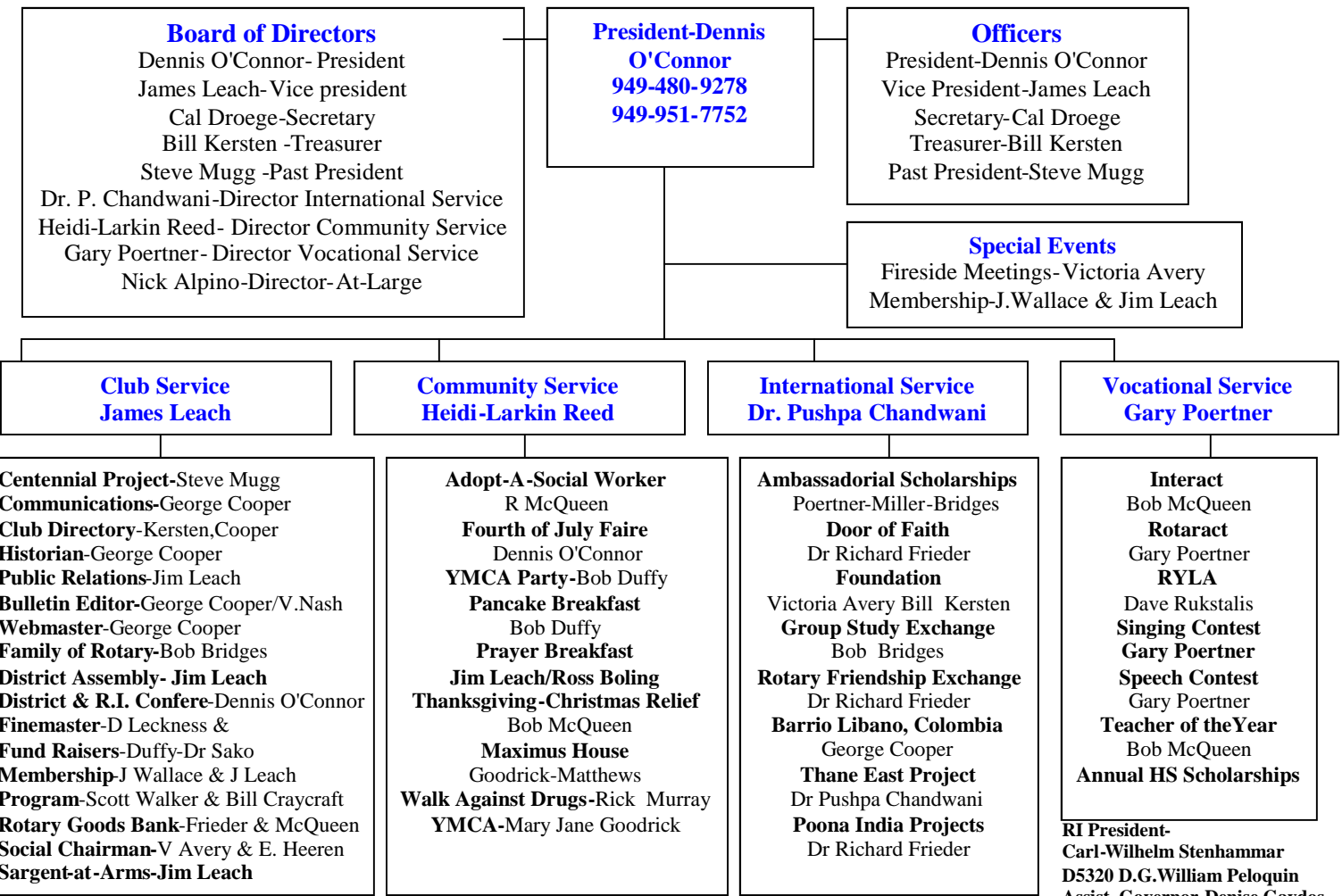


Nicholas Alpino (Charlene)- Group Travel
 PP Brigitte Archer (Vic)- Mortgage Broker
 PP Victory Avery (Dan) -General Insurance
 Linda Blench (Karl) Contract Negotiator
 PP Robert Blohm -Senior Active Agriculture
 PP Ross Boling (Janet) -Incentive Promotions
 Robert Bridges (Betty) -Robotics Engineer
 Robert Brown-Investments
 PP Barry Brownell (Ety) - Restaurateur
 Dr Pushpa Chandwani (Nanik) -Medical Doctor
 PP George Cooper (Margaret) -Adhesive Distributor
 PP William Craycraft -Sales/Marketing
 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)
 James Hansen (Catherine) Educator
 PP Ed Heeren (Virginia)- Aircraft Sales
 Jerry Jarvis (Carrie)- Software Sales
 William Jimenez (Marelyvi) Mortgage Lender
 Randall Johnson (Janna) Locksmith

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 John McEwan (Jack) Code Enforcement (Retired)
 PP Bob McQueen (Mary Jo) -School Administrator
 PP Norm Miller (Pauline) -Piano Tuner
 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
 Bob Pfaff- Commercial Real Estate
 Gary Poertner (Adair) -Community College Administration
 Jeff Rosenthal (Barbara)-Professional Employer
 PPDave RukstalisCLU/ChFC (Ladona) Insurance Employee Benefits
 Dr Aaron Sako (Mako) -Optometrist
 Scott Walker -Financial Planner
 Jack Wallace (Jeanne)- Real Estate Residential



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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 PROGRAM

1/31 - District 5320 "Donate Life Program" with Rotarians David Halm & organ recipient Phil Arst.
 2/7 - Lee Evert - To discuss his assignment to assassinate President Nixon.
 2/14 - Sweetheart Meeting - Invite your Valentine. Program Pending
 2/21 To Be Announced
 2/28 - Nick Alivojvodic, Executive Director CUSD Foundation, Grant Incentives for Teachers (GIFT) classroom grants program.

WHITE ELEPHANT

Jan 31 Norm Miller

Feb 7 Steve Mugg **Feb 14 Richard Murray**
Feb 21 Verl Nash **Feb 28 Dennis O'Connor**

COMING EVENTS

March 12 Pancake Breakfast
March 25 D5320 Foundation Dinner- Crown Plaza
April 1 District Assembly-Chapman University
May 5-7 Rotary District 5320 Conference
June 11-14 R.I. Convention-Copenhagen

LIBANO HOUSING PROJECT UPDATE

We are currently finishing up the water, sewer, and electricity installations as well as the necessary retaining walls in order to build the 30 homes. The next phase is to begin building the foundations for the homes which will cost about \$25,000. The families that will be receiving these homes have been doing all of the manual labor in moving dirt, rocks and sand in order to build the retaining walls. They have also been selling raffle tickets, picking coffee and donating money in order to help with the cost of putting in the house foundations. They have raised around \$5000 themselves which is quite an accomplishment for people who have very little income. This project has been an uphill battle but will be quite an accomplishment when it is finished. These families will move from squalor shacks into a very modest yet a greatly improved living situation. Government Engineers will be coming in February to inspect the installations and then in March the Colombian Government Grant people will be coming to inspect the work to date.

Father Brian Cooper, CSV



Building Retaining Wall With Manual Labor



The Electric Light Posts Are Now In Place



Putting In The Sewer Lines

NEW MEMBERS INFORMATIONAL MEETING

Linda and Karl Blench opened up their home and hearts to our newer members in a special Rotary Informational Meeting on Sunday Night January 15, 2006.

Husband Karl's background included being a Chef in his homeland (England) so a pleasant surprise was given to all in attendance when they were served a sit-down dinner including some very gourmet dishes.

The new members in attendance were: Linda Blench, Randy Johnson, Paul Dyke, William Jimenez, Bob Pfaff, Jeff Rosenthal, Jack McEwan and prospective member Bill Greenfield.

The Informational Team in attendance; Jack Wallace, Bob Mc Queen, President Dennis and each of the Four Avenues of Service Directors, Jim Leach, Heidi Larkin-Reed, Dr Pushpa Chandwani and Gary Poertner, who each gave a talk about the activities and needs of volunteers and want of new ideas.

It was a very successful meeting which has resulted in new members volunteering for various committees.

Due to limited parking and limited space, we were only able to accommodate 16 members and for that reason spouses were not invited nor regular club members other than those serving on the Informational Team.

Thanks to all who helped and especially to Linda and Karl!

THIS IS ROTARY CLUB SERVICE IN ACTION!!

NOTES FROM THE BOARD MEETING

Mayor's Prayer Breakfast - Leach stated that the Prayer Breakfast will have different agenda this year. There will be speakers from more than one faith this time instead of a single featured speaker. Date of event is 5/03/06.

District Conference - Leach stated that the theme this year is "Vision of the Next Century of Service." Conference will be at the Doubletree Hotel in Orange. Hospitality will be in a large ballroom instead of individual suites.

Ambassadorial Scholarships - Poertner said he has been unable to find a taker for this scholarship. The Board discussed ways to publicize and develop interest in the program

Pakistan Earthquake Relief - Kersten reported that funds were wired to the Club in Pakistan. Chandwani read email message from her contact in Pakistan acknowledging receipt of our funds and thanking the Club for its help.

Katrina Relief - O'Connor stated that he has been in contact with District Rotarian Jim Boyer. Jim was in Louisiana last week and he is continuing to search for a "good Project" for our Club.

Pancake Breakfast - Larkin-Reed met with her committee after this weeks regular meeting. Great ideas have been developed for the event at Esperanza School. Date of event is March 12, 2006. Committee is investigating possibility of making T-Shirts that include sponsor names to be worn by Esperanza students at the Olympics.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS OF COMING EVENTS

SWEETHEARTS MEETING

February 14 - Sweethearts Meeting - Invite your Valentine. Program Pending

ANGELS BALL GAME

We are arranging for a **Big Bang** Friday night at the Angels game this Spring May 19 or 19. Cost will be \$13 per ticket and we are in hopes of getting good tickets for the event.

SPECIAL OLYMPICS PANCAKE BREAKFAST

The Pancake Breakfast will be at Esperanza School on Sunday, March 12. Get ready for a good time helping them get ready for the Special Olympics.

PROGRAM FOR TUESDAY JANUARY 24, 2006

CAPISTRANO UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT

Tom Ressler, principal of Capistrano Valley High School was our speaker. Mr. Ressler gave a very enthusiastic speech about the Capistrano Unified School District and praised all the schools in our area.

He mentioned a little about the recall that failed but mentioned that all the schools in the CVSD are operating in a very spectacular manner and the restructuring was an attempt to make all the citizens of the Mission Viejo part united.

The CVHS has Advanced Placement courses, and International Baccalaureate program, Lap Top program, Wireless program, a new Animation course, Regional Occupational Program, and great facilities. He also said that if the District were to lose all its buildings they would soon be up and running because of the people who attend, teach and parents who support the schools.

Reporter: Verl Nash



CLUB FINANCIAL REPORT AS OF JANUARY 18, 2006

B-W Memorial Fund	\$42,241
Charity Accounts	52,662
Operating Account	6,474
Interact	257
CURRENTLY IN THE BANKS	\$101,634
ACCOUNTS RECEIVABLE	\$6,882
WAITING DISTRIBUTION (KATRINA)	\$6,425

DISTRIBUTED THIS FISCAL YEAR TO DATE

COMMUNITY SERVICE

Jail Release and Food Bank	\$1,000
Pakistan Earthquake	1,600
Youth Activities (Adopt Social Worker)	846
Youth Activities-Centennial Project (Boy Scouts)	15,000
Youth Activities Model United Nations (Saddleback)	600
Christmas-Thanksgiving Relief	358
Fourth of July Faire	100
Maximus House	201
Walk Against Drugs	388
YMCA Christmas Party	438

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE

Door of Faith Orphanage	704
Project Deaf India	3,000
Libano Colombia Building Project	3,000
Avoidable Blindness	300

VOCATIONAL SERVICE

Interact Mission Viejo High School	52
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TOTAL \$27,285

Bill Kersten, Treasurer