#### **Fellowship Month**

June 8, 2018

#### Today's Reporter



Sue Robinson

Today's Greeter



**Janet Meyers** 

**June 15 Greeter** 



Steve Ormondroyd

**Photographer** 



Sue Oberholtzer

**Opening:** Sgt. At Arms, *Ron Perry*, greeted us with a "Hey, hey hey! My name is Ron.

**Flag Salute**: *The future First Lady* led us in the "Pledge of Allegiance"

**Song**: *Ron* led us in singing This Land is Your Land.

**Invocation:** *Rick Auricchio* spoke about time travel and how making changes today can change the future.

**Lucky Buck:** *Miguel Hernandez* won the Lucky Buck and donated the proceeds to Polio.

#### **UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS:**

- Jun 13, RC Foundation Mtg, Lodge, 5:00 pm.
- Jun 13, Chamber Mixer, Mezzo Italiano, 5:30 pm.
- Jun 16, District 5240 Step Down, Buellton Marriott,
   555 McMurray Road, 11:00am—1:30 pm.
- Jun 19, VIVA Planning Mtg, the Robinson's. 5:00 p
- Jun 20, Foundation Board Mtg, Lodge, 5:00 pm.
- Jun 25-27 RI Convention, Toronto.
- Jun 29, Pres. Mike's Step Down Party, 6:00 at the Lodge

#### **UPCOMING SPEAKERS:**

- June 15, President Mike, Awards at the Lodge.
- <u>June 22</u>, **Anne Wyatt**, Home Share SLO at the Lodge.
- June 29, **DARK**, Pres. Mike's Step Down Party
- July 6, Pres. Roger's First Meeting at The Lodge

#### ON THE MENU FOR THIS FRIDAY

#### Salisbury Steak

Reminder, if you will <u>not</u> 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 by calling 927-2597, texting to 748-2175 or emailing sueincambria@gmail.com.



REMINDER: If you have anything you would like share in the newsletter regarding club activities, upcoming events, help needed, etc., let Sue know.

(call 927-2597or email sueincambria@gmail.com).

#### President's Messages & Announcements:

**Pres. Mike O'Sullivan** greeted us with "Welcome, welcome". **The Pres** then asked if we had any guests. We welcomed **Mike Bradley**, today's presenter from the Mid State Fair and **Debra Trout**, from Rotary Club of SLO de Tolosa.

- **Pres. Mike** reminded us that there is a Foundation Board meeting on June 13th at 5:00 at the Lodge and a Chamber Mixer on June 13th at 5:30 at Mezzo Italiano (in the former Allocco's Italian Bakery site).
- Pres. Mike also told us about the District 5240 Awards & District Governor Step Down Luncheon on Saturday,
   June 16 at Santa Ynez9 Valley Marriott. You can register at <a href="https://www.RotaryDistrict5240.org">www.RotaryDistrict5240.org</a>.
- And, our own Pres. Mike's Step Down Party will be held on June 29th at the Lodge at 6:00.
   A firm count is needed by Monday, June 25th so if you want to join in on this fun evening, contact Bonnie.
- Mary Ann Carson announced that VIVA preparations are going great. Raffle items are needed as well as silent and live auction items. Forms for donating are on the website.
   The next meeting will be on June 19th at 5:00 at Roger & Sue's. Please be sure to let Sue know if you plan to attend so she is sure to have enough nibbles.
- **Bob Kasper** thanked all the **Rotarians** that came the Sea Chest Dinner. A total of 71 people were there and the club made just over \$5,000! **Paula Porter** chimed in saying it was the best night ever! Many thanks to **Bob**, **Maureen**, **Aiden and Ryan Kasper** for their hard work making sure everyone was fed.



#### **SHERIFF DICK**

**Sheriff Dick** had a bad week until **Pres. Mike** confessed that he attended the Sea Chest Dinner minus his pin. At least he remembered the 4-Way Test.

#### **OUR CLUB IN SERVICE TO THE COMMUNITY**

Our club recently donated a Peace Pole at Santa Lucia Middle School. We received a note from *Principal, Kyle Martin* thanking us for the "beautiful new peace pole". He went on to say "We chose the saying 'May Peace Be in Our Schools' and we have that translated into seven other languages: Arabic (we have a student here from Iraq), Spanish (the home language of many of our students), Gaelic (our amazing librarian is



Iris), Amharic/Ethiopian (my son is from Ethiopia), Cherokee (we are the Santa Lucia Warriors), Hawaiian (where I used to live), and Japanese (beautiful alphabet). This is going to be a great addition to our school. Thank you so much for making this possible."



#### FINE MASTER:

The Fine Master returned to thunderous applause. OK. Maybe it was groans we heard.

Member Birthdays: John Ehlers (May 23); Bonnie Cameron (June 7) and, the forgotten one, Sue

Robinson (Apr 30).

Partner's Birthdays: Dennis Rightmer's wife Linda (May 27); Steve Ormondroyd's wife Marcia (May 21)

Children's Birthdays: Ed Pearce's son, Ed Jr. (Jun 6) and Joan Broadhurst's daughter Deborah ((June 7)

Club Anniversaries: *Chuck Foerster* 13 years (May 27); *Julie Hastings* 5 years (May 31) and, *Vera Wallen* who was recently spotted recruiting voters on election day joined 29 years ago on June 1. We sure do miss Vera!

Credits: \$5 credit to *Paul Young* for getting a raffle ticket for the Fine Master and for having 100% attendance!; \$5 to *Bob Kasper* for arranging the Sea Chest Dinner.

Fines Due: The Fine Master is taking his job seriously and wants to make sure to collect all the moneys due before the end of the year: *Mary Ann Carson* pd \$50; *Ron Castadio*, \$60; *Linda Ennen*, \$35; *Miguel Hernandez* \$100 (although he only owed \$35); *Shari Long*, \$6; *Alan MacKinnon* \$20. The Fine Master means business so if you still owe on your pledge, bring your checkbook next week!

## Sea Chest Dinner 2018

If it ain't fun, it ain't Rotary



#### PRESENTATION: MID STATE FAIR

Janet Meyers introduced Michael Bradley, Chief Executive Officer of the California Mid State Fair. He is a 4th generation Californian and provides a unique combination of fairs and exposition management, non-profit leadership and business development; he's developed an extensive background in agriculture and hands-on experience in marketing and community relations. Most recently he has directed the Arizona National Livestock Show in Phoenix as the CEO.



Mike told us that the Fair began having entertainment in 1969 with *Buck Owens* as the first artist. This year's entertainment will include some of the biggest names in the industry including *Luke Bryan*, *Demi Lovato*, *Faith Hill* and *Tim McGraw*, *Eric Church* and *Pitbull*, to name a few.

50% of attendees come from outside a 50 mile radius and 440,000 people attend annually. Because of this, it was decided to adopt a new slogan, "America's Favorite Fair".

The mission of the California Mid State Fair Heritage Foundation is to preserve and enrich the heritage of the 16th District Agricultural Association and showcase agricultural industries to the community; to offer support to the 4-H and FFA projects and create agricultural education opportunities; maintain a standard of excellence in the facilities and create capital improvement opportunities and to serve as an arm of the California Mid-State Fair that can accept charitable donations. A new building, the Paso Robles Pavilion, is a 100,000 square foot building which was a gift from the Heritage Foundation. The building will only house events related to the Fair and agriculture, but can serve as shelter during natural disasters.

One of the main goals of the Fair is to give kids a learning experience. Many under the age of 40, according to Mike, believe milk comes from the grocery store. California produces more food than Iowa and Texas combined. Future Farmers of America (FFA) is the largest single youth organization in the country with over 85,000 students in California FFA clubs alone!

At the end of his presentation, Mike advised us that 2 tickets to any non-sold out performance, either for the 2018 or 2019 Fair would be donated to out club! Than you Mike!





# ROTARY: MAKING A DIFFERENCE 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, 4<sup>th</sup> 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 Mike Griffin, Secretary Gerry Porter, Treasurer Steve Ormondroyd, VP Nancy Carr, Director Matt Clevenger, Director Roger Robinson, Director Bruce Howard, Director Gail Ortenburger, 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 EXECUTIVES AND DIRECTORS

President: *Mike O'Sullivan*President Elect: *Roger Robinson* 

Club Secretary: Julia Rice

Club Treasurer: **Bonnie Cameron**Club Service: **Christel Chesney**International: **Jane Howard**Community: **Mary Ann Carson** 

Vocational: *Joe Morrow*Public Relations: *Otis Archie* 

Membership Chair: Chris Cameron

Program Chair: Janet Meyers

Family of Rotary: *Donna Crocker*Youth Services: *Richard Torchia*Awards Chair: *Julie Jenkins*Past President: *Sharon Harvey*Web Master: *Linda Sherman*Club Bulletin Editor: *Sue Robinson* 

Sargent-At-Arms: *Ron Perry*Grants Chair: *Chuck Foerster*TRF Director: *Bob Putney* 

President Elect Nominee: Mary Ann Carson



## Rotary Club of Cambria Board Meetings

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



# \$15,050 Since Feb. 2017!

BRAVO to all of you who got us HERE!!!

Thanks to new donations from Belinda Troutner, Dennis White and Linda Sherman!

updated 5/18/18

includes new NJ fellows since NJ Circle started in Feb. 2017:

Pearce/Beckham/White/Broadhurst/Tierney/Rightmer

#### DENNIS RIGHTMER IS NOW A TWO-TIME FELLOW!

#### **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** 

**Tom Tierney** 

**Dennis White** 

Jim Zuur\*

### IN THE CIRCLE

Otis Archie & Joe Morrow\*\*\*\*

Chris Cameron

Christel Chesney \*\*\*

Del Clegg\*\*\*

Matthew Clevenger

Donna Crocker\*

Chuck Devroede\*

Chuck Foerster\*\*

Mike & 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 & Sue Robinson\*\*

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Belinda Troutner\*

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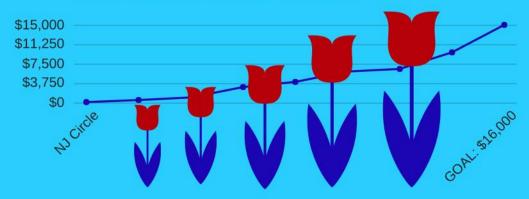
each year,

each month,

whenever!

## GROW BABY GROW!

Donations since Feb. 2017. Includes donations of those who have moved from NJ Circle to become new members of NJ Fellowship.





#### **MAKING A DIFFERENCE OPPORTUNITIES**

Join one of the Avenues of Service: In order to make our club THE BEST ROTARY CLUB IN THE WORLD, every member needs to consider helping in at least one Avenue of Service either by becoming an active committee member or volunteering to help with individual projects:

- ⇒ *Club Service*: focuses on making clubs strong. A thriving club is anchored by strong relationships and an active membership development plan.
- ⇒ International Service: encompasses efforts to expand Rotary's humanitarian reach around the world and to promote world understanding and peace. It includes everything from contributing to Polio Plus to helping Rotary Youth Exchange students adjust to their host countries.
- ⇒ Vocational Service: involves Club members serving others through their professions and aspiring to high ethical standards. Rotarians, as business leaders, share skills and expertise through their vocations, and they inspire others in the process.
- ⇒ Community Service: is the opportunity Rotary clubs have to implement club projects and activities that improve life in the local community.
- → Youth Service: allows Rotary to directly support our local high school, middle school and grammar school through scholarships, Interact Club support, STEM support, RYLA, Buy a Child a Book and other projects.

Work for a cause, not for applause. Live life to express, not to impress. Don't strive to make your presence noticed, just make your absence felt.

~ Anonymous

