Basic Education & Literacy Month

September 15 2017

Today's Reporter



Sue Robinson

Today's Greeter



Chris Cameron

Sep 22 Greeter



Paul Young

Photos



Elaine Beckham

Opening: Sgt. At Arms, *Ron Perry*, greeted us with "Happy Friday!"

Song: In honor of 9/11 and remembering when all members of Congress gathered together in song, *Ron Perry,* led us in singing God Bless America,



Flag Salute: **Gerry Porter** led us in "Pledge of Allegiance"

Lucky Buck: *Paula Porter* won the lucky buck, donating it to Polio.

Invocation: Vera Wallen read a quote from Dag Hammarskjöld, former Secretary-General of the United Nations, "Hunger is my native place in the land of passions. Hunger for fellowship, hunger for righteousness--for a fellowship founded on righteousness, and a righteousness attained in fellowship."

UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS:

- Sep 20, RC of Cambria Foundation Mtg, 5:00, Lodge.
- Sep 21, RC Club Board Mtg, 5:30 pm, Lodge.
- Sep 22, International Service Mtg., 11:00 am, Lodge.
- Sep 22-23, PE Retreat, Santa Maria Radisson.
- Sep 28, New Member Orientation for Lauden Rowen and Cynthia Neer, 5:00 pm at the Robinson's. RSVP no later than Tues., 9/26.
- Oct 6-8, Rotary District 5240 Conference, Ventura.

UPCOMING SPEAKERS:

- Sep 22, District Governor John Weiss
- <u>Sep 29</u>, *Mike Young*, former football pro.
- Oct 6, Dr. Miguel Hernandez, unicompartmental knee replacement
- Oct 13, Claudia Harmon, Beautify Cambria



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@qmail.com*).

President's Messages & Announcements:

President Mike greeted us and asked for an introduction of our guests: Barbara Burns introduced our presenter, Scott Hicok; Lauden Rowen, guest for the 5th time of Otis Archie; Glen Grego from Cambria Jewelry & Gems, guest of Karen Pelle, and Rosemay Cameron, guest of our host, Chris Cameron.

President Mike reminded us about the Rotary District 5240 Conference, October 6-8 in Ventura. If you plan to attend and would be willing to represent our club at the Business Meeting, let Mike know.

Karen Pelle told us that more donations are coming in for **VIVA** but more are still needed.

Sue Robinson told us that **Roger** is still in recovery mode but wanted to thank everyone on **Team Viva** for the amazing job they are doing and extended thanks to everyone who made or solicited donations, purchased and/or sold **Grand Raffle** tickets and purchased and/or sold event tickets. For those who have done none of the aforementioned, he asks "Why the hell not?"

Bob Kasper reminded us that the Sea Chest is holding their Annual Blood Drive on Tuesday, Sep. 19 from 1-6. Donors get a bowl of chowder, salad and dessert.

Patty Griffin thanked Philip Sullivan from Pacific Premier Bank for their \$1,000 Viva sponsorship. She also told us about her donation of a pottery class for 10 scheduled for February 24 & 25. The cost is \$170 per person and all proceeds go to the Cambria Rotary Foundation! Note: Patty was wearing a Camp Ocean Pines shirt in honor of her having recently become a California Naturalist Graduate!

Mike Griffin recognized *Elaine Beckham* for becoming the latest Neal Jensen Fellow!

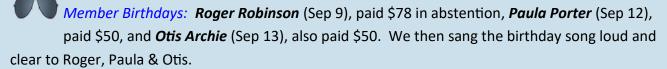
Steve Ormondroyd announced that a Highway Cleanup is scheduled for Saturday, Sep. 16 (meet behind the Shell Station). He also made a public service announcement cautioning everyone against attempting to move dead deer. To which **Chris Cameron** responded, "Where do you think our lunch came from today?"



SHERIFF DICK

Our Sheriff was having a baaaad week until yesterday when he caught *Elaine Beckham* at the post office minus her pin. He noted that this was her second offense and charged her \$15.

FINE MASTER:





Partner Birthdays: Greg Sanders' wife, Teri (Sep 14), Mike O'Sullivan's wife Carolyn (Sep 9) as well as Gerry Porter and Sue Robinson who joined in to sing the birthday song to their spouses today.

Late Fines: Julie Hastings, Joan Broadhurst and Bally Singh were fined \$5 each for being late.

Credits: *Philip Sullivan* was given credit Pacific Premier Bank's sponsorship of VIVA. *Paul Young* got a \$5 credit for continuing his 100% attendance and an additional \$5 for giving the Fine Master a cookie. *Steve Ormondroyd* was awarded a \$5 credit for his public service announcement.

Fines: *Bob Kasper* was fined \$10 and issued a heavy reprimand for refusing to give a young girl a glass of water after the Pinedorado Parade, despite the 100° heat resulting in a total meltdown of the poor child. Note: Bob was passing out Mimosas to the adults at the time. *Barbara Burns* was forced to pay \$5 for messing up our presenter's name, and *Chuck DeVroede* paid \$5 for not paying attention and not picking the Fine Master's lucky buck number

PRESENTATION

Barbara Burns introduced our speaker, **Scott Hicok**, Deputy Executive Director of Camp Ocean Pines. She told us that Scott is a newly married musician and summer camp entrepreneur who took over the summer camp at Camp Ocean Pines in 2010 and has grown the program by over 400%!

Scott gave a very entertaining speech explaining that, despite what we may have heard, Millennials are really no different than Baby Boomers. He said Millennials have been characterized in a number of different ways. On the negative side, they've been described as lazy, narcissistic and prone to jump from job to job. However, he is considered a Millennial but he left his home town of Phoenix after obtaining his Bachelor's Degree in Business and Entrepreneurship and



landed a job as a summer counselor at Camp Ocean Pines. He is still here, after working is way up to Deputy executive Director. He maintains that every generation is thought of in somewhat negative terms by the preceding generation. Case in point: over 2,000 years ago, Aristotle was quoted as saying "The children now love luxury. They have bad manners, contempt for authority, they show disrespect to their elders." and in the 11th Century, Peter the Hermit said "The young people of today think of nothing but themselves."

Looks like Millennials are a lot smarter than we thought they were! Thanks, Scott, for a great presentation. Hope to see you at Rotary again soon!

FINAL WORDS FROM PRESIDENT MIKE O'SULLIVAN:

From Walt Disney: If you can dream it, you can do it. Walt Disney.

Reminder: If you would like to make an announcement at the next meeting, email Pres. Mike and let him know.



DONATIONS:

Our challenge: We have only 3 more collection weeks for live and silent auction items. We really need some great bottles of **wine** to fill out wine cooler. If you committed to bringing donations and so far, we have not received them, the time is now! Items always needed: wine - **gift certificates** - **booze** (tequila especially) – **CASH** (yes an envelope with a few dollars can help us embellish our donations).









Grand raffle:

Our challenge: We need to sell 350 tickets and we are only about a third of the way there! This is the main fundraiser for this event. We need everyone's help. Ask your friends, family, neighbors, co-workers. You may be surprised at how they will react when they hear the great choice of trips. And, you will never know until you ask.



Event Tickets:

If you plan to attend Viva on October 21st, please purchase your tickets by registering on line or on the ticket form and checks can be given to Linda Sherman payable to the Rotary Foundation of Cambria. You do not want to miss this fun event. Consider getting a group of friends together and buy a table. Enjoy an evening of frivolity, food and fun all while helping to fund projects for our Club for 2018-19.





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, 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
Bruce Howard, Director
Gail Ortenburger, Director
Nancy Carr, Director
Mike Griffin, 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.

Can't make it to our Friday meeting? Want a large salad instead of the regular meal? Bringing a guest? Want to sign on as a note-taker?







Call Vera at 995-3334 or email her at: jvwallen@charter.net

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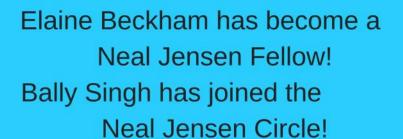
on our Club's page:

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Here we grow again!





THANK YOU TO OUR FELLOWS!

FELLOWS

Carol Alexander Dan Balfe**

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Greg Sanders Jim Zuur*

Cambria Rotary Foundation now has 32 members in the NJ Circle!

Elaine has moved to NJ Fellow status and Bally Singh has started a new membership in NJ Circle!

Otis Archie
Joan Broadhurst****
Chris Cameron
Christel Chesney
Del Clegg*
Matthew Clevenger
Donna Crocker
Chuck Devroede
Chuck Foerster
Patty Griffin**
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Rick Low

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