

ROSSMOOR ROTARY NEWS



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June 9, 2021

MEETING NOTES: June 2, 2021

<u>Call to Order:</u> Steve Elefant called the meeting to order. Joy introduced guests Clair C. who is new to Rossmoor, and Fred R.

Sunshine: None reported

Thought for the Day: Presented by Jim Olson

<u>Happy Dollars:</u> There is a theme of enjoying family after a very long time.

Joy is happy to be spending time in June with each of her daughters.

Bill Brox enjoyed a BBQ picnic with family.

John King is looking forward to a family visit with all five siblings, and sharing time with their mother who is in assisted living.

David Brown is just happy, and that's a good thing.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



June Birthdays – Wolf Meier, Sue DiMaggio Adams, Ed Goldberg

The Annual Awards and Demotion Pizza Party is planned for, Saturday, July 3rd at II Pavone at 11:30 AM. Cost is \$25 pp. Guests are welcome. Please RSVP to Joy at 925-954-1002 by Monday, June 28th. Foundation Board Nominations: Nominees for the Club Foundation Board need to be submitted before the June 9th regular meeting. Contact John King at john@jtking.net, or 925-689-8897.

Rossmoor Openings: There is a meeting on June 15th regarding opening of Rossmoor facilities that Joy will attend on behalf of the Club. Anyone with input should contact Joy at 925-954-1002.

Polio Plus Society: There is a call for members to join the newly established PolioPlus Society. It requires a signed commitment form that you will donate \$100

annually to Polio Plus. After years of devoted work, we are so close to eradicating this disease. Consider making this commitment. Contact Joy for more information and the required form.

June is Rotary Fellowship Month – Join together with other of common interest. For more information, log on to: rotaryfellowship@rotary.org.

PROGRAM



Guest Speaker -Elizabeth Wong, Outreach Specialist California Telephone Access Program (CTAP) CTAP is a program of the California Public Utilities Commission Deaf and Disabled Telecommunications Program. Every day over half a million California residents stay connected through specialized telephone equipment. There is a phone for every need including amplified phones that make it easier to hear conversations. There are big button phones that are easier to dial, phones with lights that flash for incoming calls, convenient portable phones and more. In addition, there are specially designed phones for individuals with more significant disabilities.



California phones are free, and are available to persons who live in California, have telephone service, and a doctor to approve the need. Products are available to assist with hearing, vision, mobility, speech, memory along with mobile accessories. The program is funded by a small surcharge that appears on all telephone bills in California. The surcharge appears as: "CA Relay Service and Communications Devices Fund."

To apply for a specialty phone is simple:

- 1. Live in California
- 2. Have telephone service

3. Difficulty hearing, seeing, moving, speaking or remembering

For more information or to download the application logon to californiaphones.org.

Elizabeth Wong has worked with the CTAP program for over 10 years. For more information, she can be reached at 510-220-4150 or ewong@ddtp.org. Training classes are offered on use of the basic features of specialty phone equipment.

CALENDAR

June 9	10:30 Club Board of Directors meeting
June 9	Jan Pinkerton-Speith: Almond farming
	and bees
June 16	10:30 RRF Trustee meeting
June 16	Nancy Richardson:: Intellectual Property
	Law