ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT MONTH

October 5, 2018

Upcoming Meetings/Events:

• Oct 9, VIVA Meeting, 5:00 at Roger & Sue’s
• Oct 10, Chamber Mixer at Core Care
• Oct 17, New Member Orientation for Andrew Boyd Goodrich, 5:30 at Roger & Sue’s. RSVP to Sue no later than Monday, 10/15.
• Oct 23, VIVA Meeting, 5:00 at Roger & Sue’s

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Upcoming Speakers:

• Oct 12, Honor Flights, Bruce McGarth at the Lodge.
• Oct 19, Mobile Library in San Miguel de Allende, Bruce & Jane Howard and a visit from Julius Achon at San Simeon Beach B&G
• Oct 26, Community Service, Miguel Sandoval at San Simeon Beach B&G

This Week’s Greeter

Next Week’s Greeter

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Ron Perry

Sue Robinson

Opening: Sgt. At Arms, Ron Perry, greeted us with “Happy Friday”. Welcome to the Best Rotary Club in the World!

Flag Salute: Tim Carr led us in the “Pledge of Allegiance”

Song: Ron led us in The Adams Family in honor of the Scarecrow Festival.

Invocation: Donna Crocker quoted Margaret Mead: “Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it’s the only thing that ever has.”

Lucky Buck: Don Ramirez won the Lucky Buck and donated the proceeds to the servers.

On The Menu

Mexican 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 by Phone: 927-2597, Text: 748-2175 or Email: sueincambria@gmail.com.

At the Lodge
President’s Messages & Announcements

Gerry Porter, filling in for President Roger welcomed us and, after telling us a few jokes, asked if there were any guests: Nancy McKarney introduced Andrew Boyd Goodrich, Janet Meyers introduced our guest speakers, Claudia Harmon Worthen & Frank Widmann. It was also noted that there was a stranger in our midst... Lance Morales! Welcome back Lance.

Gerry Porter announced that Julius Achon, Ugandan Olympic Runner, author and humanitarian, will be at our meeting on October 19. There will also be a VIP Reception and book signing on Oct. 18 at the Freemont Theatre and a Meet & Run on Oct. 20 at Rancho El Chorro Conference Center beginning at 10:30. See page 5 for more information. He also told us that the International Committee will be sponsoring 10 CUHS students to the Freemont.

Julia Rice reminded us that tonight is the CUHS Homecoming and Ore will be one of the cheerleaders. Come on out and cheer on Ore and the CUHS Football Team!

Nancy McKarney announced that there will be a New Member Orientation for Andrew Boyd Goodrich at 5:30 Wednesday, October 17 at Roger and Sue’s. Please RSVP to Sue no later than Monday, October 15.

Dennis White talked with us about the push to end polio throughout the world, and our club’s participation in World Polio Day on October 24. We’re closer than ever to eradicating polio but we’re not done yet. We still need funds to continue immunizations and surveillance efforts. Your gift will get us closer to the finish line.

There are just 33 days til Viva!

Sue Oberholtzer reminded us of the importance of the Grand Raffle. 176 tickets have been sold (out of the 431 tickets distributed and the maximum available of 500) for a total of $8800. That gives us a minimum profit of just $2100. This means only 35% of the tickets have been sold so far and Viva is just 29 days away! So far, 39 tickets have been turned in unsold and there are likely more out there. We are running ahead of last year in the amount of unsold tickets so this does not bode well for next year’s Avenues of Service budget. See Sue O. or Sue R. if you can take more tickets. If you have sold tickets, please turn the money in a.s.a.p. to Sue O.

Julie Jenkins requested that silent auction donation forms be given to her a.s.a.p. so the items can be placed on the website. We are way behind last year especially gift certificates.

Linda Sherman said bottles of wine valued at $45 and above are needed for the wine cooler.
**Presentation: DARK SKIES INITIATIVE**

**Janet Meyers** introduced today’s speakers, **Claudia Harmon Worthen** and **Frank Widmann**. Claudia and Frank are pursuing Dark Sky Certification for Cambria. We were inspired by the **International Dark-Sky Association** (IDA), the leading organization combating light pollution worldwide, to pursue certification for Cambria as an International Dark Sky Community. IDA is the recognized authority for night sky protection and has taken the lead in identifying and publicizing the negative impacts of artificial light at night on human health, wildlife and the environment as a whole.

Claudia and Frank encouraged us to:

- Buy approved outdoor lighting. The IDA Fixture Seal of Approval provides objective, third-party certification for lighting that minimizes glare, reduces light trespass, and doesn’t pollute the night sky.

- Support our effort to win a coveted Dark Skies Community designation. Dark Skies communities adopt quality outdoor lighting ordinances and undertake efforts to educate residents about the importance of dark skies. IDA designates Dark Sky Places following a rigorous application process requiring applicants to demonstrate robust community support for dark sky protection and document designation-specific program requirements. IDA works with certified places to promote their work through media relations, member communications, and social media. A Dark Sky Places designation helps enhance the visibility of designated locations and foster increased tourism and local economic activity.

Cambria would become only the second California community to win the designation and the first on the coast.
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.
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.

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**Rotary Club of Cambria**

President: **Roger Robinson**  
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Club Secretary: **Julia Rice**  
Club Treasurer: **Linda Sherman**  
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Club Exec. Secretary: **Bob Putney**

**Rotary Club of Cambria**

**Board Meetings**

Fourth Thursday of the month at 5:30 p.m.  
Cambria Pines Lodge
Announcing...
New NJ Fellows

Christel Chesney
Linda Sherman
Dennis White

Our NJ Circle is growing!

Otis Archie
& Joe Morrow****
Chris Cameron
Del Clegg***
Matthew Cleveenger
Donna Crocker*
Chuck Devroede*
Chuck Foerster**
Mike Griffin
& Patty Griffin
Miguel Hernandez*****
Bruce & Jane Howard***
Bob Kasper
Rick Low
Janet Meyers**
Patti & Bob Minutello*

Gall 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

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!
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

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