January 5, 2018

Vocational Service Month

Opening: Sgt. At Arms, Ron Perry, opened our meeting for The Greatest Rotary Club In The World--VIVA!!!!!!

Song: Ron explained that the title of the song Auld Lang Syne, written by Robert Burns, means “days gone by”. We all broke into song at this point in honor of our first meeting of 2018.

Flag Salute: Bob Putney led us in “Pledge of Allegiance”

Invocation: Donna Crocker was inspired by Dennis White’s amazing recovery from open heart surgery. His attendance at today’s meeting was our inspiration.

Lucky Buck: Lucky Buck was won by Judy Schuster who donated the proceeds to Polio.

UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS:
- Jan 16, Chamber Installation Dinner 6:00 at Cambria Pines Lodge.
- Jan 17, Foundation Board Meeting, 5:00 at Cambria Pines Lodge. Guest: Barry Vanderkelen.
- Jan 25*, Club Board Meeting, 5:30 at Cambria Pines Lodge.

* dates adjusted for this month only

REMINDER: If you have anything you would like share in the newsletter regarding club activities, upcoming events, help needed, etc., let Sue know. (927-2597 or sueincambria@gmail.com).

ON THE MENU FOR JAN 12

Salisbury Steak

If you normally get salad but like the sound of the week’s entree, or, if you usually get the regular lunch but would prefer the salad, let Sue know (no later than 8:59 a.m. on meeting day).
President’s Messages & Announcements:

President Mike welcomed us and explained that he would not be at the next two meetings because he is on his way to Machu Picchu. Next week’s Club Assembly will be led by PP Bruce Howard.

Mike Griffin thanked everyone for contributions for Neal Jensen Fellowship. It is now up to $11,400 thanks to Linda Sherman and Joan Broadhurst who made the last donations of 2017.

A special welcome back for Dennis White - 5 week’s out from heart surgery. He had the surgery on his birthday, November 30th, as a gift to himself and his family. Looking great, Dennis.

Standing ovation for Sue and Roger Robinson. “Citizens of the Year”. Club is truly blessed because they belong to us!

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

SHERIFF DICK

Sheriff Dick had a good week. The competition for the Slow Learner of the Year Award is getting off to a great start. Shari Long showed up at the Sheriff’s house not once, not twice, but three times during the holidays without her pin! Deputy Bob Putney did not catch anyone without their pin and congratulated the club.

Can’t Make it to the Friday Meeting? Bringing a Guest? Want a Salad? Usually have salad but like the sound of the regular lunch? If any of the above apply to you, let Sue Robinson know. Either call her at 927-2597 or email: sueincambria@gmail.com no later than 8:59 a.m. on Friday.
PRESENTATION: Suzette Morrow, Art Education

Superintendent, Vicki Schumacher, introduced our speaker explaining that Suzette teaches art at both the high school and middle school and consults with the grammar school. Coast Unified is very lucky to have someone of Suzette’s caliber.

Suzette explained that Coast Union High School offers two Career Technology and Education Pathways (CTE): Arts, Multimedia, and Entertainment and Agriculture and Natural Resources. In addition to the core academic curriculum provided by Coast Union, students can choose to enroll in a College and Career Pathway. Each pathway is a sequence of three courses, out of the 32 courses required for graduation. The benefits of the pathway include courses that are all California State University/University of California approved, an opportunity to earn industry certifications for employment, and membership in a national student leadership organization.

Students are encouraged to participate in community service projects such as the Youth Art Show, a juried art show in which students in grades 3-11 participate. Everyone is encouraged to attend the show which is held during the month of March at the Coast Unified District Office.

President Mike thanked Suzette for a great presentation and presented her with a plague.

FINE MASTER:

The Fine Master, welcomed back in typical fashion, got right to work.

Member Birthdays: Patti Minutello (Dec 1), Dennis White (Nov 30),

Partner’s Birthdays: Bob Minutello (Patti), Christel Chesney (John),

Children’s Birthdays: Dick and Bonnie Cameron’s daughter Lynne, Tim and Nancy Carr’s daughter, Emma, Chuck Foerster’s daughter Kimberly and Donna Crocker’s daughter, Kelly Bunje.

Wedding Anniversaries: Donna & Julian Crocker (50 years), Dennis & Shelly White (36 years), Miguel & Judy Sandoval (7 years), and Ken and Gisela Cooper (45 years)

Late Fines: Nobody was late!! Way to start off the new year!

Miscellaneous Fines: The Table of Wisdom was fined for not having a woman at their table (resulting in a Table of Wisdom with no Wisdom).
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
Mike Griffin, Secretary
Gerry Porter, Treasurer
Steve Ormondroyd, VP
Nancy Carr, Director
Matt Clevenger, Director
Mike Griffin, 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.

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**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**

Co-Program Chair: **Janet Meyers**

Co-Program Chair: **Barbara Burns**

Family of Rotary: **Donna Crocker**

Youth Services: **Richard Torcia**

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**

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**Rotary Club of Cambria Board Meetings**

Third Thursday of the month
5:30 p.m.
Cambria Pines Lodge
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 Services**: 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
BRAVO!

Thank you to LINDA SHERMAN and JOAN BROADHURST who made the last donations of 2017! We surpassed our goal and raised $11,400 this year!

INTRODUCING...
OUR NEWEST FELLOW:

JOAN BROADHURST

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
Dennis White
Jim Zuur*

May the Circle continue to grow!

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***
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*
Greg Sanders*****
Miguel Sandoval******
Judy Schuster
Linda Sherman****
Bally Singh
Belinda Troutner
Jim Zuur***

MAKE A $100 DONATION TO START YOUR PLEDGE AND JOIN US.

Make additional payments whenever you want - 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.

$11,500
$8,625
$5,750
$2,875
$0

NJ Circle

GOAL: $10,000

updated 12/23/17
Includes new NJ Circle pledge from White/Broadhurst