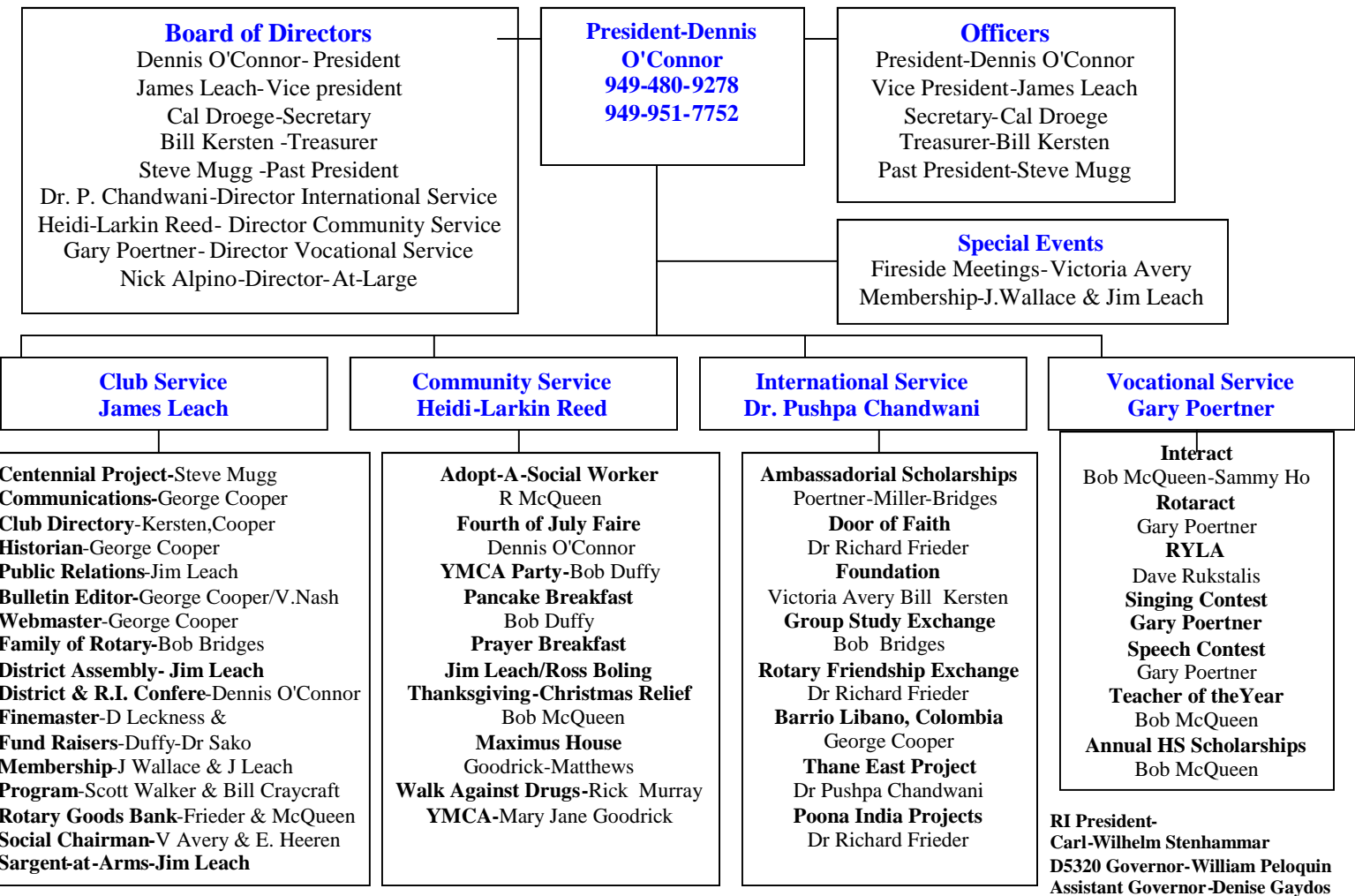


Nicholas Alpino (Charlene)- Group Travel
 PP Brigitte Archer (Vic)- Mortgage Broker
 PP Victory Avery (Dan) -General Insurance
 PP Robert Blohm -Senior Active Agriculture
 PP Ross Boling (Janet) -Incentive Promotions
 Robert Bridges (Betty) -Robotics Engineer
 Robert Brown-Investments
 PP Barry Brownell (Ety) - 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)
 James Hansen (Catherine) Educator
 PP Ed Heeren (Virginia)- Aircraft Sales
 Sammy Ho (Janice)- Commercial Banking
 Jerry Jarvis (Carrie)- Software Sales
 RandallJohnson (Janna) Locksmith

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
 Gary Poertner (Adair) -Community College Administration
 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 PROGRAMS

9/13 Soka University-See Inside for details
 9/20 - Jim Cogan, Storytelling Festival - "Featured Performer"
 The Possibilities of Imaginative Human Expression
 9/27 - Randy Johnson- New Member Craft Talk
 Dr. Richard Frieder - Sharing Rotary
 10/4 - Andrea Saenz, Arts & Humanities Director
 Saddleback Valley YMCA to discuss Community Arts Program
 10/25 - "Youth in Government" Jennifer Andrews,
 program advisor & students from YMCA teen center

WHITE ELEPHANT

Sept 13 Robert Duffy Sept 20 Paul Dyke
 Sept 27 Calvin Droege Oct 4 Richard Frieder
 Oct 11 Bob Germeroth Oct 18 Mary Jane Goodrick

COMING EVENTS

October 22 Saturday Annual Walk Against Drugs 2006
 April 1 District Assembly-Chapaman University
 March 25 D5320 Foundation Dinner-Crown Plaza
 May 5-7 Rotary District 5320 Conference
 June 11-14 R.I. Convention-Copenhagen

Board Meets with District Governor



Monday evening August 29, 2005 our board met with our new District Governor to report our plans for this Rotary Year. Shown is the board hard at work for a job that our members appreciate! Here is what happened:

Presidents Report: 1. Introduction of District Governor Bill Peloquin (Fullerton Rotary Club) who spoke to us about the Preventable Blindness Program of R.I. and that he is asking every Rotarian in every club in our district to help by donating at least \$25.00 per member to this worthy cause which is the cost of cataract surgery in India and Africa where it is most needed. President Dennis will appoint a member to be the liaison person for this project.

2. Director's Pins were presented to the Directors in attendance by our President.

3. Camp Rotary Report- PP Steve Mugg updated us on this Centennial Project of our club. Steve explained that although we have \$15,000 held in escrow by our club for the project, we are waiting for environmental issues to be resolved between the Santa Margarita Water District; the City of Santa Margarita, the City of Mission Viejo and the Orange County Boy Scouts of America Council.

Date uncertain as to when we can begin working on the project. Hopefully soon.

International Service: Director Dr Pushpa Chandwani submitted the International Service Budget for approval. In reviewing the Matching Grant Libano, Colombia Coffee Project, our District Governor pointed out that R.I. will match 100% club donations but only 50% of the district contributions. This would leave us short by \$3,000 to meet our goal of approx \$25,000. PP Steve Mugg made a motion that we should approve the project replacing the \$3,000 requested to a maximum of \$5,000 if required.

Motion was seconded and approved. The Board also seconded and approved the Libano Building Fund Project; the Door of Faith Project; Deaf India Project; Emergency Disaster Funds; Supporting Orphans of HIV in S Africa.; Requests for Sri Lanka -Adopt Orphans project and the Thane East Rotary Club project on help to Deaf students were not approved and Dr Pushpa was asked to submit more information for the Board to review.

Club Service: VP Jim Leach reported on the high Quality of our Club Service Activities such as Finemaster, Communications and the many awards we have won.

Community Service: Director Heidi Larkin-Reed submitted a new project called Drive Safely for Schools. This involves placing signs in schools and is part of our district program. Motion was made and project was approved.

Vocational Service: President Dennis gave a brief summary to our District Governor on our club's activities with RYLA, Interact and Rotaract. PP Steve Mugg encouraged our District Governor to investigate the possibility of copying what the Europeans do in establishing Rotaract with young adults not necessarily enrolled in colleges. These are adults between 18 and 30 who as yet do not have the finances to join Rotary but who wish to help.

New Business: 1. A motion was made and passed to budget \$300.00 monthly to purchase items not available from our Rotary Goods bank. These items to be given to Social Workers and other Community Service organizations. 2. President Dennis introduced a new procedure to be added to the Board Agenda for reviewing previous months programs involving organizations (not individuals) where funds are requested. The Board would then decide what action to take. Motion was made and passed.

Treasurers Report: Bill Kersten reported we are financially sound.



JOIN ME!! D. G. Bill is shown presenting a check to our club for \$100.00 towards the preventable Blindness program

PREVENTABLE BLINDNESS PROGRAM IS INTRODUCED BY DISTRICT GOVERNOR BILL PELOQUIN ON HIS OFFICIAL VISIT TO OUR CLUB



"Who has touched you?—Who have you touched? You can touch thousands more through the Rotary Foundation!"
—DG Bill Penquin

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KATRINA RELIEF EFFORTS

If you want to donate to Katrina-Relief you can let me know and I can put it on your bill. Remember we will meet at Soka University next Tuesday.....Bill Kersten

Club members,

Here is the first of RI's efforts to bring relief to the Gulf Coast. I like the fact that it is part of the Foundation. Remember that we should gather contributions at the club level and then send a single check to TRF DAF so have checks made out to MVRC.

*See you Tuesday, Thanks for your generosity,
Dennis O'Connor*

DISTRICT 5320 EFFORTS

Orange Sunrise Rotarian John Bouyer just returned from a week in the New Orleans area and is working with PDG Grant Engle in preparing a District 5320 response to the needs of the people devastated by Katrina

Rotary zones 29 and 30 have established the Katrina Relief Fund, a donor advised fund (DAF) with The Rotary Foundation of Rotary International, to help streamline the flow of contributions from Rotarians looking to assist victims of the hurricane disaster in the southern United States.

A DAF is an innovative way for individuals and Rotary-affiliated groups, such as clubs, districts, and zones, to create a separate investment account with the Foundation that is earmarked exclusively for charitable giving. Comprising 24 Rotary districts in 12 southern and Midwestern U.S. states, zones 29 and 30 include all the areas devastated by Hurricane Katrina.

A committee identified by the leadership in the two zones will work with local Rotary clubs and districts, as well as emergency relief agencies to meet the most pressing needs of people in the affected areas.

ROTARY GOODS BANK

John Bouyer spoke at the President's meeting Tuesday night and announced that he is delivering goods to the disaster area. He has family and property down there and can get into the area. Our Rotary Goods Bank is sending stuff to help. He says there are thousands of people basically camping in a Wal Mart parking lot there. They have food (MRE) and water but that's it. Our club members have also donated goods as a result of an Email sent out by President Dennis and he has arranged to have the goods delivered to the Disaster Area.

This is a list of the goods needed and hopefully by the time this is printed, most of these goods will have been donated and on the way to the area:

Diapers, Batteries, Bug Sprays, baby Wipes, Sun Screens, Radios, Toilet Paper, Gas Cans, Generators, Flash Lights, Coolers, Towels, clothing, socks, shoes, baby formula and just about any item that will help alleviate the suffering and get these folks through this terrible ordeal

NEXT MEETING TUESDAY SEPTEMBER 13 WE WILL BE IN OUR 31ST YEAR AS A ROTARY CLUB CELEBRATING IT AT SOKA UNIVERSITY

Great news! Thanks to Scott Walker we have arranged to have our meeting at Soka University. We will have breakfast and a tour during our regular meeting times. **Please RSVP to me so we can have a head count.**

The club will pay for breakfast as usual with no change to your regular bill.

This is something we have been trying to put together and the timing worked out perfectly!

See you Tuesday.

Dennis
480-9278

Directions: For those not familiar with the location, you take Oso Parkway west of the 5 freeway toward the ocean, which becomes Pacific Park. Continue on Pacific Park into Aliso Viejo, then go left on Wood Canyon. Next take a right on University and park in front of the library. There is an elevator up to the Campus Green. Go straight across the Campus Green where we will meet in the Campus Bistro which is in the Student Center.

FAMILY OF ROTARY REPORT

Bob McQueen: Thanks to the good efforts of Bob's medical team, he is up and about on a cane after his knee replacement operation. Bob is truly a "Service Above Self" Rotarian and a man of action involving in these activities:

- Assistant Treasurer
- Adopt-A-Social Worker
- Thanksgiving-Christmas Relief
- Rotary Goods Bank
- Interact
- Teacher of the year Awards
- Annual High School Scholarships

Thank you, Bob for being so generous of your time and contributing greatly to making our club so great!!

Fr Brian Cooper: Last Saturday, Brian suffered a bacteria attach which migrated to his blood stream. He became very weak and from this, pneumonia set in where he could hardly breath. He was transported to a modern hospital in Ibuque (about an hours drive from Libano) Two doctors were assigned to him, one being a lung specialist. They did an MRI and blood work to determine the bacteria (which they now think came from food and or water he may have consumed. Margaret and I have talked to him by phone two or three times a day and will continue to do so until his recovery. Today (Thursday Sept 8th) he has begun to sound like his old self. So fortunately he is recovering nicely. The doctors are pleased. He appreciates very much your prayers and thanks the club for remembering him in our Invocation at last Tuesday's meeting. Brian is immediate Past President of the Rotary Club of Libano Colombia, SA. and is very active in the Rotary World Community Service projects between our club and his club building homes for the poor in Libano and working on a Matching Grant to expand a Coffee business to help the poor. *George Cooper*