



Club Meeting

Livermore
 Meets at GHMG Hotel (Good Hotel Management Group)
 720 Las Flores Rd.
 Livermore, CA 94551
 Time: Wednesday at 12:00 PM
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Spur Report for July 15, 2020

By Don Wentz on Thursday, July 16, 2020

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Spur Reporter - Trish Munro



Meeting was called to order by: President Carolyn Siegfried

Pledge led by: Ed Coats led the pledge aloud. Unmuted participation was cacophonous.

Song by: Michael Ferrucci and Stu Frazier who sang

◆ I Fought the Law and the Law Won ◆ ◆ very appropriate!



Thought for the Day: Marty Plone



Marty spoke about his 51 years as John Shirley's friend and colleague and some of John's sayings:

- The best way to lose an enemy is to make a friend.
- You can be bad at piano or golf, but you can't be a bad pilot.
- About being a veterinarian: Everyone will get into trouble. A good



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Events

No Events found



Rotary Opens Opportunities

veterinarian knows how to get out of trouble.

- Having others respect and sticking to one's ethics are better than making money.

Meeting Front Line:

Zoom Host: Glenn Kubiak

Audio Visual: Alan Frank special shout-out!

Spur Reporter: Trish Munro

Videographer: Nile Runge

Spur Publisher: Don Wentz

Welcome Visiting Rotarians and Guests:

Visiting Rotarians: Gary Schwaegarle, Steve Neef

Guests: Vaughn Dragoo, guest of Monya Lane; John Thaete, husband of Jennifer Thaete

Walking Livermore Photos: by President Carolyn

Signs around town:

- We're all in this together
- Don't Give Up
- One Day at a Time

President Carolyn told of being approached while walking and being told that she looked nefarious. She contemplated how she might have felt had she been a person of color. It was also a reminder to check herself for her own biases.

Announcements:

District 5170 News:



Phil Dean is Gift and Estate Planning Program Chair for District 5170. Thanks for his work at the district level.

Club News Carolyn Siegfried:

Rotarians Facilitating Connections: Connecting mask & shield makers with school district nursing staff. Various members of the club who are making masks and shields are being connected to school district.

Area 4 Global Grant approved! \$96,850 for medical equipment to three community health centers in Alameda County. Money to Axis Community Health, Eden Health, Asian Health Services.

Club Activities:



Birthday and Anniversaries ♦ Carol Gerich reported on July ♦s celebrations and handed out virtual cupcakes and flowers. Happy Birthday and Happy Anniversary to all our Rotarian Celebrants.

This Week ♦s Program:



Livermore Police Chief Michael Harris

Marc Roberts introduced Chief Harris, saying he started in Oakdale in 1990. He came to Livermore seven years ago and, among other accomplishments, led department in developing the Six Pillars ♦ cultural values and priorities (see below).

Chief Harris began by noting that he will retire after almost 31 years in law enforcement, with July 31 being his last day. The Chief remarked that it's been challenging work, but it ♦s what he signed up for. Captain Jeremy Young will serve interim chief while the city conducts a nation-wide recruitment.

Harris is most proud of leaving a police department that is in a good place to meet this moment. In particular, he spoke about the six pillars; the people he hired, developed, and promoted; relationships and trust with city, community, and internal department staff; and building a culture focused on serving and being proud to serve others and the shift from tactical, warrior mentality to guardian mentality ♦ focus on outcomes (quality) versus output (quantity).

Currently the police department is working toward moving for pillars as a statement of principle to goals, that is translating principles into practice. This approach of continual striving to improve has been important since day one ♦ well before the current moment. With regard to that moment the department wants to listen, be part of the conversation, take input, and adjust.

Use of force and ♦8 Can't Wait. ♦ Chief Harris went into detail about Livermore being in compliance with spirit, although Livermore ♦s wording differs in language from that of ♦8 Can't Wait. ♦

However, Livermore City Council has approved a subcommittee with a focus on Equity and Inclusion that will go well beyond policing. In addition, Chief Harris pointed out the gaps in the mental health system with regard to homelessness and mental health.



Here are the Six Pillars of the Livermore Police Department:

The Livermore Police Department is committed to service, justice and fundamental fairness. The six pillars have been established in order to build a solid foundation that is grounded in a shared purpose that is reflected in our people, plans and practices. The six pillars defining the values and priorities of the organization are:

- Public Safety and Crime Prevention ♦ We believe public safety is the core function of the organization achieved through relationships, enforcement, and education.
- Accountability and Public Trust ♦ We believe in conducting ourselves honorably, being transparent, and understand that our effectiveness relies on community support. Community Engagement ♦ We believe in partnering with our community to enhance collaborative problem solving to improve the quality of life in Livermore.
- Quality Service ♦ We believe in treating people with respect and providing superior service, both internally and externally, that exceeds expectations regardless of circumstances.
- Innovation and Best Practices ♦ We believe in continually evaluating and developing our operations and services to be leaders in the law enforcement profession.
- Employee Development, Wellness and Succession Planning ♦ We believe in promoting safety and wellness as well as providing staff with development opportunities and clear direction to enhance their skills and prepare them to be future leaders in our organization.

In retirement, Chief Harris plans to relax and spend time with his family.

Next Week's Program: Mike Paddock, Engineers Without Borders; Introduced by Pat Coyle.



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<https://www.flickr.com/photos/62794352@N07/albums/with/72157709710922731>

Today's video will be available on our web site: <https://livermore-rotary.org/2019-2020/>



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