



The Wheelbarrow

The Bulletin of the North Stockton Rotary Club
Meeting Tuesdays at Noon at the Brookside Country Club

2021-2022



North Stockton Rotary



Evan Stone
NSR 21-22 President

08/31/21

I arrived at the gate at 11:40 and look who was at his post early! Driving around the harbor I couldn't help feeling blessed to be here, clear blue skies, wonderful waterways and a big lunch coming my way! We feasted on Hoagie Sandwiches with Potato

chips of your choice and fresh fruit balls for salad.



Gatekeeper Ray answering the Call!



President **Evan Stone** rang the bell at 12:30pm. And then lead the pledge, 4 way test and had a thought for the day. His thought was, with fires raging all around us, how can we help? We can donate at: [Disaster Relief | Rotary District 5220 - Central California \(rotary5220.org\)](https://www.rotary5220.org) With the District Conference two weeks away being threatened, let's do all we can to help.

Guests of Rotarians: **Justin Redman** brought F&M Trainee **Alexia** to the meeting again. **President Evan** welcomed our newest member **Shannon McGovern** to her first meeting as a NSR'er.



Andy & Mark, born on the same day. Coincidence or phenomena?



Justin introduces Alexia for the second time!!!!

President Evan announced September Birthdays: **Shannon McGovern**, Sept. 6th, **Earl Ahrens** Sept. 7, **Steve Groom**, Sept. 12th, , **Joel Carignan**, Sept. 13, **Kathryn Nance** , Sept. 19th, **Jonothan Loo**, Sept. 22nd and **Andy Chesley**, Sept.28th, **Mark Ornellas**, Sept. 28th, (Twins?).

Rotary Anniversaries: **Kendra Clark**, 1 year, **Jill Antonini**, 7 years, **Brett Jolley**, 12 years, **Jane Kalfsbeek**, 23 years, and the venerable **Tom Hooper**, 39 years!

President Evan had Andy lead us in Happy Birthday, Rotarians.

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Upcoming Speakers

09/07/21	Ms Maria Robinson	Child Abuse Prevention Council's CASA program	Village West Yacht Club
09/14/21	Christin Merrill	Red Cross Blood Donation Program	Village West Yacht Club
09/21/21	DG Tim Madden	Red Cross Blood Donation Day	Village West Yacht Club



Happy Grandma fills the bucket!

Sunshine Bucks:

Wayne Hose lead off with announcing he attended his Stagg High 50th Class Reunion! They had such a great time, they did a conga line!

Tod Anton: 33years ago September 1st, Tod became a grandfather. It was the happiest day of his life! He'll never forget the look on his daughter's face the first time she held her baby!

Parvin Soleimani: Was blessed to have her two grandbabies for the weekend. Truly a miracle!

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Announcements:

During the month of September North Stockton Rotary will be encouraging our community to donate much needed blood through the American Red Cross in Stockton located at [2888 W. March Lane, Stockton, CA 95219](https://www.redcross.org/location/2888-W-March-Lane-Stockton-CA-95219). You can make an appointment directly by calling 1-800-733-2767. When you arrive for your appointment please make sure to mention North Stockton Rotary and sign the clipboard to be entered into a raffle filled with wine and gift cards from local community businesses donated by North Stockton Rotary Members.

For Area2 Rotary members interested in scheduling with other Rotarians. American Red Cross in Stockton has blocked off Tuesday, September 21st. Several North Stockton Rotarians have already locked in their appointments. Thank you; **Jill Antonini, DG Tim Madden, Justin Redman, Bill McDonald, Kendra Clark, Joel Carignan, Linda Guinn and Karen Rea** for leading us on this day. There are still some time slots available on this day, please call me (Lorie Liddicoat) directly to lock in a time slot 209.915.9913 or email me at loriediazliddicoat@gmail.com

Calendar:

9/6/21 Emergency Food Bank Speaker. We are coordinating working there Friday mornings from 8:30 to 10:30.

9/7/21 Maria Robinson, coordinator of the CASA foster care program.

9/10-11/21 District Conference. Click here: [District Conference | Rotary District 5220 \(rotary5220.org\)](https://www.rotary5220.org)

9/14/21 Christin Merrill, Red Cross Blood Donation Program

9/21/21 DG Tim Madden will visit us. That is also Blood Donation day.

10/11 thru 10/16/21 Annual Dictionary Distribution 1500 dictionaries to 8 yr olds! Sign up!

10/16/21 The Walk for ALZ. Here's the link to walk or donate: https://act.alz.org/site/TR/Walk2021/CA-NorthernCaliforniaandNorthernNevada?fr_id=14331&pg=entry

October 30th - Foundation Dinner, Modesto

We have a vacant secretary position open. Please jump in, you'll be on the fast track to fame and fortune!



Stagg class of 1971, leading, Wayne Hose!



Pals hangin' at their Rotary meeting!

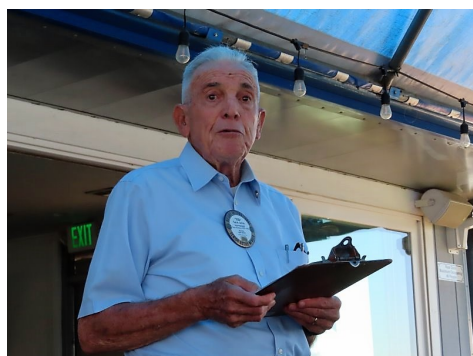


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Dictionary Project:
Storage/Processing Facility
Great news! **Chris Hunefeld** is providing retail space at [6385 Pacific Avenue, Stockton, CA 95207](https://www.google.com/maps/place/6385+Pacific+Avenue,+Stockton,+CA+95207/@37.7544444,-121.4694444,15z) for receiving, processing and transferring cartons of dictionaries to Rotarians. There is access from either Pacific Avenue or Douglas. There is parking in front and at side of building. Should be clean access for delivery truck driver. The space is behind (west) of BevMo. Adjoining to the south are Sweat and Do-Nut King. Since our dictionary distribution week is 11-15 October, perhaps we can get delivery the previous week. We can mark, include gummed gift labels and bookmarks for the 21 schools in a couple of hours. It would be nice to be able to alert Rotarians that their cartons were ready on the 7th, 8th or 9th of October. Last year, some of

Tod presents our great dictionary project.



us delivered cartons to Rotarians.
Planning Chart, Rotarians Signing Up
Attach is our planning chart as of 1 September 2021. We are on schedule in signing up Rotarians to pick up cartons and present dictionaries to third graders in 21 schools. We need Rotarians for Hong Kingston, Commodore Stockton Skills, Ma-ta and Wilson schools. We should have NSR members signing on this week.

How many Constitutional experts are there?



Ordering Cartons of Dictionaries
Judy Lovett has coordinated ordering dictionaries from publisher. Judy also has worked with Rotary president and board on budget and funding. We all hope Judy continues to make the project possible. We have an enrollment count projection of 1462. Several principals commented that they expected more enrollment after Labor Day. Maybe a 3% cushion, 45 dictionaries, would be wise. It is really helpful to provide a dictionary to each teacher. They can base lessons and assign homework tasks if they have a dictionary. Assuming an average of 22 students per teacher, we would need another 66 dictionaries. That would result in an order of 1573. That would need an order of 66 cartons of 24 dictionaries each, a total of 1584. Reviewing our left over dictionaries, we have 24 from last year's printing.

Who were the Founding Fathers?



Gummed Gift Labels
We should order 1584 or round up. Judy can review text and update as desired.

Rotary Book Marks
We have 1200 bookmarks left over. They are usable.

What's the original intent of the Constitution?



Surprisingly unnoticed centerpieces by our speaker!

Speaker:
Speaker chair **Andy Chesley** introduced a man who shares his birthday, after living a Rotary scholarship in England, joined our club in 1983, and became President of our club in 1996-1997, setting him up to go to te Board of Regents for the University of California, not to mention he's a Lawyer, let's hear it for our own **Mark Ornellas!!!**

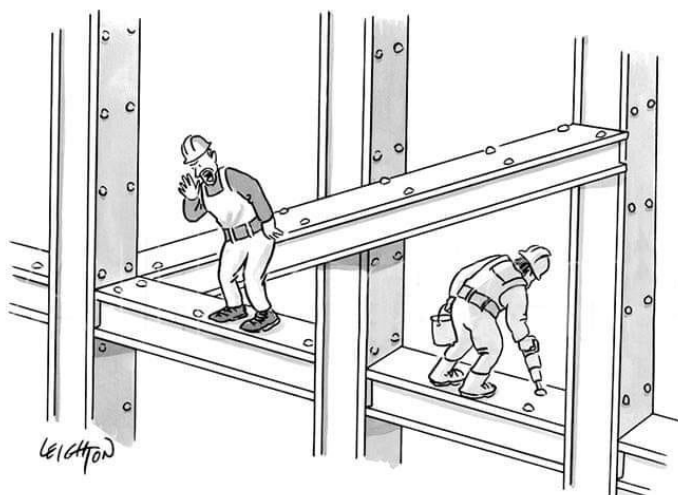


Past President Mark Ornellas presented his "Introduction to Constitutional Law". He traced the origins of the US from the Declaration of Independence through the adoption of the US Constitution and its 27 amendments. He vented his frustrations over the prevalence of so-called constitutional "experts" and discussed the challenges of (i) identifying the true "Founding Fathers", John Adams, Alexander Hamilton, Benjamin Franklin, Thomas Jefferson, George Washington, and John Jay, (ii) ascertaining their intentions 234 years after the fact. Mark reminded us that Stockton was the first US city to experience a mass school shooting in 1989 at Cleveland Elementary School, which NSR had adopted just a few months earlier. That shooting led to California enacting a 1990 law banning assault rifles, a law which remains on the books but which has been challenged recently in the US District Court. He reviewed the wording of the 2d Amendment and its emphasis on supporting a Militia. He noted that the US Supreme Court for the first time in 2008 held that the Founding Fathers intended that amendment to protect the right to bear arms for "home protection", something no prior court had held in the preceding 217 years following the amendment's ratification. Did the Founders really intend that? Mark quoted Thomas Jefferson, who wrote in 1789 that "A constitution naturally expires after 19 years." Now what?



Could it be the delta breeze, the food? We had 25 members in attendance.

Well, exactly, now what?
Evan called the meeting at 1:28 pm, raffle winners were



"Escher! Get your ass up here."

