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The Vallejo Rotary Club
A family of caring and
Energetic Rotarians

January 14, 2010

The club meets
12:15 to 1:30 p.m..

Every Thursday
at the

Zio Fraedos of Vallejo
23 Harbor Way

This weeks Program

Speaker

Vallejo Rotary Club

Meeting of January 14th, 2010

Visiting Rotarians & Guest of
Rotarians

**There were no visiting
Rotarians today**

President Scott Peterson opened his meeting today at 12:34 p.m. Rich Curtola led us in the Pledge of Allegiance. Then Tony Intintoli lead us all in a harmonious and in tune version of "You are my sunshine" In honor of the Sun coming out after a couple of gloomy days.



Guests:

Luis Romero introduced his friend Michelle

Jack Anthony introduced BOB!!!

Announcements:

- Smitty unfortunately had to be the bearer of bad news due to lack of Rotarians signing up for the Reno train trip. Amtrak canceled the annual event. Plan B for the Vallejo Rotarians was to get a Motor home but due to seat belt laws and only room for 8 this obviously won't work.
- Clint announced that on 03/13/10 Saturday @7:30 PM there is an Interact & Rotary night with the Warriors. Proceeds go to PACE and food and drink vouchers are included with your ticket purchase. \$25.00 for upper level \$60.00 for lower level. For every Vallejo Rotarian who attends Clint will pay \$10 to the club
- Rich Curtola announced that the Ski Team has been doing daily workouts at 5AM to prepare for the "Real Race" on March 5th. There are still spots open so come and have Fun! We do not have a full team and might have to combine with the Benicia Rotary Team for the first time. So come out and join us!
- President Scott announced again the Paul Harris donation raffle ticket board where you purchase a square for \$2 and after the board has been completely purchased 2 winners will be picked where they get \$100 towards their Paul Harris. If you have any questions or would like to purchase your square(s) talk to Ben Gonzalez or JD Miller

- Jeanne had a question for Rich Curtola, "Could all the train riders crash the ski party?" Rich Curtola replied: "HELL NO!!!, We are serious athletes!" The whole room erupted in laughter. Rich then stated that maybe we could rent a cabin

Fines & Recognitions

Birthdays & Anniversaries-

Tony Intintoli celebrated his 71st birthday on 12/12 he will also be celebrating his 43rd Wedding Anniversary on 01/28 \$114

Brian Kendall celebrated his 31st Wedding Anniversary by having a family get together \$100

Bob Linville celebrated his 31 years with Vallejo Rotary on 01/04 \$50

Gary Salvadori celebrated his 18 years with the Vallejo Rotary Club on 01/09 his sponsor was Bob Balassi

Hallelujah Dollars-

Clint - \$50 because he did not lose anything but his voice in Vegas

Tony Shannon - \$10 because 5 years ago he started his home remodel from 900 sq ft to 2000 something sq ft and all of his permits have been approved

Bob Ogan - \$10 because he had a health scare where Medic Ambulance had to come to his rescue and they were absolutely wonderful to him

Rich Curtola - \$20 because he was just having conversation with Russ and came to find out that Russ had lost his mother over the Christmas holiday

Russ Barnes – he unfortunately lost his mother over the Christmas break while she was in town. He also did a cross country drive with his son in his 13 year old Datsun

Connie K - \$5 for disrupting Clint's Vegas trip with her laptop problems and he was such angel he fixed it for her

JD Miller \$5 recognizes Viviana Loera for being an outstanding Vallejo Rotarian

Smitty - \$5 because the \$50 that Bob Linville gave for his Rotary Anniversary was won from him in the Poker game last night

Jim Casper - \$20 on Sunday he picked up his pet pig that was diagnosed with a rare bone disease and he is okay!

Program

Marc Tonnesen the Solano County Assessor recorder came in to speak to the club and he opened his presentation by offering his card to Tony Shannon because he has just increased the size of his home. He came to talk to us today about the housing market and the commercial property market. He briefly explained that he assesses all property where he is

required to recognize the decline and incline of property value.

At 1:13 PM there was a water mishap at my table which included "Doc" and Gary S. where someone made the other nervous or something and water ended up all over someone's lap

Marc went on to explain that there is still a decrease in property value but not as bad as last year and there are pockets in Vallejo where the value seems to be increasing. For commercial property there currently is no proactive adjustment. Reductions are being made on a case by case basis. Some reductions have been made with the commercial properties but they are anticipating an increase and this year will be hit hard.

Last minute announcement:

Chamber of Commerce Installation Dinner is tomorrow seats are still available just not at the Rotary Table. Let Connie H. know now if you want to attend.

Handshake Winner: Don Demmon was the mystery hand shaker today and Mike Diaz was the lucky person.

1st Car Wash: **Roberta wins and stated "It's so nice to be in control of the tickets!" President Scott asked to see her ticket**

Don Wins the spin: Question: If you owned a vehicle trust your car to the man with the star. Who is the oil company? Texaco. Don got it right!

2009-10 Rotary International President

John Kenney

District 5160 Governor

Earl Kilmer

Vallejo Rotary Club Officers

Scott Peterson	President
LaGuan Lea	President-elect
Connie Howard	Immediate past President
Rich Curtola	Secretary
	Treasurer
Roberta Grubbe	Sgt. at Arms

Vallejo Rotary Club Directors

Luis Romero	Kevin Rahill
Debbie Egidio	Helen Pierson
Viviana Loera	Gordon McMahon
Tom Phillips	

Nearby Clubs for Make-Ups

Mon.	12:00 PM	Davis-Community Church
Tue.	7:15 AM	Vacaville Sunrise -Opera house
Tue.	12:10 PM	Benicia Yacht Club
Tue.	12:10 PM	Fairfield-Suisun Hilton
Wed.	7:00 AM	Cordelia- Holiday Inn Select
Wed.	12:15 PM	Napa- Elks Club
Wed.	12:15 PM	Concord-Concord Sheraton
Thur.	7:15 AM	Napa Sunrise- Silverado
Thur.	12:15 PM	Vacaville- Opera house
Fri.	6:50 AM	Davis Sunrise- Senior Center
Fri.	12:15 PM	Concord- Concord Hilton

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The following people have been proposed for membership to the Vallejo Rotary Club:

Mr. Tony Williams, has been proposed by Past President Rich Curtola. Tony is a long time resident of Vallejo. He is the Center Manager for UPS in Cordelia. He has been with UPS for almost 20 years and would like to get more involved in the Vallejo Community. His classification would be UPS Center Manager.

Michelle Wildermuth, has been proposed for membership by Doug Webster. Michelle is Director of Sales and Admissions at Springs Road Healthcare. She is interested in gaining additional visibility in the community and getting involved. Her classification would be Elder Healthcare Administration.

Natalie Markoff, has also been proposed for membership by Doug Webster. Natalie is a Senior Home Health Care Case Manager with ApexCare in Fairfield. She is originally from this area and services all of Solano County in her work. She is interested in reconnecting to this community. Her classification would be Senior Health Care Case Management.

If you have any questions or concerns about these proposed members or if you know some reason why any of them should not be invited to join Vallejo Rotary, please contact the President or Secretary immediately. Your comments will be kept confidential.