

Santee-Lakeside



Rotary Club

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Snippets

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GROW THE CLUB

Make Membership Your #1 Priority!

Tell Your Story

Make A Difference



The Four-Way Test

Is it the **TRUTH**?

Is it **FAIR** to all concerned?

Will it build **GOODWILL** and better **FRIENDSHIPS**?

Will it be **BENEFICIAL** to all concerned?

Happy "Rotary" New Year



New Board Installed

Pictured L to R: Edith French, Emily Andrade, Sandy Pugliese, Jana Bradley and Lori Bird

The Santee-Lakeside Rotary Club rang in its Rotary's New Year (2010-11) by celebrating its 50th Anniversary and installing new officers at a lovely, intimate dinner held at Barona Casino on July 8. Past presidents were invited to share in the celebration of a half-century of service to the Santee and Lakeside communities.

Outgoing president, **Pam White** was presented with a gift that reflected her tenure as president – a plaque to hang in her office that said: "I am not here to make a living. I am here to make a difference." And that she did. Under her leadership, the club received a President's Citation Award from Past Governor, Marge Cole for achievement in three avenues of service – membership, public relations and community service. Thank you Pam for your outstanding leadership!

The Club made history when **Edith French**, past president of the club had the honor of installing the 2010-11 officers – the first all women board. Installed were: President – **Emily Andrade**; President-Elect – **Sandy Pugliese**; 1st Vice President – **Jana Bradley**; Secretary – **Lori Bird**. Treasurer, **Robbie Evans** was not present and will be installed in a separate ceremony.

Emily in her first remarks of the year said she was proud to be the incoming president of a club that has heart and that her priority is to ensure that the club has fun as it works together in service.

Look for more in the August edition of Snippets regarding the strategic direction of the club and the goals established by Emily for her year as president.

Club Presidents

2010-2011 Emily Andrade
 2009-2010 Pam White
 2008-2009 Tom Miles
 2007-2008 Edith French
 2006-2007 Allen Carlisle
 2005-2006 Robie Evans
 2004-2005 Mike Uhrhammer
 2003-2004 Dan O'Brien
 2002-2003 Marjorie Cole
 2001-2002 Howard Kummerman
 2000-2001 August Cairns
 1999-2000 Charles Lane
 1998-1999 Rev. Mark Neuhaus
 1997-1998 Marjorie Whitehead
 1996-1997 Roland Rossmiller
 1995-1996 Michael Twichel
 1994-1995 Steve Hamann
 1993-1994 Marcia Johnson
 1992-1993 Doug Wilson
 1991-1992 William Stumbaugh
 1990-1991 Dennis Gerschoffer
 1989-1990 James Terry
 1988-1989 Stanley McDonald
 1987-1988 Joseph Spaulding
 1986-1987 Jerry Viner
 1985-1986 Vic Bermudes
 1984-1985 Lowell Hallock Jr.
 1983-1984 Douglas Giles
 1982-1983 Douglas Giles
 1981-1982 John Irwin
 1980-1981 Robert Brady
 1979-1980 Robert Greiner
 1978-1979 Bill Warwick
 1977-1978 Ronald Watts
 1976-1977 William Garrison
 1975-1976 Gale Ruffin
 1974-1975 Robert Jones
 1973-1974 Gerald Hamann
 1972-1973 Erv Metzgar
 1971-1972 Wolfgang Klosterman
 1970-1971 John Gill
 1969-1970 Robert Rump
 1968-1969 Russell Crane, Jr.
 1967-1968 Rev. Edward Garner
 1966-1967 Van Sweet
 1965-1966 Tom Smily
 1964-1965 Albert Lantz
 1963-1964 Charles Skidmore
 1962-1963 Frank Fox
 1961-1962 Ray Stoyer
 1960-1961 Walter Chandler

Clip Board



Club Member Assignments

July

Song

July 1	Augie Caires
July 8	Gene Chub
July 15	Doug Wilson
July 22	Robie Evans
July 29	Sandy Pugliese

Pledge

July 1	Patsy Ekdom
July 8	Liz Johnson
July 15	Bill Stumbaugh
July 22	Robie Evans
July 29	Pam White

Invocation

July 1	Shirin Dorin
July 8	Sandy Pugliese
July 15	Doug Wilson
July 22	Edith French
July 29	Dan O'Brien

Program

July 1	Water for Sudan
July 8	Installation
July 15	Club Assembly
July 22	Governor's Visit
July 29	Club Assembly

Rotary ABC's

Avenues of Service

- ♦ International Service



For years, Rotary's commitment to Service above Self has been channeled through the Avenues of Service, which form the foundation of club activity. 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 PolioPlus to helping Rotary Youth Exchange students adjust to their host countries or to grant projects such as the water projects the Santee-Lakeside Rotary Club is involved in.

One international project our club is involved with lies just across the border to the south of us. It is a working ranch of 450 acres designed to help children learn personal and working responsibilities based on Christian principles. The ranch is known as Rancho Santa Marta and is home for needy Mexican children. It is located about 60 miles south of Ensenada, in Baja California.

A vocational trade school is offered to the children living at Rancho Santa Marta and to those living in communities nearby. It offers such skills as carpentry, mechanics, agriculture, welding, sewing, first aid, secretarial skills, cooking, nutrition, computers and more. Additionally, Rancho Santa Marta provides a school for mentally disadvantaged children, slow learners, and children at risk. They learn practical skills: reading, writing and arithmetic for daily use.

In 1980, when Rancho Santa Marta was purchased, nine children were housed there. Now, there are well over 100 children being cared for, taught and loved.

Over the years, running water, electricity as well as phone and internet services have been added to the property. Classrooms, offices, visitor accommodations, and cottages for the children have been built. Construction, including labor and materials has been primarily accomplished through the support of church groups and organizations like our Santee-Lakeside Rotary Club who have partnered with Rancho Santa Marta to improve the living and learning conditions of these very worthy and needy children. Since the mid '80s, The Santee-Lakeside Rotary Club has been associated with this outreach. For the last several years, the club has provided an annual \$1000 grant and in earlier years it conducted field trips to the Ranch. Our most recent support effort provided 75 complete toiletry kits for residents of the ranch, a luxury for this meager community. A big thank you goes to Rotarian and immediate past president of the Santee-Lakeside Club, **Pam White** for her work in coordinating this effort and to Rotarian, **Vic Bermudes** who coordinated the delivery.

These young children and the trials they face are the very reason, we as Rotarians exist. Our humanitarian efforts change lives – one at a time – one day at a time.

Save the Date

Governor's Visit – July 22
District Conference – Oct. 21-24
Santee Chamber Awards Night
– Oct. 29.

July Birthdays



Vic Bermudes – July 31



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District Governor to Visit Club



Save the Date



Our newly elected **District Governor, Dave Breeding** has begun his rounding on all Rotary Clubs within District 5340. For Santee-Lakeside, that special day comes sooner rather than later. Please make sure you make it a priority to be at our meeting on Thursday, July 22 at noon to hear from this impressive Rotarian leader. Dave will be sharing his vision and his priorities for his term as our Governor. In addition, prior to our regularly scheduled meeting, Dave will be meeting with key officers of our club to learn about our vision and initiatives and to understand where he and his team of Assistant Governors can be of assistance to our club. It is truly an honor to have him with us so let's all juggle our very busy calendars so that we can be present to learn and share with our District Governor.

A Little about Dave...

It was a "Good by Polio, Thanks Rotary" bumper sticker and Rotary's pledge to eradicate polio that brought Dave into Rotary in 1999. He took great pleasure in administering polio vaccine to children in India during a Polio National Immunization Day. In addition to serving his club in many capacities, Dave has served the district as District Assembly Chair, Assistant Governor, and Governor's Chief of Staff.

Dave grew up in the Midwest and graduated with a degree in engineering from the University of Illinois. He also has a master's degree from Purdue University. He served as a Navy Officer aboard ship during the Vietnam War.

He and his wife, Marilee have been married for 41 years and have two daughters. With other Rotarians from District 5340, Dave and Marilee travelled to South Africa on two occasions to establish relationships with Rotarians there and work together on relief projects for AIDS orphans in the Zulu tribe. Ten matching grants and many great friendships resulted from those trips. Outside Rotary, Dave and Marilee are active in marriage enrichment ministries in their church.

ATTENTION PHOTOGRAPHERS: District 5340 is looking for beautiful images of California for the next Rotary Calendar. If you would like to be a part of the 2011 calendar, please email your image in for voting. Your name, clubs name will be featured if chosen. These calendars last year were used by other clubs as a fundraiser, gifts to sponsors, RYLA students to use as a fundraiser and to spread the word of Rotary all year long. Also photos of projects your club has done will be used for the inside page, so send that in also. Deadline to turn in your images is 8/31/2010. If your club would like to use as your own fundraiser, orders are now being held for the limited edition. Email or call me for details. 760-489-5131 Don