**Upcoming Meetings/Events:**

- **Sep 1**, Pinedorado Parade
- **Sep 15**, SLO County Human Trafficking Summit, 8:30—2:00, Morro Bay Community Center, 1001 Kennedy Way.

**Upcoming Speakers:**

- **Aug 29**, Club Meeting/Social at LaTerraza 5:30 (in lieu of our regular Friday, Aug 31 meeting)
- **Aug 31**, ROTARY DARK
- **Sep 7**, Bob deLancellotti, The Estero Bay Foundation of Kindness at San Simeon Beach Bar & Grill
- **Sep 14**, Sherry Sim & Jim Brescia, Rancho El Chorro at the Lodge
- **Sep 21**, Andrew Crosby, CUHS Football at the Lodge.
- **Sep 28**, Three Truths and a Lie, at San Simeon Beach Bar & Grill.

**On The Menu**

**Mexican Buffet Dinner**

**At La Terraza**

**On Wednesday August 29,**
**Meeting starts 5:30 pm**
**Doors open at 5:00 p.m.**

**Opening:** Acting Sgt. At Arms, Donna Crocker, greeted us with “Hi, I’m Donna” to which the group responded “Oh Donna, Oh Donna!”.

**Flag Salute:** Sharon Harvey led us in the “Pledge of Allegiance”

**Song:** ASAA Donna led us in singing Aloha-oe, aloha-oe.

**Invocation:** Donna Crocker, at the request of Nancy McKarney: “Our club is as a canvas displaying a beautiful work of art”.

**Lucky Buck:** Guest Speaker Christel Chesney won the Lucky Buck and donated the proceeds to Polio.
President’s Messages &
Announcements

President Roger welcomed us and Tom Tierney told a joke. Members introduced their guests: Sharon Harvey introduced her daughter, Heather Foden, here from Cairo; Julia Rice introduced our good friend, Madeleine Rice.

PP Mike O’ Sullivan presented Paul Harris Awards to Otis Archie (PH+2), Bonnie Cameron (PH+7), Bob Kasper (PH+6), and Joe Morrow (PH+2).

Pres. Roger presented a People of Action Award to Christel Chesney on behalf of DG Sandi Schwartz.

Nancy Mckarney presented a blue badge to Sue Oberholtzer.

The Prez read an email from Vicki Schumacher thanking the club for another successful Teacher’s Breakfast. Event Chair Laudon Rowen asked all who volunteered at the event to stand and be recognized.

Julia Rice thanked everyone for coming to the Social on August 10. It appeared that everyone had a great time.

Pres. Roger reminded us that the last meeting of August will be a Rotary Club of Cambria Meeting/Social on Wednesday, August 29 at 5:30 at LaTerraza Mexican Grill.

Nancy Mckarney, RYLA Administrator at the District level, reminded us that members can send children and grandchildren to RYLA by paying the $375 fee. The club is limited in the number of kids they can send, so let Nancy or Jane Howard know as soon after July 1 as possible if you have a family member you want to send.

VIVA Chair, Mary Ann Carson reminded us that we still need bottles of good wine and silent auction items.

Julie Jenkins told us that silent auction donation forms will be available at each meeting.

Karen Pelle reported that 4 full tables have already been reserved.

VIVA Update:

Sue O. told us that last year 349 Grand Raffle tickets were sold for a net profit of $11,949. So far this year, 85 tickets have been sold. We need to sell a minimum of 51 more tickets just to break even. If you have sold/bought tickets, give the ticket stub and money to Sue O., (or Sue R. or Linda Sherman in Sue’s absence). If you still have tickets that you have not sold and do not plan on selling, please turn them in also so they can be passed on to other club members.

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TRF Chair, Dennis White showed us a short video about U.S. Paralympics champion, father, and polio survivor Dennis Ogbe’s story of dedication and perseverance inspires us to end polio (endpolio.org). He stressed the importance of donating to The Rotary Foundation and to Polio. You can see the full video at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=W54G1al31ok.

Jane Howard then read “What is it like to be a Rotarian?

A Rotarian is a person who...

Digs wells from which he/she will never drink;
Vaccinates children he/she will never meet;
Restores eyesight for those he/she will never see;
Builds housing he/she will never live in;
Educates children he/she will never know;
Plants trees he/she will never sit under;
Feeds hungry people regardless of race or politics;
Makes crawlers into walkers half-way around the world;
Knows real happiness that, as Albert Einstein once said,
“Can only be found by helping others”.

“Each of us came to Rotary because we had a longing—to have an impact, to make a difference, to be part of something larger than ourselves. That desire, that vision for a better world and our role in building it, is what drives us in Rotary. It’s what made us become members, it’s what motivates us to serve, and it’s what led me to choose our theme for this Rotary year: Be the Inspiration”.

~ Rotary International President, Barry Rassin

Sheriff’s Report
Sheriff Dick announced that, for the 3rd week in a row, nobody was caught without a pin! Good going everyone.
**The Fine Master**

**Member Birthdays:** Allan Mac Kinnon (Aug 11); Mike O’Sullivan (Aug 21); and Gerry Porter (Aug 21).

**Partner Birthdays:** Paula Porter (Gerry)

**Wedding Anniversaries:** Paula & Gerry Porter (48 years); Bob & Maureen Kasper (22 years).

**Late Fines:** Shari Long

**Credits:** $5 for Rick Auricchio for calling the Fine Master “His Eminence”; $5 each for Christel Chesney and Socorro Simons for sitting at the Table of Wisdom; and for the International Committee table for Food Art.

**PRESENTATION: Nancy McKarney: Membership**

Membership Chair Nancy McKarney began by reminding us that we are united in common goals and lifelong bonds.

**MEMBERSHIP BASICS:** Bring ’em In, Make ’em Comfy, Keep ’em Happy.

**AWARENESS:** SHARE CLUB ACTIVITIES & ACCOMPLISHMENTS with Friends, Associates, Other Organizations; WEAR YOUR PIN & ROTARY APPAREL; HELP DISTRIBUTE ROTARY PUBLICATIONS: the Rotarian, Club Brochure, Event Flyers; INVITE A GUEST TO LUNCH: Family, Friend, Relative (Not all Guests Need Be Potential Members); BOAST: “PROUD MEMBER OF THE CAMBRIA ROTARY CLUB!” on Business Cards, Email Signature, Your Business Marketing Materials.

**POTENTIAL MEMBERS:** BUSINESS ASSOCIATES, LOCAL ACTIVE VOLUNTEERS, ENERGETIC NEIGHBORS!

**SHARE THE JOY!** LUNCH INVITATION; Special Interest Programs; Celebrations/Awards; Make Your Own Burger Buffet! DETERMINE INTEREST LEVEL, Submit Proposal*, Invite Back, Regardless.

**SEQUENCE:** 1st lunch: YOU PAY FOR YOUR GUEST. Proposal Submitted by Sponsor. Board Classification Review & Notification to Members. 2nd Lunch: CLUB PAYS. Invite Potential Member back; Determine Applicant’s Interest. 3rd Lunch: CLUB PAYS. Invited to Become a Member; Completes Membership Application. Orientation Meeting is Set Prior to Induction 4th Lunch: INDUCTION, CLUB PAYS.

**ORIENTATION:** NEW MEMBER MENTORS (Monitor & Guide - Encourage NEW MEMBER ACCLIMATION). Red Badge: Greeter, Committees, Board Meeting, Roster Madness, Projects... Help Get Em Involved! Encourage New Member to Join Your Table, Committee, Project... Don’t be shy, introduce yourself to the Red Badge.
BE INVOLVED!  NAME BADGES AT THE MEETING; Do us all the favor…Newbies & Seasoned; SHERIFF PIN CHECK AWARDS; MEMBER FACTOIDS; MIX IT UP NOW & AGAIN MEMBER DISCOVERY MINUTES; Business & Personal Interests, FINE FREE; JOIN A COMMITTEE (Committees & Board Meetings are open to ALL); Visit A Committee Meeting With No Commitment; BE PART OF SOMETHING SPECIAL; Be a RYLA Counselor, Pick-Up Trash, Set-Up/Clean-Up Viva, Serve Beer at Chili Cook-Off, Walk in a Parade…..Dive in Beyond Friday’s Lunch; ENCOURAGE FELLOW MEMBERS TO JOIN YOUR FAVORITE COMMITTEE OR PROJECT! - Play together for more fun!

Bring em In • Make em Comfy • Keep em Happy

A STRONG CLUB IS UP TO ALL OF US!

Thank you Nancy for such an informative and inspirational presentation.
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.

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**Board Members:**
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**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**

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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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