



The Spoke & Wheel

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Rotary Club of Mission Viejo was Chartered September 13, 1974.

Club Leadership/Board Members: Jim Hansen, President; PDG Dave Williams, Secretary; PP Bill Kersten, Treasurer; Dave Leckness, President Elect; PP Scott Walker, IPP & Vice President; PP Victoria Avery, Foundation Chairperson; Bob Brown, New Generations; Dr. Pushpa Chandwani, International Service; PP George Cooper, Club Training Officer; Tom Ross, Vocational Service; PP Dr. Richard Frieder, Director-at-Large (Special Projects); PP Robert McQueen, Club Service; PP Gary Poertner, Club Administration; PP Norm Syler, Public Relations; PP Dennis O'Connor, Community Service; and Jack Wallace, Membership Chairman.

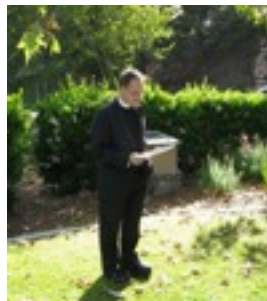
Club Meetings: Tuesdays, 7:10 to 8:30 A.M., Casta del Sol Golf Club, 27601 Casta del Sol, Mission Viejo, CA 92692

RI and District Officers: Ray Klingensmith, RI President; Johrita Solari, District 5320 Governor

CLUB SERVICE

Remembering past Rotarians

Report by Jim Hansen • Photos by Bill Kersten



During the May 31, 2011 meeting of the Rotary Club of Mission Viejo, past M.V. Rotarians were remembered.

M.V. Rotarian Pastor Ellis Brust led a meaningful service in memory of the past Rotarians that did so much for Mission Viejo, the nation and the world through their active involvement in Rotary.

After breakfast at the Casta del Sol Golf Course, club members and guests visited the nearby Rotary Garden and Grove along the Oso Creek Trail.

Former members recognized at the gathering include:

In Memory of:

Ted Becker, Fred Buckhalter, Fred Butcher, Dr. Martin Gellman, Tom Grimes, Dr. Peter Hartman, Shawn LeFevre, Phil Norris, Robert Schuk, Dave Terrell, Lawrence "Doc" Wiggins, Hans Zoblein, Bob Blohm, Keith Jewell, Dr. Tom MacKinnon, and Norm Miller.



Events Calendar

June Project/s
Promotion Dinner

Upcoming Club Events...

Rotary Club Web site:

www.missionviejorotary.org

Tuesday, June 7 – Regular Meeting.

Tuesday, June 14 – Regular Meeting.

Tuesday, June 21 - Regular Meeting.

Tuesday, June 28 – NO Meeting.

Tuesday, June 28 – "Promotion"

Dinner - Arroyo Trabuco Golf Club, 6:30 p.m.

Upcoming District Events...

District 5320 Web site:

www.rotary5320.org

June 21 - District Governor's

Transition Event; 6:00 p.m. @

Doubletree Hotel in Orange.



CLUB SERVICE

Welcome new member Eric Johnson!

Report by Jim Hansen • Photo by Bill Kersten

The Rotary Club of Mission Viejo welcomed new member Eric Johnson. Eric joins the Mission Viejo club with the classification of Realtor/Broker and brings our membership to 36 total members. Eric is sponsored by Dave Leckness and Dave will support Eric, as all sponsors do, through his first year of membership.

Eric is jumping right in and has offered to coordinate/help coordinate the RC of Mission Viejo’s Chili Cook-off entry at the August Polio Plus/Angels baseball game.

Welcome Eric. We all are looking forward to getting to know you better.



CLUB SERVICE

Mission Viejo Storm Water Program

Report by Jim Hansen • Photo by Bill Kersten

Debbie Carson and Joe Ames gave some details of the M.V. presented, “Mission Viejo Storm Water Project” on Tuesday, May 24, 2011. The two City of Mission Viejo employees clarified the difference between storm water and sewer water and systems.

They emphasized the City’s water conservation, low impact development, and more.

For more, please go to: www.ocwatershed.com.



INTERNATIONAL SERVICE

Pushpa receives recognition for service!



Dr. Pushpa Chandwani was recognized by the Rotary Clubs of Mission Viejo and Thane East for her dedication to International Service and specifically for coordinating the Mission Viejo Club’s water projects in India over the 2010-11 and 2011-12 Rotary years.

Pushpa is an outstanding Rotarian and is well-deserving of this recognition and much more.

Thank you, Pushpa!

CLUB SERVICE

Margaret and George Cooper’s “family” is at 63 and counting!

Report and Photos submitted by George Cooper

During a recent trip to Chicago, (actually Lake Zurich and Paletine, suburbs of Chicago), George and Margaret welcomed their 31st great grandchild. Margaret decided to play ball with their great grandchildren while waiting for the birth of their 31st great grand child. Results: A basket and a baby girl. Name still under arbitration by parents, Dawn and Shawn Worwa. The Cooper’s now have from their nine children, 25 grandchildren and 31 great grandchildren. Both George and Margaret are 86 years young; so, they have time for possibly a great great grandchild. It shouldn’t be too long! - George Cooper

Editors note: Congratulations George and Margaret and thank you for sharing with your Rotary family! George and Margaret’s family, counting them but not counting cousins, etc., is now at 63! I am sure there are some future Rotarians in there.

MARGARET COOPER MAKES A BASKET AND 31ST GREAT GRAND CHILD!



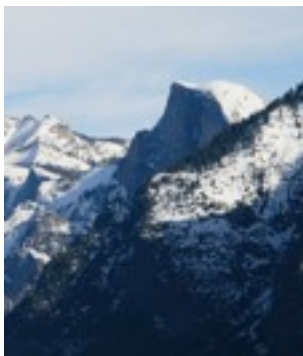
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NEW GENERATIONS

Shea Center sends “thank you” for \$1,000 donation!



QUOTE OF THE WEEK - JUNE 1, 2011



Live your life each day as you would climb a mountain. An occasional glance toward the summit keeps the goal in mind, but many beautiful scenes are to be observed from each new vantage point. Climb slowly, steadily, enjoying each passing moment; and the view from the summit will serve as a fitting climax for the journey.
– Harold V. Melchert

ROTARY SHARES!



Photo Above: PP George Cooper, award winning Webmaster

WEB SITE NEWS
REGULARLY UPDATED!

Be sure to visit the Rotary Club of Mission Viejo Website at: www.missionviejorotary.org

Note: For confidential club information, you must use your password.

FACEBOOK NEWS

Visit us on Facebook!
MV Rotary's Facebook coordinator: PP Dennis O'Connor



SERVICE ABOVE SELF



Photo Above: The "White Elephant" photo was taken by Director Jack Wallace during his trip to Hawaii in 2008.

WHITE ELEPHANT

Please bring a White Elephant item on your assigned date. Of course, you may donate \$20 if you prefer.

- June 7 - Carol Todd
- June 14 - Scott Walker
- June 21 - Jack Wallace
- June 28 - NO MEETING
- July 7 - Dave Williams
- July 14 - Victoria Avery
- July 21 - Bob Brown
- July 28 - Ellis Brust

INVOCATION

To sign up, contact Jim Hansen at: jhansen4@cox.net

- June 7 - Verl Nash
- June 14 - Steve Mugg
- June 21 - Dennis O'Connor
- June 28 - NO MEETING
- July 7 - TBD
- July 14 - TBD
- July 21 - TBD
- July 28 - TBD

BRING A GUEST!

Make-up Clubs

Coto de Caza/Rancho Santa Margarita - Thursdays, 7:00 p.m., Coto De Caza Golf & Racquet Club.

Laguna Niguel - Tuesdays, 12 p.m. at Savannah Chop House, 32441 Golden Lantern.

Monarch Beach - Wednesdays, 7:15 a.m., Ritz Carlton Hotel Monarch Beach

Laguna Beach - Fridays, 12 p.m., Hotel Laguna, 425 S. Coast Hwy.

San Clemente - Thursdays, 12 p.m. at the San Clemente Inn, 2600 Ave. del Presidente.

On-line make-ups: <http://www.recswwsa.org/info/i/31>

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THE FOUR-WAY TEST

Of the things we think, say or do:

- 1. Is it the TRUTH**
- 2. Is it FAIR to all concerned?**
- 3. Will it build GOODWILL and better FRIENDSHIPS?**
- 4. Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?**

Rotary Club of Mission Viejo
JUNE

June Project/s:
Demotion Dinner - Club Service

- Tues., June 7 - Regular Meeting*
- Thurs., June 9 - BOARD MEETING*
- Tues., June 14 - Regular Meeting*
- Tues., June 14 - Governor's Transition Party*
- Tues., June 21 - Regular Meeting*
- Tues., June 28 - NO MEETING*
- Tues., June 28 - DEMOTION DINNER, 6:30 p.m.*

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JULY

July Project/s:
TBA

- Tues., July 5 - Regular Meeting*
- Tues., July 12 - Regular Meeting*
- Tues., July 19 - Regular Meeting*
- Tues., July 26 - Regular Meeting*
- ?, July ? - Board Meeting*
- ?, July ? - Presidents' Dinner Meeting*