

# Rotary Club of Cambria



# Whispering Pines



ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT MONTH

OCTOBER 12, 2018

## UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS:

- 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 24, **Foundation Board Meeting**, 5:30 at the Lodge.
- Oct 25, **Club Board Meeting**, 5:30 at the Lodge.
- Nov 03, **VIVA!** Vet's Hall, 5:30 pm.

*Monthly Committee Meetings Listed on Page 4*

## UPCOMING SPEAKERS:

- 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** **San Simeon Beach B&G**
- Nov 2, **VIVA Prep** at **San Simeon Beach B&G**

## ON THE MENU

### A MYSTERY!!

(when I know, you'll know)

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 SAN SIMEON BEACH B&G**

## THIS WEEK'S GREETER



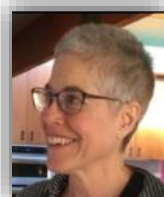
Paula Porter

## NEXT WEEK'S GREETER



Christel Chesney

## PHOTOGRAPHER



Patty Griffin

## REPORTER



Sue Robinson

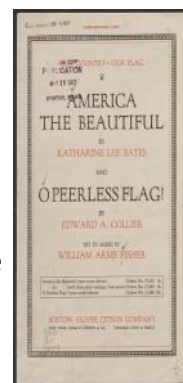
**OPENING:** Acting Sgt. At Arms, **Donna Crocker**, greeted us with "Welcome to the Best Rotary Club in the World!"

**FLAG SALUTE:** **Vera Wallen** led us in the "Pledge of Allegiance"



**SONG:** **Otis Archie** led us in **America the Beautiful**.

**INVOCATION:** **Donna Crocker** told us that the lyrics of America the Beautiful were written by Katharine Lee Bates, and the music was composed by church organist and choirmaster Samuel A. Ward at Grace Episcopal Church in Newark, New Jersey. The two never met.



**LUCKY BUCK:** **Ed Pearce** won the Lucky Buck and donated the proceeds to the servers.



## President's Messages & Announcements

**President Roger** welcomed us and, after telling us a few jokes, asked if there were any guests: **Ken Cooper** introduced our guest speaker, **Bruce McGrath & Susan Foreman**. And, it appears this is the month for surprise guests. Today we welcomed our dear friend **Vera Wallen**! It was sure good to see her.



**Pres Roger** then told us about the great speakers at the District Conference: **Nita Belles**, Founder and Director of **IN OUR BACKYARD**, a non-profit dedicated to fighting Human Trafficking and **Paul Chappell**, Peace Leadership of the **Nuclear Age Peace Foundation**. We will hopefully have more on both topics at upcoming meetings.



**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.

**Nancy McKarney** told us that the **Sheriff** records his encounters with Rotarians and awards people found most often wearing their pin with a **Fine-Free 2 Minute Announcement**. Today **Ed Pearce, Linda Sherman, Miguel Hernandez, Otis Archie, Rick Auricchio** and **Sharon Harvey** were the recipients of the award.

**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 Nancy at <mailto:nancy@mckarney.com> no later than Monday, October 15 so she can let Sue know how many mouths there will be to feed.

The Prez also reminded us about some upcoming events: **PRLS** (Practical Relevant Leadership Skills) will be held in Oxnard on October 26; **PETS** (President Elect Training Seminar) will be held in LA on February 19; and, the **RI Convention** will be held in Hamburg from June 1-5, 2019.



## THERE ARE JUST 20 DAYS TIL VIVA!

**Mary Ann** said **Silent Auction** items are still needed and both **Dinner** tickets and **Grand Raffle** tickets need to be bought/sold.

**Sue O.** reminded us of the importance of the **Grand Raffle**. As of today, more unsold tickets have been turned in than sold tickets. This does not bode well for next year's Avenues of Service.

**Patty Griffin** announced that she is donating a workshop for **VIVA**. It will be held March 2 & 3. The cost is \$175 per person and must be purchased in advance. Only 11 seats available. Proceeds go to Cambria Rotary Foundation. Thank you Patty!

**Silent Auction** items can be dropped off at **Nancy McKarney's** house (1334 Berwick) anytime.



**Jay Burbank** stopped by with a wood plaque for former club member, **Ron Waltman** who is moving back east. He asked those who know Ron to sign the plaque.



## THE FINE MASTER

Due to time constraints, there was no Fine Master today (much to Vera's disappointment).

## SHERIFF'S REPORT

**Sheriff Dick** did not catch anyone without a pin.



## PRESENTATION: HONOR FLIGHT

Honor Flight was created to honor America's Veterans for their sacrifices. Our speaker, Bruce **McGrath**, told us that the first Honor Flight took place in 2005 with 6 small planes taking 12 WWII Veterans from Springfield, Ohio on a visit to the memorial in Washington DC. Since then, over 300,000 veterans nation-wide have taken the trip. The Central Coast Chapter was formed in 2014 and so far have sent about 600 veterans to Washington DC with the most recent flight leaving on Monday with 5 WWII and 6 Korean War Vets on board.



### How Can You Help?

- Make a Donation
- Be a Guardian
- Volunteer
- Assist in Finding Veterans

Some interesting facts: When the Japanese came aboard the USS Missouri to sign the surrender documents, Gen. McArthur sat them at a table that he had lowered, by cutting the legs, so they would be much lower than the US military standing in the room.

In 1921, The Tomb of the Unknown Soldier was dedicated to the services of an unknown soldier and to the common memories of all soldiers killed in any war. With the emergence of DNA

technology, there should never be another unknown soldier.

Our Club was honored to present Bruce with a check for \$1500 so one more veteran can take the trip to Washington D.C.



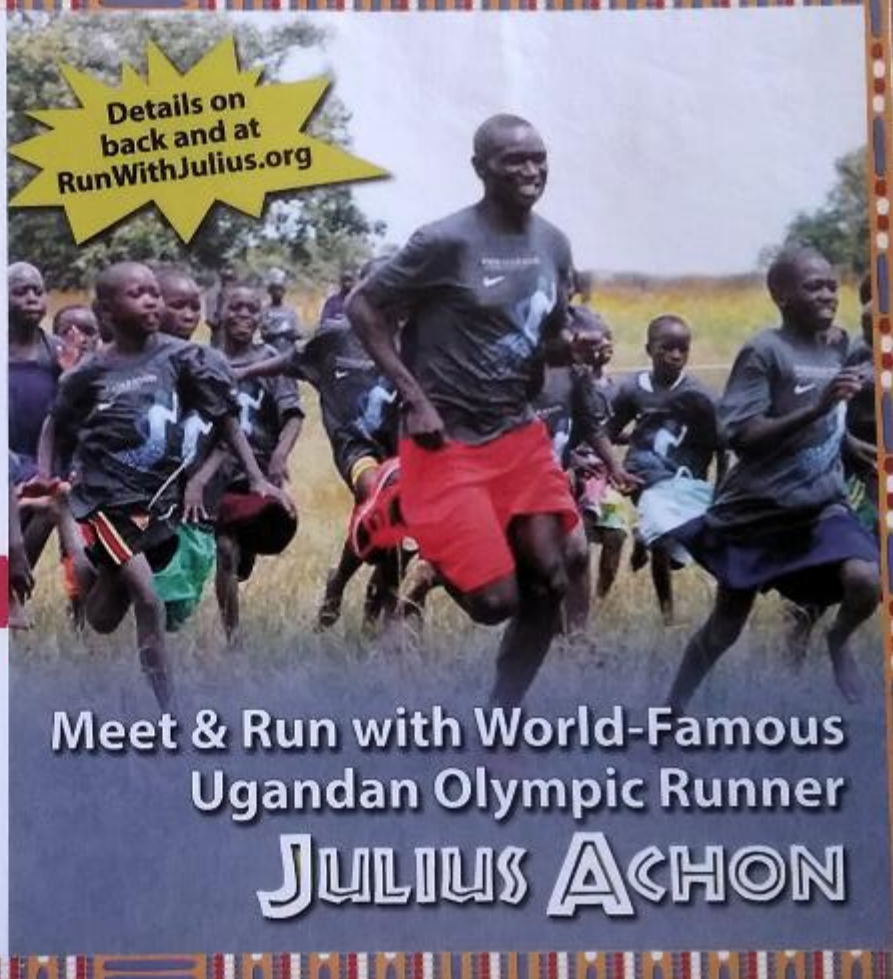


He was forced to be a  
**CHILD SOLDIER,**  
After months of cruelty,  
**HE ESCAPED-**  
and eventually became a  
world-class Olympic runner  
and an even greater  
**HUMANITARIAN**  
for the children of Uganda.

[www.RunWithJulius.org](http://www.RunWithJulius.org)

**Meet Julius Achon & John Brant**  
author of "The Boy Who Runs"  
**October 18, Fremont Theater, SLO**  
VIP Reception and book signing, too!

**Meet & Run with Julius Achon**  
**10:30am, October 20**  
**Rancho El Chorro Conference Center**  
Come to the BBQ at noon!



### 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"



### World Polio Day

The Global Polio Eradication Initiative is celebrating its 30th anniversary. Support bold steps toward a polio-free world with a gift to The Rotary Foundation.

**GIVE TODAY:** [rotary.org/donate](http://rotary.org/donate)



# 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*  
*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





## 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

updated 9/9/18

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

