

Rotary Club of Cambria



Whispering Pines



DISEASE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT MONTH

Nov 9 2018

UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS:

- Nov 14, **Chamber Mixer**, La Terraza, 5:30 pm
- Nov 15, **Club Board Meeting**, 5:30 at the **Lodge**.
- Nov 23, **DARK**, Thanksgiving.
- Nov 27, **Festival of Trees, Wreaths & More**, 5:00-9:00 at the **Lodge**. (see flyer on page 7)
- Dec 14, **Ugly Sweater Holiday Party**, 6:00 pm at **San Simeon Beach Bar & Grill**. (see flyer on page 8).

Monthly Committee Meetings Listed on Page 4

UPCOMING SPEAKERS:

- Nov 16, **TRF/Polio**, **Bob Putney/Dennis White** at the **Lodge**
- Nov 23, **DARK** Thanksgiving
- Nov 30, **Wampum Trading Post**, **Heather Woodward**, at the **Lodge**

ON THE MENU

DELI BUFFET

Reminder, if you will not be at Friday's meeting, are bringing a **guest**, or want a **salad** (or normally get salad but want the regular meal) let

Sue know by **8:59 a.m. on Friday**

Phone: 927-2597,

Text: 748-2175 or

Email: sueincambria@gmail.com.

AT THE LODGE

NOV 9 GREETER



Sue Oberholtzer

NOV 16 GREETER



Socorro Simons

PHOTOGRAPHER



Patty Griffin

REPORTER



Sue Robinson

OPENING: Acting Sgt. At Arms, **Donna Crocker**, greeted us with "Yippee ki-yay" since we did not have a bell.

FLAG SALUTE: **Dr. Joe** led us in the "Pledge of Allegiance".



On 11/2 **Otis Archie** led us in singing **The National Anthem**.

INVOCATION: In honor of **Veterans Day** **Donna** quoted **Omar N. Bradley**, "Bravery is the capacity to perform properly even when scared half to death."



LUCKY BUCK: **Cynthia Woodruff-Neer** won the Lucky Buck and donated the proceeds to the servers.



President's Messages & Announcements

President Roger welcomed us and asked if there were any guests. **Bob Kasper** introduced our speaker, **Suzanne Kennedy**, and **Laudon Rowen** announced the return visit from **Ore**.

The Prez reminded us that the **Chamber Mixer** will be held on at 5:30, Tuesday, Nov. 14 at **LaTerraza Mexican Grill**.

Roger also reminded us that the **Club Board** will be meeting on Thursday, Nov. 15 (a week early because of Thanksgiving) at 5:30 at the Lodge.

Decorating of the **Rotary Float** for the **Rose Parade** will be done on Dec. 28 from 4-11 pm in Irwindale. Anyone interested in participating, contact **Sherry Sim**.

The **Past Presidents Council** will be meeting in December to select new chairs for 2019-2020. Mary Ann Carson will contact PP's with a date and time.

RI President Barry Rassin has asked us to support a project in **Tortola, British Virgin Islands** to clean up after Hurricane Irma devastated them last year. The goal is to send 20 **Rotaractors** from our District but help is needed to pay for their travel expenses. Those who wish to donate should make the check out to **Rotary District 5240 Foundation** and write Tortola in the memo line.

The **Midterm Training Seminar** will be held this year on Saturday, Jan.12, 2019 at Rancho El Chorro Conference Center. Presidents, Presidents-Elect, AND Presidents-Elect Nominees are encouraged to attend.



Otis Archie reminded us that the **Festival of Trees, Wreaths & More**, benefitting several local non-profits, will be held on Tuesday, Nov. 27 at Cambria Pines Lodge. Tickets are available (\$50 per person). Otis encouraged as many

Rotarians as possible to come out to support this event and show the community that Rotary does give back to the community.



VIVA Chair, **Mary Ann Carson** gave us an update on the very successful VIVA which brought in \$67,400 gross! She thanked everyone who helped to bring this event together from the set up and clean up to



the decorating, collecting and packaging silent auction, live auction and raffle items, selling and tracking Grand Raffle tickets, packaging and manning the Wine Pull, working the champagne reception, the bar, the reception desk, check out, etc. It really does

take a village! Mary Ann asked those involved to stand and be recognized. When so many people are involved, it is hard to list names for fear that someone will be left out. Suffice it to say, everything everyone did was greatly appreciated.

Sue O. thanked and acknowledged everyone who sold more than their share of **Grand Raffle** tickets with a big shout out to **Dennis White** who sold the most (19 tickets). He actually purchased all 19 tickets himself and had planned on donating the money from the grand prize to TRF if he had won. Sue presented Dennis with \$100 as a thank you for his above and beyond efforts. Other **Super Grand Raffle Sellers** included **Gerry Porter** and **Linda Sherman** who each sold 8 tickets, **Joan Broadhurst** who sold 10 tickets (including the big winner), **Nancy Carr**, **Christel Chesney** and **Sue O.** who each sold 11, **Judy Schuster** sold 13, **Tim Carr**, 15, and **Miguel Hernandez** who sold 16.





THE FINE MASTER



Member Birthdays: *Rick Auricchio* (11/1) and *Bruce Howard* (11/9).

Spouse Birthdays: *Jane Howard* (Bruce)

Children's Birthdays: *Rick Auricchio* (Jessie); *Ed Pearce* (John)

Wedding Anniversaries: Rick Auricchio (Amy) 11/9

Late Fines: *Bob Kasper & Phillip Sullivan*

Credits: *Bob Kasper* for a fine job as auctioneer; *MaryAnn Carson* for a great **VIVA** and Dennis White for **Grand Raffle** ticket sales. And, for the first time, the **Fine Master**, being so impressed with our very successful **VIVA** issued a \$5 credit to everyone in the club!!

SHERIFF'S REPORT

While *Sheriff Dick* did not catch anyone without a pin he did award a Free Pass to *Phillip Sullivan* for always wearing his pin.



Cambria Rotary Heroes

This from *Donna Crocker*:

"Regarding Rotary's project to give aid to post-hurricane British Virgin Islands: Adopted sight-unseen by my daughter, Karen, and her family, is the now named "**Lily of Scotts Valley**", who was rescued off the British Virgin Islands by a wealthy philanthropist in the aftermath of the hurricane. In honor of Lily and my daughter's family, we, who are not so wealthy philanthropists, would like to donate \$50 to Rotary's island clean-up project."

Thank you Donna and welcome to Lily of Scotts Valley!



This from *Paul Young*:

As if hauling tables and other Viva supplies out of the storage unit and delivering them to the Vet's Hall were not enough, *Mike O'Sullivan, Bob Putney and Paul Young* went back to the unit and organized it so it would be easier to get everything placed back! Thanks you guys!



Know a fellow Rotarian that deserves a shout-out. Let Sue know. Including a photo always helps.

Sue Robinson introduced our speaker, **Suzanne Kennedy**, who was the driving force behind the creation of the **Cambria Education Foundation**. Suzanne has lived in Cambria since 1988 with her husband **Jim Cunningham**. They raised their two children, **Mackenzie** and **Connor**.

Suzanne started off by telling us that both her children went through **RYLA** and she is very grateful to Rotary for giving them that chance. She then went on to explain that CEF was founded in the parking lot of the middle school by 4 parents who were concerned about cuts in the State budget. After working for about 12 months, they were granted non-profit status. Through numerous fundraisers, they were able to give grants to teachers, support field trips and science camp as well as other projects.

Unfortunately the **Cambria Education Foundation** (CEF) has had to dissolve due to lack of volunteers but they have been fortunate to receive the support of the **Cambria Community Council** assist in providing grants to teachers in the Coast Unified School District. In an effort to streamline the grant process and provide the most efficient use of volunteers, the education grants will now run through the Council. CEF will transfer all current funds to the Council in support of education-related requests. Anyone who has supported CEF in the past is asked to now send their donation to Cambria Community Council and indicate that you would like the donation to go towards education.

One of the hardest things CEF had to give up was their annual end of the year party honoring those teachers who are retiring. They are hoping one of the non-profits in town will pick it up. (Hint, hint).

Suzanne was asked about the t-shirt she was wearing which had a “**We Are One**” logo on it. She explained that every student at **Santa Lucia Middle School** will be reading the book **Refugee** by **Alan Gatz**, a compelling story about three refugees from three different time periods in history. It ties in with the school-wide theme “We Are One”.



Rotary Strong



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District 5240
Charitable Foundation ~ Fire Relief
#PeopleofAction

COMMITTEE MEETING DATES

The Rotary Foundation

1st Friday of each month

International Committee

3rd Friday of each month

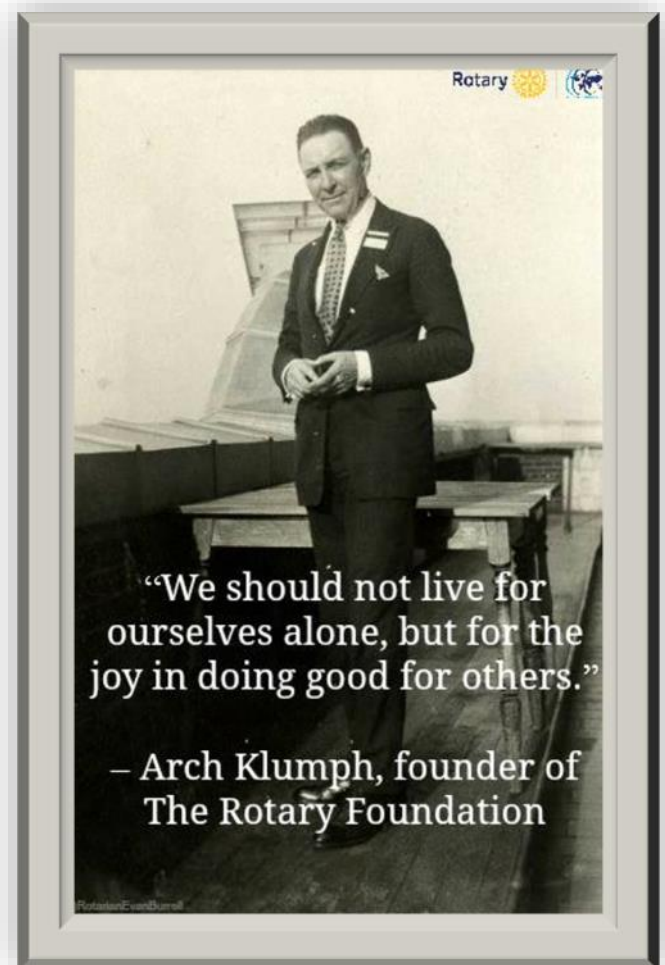
Community Service Committee

4th Friday of each month

All meetings are held at 11:00 at our weekly meeting location.



"Service Above Self"



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. Some of the income generated by the endowment is also allocated to the Club Avenues of Service.

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.

Board Members:

Chuck Foerster, President
Matt Clevenger, Vice President
Gail Ortenburger, Secretary
Linda Sherman, Treasurer
Nancy Carr, Director
Mary Ann Carson, Director
Mike Griffin, Director
Bruce Howard, Director
Steve Ormondroyd, 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.

ROTARY CLUB OF CAMBRIA



President: **Roger Robinson**

Polio Chair: **Bob Putney**

President Elect: **Mary Ann Carson**

Public Relations: **Otis Archie**

Vice/Past President: **Mike O'Sullivan**

President Elect Nominee: **Chuck Foerster**

Club Secretary: **Julia Rice**

Grants Chair: **Patty Griffin**

Club Treasurer: **Linda Sherman**

Awards Chair: **Julie Jenkins**

Club Service: **Christel Chesney**

Family of Rotary: **Donna Crocker**

Community: **Miguel Sandoval**

Program Chair: **Janet Meyers**

International: **Gerry Porter**

Web Master: **Linda Sherman**

Vocational: **Laudon Rowen**

Club Bulletin Editor: **Sue Robinson**

Youth Services: **Richard Torcia**

Sargent-At-Arms: **Ron Perry**

Membership Chair: **Nancy McKarney**

Club Exec. Secretary: **Bob Putney**

TRF Chair: **Dennis White**

Rotary Club of Cambria

Board Meetings

Fourth Thursday of the month at 5:30 p.m.

Cambria Pines Lodge

The Rotary Club of Cambria
Presents



*Festival of Trees,
Wreaths & More*
Benefitting local non-profits

Kick off the holiday season in a winter wonderland of uniquely decorated trees, wreaths, and more while enjoying music by Ron Perry & Mary Schwalbe.

Bid in a lively auction of trees and artistic creations. All proceeds from this event benefit participating local non-profit organizations.

Tuesday, November 27, 2018

5:00—9:00

Cambria Pines Lodge

\$50 per person

*Includes a champagne reception with Hors d'oeuvres and fabulous buffet Dinner. No host bar.
(there is no Christmas Market this night so free parking at the Lodge is plentiful)*

Tickets are available at Chamber of Commerce

**Sponsored by
Cambria Pines Lodge
Otis Archie
Robin's Restaurant**





TIS THE SEASON FOR THE
UGLY
Christmas Sweater Party



Come Eat, Drink, Dance and be Tacky

Date: Friday, December 14, 2018

Time: 6:00

Where: San Simeon Beach Bar & Grill

Cost: \$40 per person

***Enjoy your choice of
Prime Rib or Salmon***



***Reservations required by
Friday, November 30th
(Payment can be by cash or check
made out to Cambria Rotary)***



***Please bring an unwrapped toy for
Toys for Tots***



THANK YOU TO OUR FELLOWS

Carol Alexander

Dan Balfe**

Elaine Beckham

Joan Broadhurst*

Bonnie Cameron

Tim and Nancy Carr

Christel Chesney**

Del Clegg

John Ehlers

Mike & Patty Griffin****

Patrick Hampton

Sharon Lynn Harvey

Bruce & Jane Howard

Neal Jensen*****

Bob Kasper

Rick D. Low

Paul McDonnell

Nancy McKarney

Ed Pearce

Gerry Porter

Paula Porter

Dennis Rightmer*

Greg Sanders

Linda Sherman

Tom Tierney

Dennis White*

Jim Zuur*

* = plus one

Announcing... New NJ Fellows

Christel Chesney

Linda Sherman

Dennis White

Our NJ Circle is growing!

Otis Archie
& Joe Morrow****

Chris Cameron

Del Clegg***

Matthew Clevenger

Donna Crocker*

Chuck Devroede*

Chuck Foerster**

Mike Griffin

& Patty Griffin

Miguel Hernandez*****

Bruce & Jane Howard***

Bob Kasper

Rick Low

Janet Meyers**

Patti & Bob Minutello*

Gail Ortenburger

Mike O'Sullivan

Karen Pelle

Ron & Kate Perry***

Dennis Rightmer*

Roger Robinson

& Sue Robinson**

Laudon Rowen

Greg Sanders*****

Miguel Sandoval*****

Judy Schuster

Bally Singh

Belinda Troutner*

Jim Zuur***

Dennis White

* = plus one

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A donation to the Cambria Rotary Foundation stays
here in our community and will make a difference to
local kids and programs far into the future.

\$18,099 raised through the NJ Circle!