

# Rotary Club of Cambria



# Whispering Pines



VOCATIONAL SERVICE

JANUARY 18, 2019

## UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS:

- Jan 23, **Foundation Board Meeting**, 5:00 at the **Lodge**.
- Jan 24, **Club Board Meeting**, 5:30 at the **Lodge**
- Feb 13, **Dave Melendy Blood Drive**, 12:00 - 5:00 at Rabobank.

*Monthly Committee Meetings Listed on Page 6*

## UPCOMING SPEAKERS:

- Jan 25, **Polio Eradication**, Jim Lewis & Deepa Biswas at the **Lodge**.
- Feb 1, **Patriotism During Wartime**, Joel I. Cehn
- Feb 8, **Interact Bake Sale**.
- Feb 15, **Everybody in the Pool**, Jim Major, Beth Yudovin and Tom Gray
- Feb 22, **SLO Food Bank**, Kevin Drabinski
- Mar 1, **PETS Wrap Up**, Mary Ann Carson

## ON THE MENU

### SPAGHETTI WITH MEAT SAUCE

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](mailto:sueincambria@gmail.com).

### AT THE LODGE

## JAN 18 GREETER



Sharon Harvey

## JAN 25 GREETER



Kate Perry

## PHOTOGRAPHER



Patty Griffin

## REPORTER



Sue Robinson

**OPENING:** Sgt. At Arms, **Ron Perry**, ringing the new bell provided by **SS Beach B&G**, and welcomed us to the Best Rotary Club in the World!

**FLAG SALUTE:** **Del Clegg** led us in the "Pledge of Allegiance".



Despite the sunshine, Ron led us in **Raindrops Keep Fallin' on My Head** to celebrate our recent rainfall.

**INVOCATION:** **Donna** quoted Benjamin Franklin, "Be at war with your vices/ At peace with your neighbors/ And let every new year find you a better man" (she substituted human being)



**LUCKY BUCK:** **Judy Schuster** won the Lucky Buck and donated the proceeds to **Camp Ocean Pines**.



## President's Messages & Announcements

**President Roger** welcomed us and asked if there were any guests. There being none, he proceeded with telling us another lame joke.

**Upcoming Dates:** Jan 23, 5:00, **Foundation Board Meeting**; Jan 24, 5:30, **Club Board Meeting**; March 9, **RI & Zone 26 Membership Seminar** in Pismo Beach; Mar 16, **District Training** in Oxnard.



The **Prez** announced that **Ore** still needs money to pay for her cross country train trip. The **Rice's** are planning a BBQ Fundraiser for mid-March. More details to come.

**Mike Griffin** passed out an updated flyer showing that the **Neal Jensen Fellows** account is at almost \$50,000 and the **NJ Circle** is almost at \$20,000! And, you can now have automatic payments charged monthly to your credit card...as little as \$5 a month! If you would like a credit card authorization form, ask **Linda Sherman** or **Sue Robinson** and we can send one to you.

**Dennis White** announced that **Deepa Biswas** would be bringing some wine from her vineyard next week to be auctioned off for the benefit of the **Piyali Learning Center**.



**Paula Porter** announced that **Ore** is going on a ski trip in mid-February. She has never seen snow so this should be a treat for her. However, she needs to borrow some ski clothes. If you know of anyone with ski clothes that Ore could borrow, please let Paula know.

**Elaine Beckham** announced that she is having a **House Warming** on Saturday Jan 26th and Sunday Jan 27th January from 2pm - 4pm each day. Her address is 633 Ramona Ave #55, Los Osos Ca 93402. Morro Shores Mobile Home Park is opposite the Audubon Sweet Springs Nature Reserve where there is plenty of parking. Or park in one of the visitors parking spaces in the Park. Like Cambria, parking is limited. Number 55 is opposite #81 - when they numbered the homes at Morro Shores they probably weren't drinking tea! Call Elaine on 805-835-3754 when you get lost, or just for the heck of it.



# Cambria Rotary Members in the News



**Donna Crocker** wanted us to know that her sister, **Char Dyer**, has just become a member of the **Rotary Club of Hanalei**. Char's husband, **Michael Dyer**, was a member of the Hanalei Rotary for many years, until his sudden death two years ago. He spoke at our **Cambria Rotary** once, reciting the 4-way test in Hawaiian and telling about his Rotary project to provide water rescue equipment to every beach on Kauai. Char and Mike lived in Kauai since 1971, had their own property management and real estate company and were involved in many nonprofit endeavors, including those with Rotary. My sister is a musician, singer and songwriter.

## SHERIFF'S REPORT

The Sheriff and Deputy both had a baaad week!



**THE FINE MASTER**, explained to our guests why his job as **Fine Master** is critical to the well-being of our club before beginning the task of issuing fines.

# Happy 48th Birthday Rotary Club of Cambria



The Fine Master announced that January 21st is the 48th Birthday of our club and he led us in singing the birthday song prior to fining each of us \$1. We didn't mind though, since the money will go to Polio. Plus we got treated to some really good carrot cake!

Tom Tierney told us that he joined the Rotary Club of Morro Bay 49 years ago, transferring a year later to the newly formed Rotary Club of Cambria. Wow!!

**Member Birthdays:** *Elaine Beckham* (1/18); *Janet Meyers* (12/9)

**Children's Birthdays:** *Mary Ann Carson* (Katy)

**Late Fines:** *Chuck Forester*, \$5.

**Credits:** *Kate Perry* \$5 for being way early; *Pres., Roger* for finally telling a decent joke.

## What is your clubs Strategic Plan?



**GETTING TO KNOW OUR FUTURE PRESIDENTS.**



**PE Mary Ann Carson:**

- She was part of a team the went into caves to band bats.
- She has had a fear of spiders ever since a tarantula landed on her arm
- At one point, she volunteered to vaccinate live mink.

**PE Nominee Chuck Forester:**

- Growing up in Pittsburg, **Roberto Clemente** was his hero. On September 29, 1972, he attended the game when Clemente got his 3,000th hit.
- Chuck was at the game on December 23, 1972, when, in a controversial play that is known as the “Immaculate Reception,” rookie running back **Franco Harris** of the Pittsburgh Steelers, another of Chuck’s sports heroes, grabbed a deflected pass from quarterback **Terry Bradshaw** to score a touchdown, winning the game for the Steelers 13-7 over the Oakland Raiders.
- One reason Chuck relocated to California from Pittsburg was because of his love for the **Beach Boys**. He has been to three of their concerts and has been friends with **Brian Wilson** on Facebook since 5/27/15.

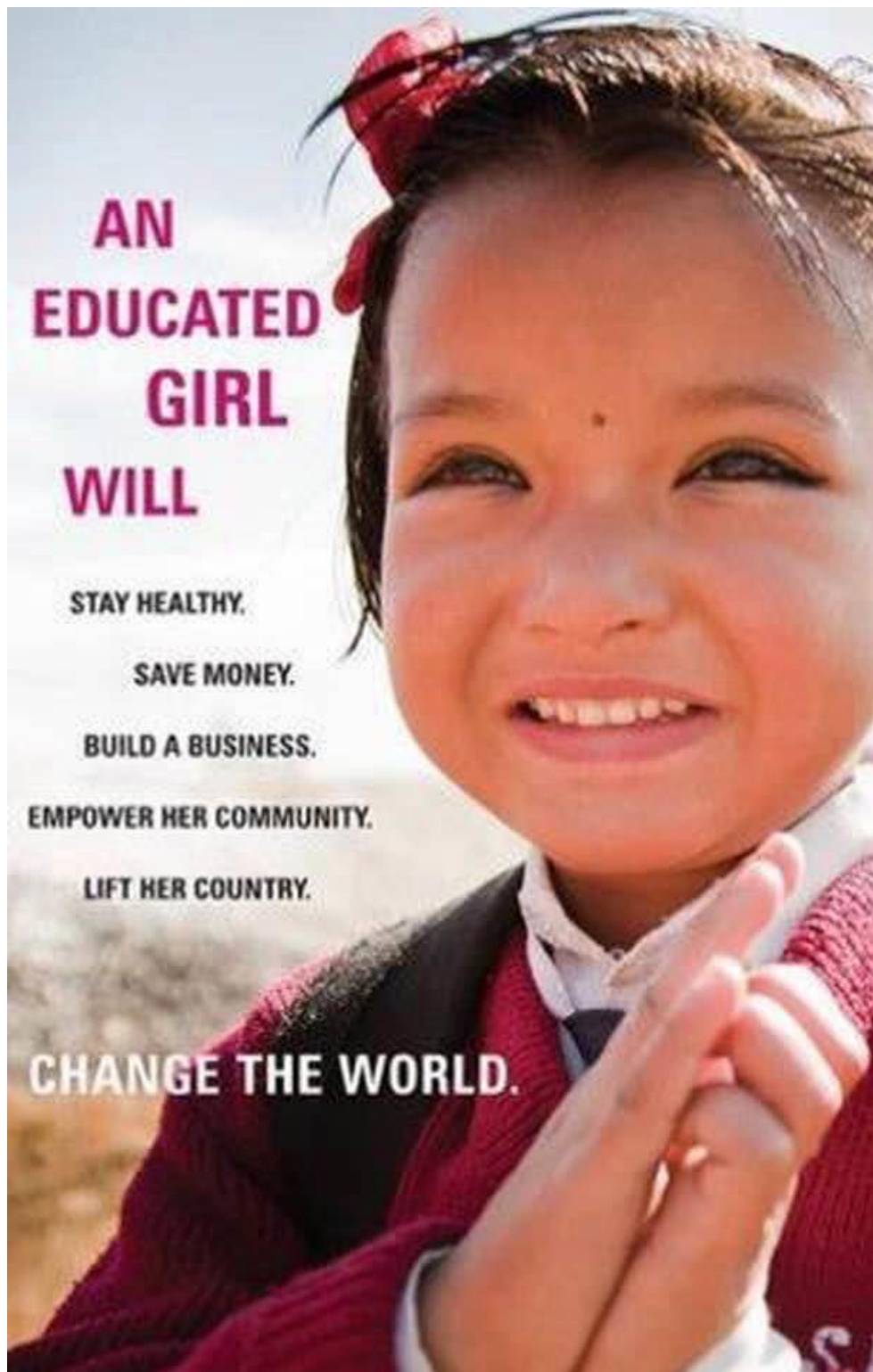


**PE Nominee Designee Dennis White:**

- After high school, Dennis was invited to live with a friend’s family in Newport Beach provided he got a job. He did find a job at a local fast food place but was fired on his first day for dropping a weenie in the chili.
- When his daughter turned 18, she suggested that they celebrate by going skydiving. Dennis, willing to do anything for his daughter, suited up and, at 14,000 feet, jumped out of the plane without a parachute.
- Even as a boy, the future tree trimmer loved climbing trees. His next door neighbors had a large property with an avocado grove. He and his friend traversed the entire property without touching the ground by jumping from tree to tree.

Have you guessed which were the truths and which were the lies?

- Mary Ann is not at all afraid of spiders.
- As much as Chuck wishes it were true, he was not at the game when Roberto Clemente got his 3,000th hit.
- Dennis was not fired from his job at the fast food place.



### ***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.

# NEAL JENSEN 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

**TOTAL:**  
**\$49,274**

**NEW! Automate  
your goodness...**



Decide how  
much... as  
little as \$10  
month!



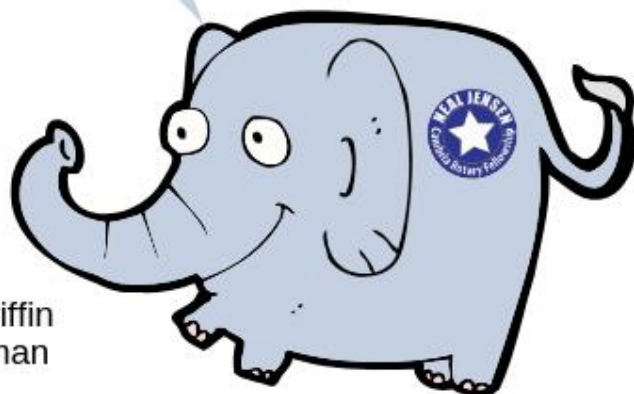
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Give to Mike Griffin  
or Linda Sherman

You can cancel at any time!

Let's make  
this easy!



**Our NJ Circle is growing!**  
**New circle memberships from Laudon Rowen,  
Linda Sherman and Dennis White**

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  
**Linda Sherman\*\*\*\***  
Bally Singh  
Belinda Troutner\*  
**Dennis White**  
Jim Zuur\*\*\*

\* = plus one

updated 1/18/19

**Since the NJ Circle started...**  
**\$19,374 raised! Thank you to ALL!**

# 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*

\_\_\_\_\_ 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**

President Elect: **Mary Ann Carson**

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

Club Secretary: **Julia Rice**

Club Treasurer: **Linda Sherman**

Club Service: **Christel Chesney**

Community: **Miguel Sandoval**

International: **Gerry Porter**

Vocational: **Laudon Rowen**

Youth Services: **Mike O'Sullivan & Cynthia Woodruff-Neer**

Membership Chair: **Nancy McKarney**

TRF Chair: **Dennis White**

Polio Chair: **Bob Putney**

Public Relations: **Otis Archie**

President Elect Nominee: **Chuck Foerster**

Grants Chair: **Patty Griffin**

Awards Chair: **Julie Jenkins**

Family of Rotary: **Donna Crocker**

Program Chair: **Janet Meyers**

Web Master: **Linda Sherman**

Club Bulletin Editor: **Sue Robinson**

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

Club Exec. Secretary: **Bob Putney**



**Rotary Club of Cambria**

### **Board Meetings**

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

Cambria Pines Lodge