



Club Meeting

Southwest Eureka
Meets at The Elks Lodge at
445 Herrick Ave Eureka CA
455 Herrick Ave
Eureka, CA 95503
Time: Friday at 12:00 PM

Club Leaders



William Gillespie
President



Larry Goldberg
President-Elect



Mary L. Crumley
Secretary



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Treasurer



Cynthia Denbo
Public Relations
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Rotary
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Lyme Tap Chair



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Service Chair



Peter Fuller
Club Service Chair



Scott Pesch
Past President
Club Service Chair



Jamie Anderson
International
Service Chair



Kristin Kuxhausen
Vocational
Service Chair



Willy Bowles
Youth Services
Chair

Rotary Club of Southwest Eureka July 19, 2024

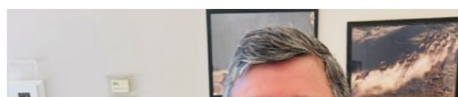
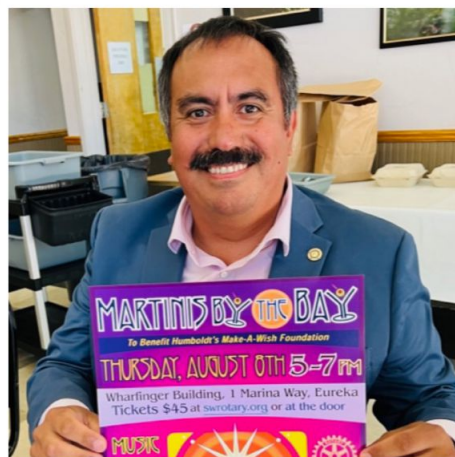
Photos by Cindy Denbo

President Bill ... Meeting number 2!



Introductions:

Visitors included AJ Gonzales, past president from Arcata Sunrise and our speaker, Cody Roggatz.



Events / Speakers

July 26th

Southwest Eureka Weekly Club Meeting

Speaker: English Express

August 2nd

Southwest Eureka Weekly Club Meeting

Speaker: District Governor

Jim O'Grady

Subject: 2024-25

August 8th

Martinis by the Bay

Speaker: Martinis by the Bay

August 9th

DARK - Southwest Eureka Weekly Club Meeting

Speaker: DARK

Subject: No Meeting due to MBTB day prior

August 15th

Coast Guard Recognition Dinner

Speaker: Coast Guard

Cook-your-own-steak dinner

Birthdays



Eddie Alexander Morgan
July 30th

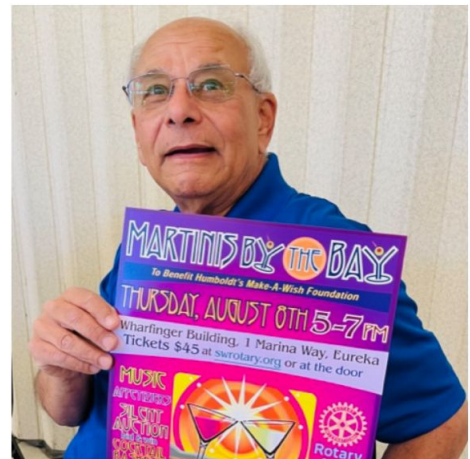


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August 4th



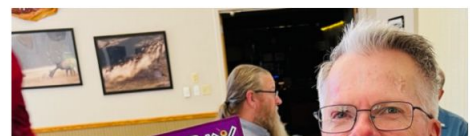
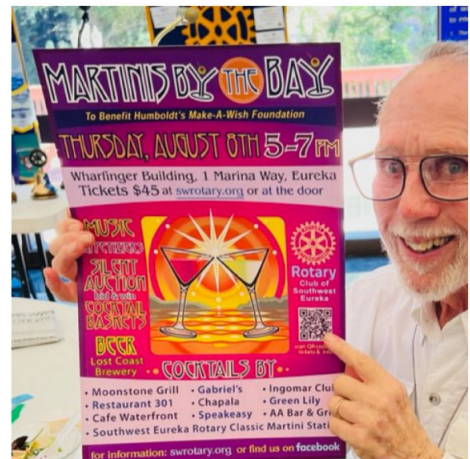
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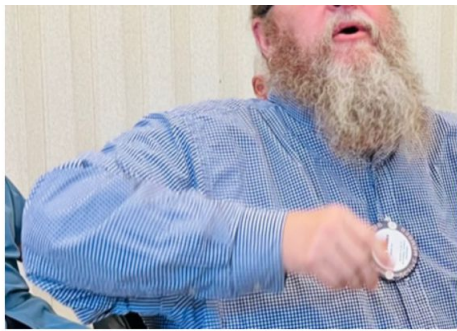
Erin Dunn's mom is undergoing cancer treatment. Keep Erin and her family in your thoughts.



Acknowledgments:

Scott, for his 23rd wedding anniversary. He spent it in Willow Creek at the cabin enjoying a mellow weekend.





Paul Harris Fellow: Mary Crumley received her PHF+3 today, presented by foundation chair Matt Nilsen.



NEW Members

Erin Young was inducted after being introduced by past president Cindy Denbo. President Bill delivered the Presidents Charge, which may have intimidated some newbies, but Erin took it all in stride! Welcome Erin!





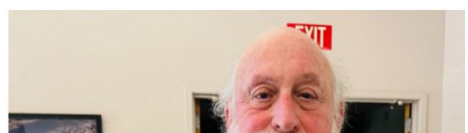
Jose Zapata, who recently transferred to the best club in the universe, received his official blue SW badge today! Welcome Jose!

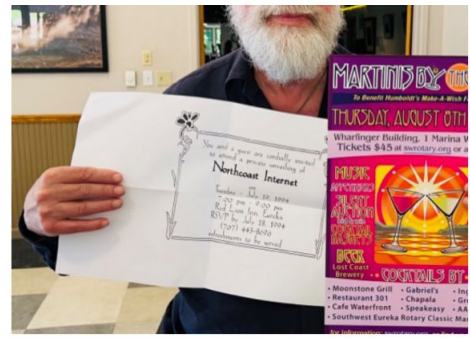


Announcements:

District Governor Jim Oâ€™Grady will visit our club on August 2nd to share his vision and learn a bit about our club. There will be a board meeting at the Elks just prior to our noon meeting.

Larry Goldberg announced that today, 30 years ago, the internet was first introduced to the north coast! Wow!



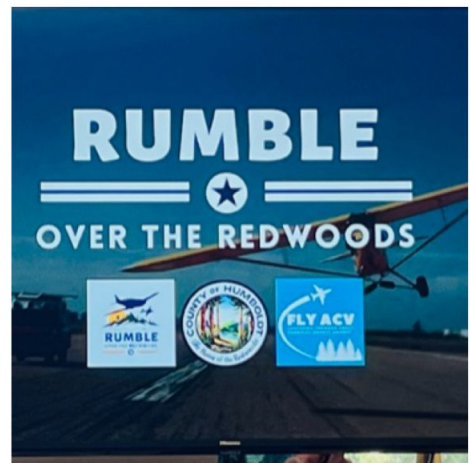


Martini's by the Bay! Just weeks away.. volunteer signups will be going out soon. This event takes everyone's help. There are still sponsor opportunities available. If you plan to help sponsor this event, talk to Bill as soon as possible so you can be included in the advertising and signage.

Backpacks for Kids Bill needs someone to help with the weekly scheduling. Haider volunteered to handle the Sign-up Genius end of things. Please let Bill know if you are interested.

Youth exchange Haider reported that we are still in need of host families. This is the most challenging aspect of the program. Get with Mark or Haider for more details.

Drawing: In the theme of our speaker today, the winner, Larry Goldberg, had to fold a paper airplane and hit the mark. Jamie was quick to jump in and assist.



Speaker

Cody Roggatz was our presenter today. He oversees several local airports as the director of aviation. He spoke about **Rumble over the Redwoods**, an air show happening August 10th and 11th in McKinleyville. Specifically, he was hoping to lasso some volunteers to help with this big event!

Click [here](#) for more information about the air show, and how you can volunteer or attend as a spectator.