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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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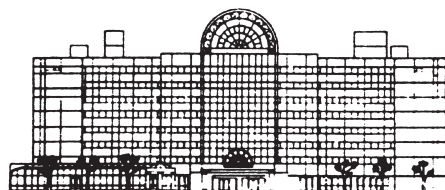
of the things we think, say or do.

First - Is it the TRUTH?

Second - Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Third - Will it build GOOD WILL
and BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

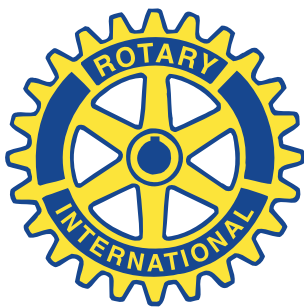
Fourth - Will it be BENEFICIAL to all concerned?



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What do we do? Improve people's lives! Where do we do it? Locally and globally! How do we do it? Through service!



Rotary is a dynamic community service organization which supports charitable causes locally and world-wide. Rotary International has over 1.2 million members in over 100 countries.

Care to see all photos from last week?
They can be viewed and downloaded from here:
<http://bit.ly/PRotary92518>
or scan QR Code



Oct 2nd, 2018



THIS WEEK'S PROGRAM

Oct 2 - Chris Burns - Boys Republic

FUTURE PROGRAMS AND EVENTS

Oct 9 - Students

Oct 16 - Miguel Hurtado - PUSD

Oct 23 - Linda Vogel - Trip to Iran

Oct 30 - Jeff Johannson - Pomona Hope

Nov 6 - Benita DeFrank - Pomona Housing Authority

Nov 13 - Students

Nov 20 - No meeting - Happy Thanks Giving!

Nov 27 - Glenn Pomeroy - Cal. Earthquake Authority

Dec 4 - Ginger Corwin - Self Help

Dec 11 - Students

WEEK (Sep 25th, 2018)

GUESTS AND VISITING ROTARIANS

M Joyce Bakersmith joined Karli Tanner, **Norma Quinones** joined her husband Andrew Quinones, **Wayne Seale** joined his cousin Gary George, and **Susan Vander Molen** joined her husband Ron Vander Molen.

PRESIDENT'S MOMENT

"The best time to plant a tree was 20 years ago. The second best time is now."

~ Chinese Proverb

ANNOUNCEMENTS

- The District is looking for 16 volunteers to help out at TLC from November 30th until December 2nd. Contact Jeff Keating for an application. We need to find enough facilitators soon so that we don't need to reduce the number of attending student.
- Katie Strong, who talked at our meeting on the Sept. 18th about her run across the US to raise awareness of veteran suicides is trying to sell her condo in Glendora and, since she injured her foot during her run, she is looking for help to remove the wallpaper in a room and paint the walls there. Anyone interested in helping out please contact Janet Roy.
- Pomona Hope's Annual Awareness and Fundraising Gala will be on October 13th starting at 5:30 p.m. at Kellogg West, Cal Poly Pomona. Contact Clive Houston-Brown to join our Rotary table.
- The Willie Wight Park Focus Group is presenting the 17th Pomona Cultural Festival at the park on October 20th from 1 to 5 p.m. The event will feature Japanese drummers, African and Aztec dancers, Country and Western music, food, and the Pink Motorcycle. The Focus Group is looking for donations to support the event and for vendors who would like to host a booth.

MEMBER RECOGNITION

- Thank you to **Lisa Soiseth** for sharing her Rotary Moment when she observed the children taking part in

Good for the Sole. Seeing their initial unease to leave their parents outside the shoe store turn into a strong sense of empowerment was inspiring to witness.

PROGRAM - Ray Adamyk - Spectra Company

Originally from England, Ray Adamyk spent most of his childhood in Canada. At 15 years old he began working with his uncle on various restoration projects. This eventually led him to starting his own restoration company in Canada and, five years later, moving with this company to Southern California. After living in Claremont for a long time, Ray's feeling that he was being called to Pomona grew stronger and stronger until he eventually purchased the "Lassie House" at the intersection of Washington and Lincoln, which used to be the residence of Jon Provost, who played "Timmy Martin" on the Lassie TV Series. In addition to becoming his private residence, Ray is planning to make the "Lassie House" available as an event space to host community gatherings and to open it to non-profit organizations. His business, Spectra Company, is also located in Pomona and has handled projects that included Hearst Castle in San Simeon, Frank Lloyd Wright's Ennis House and the Biltmore Hotel in Los Angeles, the El Capitan Theater in Hollywood, and the Catalina Casino in Avalon. Ray recently founded a non-profit to purchase the YMCA building on Garey Ave. in Pomona with the

goal to restore and preserve its historic character, but to give it a new life as a center for business, entertainment, and education. The YMCA building was constructed in the early 1920s and is listed in the National Park Service's National Register of Historic Places. Ray is planning to establish an Urth-Caffe-like coffee shop in the building, as well as a barber shop, and add a skate park and more parking. The magnificent pool in the basement of the building will be restored but covered with a glass deck for viewing rather than filled with water for swimming. The space created by this will become a conference room. The building will also house the new headquarters of Spectra Company. Spectra Company currently employs around 150 people across various disciplines including artists and other specialties. Its services cover almost everything needed for the restoration of historic buildings: They can work with materials ranging from classic materials like wrought iron, plaster, granite, marble, wood, ceramic, and terracotta to modern composites like fiber-glass reinforced concrete. They have mastered techniques like masonry, adobe construction, sculpting, painting, carpentry, all the way to modern seismic reinforcement. Their work can be seen in countless buildings all over Southern California.

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