



# ROSSMOOR ROTARY NEWS



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## MEETING NOTES: June 24, 2020

**Call to Order:** Jim Olson called the meeting to order.



**Guest:** Elaine Kociolek visited from Project Second Chance. We presented her with a \$2,000 award. She spoke about the goals of the organization which focuses on adult literacy. They help people who are adjusting to a new world where they need to have skills in computer communications such as Zoom.

**Rotary International Video:** Mark Maloney was featured in the video. He takes great pride in being part of Rotary and the job it does in connecting the world. Rotary continues adapting to meet challenges in a rapidly changing world.

**Sunshine Report:** Ed S. is rapidly deteriorating.

**Thought for the Day:** Ruth spoke on positive thinking.

**Happy Dollars:** Patrice, Joy, Ruth, David, Steve, Jeff, Chuck, Jennifer, and Jann contributed their Happy Dollars.



**Membership:** The membership fee collection is in progress.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

**Leadership Changes:** Quite unexpectedly, the presidency became vacant as President-elect **Jann Oldenburg** announced that she is moving out of the area. **Jim Olson** and **Steve Elefant** will step in as co-presidents for the near term. **Joy Alaidarous** and **Steve Elefant** to be the following interim presidents, and finally **Bill Broxham** will step up in June of next year for full year.



## PROGRAM

**John King** hosted the presidential demotion which was oddly not a demotion given **Jann Oldenburg's** surprise departure. He gave a humorous tribute to **Jim**, mentioning the 4th of July feast. He acknowledged **Jim** as someone who always helped for anything needed. He also brought in several new members such as **Jean** and **Dale**. **Jim** attended District conferences. He also played a big role in the Gala and got involved in the Holiday party where the Club celebrated a member's 100<sup>th</sup> birthday as well. **Jim** presided over meetings

and introduced many fine speakers. We will be fortunate to have him as a returning President next year. **John** recognized several additional members including **John Rice**, **Patrice Jensen**, **Les Birdsall**, and **Harvey Gilbert**.

**John King** has become the Rotary Foundation president. **Paul Wilson**, **Earl Abbe**, and **John Rice** are holding other offices on the Foundation Board.

Rotary  Board of Directors 2020-21  
Rossmoor Rotary

				
James W. Olson President				
				
Dale Martin Secretary	Bill Broxham Pres-Elect	Steve Elefant Co-President	Irv Ford Treasurer	Joy Alaidarous Alt- president
				
Jennifer Hanson Director	Chuck Lamb Director	Gary Smith Director	Merilee Hoffman Director	David Brown Director

The Rossmoor Rotary Board has appointed **Jim Olson** as president again. **Steve Elefant** will become co-president. **Bill Broxham** will be president-elect. **Irv Ford** will retain his seat as Treasurer and **Dale Martin** will become secretary. **Joy** will serve as the alternate president. **Jennifer Hanson** stepped up to the Club Board along with other Directors **Dave Brown**, **Merilee Hoffman**, **Chuck Lamb** and **Gary Smith**. **Chuck** made a motion to accept the new board and the motion was passed.



## CALENDAR

Today	Jeff Mathison - Golden Rain Foundation Update
July 8	Mallory Moench – SF Chronicle