Putney; Club Treasurer, Bonnie Cameron; Club Secretary, Julia Rice; President Elect Nominee & Community Service Chair, Mary Ann Carson, President Elect, Roger Robinson; and, Past President, Sharon Harvey. (Not in attendance, Program Co-Chair, Barbara Burns; Club Service Chair, Christel Chesney; Public Relations, Greg Sanders).

- In the absence of Smoothy Booth Team Leader, Christel Chesney, Karen Pelle thanked the following people who helped out at this year’s 4th of July event: Paul Young (for delivering and setting up the booth), Bob Putney, Miguel Sandoval, Monty Rice (cleaning and preparing the smoothy making machine), Karen Pelle, Sue Robinson, Tim Carr, Nancy Carr, Dennis Rightmer, Matt Clevenger, Miguel Hernandez, Bruce Howard and Bob Kasper.

- Viva Chair Roger Robinson announced that the next Viva meeting will be held next Tuesday, July 18 at 5pm at the Robinson’s home. Please R.S.V.P. to Sue (sueincambria@gmail.com or 927-2597) if you plan to attend so we have enough food and wine to go around!

- **Past President Sharon Harvey** once again honored members from her Presidency. Awards were given to Bob Putney, Joe Morrow and a Paul Harris for Vicki Schumacher.

- **Chris Cameron** presented our newest member, Julie Jenkins, with her framed membership certificate.

- **Tim Carr** invited everyone to the Annual Rotary Beach Party beginning at 3:00 on Saturday, July 22 at San Simeon Cove. Bring a chair, food, drink, etc. and enjoy a fun afternoon with your fellow Rotarians.

President Mike then outlined his goals for the year, specifically that everyone has FUN! He further expects, in the interest of our club and its valuable members, that social gatherings be held, the first to be announced shortly. He felt this would create more friendships and participation in activities and services. He would also like to see fireside chat type meetings to share and exchange ideas.

His second priority is the continued support of the International Polio Programs. He stated that we are “this close” to total eradication of Polio and he would like us to be involved.
**SHERIFF DICK:**

In keeping with tradition, *Sheriff Dick* took to the podium to make the grand announcement of the *Slow Learner Award* commemorating the club members who were found the most times without a pin. This year’s award goes to both *Steve Ormondroyd* and *Chuck Foerster*.

**FINE MASTER:**

*Fine Master Rick Low*, working with a clean slate of fines to award, fined our diminutive *Vera Wallen* for advising the Fine Master he could read the list better if he didn’t have his sunglasses on!

**Member Birthdays:** *Philip Sullivan* (Jul 2) and *Steve Ormondroyd* (Jul 3). The Fine Master tried to include *Kate Perry* in the list but she advised him that her birthday was not until the 17th. However, her sister, Sue, just had her birthday so we included her in the birthday song.

**Children’s Birthdays:** *Paul Young’s* son, *Bob Putney’s* son, Ryan, and *Sharon Harvey’s* daughter, Heather, all celebrated birthdays.

**Club Anniversaries:** Charter Member *Tom Tierney* celebrated 46 years with our club! *Chuck de Vrode* has been with the club for 34 years and *Bruce Howard* has been a member for 29 years! Congratulations to all and thank you for your service to Rotary.

**Fines:** *Patti Minutello* turned on husband *Bob Minutello* and told the Fine Master about his new car. Bob decided to spin the wheel and was fined $50. *Chuck Foerster* was overheard trying to bribe Sheriff Dick to not disclose him as a “slow learner”. That cost him $10. *Bob Kasper* was fined $10 because, once again, he was the big raffle winner in the American Legion $1,000 raffle at the July 4th celebration.

**Credits:** *Miguel Sandoval* received a credit for providing wine to the *Table of Wisdom*; *Bob Minutello* received a credit for providing the Fine Master with yet some more automotive magazines. And, *John Ehlers* received a credit for always giving (what he is giving, we are not sure).

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**Rotary Beach Party**

Come Join the Fun

Saturday, July 22

3:00 — ???

San Simeon Cove

Bring a snack to share and something to BBQ (grill provided), something to drink.
Next VIVA Meeting: 5:00 Tuesday, July 18 at Roger & Sue’s. Rotary wine and some nibbles NOT prepared by Roger will be available. Please let Sue know if you will be attending so she can make sure there is enough to eat (and drink).

Donations: We are still in need of silent auction, live auction and raffle items. And, there are still Grand Raffle tickets available. Have you tried posting the Grand Raffle prizes on your Facebook page yet? Give it a try. You may be surprised how many people want to buy tickets!

REMINDER: If you have anything you would like share in the newsletter regarding club activities, upcoming events, help needed, etc., let Sue know. (927-2597 or sueincambria@gmail.com).
Rotary Club of Cambria Foundation, Inc.

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Along with your Club Dues and Pledge, which help fund the operations of our Club, please consider giving to this year's Foundation campaigns.

Your tax-deductible donations can be directed to support the Rotary Club of Cambria Foundation as well as The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International.

At right, you will see definitions of categories in which you can allocate your donation.

Donate $25 to TRF and the Club will contribute $75 to make you a Sustaining Member.

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GROW BABY GROW!

Cambria Rotary Foundation has added a new Neal Jensen Fellow and has 30 members of the NJ Circle!

MAKE A $100 DONATION TO START YOUR PLEDGE AND JOIN US.
Make additional payments whenever you want - each year, each month, whenever!

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