

Rotary Club of Cambria *Whispering Pines*



ROTARY:
MAKING A
DIFFERENCE

Membership & New Club Development

August 18, 2017

Today's Reporter



Donna Crocker

Today's Greeter



Rick Low or Paul Young

Aug 25 Greeter



Otis Archie

Photos



Help Wanted

Opening: Acting Sgt. At Arms, **Otis Archie**, danced his way into a welcome to the best Rotary club in the world: VIVA!



Song: **Vicki Schumacher**, led us in "You Are My Sunshine"



Flag Salute: **Linda Sherman**, led us in "Pledge of Allegiance"

Lucky Buck: **Judy Schuster** won the lucky buck, donating it towards the purchase of a **Grand Raffle Ticket**.



Invocation: **Vera** had disappeared as soon as it was revealed who the mystery Greeter was.....but she jumped up from her hiding place when Otis called out for her: from Sara Teasdale, she read:

"Life has loveliness to sell!
All beautiful and splended things,
Blue waves whitened on a cliff,
Soaring fire that sways and sings,
And children's faces looking up....
Holding wonder like a cup!"



UPCOMING MEETINGS/EVENTS:

- Aug 23, Wed., 5:30 pm, **New Member Orientation for Aubrey Hilstein & Sue Oberholtzer** at Roger & Sue's. **R.S.V.P. by Sunday, 8/20.**
- Aug 24, Thu., 5:30 pm, **Club Board Mtg.**, Lodge.
- Aug 31, Thu., 5:00—7:30, **Evening in the Garden**, hosted by **Mike and Patty Griffin** for **Neal Jensen Fellows and Circle members.**
- Sep 02, Sat., 9:00 am, **Pinedorado Parade**, Main St.
- Sep 07, **VIVA Planning Mtg** @ the Robinson's, 5:00 pm, RSVP to sueincambria@gmail.com.
- Sep 13, Wed., **Chamber Mixer**, at H.A.R.T., 5:30 pm.

UPCOMING SPEAKERS:

- Aug 25, **VIVA** Update!
- Sep 01, **Diane Brooke**, "Homing in on Homelessness in Cambria"
- Sep 08, **Dan Dow**, SLO County District Attorney, "Human Trafficking on the North Coast".
- Sep 15, **Scott Hicok**, "Millennials" at **Camp Ocean Pines.**
- Sep 22, **District Governor John Weiss**
- Sep 29, **Ted Siegler**, North Coast Advisory Council (NCAC).

President's Messages & Announcements:

Otis asked us all: who is our Acting President today? Our Real One was on a trip back East!! We all asked around, looked confused, called out different members--and finally **Rick Auricchio** stepped forward to admit he had agreed to act like the Mystery President today!! And he immediately called on us to introduce our guests:

- First guest for introduction was **Todd Clift**, our speaker. **Julie Amodei** then introduced her guest **Theodora Michales**. **Miguel Sandoval** (our host for today) introduced his partners/friends **Fidel and Veronica Figueroa**. And **Gerry and Paula Porter** introduced their guests **Robbie and Patty Ann Peck**. Then.....**Vera Wallen** introduced our best friend **Jessie Auricchio**! daughter of our Acting Mystery President!!
- Otis asked how Teacher's Breakfast went (he was there, of course, so he already knew)? **Cookie Crock** had donated the food for the Breakfast and **Linda Ennen** prepared at on of baked goods on behalf of the **J Patrick House**, so we all cheered for that and then all the helpers stood up for recognition. Otis thanked **Vicki Schumacher** for being such a great leader for the students--and she had said to several of us that the school needs us to come to student sporting events. The District has re-done the gym, it will be great to see, plus support the students.
- **VIVA: Bob Kasper** talked to us about a VIVA event/opportunity from 927 Pier Company: Make Your Own Keg. It turns out that Todd Clift donates wine for VIVA for each table. J. Ducci also donated a case of wine. More donations are needed!!
- Highway Cleanup: **Steve Ormondroyd** announced Rotary is doing Highway Cleanup Saturday August 19. Helpers to meet at the Shell Station at 9am.
- **Julie Jenkins** reported that she attended the **Morro Bay Rotary Club** for a make-up, and they are preparing for a meeting on Human Trafficking. **Deepa Willingham** from our District was there, encouraged clubs to work together on this subject, gave Julie some posters for the event. Sharon talked about the warning signs for Human Trafficking and said people are asked to call for help. We are having a presentation on this topic by District Attorney Dan Dow at our September 8 meeting. **Chris Cameron** suggested inviting friends to this important presentation (potential new members??)
- **Chris Cameron** announced that next Wednesday August 23 at 5:30 will be the Orientation for **Aubrey Hilstein** and **Susan Oberholzter** (aka "Sue O."). All members are encouraged to attend--call Sue Robinson to RSVP for the event 927-2597 or email her at sueincambria@gmail.com..



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@gmail.com).

SHERIFF DICK:

SHERIFF DICK He had a bad week until **Greg Sanders** confessed that the was not wearing a pin. Looks like Greg is running for the slow learner award!

FINE MASTER:

Member Birthdays: None of the "birthday boys" were present so we will catch them later.

Children's/Grandchildren's Birthdays: **Joan Broadhurst** offered \$37 for her son Scott's birthday (matches his age!!), then rounded it up to \$40 since daughter, Laurie was also celebrating a birthday. **Linda Ennen** was called on for Timothy's birthday--she told the Fine Master to spin for the amount--so Rick spun 'round & 'round (we couldn't tell how dizzy he got) & called out an amount.

Wedding Anniversaries: **Matt Clevenger** has been married to his beautiful wife, Theresa for 31 years (Aug 2) **Roger & Sue Robinson** celebrated 36 years of marriage (Aug 8).

Club Anniversaries: **Dennis Rightmer**, 7 years; **Tim Carr**, 16 years; **Dick Cameron**, 16 years.

Credits: **Ron Castadio** were given \$5 credits for beer donations & Miguel Sandoval for wine.

The Fine Master then reminded all of us that any of us could be President of our club--and he proceeded to read off the names of all those who have already done that. Lastly, Rick had **Paul Young** stand up; Rick then honored Paul for his pledge to 100% attendance for the rest of the year. Rick pointed out that Paul's make-ups have covered half of the year so far!

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?



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Bob Kasper encouraged members to seek donations of [silent and live auctions](#) items from businesses they frequent. There are still [Grand Raffle](#) tickets to be sold also.

Next VIVA Meeting: September 7 at 5:00 at Roger & Sue's.

Presentation:

Program for Today: **"Grape Stomper, Todd Clift of Moonstone Cellars"**

Julia Rice introduced speaker **Todd Clift**, owner of [Moonstone Cellars](#), which was conceived in a basement overlooking Moonstone Beach where Todd and his father, **Muril**, began making wine in 1998.

Todd began by telling us how he chucked his corporate job to dive into making wine on a full time basis. After volunteering at a number of wineries to work for free so he could learn the business and being turned down each time, he finally got a job in the tasting room at [Harmony Cellars](#) where winemaker, **Chuck Mulligan**, took him under his wings.



Todd then explained the six "S's" of wine tasting: See, Swirl, Smell, Sip, Spit or Swallow, Savor, while treating us to tastings of some of Moonstone's wonderful wines. Needless to say, a good time was had by all!

VOLUNTEER QUOTE OF THE WEEK



Volunteers are the only human beings on the face of the earth who reflect this nation's compassion, unselfish caring, patience, and just plain love for one another. ~ Erma Bombeck

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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

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Bruce Howard, Director

Gail Ortenburger, Director

Nancy Carr, Director

Mike Griffin, Director

Matt Clevenger, 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.

FELLOWS AND CIRCLE MEMBERS ARE INVITED TO JOIN US FOR AN

EVENING IN THE GARDEN



THURSDAY, AUG. 31 | FROM 5 TO 7:30 P.M. | GRIFFIN RESIDENCE

WELCOME TO OUR NEWEST CIRCLE MEMBER!

CHUCK DEVROEDE!

FELLOWS

- Carol Alexander
- Dan Balfe**
- Joan Broadhurst
- Bonnie Cameron
- Tim and Nancy Carr
- Christel Chesney
- Del Clegg
- John Ehlers
- Michael Griffin***
- Patrick Hampton
- Sharon Lynn Harvey
- Bruce & Jane Howard
- Neal Jensen****
- Bob Kasper
- Rick D. Low
- Paul McDonnell
- Nancy McKarney
- Ed Pearce
- Gerry Porter
- Paula Porter
- Dennis Rightmer
- Greg Sanders
- Jim Zuur*

Cambria Rotary Foundation now has 31 members in the NJ Circle!

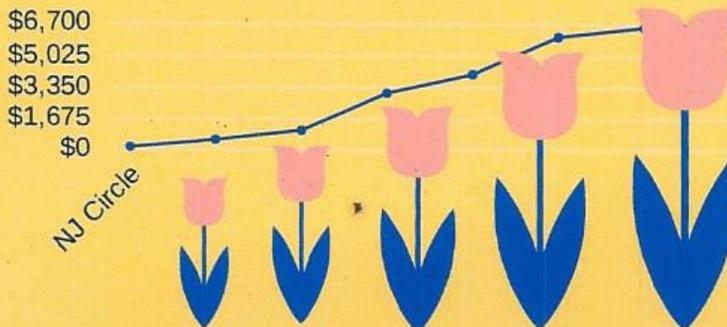
- Otis Archie
- Elaine Beckham
- Joan Broadhurst*****
- Chris Cameron
- Christel Chesney
- Matthew Clevenger
- Donna Crocker
- Chuck Devroede
- Chuck Foerster
- Patty Griffin**
- Mike Griffin**
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