

This Week's Program

President 104's Post #48

Matt Kinley



Wednesday, June 16 **From PROmotion to DEmotion**

12:00pm - 1:30pm Lunch and Program at The Grand Event Center - 4101 E. Willow Street Catalina Room - INDOORS

> NO ZOOM - Ya Have To Be There... Don't Miss It! HOPE YOU MADE YOUR RESERVATION!

CLUB LEADERSHIP



Matthew L. Kinley President

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Fellowship Service Director



Lydia Vincenty-Lowell Fellowship Service Director

COME OUT AND CELEBRATE ROTARY

On Wednesday, June 23, 2021 at 5:30, Rotary will be celebrating at MOLAA

(https://molaa.org) for an evening to celebrate Rotary and to renew our relationships. Why

should you and your spouse, partner or guest come?

- 1. Come celebrate in MOLAA s fantastic Robert Gumbiner Sculpture & Events Garden with food. You I have access to the museum before the event.
- 2. Come congratulate the 104th Board for their work and welcome the 105th Board.
- 3. We have scheduled only a few minutes for the official program and reserved most of the time for getting reacquainted with fellow Rotarians.
- 4. There may be a surprise or two in store.

FOOD, DRINK, FRIENDS AND FUN.

CALL OR EMAIL MADRID BY 6/15/2021 FOR YOUR RESERVATION.

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ROTARY CLUB OF LONG BEACH



















In the Spotlight... President's Award 2021

By Matthew L. Kinley



At the June 9 weekly meeting, I presented the RCLB President 🔷 s Award to Cam Doherty Killingsworth. This award is given to a Rotarian in good standing who has performed outstanding service to the Rotary Club of Long Beach during the current year

Usually, Past Presidents and current Board Members are ineligible, but 2020-2021 was not a usual year. When COVID hit, the Rotary gods were looking out for us because Cam stepped up to help our Club. She put in the long hours and did the intense work needed to keep the Club together in the absence of weekly meetings. Her unique skills were absolutely essential for our successful year. For these reasons, I made an exception by honoring PP Cam with this award.

Cam was involved in so many facets of our Club in the last year that it shard to summarize her contributions, but here are a few:

The RotaryGram

The RG was especially valuable during a year without in-person meetings. Cam took it to a whole new level, making it the primary method of keeping in touch. She produced the look and content, including new features:

Our Rotary Family kept us informed of news of Rotarian celebrations, challenges, and life-events.

Did You Know? Cames institutional knowledge of the Club and valuing its history was a reminder for longtime Rotarians and an education for new Rotarians.

Who Ya Gonna Calle This recognition of Rotarians businesses was a reminder to patronize them during COVID times. Cam took the time to catalog and group them to benefit our members.

Cam envisioned The RotaryGram as a highly designed professional publication; however, it needed to be in DACdbo, a rather limited format. It was like asking a brown duck to be a peacock in full plumage and required hours of troubleshooting every week. It will not surprise anyone who has ever worked with Cam that she made it happen because she knew the value of this communication tool at this particular time in the history of the RCLB.

Zoom Meeting Production

Our Club benefitted from Cames years of experience as a professional meeting producer for Fortune 500 corporate meetings. She created the Zoom set and format.

She was onsite every week and set the bar high for us to present a polished professional meeting on what was a foreign medium to all of us.

Her troubleshooting skills saw us through hours of planning, rehearsals, and unexpected curveballs. The glitches were far fewer than we would have had winging it on our own.

Cam produced the weekly showflow document, which was worthy of a Hollywood production. Everyone involved in one of our weekly meetings received this top caliber minute-by-minute agenda, showing where and when they would be on.

Holiday Gift of Time program

Cam came up with the idea and created the pairings to help Rotarians touch base with each other.

Other Rotary work

Cam did all of this special COVID-caused Rotary work and still made time for her other Rotary commitments. She is on the board of the LB Rotary Scholarship Foundation and Chair of the Mark Bixby Leadership Award Selection Committee. We all experienced seeing the fruits of this effort at the June 2 weekly meeting as we celebrated the Scholarship and Award winners.

A Past President advisor

I never had any doubt that if I asked Cam for her opinion, I would get it! But she always deferred to me as president to make the decision. We all have benefitted from her love of the Club and her knowledge of its history. She sees the Club's big picture and understands how each member is contributions enhances the whole. She loves LB Rotary and shess proven once again, shess a boss Rotarian to the core. I really learned to love this very special person.

Onsite to surprise and celebrate with Cam were family members and past presidents. Attending via Zoom were the RCLB's only husband/wife past presidents Don and Carl Ann Wylie. Also joining was Suzan Al Shammari (from New York). Suzan was the 2016 Mark Bixby Leadership Award and 2018 Rotary Global Grant recipient and has remained close to Cam.





International Service Director



iPast President









Club Executive Director Club Executive Secretary



Assistant Governor

BIRTHDAYS THIS WEEK



June 17th

<u>Rini Ghosh</u> June 18th

Ronald D. Rand June 18th

June 20th



June 22nd

UPCOMING EVENTS

June

16th - Weekly RCLB Meeting 16th Wesky Reconcerning Speaker: Fellow Rotarians Subject: President Mati's DEMOTIONI In-person at The Grand Event Center RSVP required by June 9. NO ZOOM for this meeting 23rd - DARK - No Weekly RCLB Meeting 23rd - Pr Speaker: MOLAA - In-person evening event - RSVP - \$80/person Subject: Honor outgoing President Matt and his board, and welcome President-elect Dennis and his board. Fiesta is the theme. 25th - Club Monthly Golf Outing 30th - DARK - No Weekly RCLB Meeting

July

7th - Long Beach Weekly Club Meeting Speaker: Panel: Looking Back and Ahead Subject: 1st Meeting for President #105 Dennis Smith The Grand Event Center RSVP required by June 30 14th - Long Beach Weekly Club Meeting Speaker: Doug Haubert Subject: Topic TBA RSVP by July 7 21st - Long Beach Weekly Club Meeting Speaker: Long Beach Day Nursery Subject: Lunch off-site at 1548 Chestnut - West Transportation option available. Space limited. RSVP mandatory by July 14 23rd - Club Monthly Golf Outing 28th - Long Beach Weekly Club Meeting Speaker: Mike Munoz

Surprises for Cam included daughter Amber Hackett, granddaughters Gabby and Madeleine Hackett and cousin Marilyn Specht (all arranged by LBRSF ED Letty Totah)! Special thanks to Past Presidents who attended to join in the celebration (from I to r), Kay Cofield, Steve Keesal, Terry Geiling, Greg Haeseler, Bob Latimer, Vic McCarty, Cam Killingsworth, Matt Kinley, Gail Schwandner, Brian Russell, Jack Hinsche, Mollie Beck and Greg Owen!

To see my description of first meeting Cam and the congratulatory message from Rotarian and CSULB President, Jane Close Conoley. Read More

With appreciation... Feeding the Future



President Matt expressing appreciation to Leslie Wiberg and Wendy Leggett for their contribution to the RCLB in leading "Feeding the Future.

New Member Proposal

The following is being proposed as a member of the Rotary Club of Long Beach. His name is hereby submitted to the membership for a 10-day period as required by the by-laws. Any comments can be addressed to the President or the Executive Director of the Club during this 10-day period.

Mike Munoz - Interim Superintendent-President, LBCC

Proposed classification: Education - LBCC - Administration - Superintendent-President Proposed by: Ginny Baxter and Robyn Gordon-Peterson

