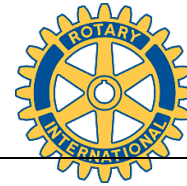


STOCKTON SUNRISE ROTARY CLUB

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District #5220



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Tuesday, May 11, 2004

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Bulletin Editor	Nancy Slatten

Meeting Happenings:

President Russ opened the meeting with the now familiar cowbell again. We were reminded of the District Assembly being held Saturday morning, May 15th at the Radisson Hotel. That's *this* Saturday, and it would be a good way to spend a morning learning about Rotary, especially our new members. It wouldn't hurt the older members, either!

New member Farrell Griswold gave the Rotary Minute. Thanks, Farrell!

Jim Cumming was recognized for being a member of the Club for 8 years. He then had John Paval come to the podium where he awarded him his Paul Harris Fellow membership pin, etc. Way to go, John!

Richard and May Rogers had their 50th wedding anniversary party and had a wonderful time with family and friends.

Thanks for the \$100, Richard. (You got a real jewel in a wife!

Gary Long arrived looking extremely tan. He was in the Bahamas on "official business", and was also seen on the Golf Channel (the Canadian Tour). Did he offer \$100?

Barney Kramer, Martha Huiras and Jennifer Shipman were the birthday "kids". Their \$25 fines were graciously given to Bob Fay, Rich Gohlke and Bill Burch.

Mark Ellis has been a busy guy. A trip to Ital with Susie and Mattie, 12 year anniversary, and \$100, thank you, Mark!

Kreso Luckars gave a wine tasting report, Nancy Slatten said "Sell, sell, sell and bring me the money and stubs!" And Sandy Smith gave a bird report. "Solo" his Stanley crane baby (8 months old) follows him around like a puppy. He also was reported a having an evening cocktail with Sandy. All is coming along at Gillis Grove.

Roy Williams introduced and gave checks to the following recipients of our grant awards:

Melinda Duggar, Exec. Dir. Of Make a Wish Foundation of \$2,500.

Tia Rabb, Cambodian Land Mines. We matched the \$500 she raised when she held a dinner for Freedom Fields USA.

Michael Bennett, Director of the San Joaquin Historical Society Museum to repair the wheels on a Market Wagon. It needs a professional wheelwright's expertise. \$1500.

Todd Ruhlstaller, \$2,000 for the 2004 Family Day Program. Three different family programs will be funded with our donation.

Carolyn Corder, of Delta Kappa Gamma,

TAU Chapter \$3,600 to purchase "Books for Babes" their project to bring new books to all babies leaving the hospital for their mothers to read to them. Brochures will explain the importance of reading to babies.

Steve Stocking of the Audubon Society was awarded \$5,000 for replanting oak trees and native grasses at Oak Grove Regional Park.

Thanks to Roy and his committee!

The weekly drawing for the Big Bucks was finally won! New member Jim Nims got the lucky ticket! Wow! What a way to go! We're not sure what the total was, but it was somewhere around \$600, I think! How's that for welcoming a new member!

THE FOUR WAY TEST

Of all the things we think, say or do:

- * Is it the **Truth**?
- * Is it **Fair** to all concerned?
- * Will it build **Good Will** and **Better Friendships**?
- * Will it be **Beneficial** to all concerned?

Village Oaks School Book Program

Just another reminder! Thursday, May 20th Read and hand out books to the third graders. It doesn't take much time!

Got information for the bulletin? My e-mail address is: nslatten@qglobal.net

Our Rotary website for information about our club, wine tasting, etc. is: www.stocktonsunrise.org