

# Rotary



# Club of Concord

## Events

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## Birthdays

William Bobetsky  
October 23rd  
Stanley Gaunt  
November 6th

## 10-15-21 Concord Rotary Meeting

By Ronald E. Leone on Monday, October 18, 2021

### 10/15/21 Concord Rotary Club Newsletter

Read below for what's going on at your club! Do you know how to add to this newsletter, our Concord Rotary Website or Facebook? Send articles and photos to **Guy Bjerke** <[guybjerke@gmail.com](mailto:guybjerke@gmail.com)>.

### Rotary Meeting Notes for October 15, 2021

## Guest Speakers



**Dr. Kathryn Materna**  
**US Geological Survey**

By **Michael Barrington**

President **Ron** gavelled the Zoom meeting to order at the appointed hour.

A patriotic song ensued via video (Mr. Red, White and Blue by Coffey Anderson).

There were no guests or visitors.

Guest Speaker: Dr. Kathryn Materna from the United States Geological Survey.

◆Preparing for the next Big One.◆

For this scribe it was both a fascinating and educative program. I learned that there is 50/50 chance of it happening in the next 20 years and the difference between magnitude





and intensity. Check out this web site: <https://myshake.berkeley.edu> and get an early warning!! Also there is a Shake Out

drill for anybody who wishes to participate on October 21: [www.Shakeout.org](http://www.Shakeout.org).

President **Ron** noted out the dropping attendance at our Rotary meetings?

**Ron** showed an impressive video prepared by our Rotaract Club as a thanks to **Rick Ernst** for his generous donations to the Club.

Announcements:

- Dictionary Project. Please see flyer sent via email from **Luis Alkon**. It will take place later this month.
- Food Bank: Poor attendance. Question was raised re, frequency and whether we should continue or not. Mainly being supported by Interact & Rotaract & friends. Last food sorting this year will be on Nov. 29th.
- **Memory Woodard** announced this month as Intern Month. If anyone can offer a placement, please contact her or **Michael Barrington**. Your info will be passed on to our Rotaract Club.
- Gwyn Jones announced that Salvation Army bell ringing will take place this year. Volunteers?

Happy Sad/Bucks

- **Nick Peterson** ♦s house was flooded but he learned how to swim!
- **George Calhoun** saw the SF Giants sadly eliminated.
- **Rick Ernst**: 1) Visited his son & family in Idaho. 2) Visited with Al Kappadahl in Montecito 3) Thank you to Rotaract for being a great club.
- **Leslie Chapman** saw the Blue Angels
- **Sherilyn Escoto** missed us and several meetings by getting her priorities wrong!

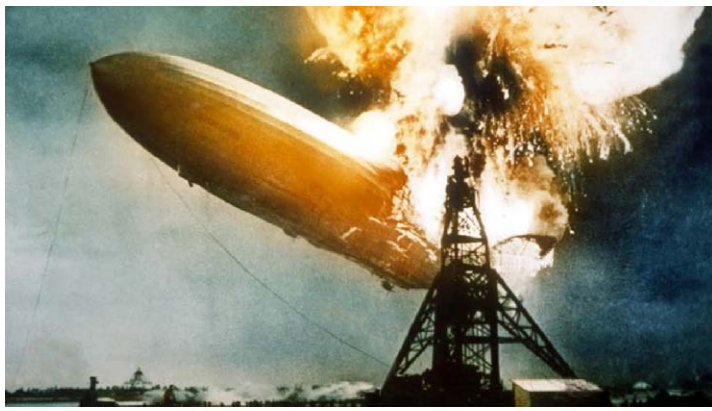
**Thought For The Day**

I used to think that I was indecisive, but now I am not too sure.

**On This Day October 15**



- **1582 Gregorian calendar introduced in Spain, Portugal and pontifical states, after skipping 10 days after Oct 4 to sync the calendar**



- *1928 German dirigible "Graf Zeppelin" lands in Lakehurst, New Jersey*



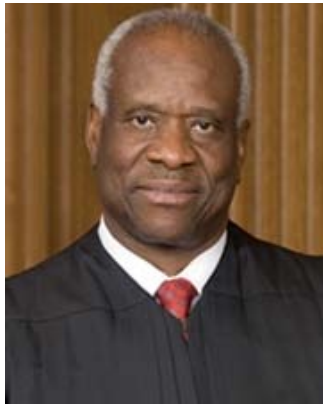
- *1951 "I Love Lucy", starring Lucille Ball and Desi Arnaz, debuts on CBS*



- *1976 1st debate of major-ticket US Vice President nominees, Walter Mondale (D) vs Bob Dole (R)*



- *1990 Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev wins the Nobel Peace Prize*



- *1991 Clarence Thomas is confirmed as a US Supreme Court Justice (52-48)*

#### **Joke of the Day**

*What did San Andreas say when the earthquake hit California?*

*It's my fault.*

#### **October and November Rotary Meetings**

**October 15 - Zoom**

**October 21 - Thursday Social TBA**

**October 22 - DARK Due to Thursday Night Social**

**October 29 - DARK Due to District Conference**

**November 5 - Live at The Old Spaghetti Factory and Zoom**

**November 12 - Live at The Old Spaghetti Factory and Zoom**

**November 19 - Zoom**

**November 26 - DARK due to Thanksgiving**

#### **Rotary Board Meetings Live & Zoom**

**Our Rotary Board Meetings will be held live at Golden State Lumber and on Zoom, the 3rd Monday of the month. Everyone is welcome.**

**November 15 - Golden State Lumber/Zoom**

**December 20 - Golden State Lumber/Zoom**

**January 17 - Golden State Lumber/Zoom**

**February 28 - Golden State Lumber/Zoom**

**March 21 - Golden State Lumber/Zoom**

**April 18 - Golden State Lumber/Zoom**

**May 16 - Golden State Lumber/Zoom**

**June 20 - Golden State Lumber/Zoom**

President-Elect: **Memory Woodard**

Secretary: **Sandy Newman**

Treasurer: **Greg Grassi**

Sergeant at Arms: **Wanda Waltman**

Past President: **Brad Prescott**

Club Fellowship: **Rita Corbinook**

Community Service: **Bill Bobetsky**

Publicity: **Guy Bjerke**

Youth Services: **Memory Woodard**

International Services: **Michael Barrington**

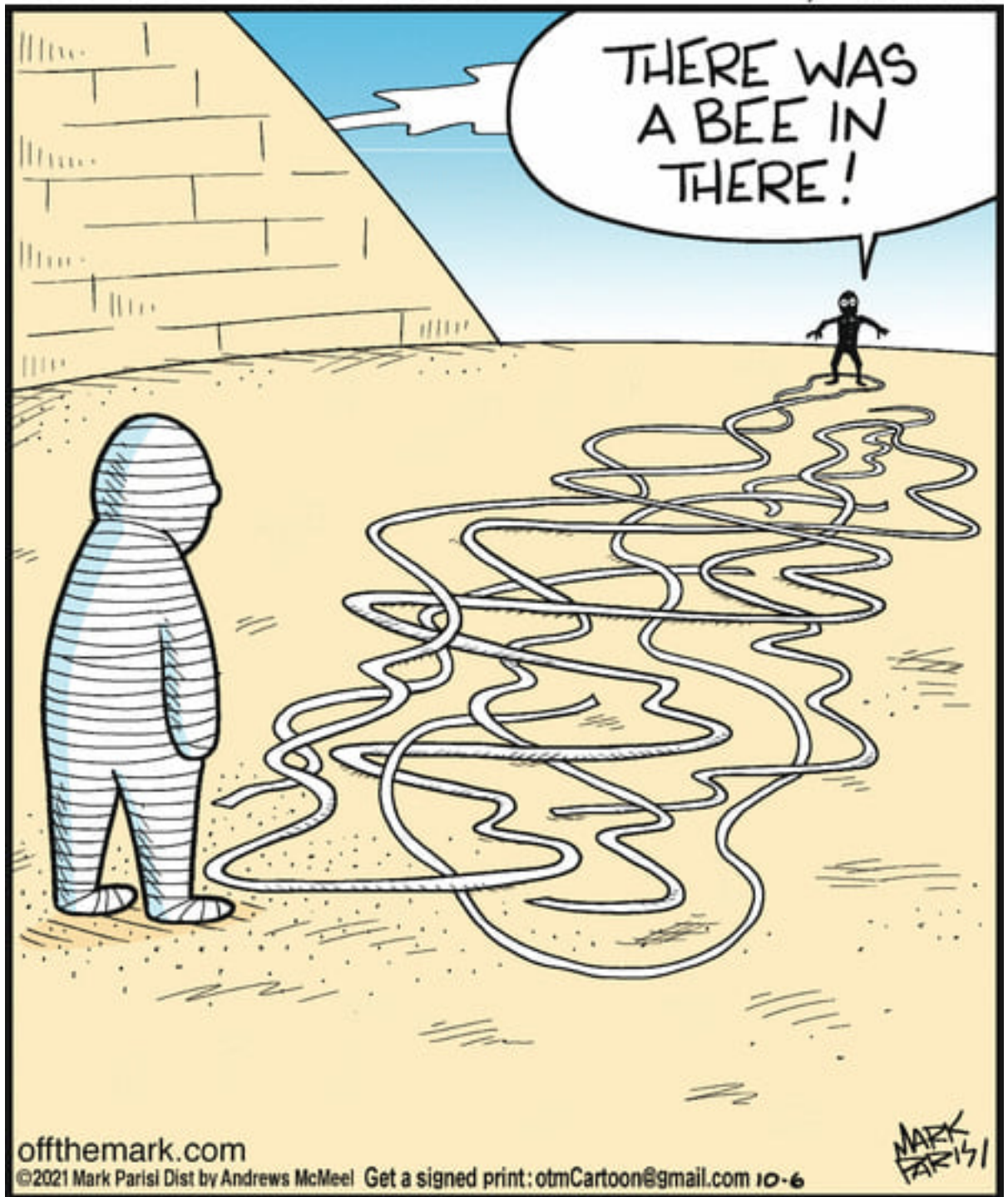
Vocational Services: **David Litty**

Membership Services: **Rick Ernst**

Rotary Foundation: **Will Chan**

#### **Cartoon of the Day**





### Upcoming Speakers

October 21st

[Rotary Means Business](#)

Join us Thursday Night at our Business Social.

October 29th

[DARK](#)

Dark due to the District 5160 Conference.

November 12th

[James Maddox, 1st Tee](#)

Learn about the the youth golf program.

October 22nd

[DARK](#)

Dark due to our Thursday night Business Social.

November 5th

[Nicole Carranza, Marathon Petroleum Corporation](#)

Changes in the oil industry and the rising cost of gasoline will be discussed.

## Club Leaders



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