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MAKE-UP LOCATIONS

TUESDAY:

COVINA - Sunrise 7:15 am
South Hills Country Club
2655 N. Citrus Ave., West Covina

RANCHO DEL CHINO - 7:15 am
Papachinos Grill & Greens
14501 Ramona Ave., Chino

WALNUT VALLEY - 7:15 am
The Diamond Bar Golf Club
22751 Golden Springs Dr., Diamond Bar

WEDNESDAY:

CHINO - 12:00 pm
Chino Community Building
5443 B. St., Chino

CLAREMONT - Sunrise 7:15 am
St. Ambrose Episcopal Church
830 W. Bonita Ave., Claremont

SAN DIMAS - 12:00 pm
Via Verde Country Club
1400 Avenida Entrada, San Dimas

UPLAND - 12:00 pm
Landecena Community Center
1325 E. San Bernardino Rd., Upland

WEST COVINA - 12:15 pm
South Hills Country Club
2655 S. Citrus Ave., West Covina

THURSDAY:

COVINA - 12:10 pm
South Hills Country Club
2655 S. Citrus St., West Covina

LA VERNE - 7:30 am
Univ. of La Verne President's Dining Room
1950 3rd St., La Verne

ONTARIO - 12:00 pm
DoubleTree Hotel
222 N. Vineyard Ave., Ontario

FRIDAY:

ARCADIA - 12:00 pm
Embassy Suites
211 E. Huntington Dr., Arcadia

CLAREMONT - 12:00 pm
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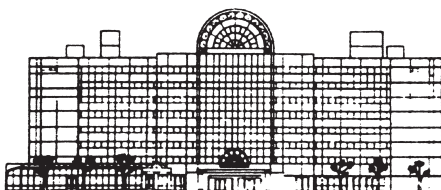
of the things we think, say or do.

First - Is it the TRUTH?

Second - Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Third - Will it build GOOD WILL
and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

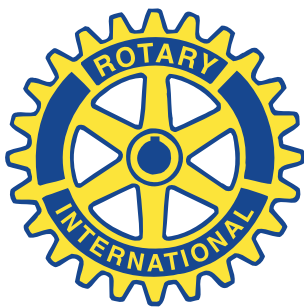
Fourth - Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?



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Aug 14th, 2018



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THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

Aug 14 - Juanita Becerra - Diabetes

FUTURE PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

Aug 21 - District Governor John Chase

Aug 28 - Daniel Wilson - WesternU

Sep 4 - Jill Dolan - Mt. SAC

WEEK (Aug 7th, 2018)

GUESTS AND VISITING ROTARIANS

Brittney and **Timmy Hopkins** joined Gary George.

Meghan Wishner joined Jill Dolan.

PRESIDENT'S MOMENT

Inspiring others might not always be easy, but it can be achieved through some simple steps: Honestly care about others. Be enthusiastic. Earn trust. Be positive. Build people up. Stand your ground. Admit your flaws. Be an active listener. Treat everyone equally. Stay calm. Keep your promises. Be true to yourself. All these steps can inspire others to find their own greatness.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

• Hot August Night on August 18th is approaching fast. We are still looking for items for the silent auction,

like gift baskets, artwork, event tickets, etc. Please contact Carol Wilt if you would like to contribute. Beth Brooks is already selling reservations, which, thanks to a generous donation from Fairplex, each come with a ticket to the LA County Fair. Raffle tickets are also available for \$20 for 25 tickets from Beth Brooks. Absentee tickets can be purchased if the name, phone number, and address are provided.

- District Governor John Chase will be visiting our club for our meeting on August 21st. Let's all try to attend! The general meeting will be preceded by a special board meeting starting at 11am.
- Rotary District 5300's Membership Priority Plus Training will be held on September 15th at WesternU.

MEMBER RECOGNITION - Gary George

- Thank you to **Bernie Bernstein** for sharing his rotary moment: During his presidency, he was able to honor Burdette Boileau for 62 years of perfect attendance.
- Congratulations to **Jeff Vaniman** for winning the surfing lesson by Victor Caceres at last year's Hot August Night raffle and for managing to stand up on the board for quite a while.
- Congratulations also to **Beth Bingham** on completing 25 years at Pilgrim Congregational Church in Pomona and moving on to a management position in Sherman Oaks this October.
- Thank you to **Gary George** for organizing a new gavel!

PROGRAM

Jason Heath - Casa Colina Musical Playground

Physical therapy can often be a challenging endeavor with young children or patients with autism. To help with motivation and to facilitate the mental and emotional connections needed for successful therapy, Casa Colina has decided to partner with RotoLab to design an outdoor interactive musical playground.

This playground will consist of several structures that are equipped with a variety of touch and motion sensors. These structures include two short flights of stairs leading to the top of a small hill with a water-feature. The steps as well as the hand-rails can sense touch, including the position of the patient's foot on the step.

The touch and motion inputs can be used by a software system to trigger a variety of complex audio-visual feedback signals for the patient, including music, sound-effects, light, etc.

Since the auditory system of the brain is strongly linked to many other important regions, like the motor and emotional centers, well-designed feedback can be used to significantly enhance a patient's experience and therapy outcomes. Music, for example, can be used to build an emotional connection with autism patients, and entertaining sound-effects can be used as a motivating reward for small children for participating in the therapy.

RotoLab has specifically designed the system not only to be robust and weather-proof, but also as flexible as possible. The hardware sensors are kept very general, with complex responses generated entirely in software. This allows RotoLab to quickly iterate different ideas for therapy enhancements with the feedback of therapy specialists on site. New ideas can quickly be tested and refined for maximum effectiveness. The system even allows for the combination of various inputs to, for example, require potentially complex collaboration of several patients to achieve a certain reward. This can be used, for instance, to teach collaboration and team work to children with autism. This musical playground at Casa Colina is one of the first of its kind in the country and the true power and potential of this new therapy enhancing device is just starting to be discovered. If the system proves itself, it will likely be deployable at other facilities around the country.

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