



Next Week's Program
Discover Coronado

Speakers
Todd Little,
Executive Director

Upcoming Programs

July 22
Hubbs Sea World Research Center;
Don Kent, CEO

July 29
KUSI News;
Mark Mathis

Aug 5
Election Integrity Project;
Ruth Weiss

Aug 12
So Cal Earthquake Center;
Mark Benthien

Club Events

BEACH CLEAN-UP; **11**
LAEDLEIN **Jul**

ZOOM HAPPY HOUR **23**
@ 6PM; **Jul**
MILLER

END POLIO NOW **28**
WINE TASTING; **July**
MAACK/WILLIAMS

END POLIO NOW **25**
WINE TASTING; **Sept**
MAACK/WILLIAMS

ROTARY/LASLAVIC **6**
GOLF TOURNEY; **Nov**
PLUMB

COROTATOR

Notes from the Scribe

That didn't take long! Early Zoomers were treated to **Ivan Dunn's** "Rockin' Robin" slide show to honor our new President **Robin**. Our 95th president (and second of the Zoom Era) called the meeting to order and asked **Marti Helmers** to offer the invocation and lead the Pledge. **Ben Shapiro** was called on to ask our visiting Rotarians and guests to identify themselves. Speaking of guests, you're welcome to forward our meeting link to anyone you think would make a great Rotarian who might want to lurk in and see how we handle this strange situation.

In case you missed our Zoom meeting this week, you can catch it here on YouTube:
<https://youtu.be/sR2N49uZU4>

Rotary Notes of Interest & Announcements

1. It was only appropriate for the 95th president (and the 2nd Zoom president) and former head of the Historical Association, that we would open with a Rotary history lesson! **Steve Duermeyer** paid tribute to **Dan Gensler** our next District 5340 Governor and the eighth from our Club. Then, for all you Newbie's, a brief history of Club 2279. We were founded in March, 1926 so we will be 95 next March. Time for a party! We're Club #2279 and were birthed from San Diego (#33) who was sponsored by Los Angeles (#5). We met at the Blue Lantern Café and the San Diego Yacht Club before settling at the Hotel Del in 1930. To be continued....
2. **Paige Hoffmann** announced the next Rotary Zoom Social as July 23 from 6:00 to 7:00 p.m. The subject will be cooking and wine pairing!
3. Rotary International has determined we need a seventh Area of Focus and it will address supporting the environment. (Can you name the other six areas of focus?) **President Robin** has asked **Zyanne Thompson** and **Amy Steward** to host an exploratory meeting in August.
4. What can we expect from **President Robin**? Goals and vision. A budget. Involving Red Badgers. RINOs (Rotary in Name Only). Guest speakers. And, HAVING FUN! Stay tuned!
5. **Rob Taylor** reported that the Arts are trying to stay relevant and solvent. There are lots of on-line offerings from the usual suspects.
6. Coronado Commission of the Arts has a website and **Mariah Gillespie** said it lists all the music offerings and lots of other stuff. www.coronadoarts.com/livemusic

Let's hear it once more for our 2020 ROY, **Ivan Dunn** and the most unusual Rotarian of the Year presentation yet!





We are definitely in good hands as this talented group was installed to serve on the 2020-21 Board of Directors.



This devoted Flag Crew earned our club both Fame and Fortune this week! A feature article in Crown City Magazine and a \$20 donation from a grateful citizen!



July 10 Carmen Velazquez

July 11 Steve Mather
Helen Anderson-Cruz
Zayanne Thompson

July 13 Mary Beth Parr
Debby Syverson
Parker Finch

Fines and Recognitions

1. Rotary and the Flag Crew got a nice write up in the Crown City Magazine. And, **Kitt and Richard Williams** ran the 4th of July race then went uptown to pass out face masks! Rotarians are always busy!

Family of Rotary

Fred Mullins and family appreciate all the love from Rotarians while he's down with coronavirus. They're trapped at home for quarantine, and enjoy the cards and dinners (911 Cabrillo Avenue). Debby Syverson reported that former Rotarian Mike Conner's wife Sue passed away last week. Mike's address is 10 Catspaw Cape if you want to drop him a line.

Update: Our beloved **Fred Mullins** passed away last evening, July 8th, at the age of 100 years. Please keep him and his family in your prayers and we will provide information on services when it becomes available.

Membership

The following persons have been invited to join the Rotary Club of Coronado and have been vetted by the Board of Directors and Membership Committee. If any member has an objection to these proposed members they need to make their objections known, in writing within ten days, to the Board of Directors.

None at the moment, but keep 'em coming!

Program

Suzanne Manuel introduced a Terp in good standing, John Callery, Special Agent in Charge in the Drug Enforcement Agency. Mr., Callery has been in law enforcement for 35 years (and, finally made it to San Diego!) and is now concentrating on the opioid epidemic. The facts are 42,000 die from opioid abuse each year, and even that number would be higher if they didn't save almost 85% of the over 500,000 who overdose each year. Mr. Callery said profits for the pharma company that makes Oxy-contin rose from \$45 million in 1997 to almost \$2 billion in 2017. (He said "profits" but his chart said "sales" and we're not sure which is correct) He also noted that 99.99% of doctors are honest and hardworking, but even that .01% means at least 1600 corrupt practitioners. He's attempting to catch them all! He needs our help. Be smart, assess the risk monitor closely, get informed consent, and document any use thoroughly. If you have a tip call 877-792-2873. Or, call John directly at 571-321-6643.

Editor's disclaimer: Neither the DEA Special Agent nor our Scribe profess to be mathematicians. Whatever the real numbers and percentages are, hopefully you get the picture!