

CELEBRATING ROTARY

February 23rd 2005 marked the 100th anniversary of Rotary's first meeting in Chicago by founder Paul Harris and his small group of founding members. Our club celebrated this event on that very anniversary night by hosting four District Governor Elect and their wives:

Kari and Pirjo-Lissa from Rotary Club of Turku Finland-District 1410

Roy and Lois Gilbert from Rotary Club of Gardner, MA USA-District 7910

J.P. "Joe" and Shirani Villavaratar from Rotary Club of Sancharnet India District 3210

John "Trigger" and Jean Tregurtha from Rotary Club of Glenn Innes Australia-District 9640

The DGE's totaling some 550 have spent the week at the Anaheim Hilton and Convention Center in very extensive training for the job ahead of them when they take over the job as District Governor on July 1 2005.



Ross Boling as a member of District 5320 Hosting Committee, is shown helping to match clubs with visiting DGE guests



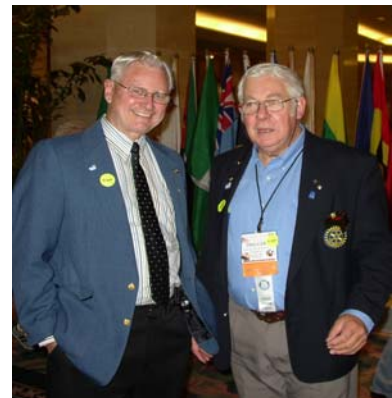
A hearty welcome was given to the folks from Finland by President Steve!



Bill Kersten, proudly holding up our "Mission Viejo" sign hoping to round-up our guests! The flags in the background are from the 160 countries attending the International Assembly



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A GREAT MEAL AND MORE FELLOWSHIP



AN ACTIVE EXCHANGE OF CLUB FLAGS!!

