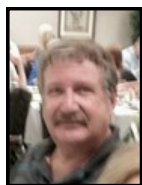




Maternal & Child Health Month

April 21, 2017

Today's Reporter



Bob Van Wagoner

Today's Greeter



Christel Chesney

April 28 Greeter



Barbara Burns

Photos



Patrick Hampton



Opening: Sgt at Arms **Otis Archie** opened the meeting with the best Rotary club in the world. VIVA!

Flag Salute: **Barbara Burns** led us in reciting the "Pledge of Allegiance"



Song: **Donna Crocker** led us in singing "She'll Be Coming Round the Mountain".

Invocation: **Vera Wallen** provided some inspiration by reciting a quote from Gladys Tabor.

Lucky Buck: **Chuck de Vrode** picked his own ticket and won the lucky buck, donating it to the servers.



UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS:

- Apr 26, Wed., **VIVA Planning Mtg**, 5:00 pm, at Roger and Sue's. RSVP to sueincambria@gmail.com.
- May 03, Wed., **VIVA Live Auction Mtg**, at Linda Sherman's, 495 Cambridge.
- May 09, Tue., **Creative Show & Tell Club Social** (see flyer on last page of this newsletter).
- May 10, **Chamber Mixer**, American Legion, Vet's Hall, 5:30 pm.
- May 12, **Community Service Mtg**, 11:00, Lodge Lounge.

UPCOMING SPEAKERS:

- Apr 28, **Jane Howard**, RYLA.
- May 05, **Melanie Barket**, CASA of SLO County.
- May 12, **Dr. Joe**, "Interactions of Trauma and Long Term Incarceration".
- May 19, **Nancy Foley**, "War in the Woods"
- May 26, **VIVA Planning Team**, Status update.
- June 2, **Mystery Guest**, You do not want to miss this!
- June 9, **Chris Fischer & Dennis Frahmman**, History of the Scarecrow Festival.



TODAY'S GUESTS:

Tim Waag, our presenter and guest of **Barbara Burns**.

SHERIFF DICK:

Sheriff Dick started looking through the ads in the new phone book and noticed a photo of **Chuck Foerster** without his pin. He will be going over the rest of the phone book with a fine tooth comb, so stay tuned. **Christel Chesney** attended Thursday's board meeting minus her pin and **Deputy Bob** caught **Dr. Joe** at **Costco** without his pin.



President's Messages & Announcements:

- **President Sharon Harvey** welcomed us all. She read a card sent to us by **Tammy Spisak**, Steve's daughter, thanking Rotary for all they have done for her and letting us know that she will be graduating from San Diego State next month. Sharon also gave us the sad news that **Nick Franco's** assistant, **Nancy Falconer**, passed away.
- **Mike Griffin** reminded us about the **Neal Jensen Fellowship** and thanked **Miguel Sandoval** for joining. For more information on how you can join, contact Mike.
- **Sue Robinson** announced there is a sign up sheet for **volunteers** to make appetizers for the **Creative Show and Tell Club Social at Patti Griffin's Studio** on May 9th. Sue also reminded everyone about the **Tip-A-Cop Dinner** (fundraiser for Special Olympics) will be held on June 1st. See Sue for tickets.
- **Christel Chesney** once again asked for **volunteers** to man the **Rotary Beer Booth** at the **Chili Cook-Off** on Saturday. Only a few people have signed up and more are needed.
- **Gerry Porter** announced that the refurbishing of the **Rotary Bandstand** at Shamel Park has been called off because of lack of **volunteers**.
- **President Sharon** reminded us all of the importance of volunteering to help with community service projects



VOLUNTEER QUOTE OF THE WEEK

"Volunteering is the ultimate exercise in democracy. You vote in elections once a year, but when you volunteer, you vote every day about the kind of community you want to live in". ~ Unknown

ROTARY: MEETING GREAT PEOPLE AND MAKING A DIFFERENCE

FINE MASTER: Fine Master Rick gave a public service announcement about allergies, from which he has been suffering for some time.

Member Birthdays: **Tom Tierney** turned 81 (Apr 15) and our esteemed president, **Sharon Harvey**, turned 67 (Apr 18). The birthday song was sung loud and clear!

Children's Birthdays: Sharon's grandson **Cameron**, turned 20 (so she donated \$87 for both her birthday and her grandson's).

Wedding Anniversaries: **Don Ramirez** and his wife, **Helen Sipsas**, celebrated their anniversary on Apr 15 but Don was not in attendance.

Fines: **Heide Santos**, **Julie Hastings** and **Matt Clevenger** were each fined \$5 for being late.

Credits: **Sue Robinson** was given a \$5 credit for presenting Rick with an avocado and an artichoke; **Christel Chesney** received a \$5 credit for sitting at the **Table of Wisdom**; and, **John Ehlers** got a \$5 credit for finding Rick a fork.



Report from the Chili Cook-off and Car Show

The **Chili Cook-off and Car Show** was a great success for Cambria Rotary! Despite some trepidation about not having enough volunteers to man the beer booth, many members showed up to help! Many thanks to **Gerry Porter** and daughter **Brenda**, **Linda Sherman**, **Karen Pelle**, **Matt Clevenger**, **Bob Kasper**, **Donna Crocker** and husband **Julian**, **Dennis Rightmer**, **Chuck Foerster**, **Ed Pearce**, **Bob Putney**, **Miguel Sandoval**, **Roger Robinson** and any others not mentioned!

There was a **Quinceanera** being held in the Vet's Hall so we were short a few tables for the booth. Thankfully, members brought enough tables for our use.

Miguel Sandoval and his crew raised the tents early and took them down after the event closed at 3:00 pm. Miguel also provided the beer and we used Rotary's stash of wine. Miguel also brought some nibbles for our workers from **La Terraza**, as it was time consuming to wait in line for chili tasting.

Gerry and Roger sold tickets for beer, wine and soft drinks with much help from Brenda. We ran out of 805 beer by 2:00 pm and had only Bud Lite left. Not much wine was sold, and we also ran out of water late in the day.

Weather was nice until about 1:00 pm when a cool breeze from the ocean came up and forced those of us who had them to put on our jackets!

Mary Ann Carson and **Sue Robinson** manned the ticket booth for chili tasting and despite the wind, stayed until the winner's trophies were handed out.

Christel Chesney made the Rotary chili, helped by **Socorro Simons** and **Bob Van Wagoner**, and they ran out of their 10 gallons of chili by 2:00 pm!

The income was not counted when we left, but it felt like we did well financially. Thanks to **Bonnie** for giving us a method to track sales - Gerry will have the results as soon as possible.

We all had a good time – many hands make short work! Thanks again to all who helped!

Presentation: California Indians: Past and Present

Barbara Burns introduced our speaker, **Tim Waag**. The first slide in his presentation was a photo of Tim and **Chris Cameron** backpacking! Why do we care about California Indians, Tim asked? They represent our state's history both past and present. Research is both vast and ongoing when speaking about the California Indians. By 1900 the Chumash Indians numbered only 200. California Indians are fragmented by region.

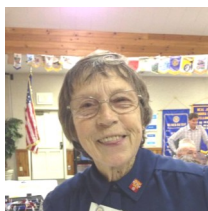


2017 Viva News

The next meeting of the **VIVA Planning Committee** will be held on Wednesday, April 26 at 5:00 at Roger and Sue's. Appetizers will be provided. RSVP no later than Tuesday, April 25th to Sue at sueincambria@gmail.com or 927-2597.

Volunteers are still need to solicit donations from both wineries and craft breweries. If you belong to a wine club or know a winery owner and would be willing to contact them to ask for a wine donation, please let Roger know.

Can't make it to our Friday meeting? Want a large salad instead of the regular meal? Bringing a guest? Want to sign on as a note-taker?



Call Vera at 995-3334 or email her at:
jvwallen@charter.net

Please "LIKE" us on Facebook by clicking on:  on our Club's page:

"CAMBRIA ROTARY"

Facebook is free. The more "LIKES" we get, the more Rotary's word spreads!
This is free publicity!



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).



Cambria Rotary News

ROTARY CLUB OF CAMBRIA FOUNDATION

The Rotary Club of Cambria Foundation, Inc. (our Foundation) is a qualified 501(c)(3) entity that has established a permanent endowment fund, the goal of which is to ultimately generate income sufficient to ease the pressure of fundraising.

Our Foundation receives the proceeds of fundraisers (e.g. VIVA, Chili Cook-Off Beer Booth, 4th Of July Smoothie Booth) and allocates those proceeds by formula among the Rotary Club Of Cambria (our Club) Avenues of Service and the permanent endowment fund. A portion of the income is also allocated to The Rotary Foundation in the name of our members.

Note that our Club member's annual dues are remitted to Rotary International and our District 5240 for dues, and that our Club member's annual pledges are used for the operating expenses of our Club. Neither your dues nor your pledge go through or to our Foundation.

Note also that our Foundation is separate from TRF (The Rotary Foundation), which was established by Rotary International and is involved in worldwide projects such as the eradication of polio.

Foundation Endowment:

NEAL JENSEN FELLOWSHIP - \$1,000 donation to our Foundation's endowment fund. Thank you to the following Rotarians who have joined the Neal Jensen Fellowship.

Carol Alexander	Del Clegg	Neal Jensen	Paula Porter
Dan Balfe	John Ehlers	Bob Kasper	Dennis Rightmer
Joan Broadhurst	Michael Griffin	Rick D. Low	Greg Sanders
Bonnie Cameron	Patrick Hampton	Paul McDonnell	Jim Zuur
Tim and Nancy Carr	Sharon Lynn Harvey	Nancy McKarney	
Christel Chesney	Bruce and Jane Howard	Gerry Porter	

NEAL JENSEN CIRCLE - \$100/year sustaining membership to our Foundation's endowment fund. Thank you to the following Rotarians who have joined the Neal Jensen Circle.

Elaine Beckham	Bruce Howard	Karen Pelle	Miguel Sandoval
Chris Cameron	Jane Howard	Ron and Kate Perry	Judy Schuster
Donna Crocker	Bob Kasper	Ed Pierce	Linda Sherman
Chuck Forester	Rick Low	Dennis Rightmer	Belinda Troutner
Patty Griffin	Janet Meyers	Roger & Sue Robinson	Dennis White
Mike Griffin	Mike O'Sullivan	Greg Sanders	

If you would like more information about either of these Foundation Endowments or are interested in joining either, please contact Mike Griffin.

Rotary Club of Cambria Foundation (continued)

Board Members:

Nancy Carr, President
Mike Griffin, Secretary
Gerry Porter, Treasurer
Steve Ormondroyd, VP
Bruce Howard, Director
Gail Ortenburger, Director
Chris Cameron, Director
Chuck Foerster, Director
Mike O'Sullivan, Director

Meeting Dates:

3rd Wed. of the month, 5pm, [Cambria Pines Lodge](#) -check with Board President to confirm.

Access to Box.com:

If you would like to view Foundation Minutes, Agendas, Financials, By-Laws, etc., contact the Board President for access information.



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Show us what you got!



**TAKE IN: MONDAY, MAY 8
 1-6 P.M.**

**EVENT: TUESDAY, MAY 9
 6 P.M.**

**Patty Griffin's
 New Studio
 1601 MAIN**



Patty needs a [recruiter](#) to take sign-ups, a [show curator](#) to receive and manage entrees at the studio on May 8, from 1 to 6pm. Please contact Patty if you can help with this fun event.

If you are willing to provide an [appetizer](#), please contact **Sue Robinson** who will be coordinating the food.