



Pleasantree

ROTARIANS IN ACTION LAST WEEK:

THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM "Who Wants to be a Rotarian Millionaire?"



Win Paul Harris Matching Points!

With Your Host
Steve "Regis" Lack



*And now, back to our
regularly - scheduled program. . .*



Special THANKS to Reporter Rick Flier for the following report (in the editor's absence last week).

Tom Cooper believes our St. Pat's fundraiser netted at least **\$25,000**. This money will allow us to fully fund our scholarships. Also . . .

. LN-4 hand sales - **\$4,750.00** was collected. That's enough for 95 hands!

. As a result of this, **Jim Bonato** received a bottle of Bushmills for guessing closest to the number of hands sold!

. The event Decorating Committee explained that *somehow* a bottle of Scotch showed up club members were decorating the room for the event. Or, as **Wallace** put it, "I had Scotch for lunch and Irish for dinner." Because he was regularly tipping this bottle during the afternoon, by 3:30 he was beginning to ask himself, "Am I going to be able to do it?" A large 6 foot rabbit named Harvey immediately responded, "Yes, you can!" Unfortunately for Steve, no one else saw the rabbit.

Steve also advised that we will have enough money to cover our usual grants. We even have money to pass onto Jim's year, unlike the way Ken shorted him . . . he then apologized to Ken Jacobson, saying "Just kidding." *Hmmmm . . . uh-huh.*

Steve's parting comment was how proud he was that we are only five short of achieving our membership goal of 20 new members. The Foundation giving is almost caught up . . . and at about this point, Steve pooped out. *(Time for your afternoon nap, Steve.)*

MAKE A DIFFERENCE: Quote of the Week

"If we had no winter, the spring would not be so pleasant; if we did not sometimes taste of adversity, prosperity would not be so welcome."

~ Anne Bradstreet



UPCOMING EVENTS

🕒 **Tuesday, April 7 – BOARD MTG 6PM**



CONTRA COSTA WATER DISTRICT
Board Room
1331 Concord Ave, Concord

CAMP ROYAL **June 14--20, 2009**

Camp Royale is a Rotary Youth Leadership Award Conference organized each June in the mountains of Northern California. The 67 Clubs of District 5160 have been providing this leadership learning opportunity since 1979. In 2009 we have space for 145 outstanding young leaders

CAMP VENTURE **June 28-July 3, 2009**

Camp Venture is now a five day training and motivational camp for students who have finished their junior year and are interested in pursuing a career in business, particularly as entrepreneurs. It is held in late June at the Maritime Academy California State University in Vallejo

THE 13-CLUB

"MAY MADNESS"

ROTARY BOCCE BALL 2009 CHALLENGE



The 7 Clubs of the
"MAGNIFICENT DIABLO 7"
Vs.

The 6 Clubs of the
"Super 680-Six"

NOON on SATURDAY, MAY 9

A **FREE** day of food, fun, fellowship
&
friendly competition . . .
to benefit Polio Plus

MARTINEZ WATERFRONT PARK

Be a part of



history and celebrate the
100th Rotary
Convention in Birmingham,
the heart of England!



"Believe it or not, here's one with zero per cent for, zero per cent against, and a hundred per cent undecided."



BRAVO!!

Bob Turcios 2010 Mnister of Merriment



Bob Turcios has agreed to lead the club next year as our 2010 Minister of Merriment !

Did you know Pleasant Hill has had their very own...
American Idol TALENT SHOW
 for 17 years?? Don't miss it this year!

This year **Star Quest** 2009 presents...

At the Hop!

- ▶ Saturday MAY 2, 7:00pm
- ▶ Sunday MAY 3, 2:00pm
- ▶ Reception & Art Show 6pm Saturday and 1pm Sunday
- ▶ DVC Performing Arts Theatre (Use Golf Club Rd parking lot)
- ▶ Tickets available at: PH Rec & Park District Office, PH Community Center, and PH Police Station (donation \$8.00 in advance, \$9.00 at door)

Star Quest 2009
 17th Annual Youth Talent Show "Searching for the Stars of Pleasant Hill"
 Sponsored by Rotary Club of Pleasant Hill

FOR MORE INFO 682-0896

Rotary Returns to PHBA

Our Club is Sponsoring Two PHBA Teams for 2009!



Boys Age 7

Cubs Schedule This Week

Saturday March 28	11AM	at PH Park	Home vs. Tigers
Wednesday April 1	1:30pm	at PO-B	Away vs. Astros



Girls Ages 5-6

Cubs Schedule this week

Saturday March 28	4:30pm	at PO-3	Home vs. Giants
Thursday April 2	4:30pm	at PO-2	Away vs. Phillies

THE MAGNIFICENT DIABLO 7

ROTARY BLOOD DRIVE

June 1-14, 2009



American Red Cross
Together, we can save a life



Diablo Valley Area Rotarians are urged to make an appointment and give blood June 1-14 at:

**Contra Costa Blood Center
140 Gregory Lane
Pleasant Hill, California**

**What better way to
Make Dreams Real!**

Where our Rotary Buddies Meet




MONDAY		
Brentwood	Bunker's Grill	12:15
Danville	Brass Door	12:00
TUESDAY		
WC Sunrise	Scott's Seafood	7:00AM
Walnut Creek	Heather Farms Garden	12:15
Benicia	Benicia Yacht Club	12:15
Moraga	St Mary's College	12:15
Pittsburg	Delta View Golf Course	12:15
Diablo View	Pyramid Alehouse	5:30
WEDNESDAY		
Delta (Antioch)	Lone Tree Golf Course	7:00AM
Concord-Diablo	Marie Callendar's	12:00
Martinez	Grace Episcopal Church	7:00AM
Orinda	Community Center	12:15
Rossmoor/WC	Hillside Clubhouse	12:10
Alamo	Round Hill Country Club	12:00
THURSDAY		
Clayton Valley	Oakhurst Country Club	7:00AM
Antioch	Lone Tree Golf Course	12:15
Lafayette	Oakwood Athletic Club	12:15
FRIDAY		
La Morinda	Postinos Restaurant	7:00 AM
Concord	Hilton Hotel	12:15

International President	D.K. Lee
District 5160 Governor	Jim Campbell
Lieutenant Governor	Dave Dacus
Assistant Governor	Steven Lack

Board of Directors 2008-2009 Rotary Club of Pleasant Hill


President	Steve Wallace
President Elect	Jim Bonato
Club Secretary	Stacy Antonel
Immediate Past President	Ken Jacobson
Treasurer	Jerry Putman
Newsletter Editor	Steve Lack
Community Service	Michelle Turner
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President Elect Nominee	Tina Young
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Social	David Deutscher
International	Tom Cooper
Rotary Foundation	Raleigh Davis
Sgt. at Arms	John Burgh
Public Relations	Faye Donaghu
Historians	David Tittle Jim Nunes
Youth & Interact	Mike Huguet
Photographer	Doc Whitney



POP QUIZ:
PH ROTARY FACTS

Q: When our club was chartered in 1953, what was the designation for our Rotary District at that time?


A. District 1560
B. District 500
C. District 157
D. District 10



→ THE ROTARY POP QUIZ ANSWER

Last week's answer:

The April 11, 2009 District Assembly will be held at:
CAL STATE EAST BAY



District Leadership Assembly

Learn about the world of Rotary & being a Rotarian!

Join fellow Area Rotarians
Saturday, April 11

8:00am - 2:30pm
Cal State East Bay
4700 Ygnacio Road, Concord