

The President's Corner



Happy Holidays and a Happy and Prosperous New Year!

This is normally the time of year that we reflect on the past 12 months and decide on the ranking of this year among other years of our life.

As we enter the new millennium, our opportunities to help the less fortunate will only increase.

This coming year, let us be extraordinary and champion local causes, increase our community service support,

Rise and Shine to a New Year and a New Millennium.

Again, Happy Holidays and a great New Year!

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Report from our Ambassadorial Scholar Camrin Christensen who is studying at the UNIVERSITY OF IRKUTSK, Russia.

ROTARACT, UNIVERSITY OF IRKUTSK

I am participating in the Irkutsk-Baikal Rotaract Club. Meetings are held on Wednesdays at 6:30. The usual meeting format is: call to order, introduction of guests...

* ROTARY, Irkutsk-Baikal Chapter Rotary meets on Mondays at 7 pm in the center of town. At the first Rotary meeting I attended, I spoke about my impressions of Irkutsk, and Russia in general.

OTHER AMBASSADORIAL ACTIVITIES

I am now a teacher of English at School Leonov, a private kindergarden. I have 5 students who are all 8 years old.

well, but their interest is overwhelming. The first day that I arrived at School Leonov, the students were preparing for their Halloween celebration, which was coupled with the Russian holiday celebrating Golden Autumn.

CHILDREN CHRISTMAS PARTY SCENES

Each year our club plays host to a Christmas Party for Children at the Door of Faith Orphanage in Mexico and locally for students from the Esperanza School in Mission Viejo at Chuck E Cheese Pizza Parlor.



CHRISTMAS PARTY VENUE: THE Swim and Tennis Racquet Club (Dean Club) Corner of Mosquero and Chrisanta (off La Paz) Mission Viejo, Ca

COMING EVENTS

WEEKLY PROGRAMS

- Dec. 21st. Topic: Tax benefits of charitable giving Speaker: Michael Occhipinti
Dec. 28th. No meeting instead Meeting Dec 19 (Christmas Party).
Jan 4. Joint Meeting with Kiwanis and Lions Clubs
Jan 11. Craft Talks- Kathy Haze and Tim Taylor
Jan 18. Project: Deaf India Update by Dr Raz Desai
Jan 25. District Conference Preview- Ed Hardenberg
SPECIAL EVENTS
Dec 19. Christmas Party-Deans Club
Feb 6, 2000. Improv Comedy Club Fund Raiser
Feb 12, 2000. District 5320 Foundation Dinner
May 04 2000. Mayor's Prayer Breakfast
May 4-7th. District Conference
Mission Inn, Riverside
May 20th. District Assembly
June 4-7th. R.I. Convention Buenos Aires, Argentina

WHITE ELEPHANT

- Dec 21th Dick Paradzick
Jan 4 James Peterson
Jan 11 David Rukstalis, Jr
Jan 18 Tim Strauch

SANTA ARRIVED NOT ONLY AT THE DOOR OF FAITH LAST SATURDAY BUT AT CHUCK E CHEESE LAST TUESDAY WHERE HE DISTRIBUTED PRESENTS FOR THE ESPERANZA STUDENTS WHO HAD FUN WITH THE GAMES AND FILLED UP WITH PIPING HOT PIZZA AND COLD SOFT DRINKS!

MERRY CHRISTMAS!!!

