

WEEKLY PROGRAMS

9/3 - Police officer Todd Schmaltz and his police dog - Canine Patrol
 9/10 - Audrienne Adams, HR NETWORK - Human Resources - Things to Know
 9/17 - Carla Barry, Entertainment Books
 9/24 - Gary Poertner - Craft Talk

WHITE ELEPHANT

Sept 3 Cal Droege Sept 10 Dr Richard Frieder Sept 17 James Garcia
 Sept 24 Bob Germeroth Oct 1 Dr Jerry Gross

COMING EVENTS

- **Walk Against Drugs Saturday Oct 19th**
- **Pancake Breakfast Sunday Oct 27th**
- **Fondation Dinner Nov 9th**
- **Christmas Party December 8, 2002 at Mission Viejo Country Club Social Hour 6PM Dinner 7PM**
- **Visit to Door of Faith Orphanage, Mexico December 14, 2002**
- **Mayor's Prayer Breakfast, Thursday May 1, 2003 at MV Country Club 7:30 AM.**
- **May 1-4 District Conference Flamingo Resort, Laughlin, NV**
- **June 1-4 International Convention Brisbane, Australia**

Board Meeting Wed Sept 11 7:30 am
Bob and Mary Jo Mc Queens Home



Great Food!



Great Dining!



Nice View!



Yes, Nice View!!

MISSION VIEJO ROTARY CLUB SETS A RECORD WITH 12 PHF'S

PP Victoria Avery, as Mission Viejo Rotary's Foundation Director, presented 12 Paul Harris Fellows at August's Fireside Meeting and announced that this was a record for the club. And to make it more notable, seven of the 12 recipients were third time or better PHF'S.

First Time	2nd time	3rd time	5th time
Dennis O'Connor	Dan Avery	Victoria Avery	George Cooper
Bob McQueen	Len White	Scott Walker	Norm Miller
Jean Buckhalter		Jack Keegan	
		Bill Kersten	
		Pushpa Chandwani	



Shown is one of the recipients, Rotarian Dr Pushpa Chandwani, receiving her PHF for the third time from PP Victoria.

We also honored PP (deceased) Fred Buckhalter by presenting a PHF to his wife Jean. Jean was not able to make the meeting but will welcome a contingent of Past Presidents in her home to receive her PHF.

FIRESIDE MEETING GENERATES ROASTS AND BOASTS!

Richard and Susan Frieder opened up their home to a very special Fireside Meeting where we rightfully and proudly boasted of our accomplishments and at the same time gave a merciful roast to President Bill Kersten. Bill could not live down his philosophical utterings at the beginning of each meeting nor his extensive traveling all over the USA looking for make-up clubs. To make up for his utterances, President Bill presented Herman Miller clocks to his team of Directors and committee members. (as a subtle reminder to be on time??). Photo below.



SEE INSERT FOR PHOTOS OF THE "ROASTERS!!!"

DISTINGUISHED CLUB PRESIDENTIAL CITATION ACHIEVED BY OUR CLUB



Immediate Past District Governor Rod Eide presented the Distinguished Club Presidential Citation from RI President (01-02) Richard King to President (2001-2002) Bill Kersten. The Rotary Club of Mission Viejo earned this by completing four achievements in Membership Development including averaging one new member per month and

achieving five out of six achievements in enhancing Rotary's public image. This included significant media coverage of club events on at least six occasions as well as the implement of a program recognizing an outstanding vocational achievement by a club member. In District 5320, ten clubs out of 55 clubs achieved this citation and they are: Cypress, Mission Viejo, Monarch beach Sunrise, Orange, Orange North, Orange Sunrise, San Clemente Sunrise, Whittier Sunrise, Avalon, and Buena Park.



The following Club Presidents also achieved the Distinguished Club Presidential Citation including Club President Bill Kersten: Cypress, Mission Viejo, Monarch Beach Sunrise, Orange North, Avalon and Buena Park. To achieve this award and receive this Eagle Pin, each President achieved certain goals in MEMBERSHIP DEVELOPMENT, ROTARY'S PUBLIC IMAGE, ROTARY EDUCATION AND TRAINING, and CLUB DEVELOPMENT AND IMPROVEMENT.

CLUB PRESENTS CHECK TO LIBANO, COLOMBIA ROTARY CLUB FOR FOOD, MILK, AND HOUSING



International Director, Dr Richard Frieder presents check to be sent to our World Community Service project in Libano, Colombia. \$1,000 is for the building of two houses and \$500.00 is for food, medicines etc for those living in the Barrio. Dr Frieder will also be sending a check for \$1,000 to the Door of Faith Orphanage, Mexico which is another of our World Community Service projects.