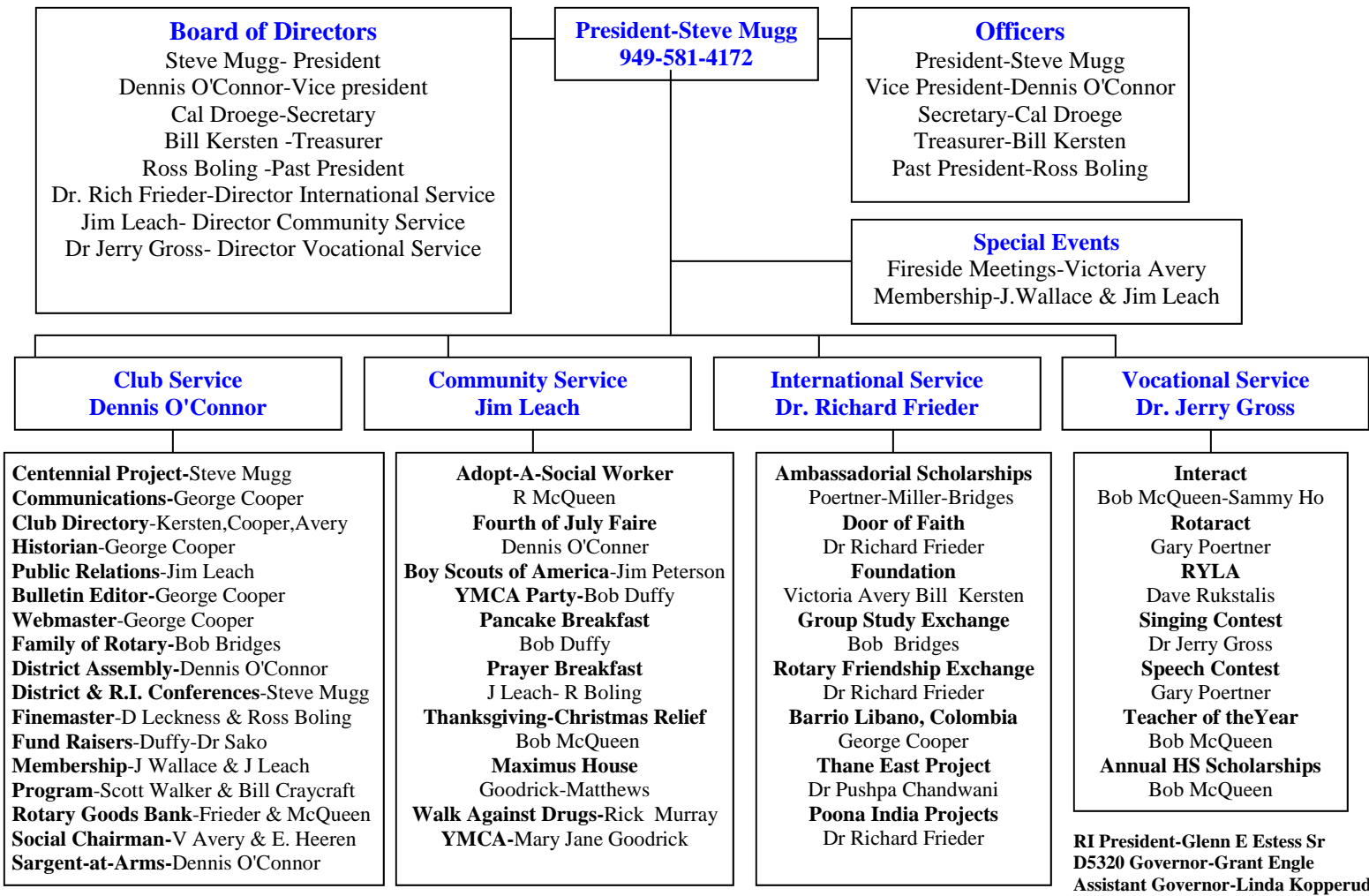


Nicholas Alpino (Charlene)- Group Travel
 PP Brigitte Archer (Vic)- Mortgage Broker
 PP Victory Avery (Dan) -General Insurance
 PP Robert Blohm -Senior Active Agriculture
 PP Ross Boling (Janet) -Incentive Promotions
 Robert Bridges (Betty) -Robotics Engineer
 Robert Brown-Investments
 PP Barry Brownell - Restaurateur
 Dr Pushpa Chandwani (Nanik) -Medical Doctor
 PP George Cooper (Margaret) -Adhesive Distributor
 PP William Craycraft -Sales/Marketing
 PP James Doyle (Jane) -Property Management
 Robert J Duffy (Moraima) - Financial Advisor
 Paul Dyke (Kathleen) Computer Service
 PP Calvin L Droege (Bobbie) -Attorney
 PP Dr. Richard Frieder (Susan)- Optometrist
 Robert Germeroth (Jore') -Engineer
 Mary Jane Goodrick (Bill) -Community Service (YMCA)
 Dr. Jerry Gross (Gwen) -District Superintendent
 James Hansen (Catherine) Educator
 PP Ed Heeren (Virginia)- Aircraft Sales
 Sammy Ho (Janice)- Commercial Banking
 Jerry Jarvis (Carrie)- Software Sales
 PP Jack Keegan Jr (Johann) -Electrical Equipment Sales

PP Bill Kersten (Carol) -Computer Service
 Carol Kersten (Bill) -Honorary
 PP Heidi Larkin-Reed (Rusty) Chamber of Commerce
 Jim Leach (Dot) -VP Government Affairs
 Dave Leckness (Nancy) -Printing
 Don Lewellen (Judy) -CPA
 PP Col (Ret) Krishna Mathur (Pravena) - Honorary
 Pp Dr Tom MacKinnon (Jeannine) Dentist
 Christi Matthews (Dan) -Advertising Specialties
 PP Bob McQueen (Mary Jo) -School Administrator
 PP Norm Miller (Pauline) -Piano Tuner
 PP John Monninger -Light and Power
 Steve Mugg (Susan) -Community Service (City of MV)
 PP Richard Murray (Paula) -Attorney-General Practice
 PP Verl Nash (Suzanne) - Education
 Dennis O'Connor (Bonnie) -Real Estate
 James Peterson Youth Services (Boy Scouts of America)
 Gary Poertner (Adair) -Community College Administration
 PPDave RukstalisCLU/ChFC (Ladona) Insurance Employee Benefits
 Dr Aaron Sako (Mako) -Optometrist
 Douglas Tipping (Anne) -Banking-Business
 Scott Walker -Financial Planner
 Jack Wallace (Jeanne)- Real Estate Residential



Pictures from our Past

Rotary Memorial Garden Monument is shown below. Located at Aliso Creek Trail, Mission Viejo. A Special Memorial Program is held Tuesday annually for all the deceased Rotarians of the Rotary Club of Mission Viejo. (Since 1998)



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MAKE-UP AREA CLUBS
www.rotary5320.org/Meetings.html

- Monday Anaheim 12 Noon
Edison Field 2000 Gene Autry Way- Anaheim
- Tuesday 12:00 pm Laguna Niguel
St Regis Hotel ,1 Monarch Beach Resort, Dana Point
- Coto de Caza-RSM 7:15pm
Dove Canyon Country Club 22682 Golf Club DrT.C.
- Wednesday 7:15 am Monarch Bch Sunrise
Ritz Carlton Hotel Monarch Beach Dana Point
- Wednesday 12:00pm Saddleback Valley/Lake Forest
Baker's Square @ 23515 El Toro Road, Lake Forest,
- Thursday 12Noon San Clemente
San Clemente Inn 2600 Avenida del Presidente
- Friday 12:00pm Laguna Beach
Hotel Laguna 425 S.Coast Hwy

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WEEKLY PROGRAMS

- 5/3 - RYLA camp report from Rotary mentors and student participants
- 5/10 - Russian Group Study Exchange Group "One World".
- 5/31 Linn Morgan, Exec.Director Blind Children's Learning Center

WHITE ELEPHANT

- May 3 Gary Poertner
- May 10 Dave Rukstalis
- May 17 Aaron Sako
- May 24 Scott Walker
- May 31 Jack Wallace

COMING EVENTS

- April 29 RYLA Camp Idyllwild, Ca
- May 5 - Mayor's Prayer Breakfast
- May 6 - Teacher Appreciation Banquet
- May 20-21 District 5320 Conference
- June 20 - H.S. Awards night - Rotary scholarships
- June 19-22 R.I. Convention, Chicago, Il

CLUB SERVICE



HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL IMPROV FUND RAISER!

The Rotary fund raiser on Sunday April 17 raised over 14,000 dollars for the charities we support. A special thanks to the following Rotarians who made it all possible.

Programs . Victory Avery
Silent Auction items. Nick Alpino, Christy Matthews, and Bob Brown
Live Auction items. Scott Walker and Thomas Mackinnon
Chinese Auction items. Paul Dyke and Heidi Larkin Reid

A special thanks to Bill and Carol Kersten for all their behind the scene help.

Thanks to all Mission Viejo Rotarians for their support.

Jim Doyle..

VOCATIONAL SERVICE

COMMUNITY SERVICE

ROTARY CLUBS OF MISSION VIEJO and POONA INDIA HELP SPONSOR VOCATIONAL VISIONS

April 16th was the fund raising event for Vocational Visions held at SOKA University in Aliso Viejo. Mission Viejo and Poona India Rotary Clubs were sponsors donating \$1,000 (\$500.00 from each club).

It was an enchanted evening with the theme Tuscany put on by Enchanted Evening Productions of Newport Beach. They sang and played many Italian Operas. Dinner was catered by the Claim Jumpers. Vocational Visions sold over 350 tickets at \$100.00 each to help the developmentally disabled who show up each day at Vocational Visions in Mission Viejo. Our club was well represented. Those attending the event included Scott Walker and Michelle, Bill and Carol Kersten, Victoria and Dan Avery, Ed and Virginia Heeren and Dave and Ladona Rukstalis. Cocktails were served at the Rukstalis's prior to attending. Reported by Dave Rukstalis. Photo by Bill Kersten



MODEL UN PROGRAM

Members of the Model UN of Mission Viejo High School gave us an interesting view in to the workings of the United Nations Security Council.

Seven students participated and also spoke to us of the many benefits they received in this activity which included learning new skills from not only themselves but from participation with students from other lands.

President Steve is shown announcing the donation of \$500.00 from our club to help the Model UN of MVHS on future trips competing with other

ROTARY D5320 VOCATIONAL SERVICE BUSINESS ROTARIAN MEN OF THE YEAR



Your club was very proud to have Past **President Jack Keegan** selected as one of 5 Men of the Year in Business to be honored at a special dinner on April 21, 2005.

The event is a first for District 5320 thanks to the good leadership of our District 5320 Vocational Director and Immediate Past president of our club, **Ross Boling**.

Jack did very well and all were presented with a special plaque honoring them for their high integrity service in business. The second photo shows each having been presented with their plaques from District Governor Grant Engle



Shown is Jack and his lovely and charming spouse Joahann at this special celebration.

We are very happy to report that also in attendance at the dinner honoring Jack was Past President Victoria and Dan Avery, Past president Ed and Virginia Heeren, Past President Dave and Ladona Rukstalis, Past President Heidi Larkin -Reed, Past president Bob McQueen, Past president Bill Kersten, Incoming President Dennis O'Connor and Program Director Scott Walker.

Photos courtesy of Bill Kersten

CLUB SERVICE

ROTARY FAMILY PICNIC Second annual Fellowship/Family Event Sunday May 15 2005 2:00pm-6:00 pm Oso Viejo Park

Family Chairman Bob Bridges announced that we had such a grand time last year that we once again will meet for a great time. The park is located just behind the Veterans War Memorial (on Veteran's Way) and just above our Rotary Memorial Gardens.

Everything (food, beverages, plates etc) is provided by your club...Just bring your appetite and any folding chairs, blankets etc for your comfort. And don't forget to bring your children and Grandchildren!!

NOTES FROM APRIL BOARD MEETING

PRESIDENT'S REPORT (Steve Mugg)

District Conference May 20/21 – Mugg announced that the Club is set to participate in this year's District Conference. Friday night event theme is Space Cowboys. To be held at Atlanta Park, Santa Ana. Problem with location is No Electric power. Saturday's event is at Double Tree Hotel in Orange. Mugg suggests a Club History booth. **District Matching Grant Funds** – Mugg reported that the funds allocated by District 5320 for matching grants for next year will be \$25,000 (down from \$35,000 last year). Grants will be considered for LOCAL projects. International Projects will not be eligible.

Club Picnic – Mugg requested that the family picnic/social is scheduled for Sunday May 15th, 2:00-6:00 at the park by the Senior Center. **CLUB SERVICE: (Dennis O'Connor)**

Centennial Project – Mugg announced that dedication ceremony has been delayed to a future date due to problem with installation of Camp Rotary sign.

VOCATIONAL SERVICE: (Jerry Gross) RYLA – Gross announced that the chair of the event, Dave Rukstalis has submitted our funds for the camp. Plans are proceeding as scheduled.

District Speech Contest – Mugg announced that Gary Poertner will attend District Speech contest with our candidate to be held at Coto Rotary Club. Mugg requested funds to reimburse Gary for cost to attend. MSC to reimburse up to \$50

Mission Viejo Student Committee - Mugg announced that T-Shirts for Student Committee have been ordered pursuant to our budget (\$400)

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE (Rich Frieder): TSUNAMI RELIEF - Frieder reported on "other" opportunities to aid Tsunami victims. One program being considered is program by Kamby Rotary Club in Sri Lanka to support children left orphaned by the Tsunami. Cost is about \$10 per month per child. More information to be provided at future Board Meeting

Thane Rotary Contribution – \$1,000. Frieder announced that our contribution of \$1,000 plus an additional \$1,000 raised by Dr. Desai was returned and will be temporarily deposited with Club funds pending application by Dr. Desai for matching grant funds. **Libano** – Frieder announced that he and George Cooper are working on submission of a Grant package to RI to provide Electrical service to Libano construction site.

COMMUNITY SERVICE (Jim Leach)

Mayor's Prayer Breakfast – Leach reported that the event is on track for 5 May 05 at the MV Country Club.

MEMBERSHIP: (Bill Kersten/Cal Droege)

Applications for membership: Brigitte Archer
LEAVES: Rick Murray (health)

DROPS: -0-
Prospects: -3-

Attendance: Droege reported that Club attendance for March 2005 was 81.2 %

Club Membership is 44
Status Change: None