

# Rotary

Club of Southwest Eureka



Serving the North  
Coast Since 1969

## 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



Elan Firpo  
iPast President  
Treasurer



Cynthia Denbo  
Public Relations  
Chair



Matthew Nilsen  
Rotary  
Foundation Chair



Rick Roberts  
Sergeant-at-Arms



Haider Ajina  
Lyme Tap Chair



Michael Davies-  
Hughes  
Community  
Service Chair

Peter Fuller  
Club Service Chair

## Rotary Club of Southwest Eureka November 8, 2024

Photos by Mary Crumley



**Scott Pesch**  
Past President  
Club Service Chair



**Jamie Anderson**  
International  
Service Chair



**Kristin Kuxhausen**  
Vocational Service  
Chair



**Willy Bowles**  
Youth Services  
Chair

#### **Guests:**

Amanda Moxon – Past President of Old Town Eureka  
Omar Khattab - guest speaker

#### **Sunshine Report:**

Keep Peter Fuller and Willy Bowles in your thoughts as they heal.

## **Events / Speakers**

November 11th



## Veterans Day Event

November 15th

### Southwest Eureka Weekly Club Meeting

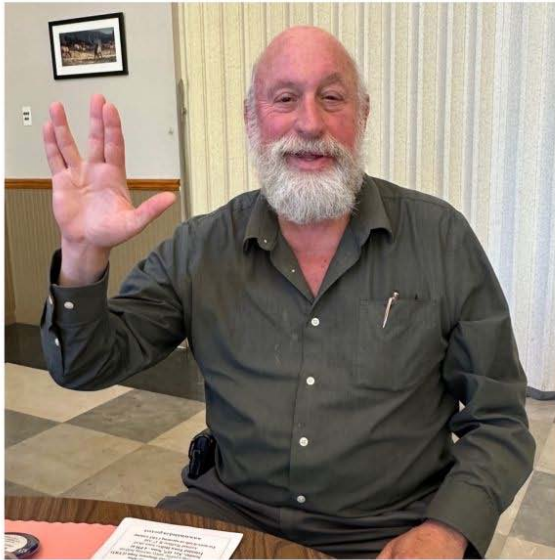
**Speaker:** Michael Herbert.  
Associate AD

**Subject:** Sportsmanship  
amongst Parents/Guardians

November 29th

### DARK -Southwest Eureka Weekly Club Meeting

**Speaker:** Day after  
Thanksgiving - NO  
MEETING



## Birthdays



Erin R Young  
November 10th



Michael Davies-Hughes  
November 11th



Mark A. Dias  
November 15th



John E. Dalby  
November 17th



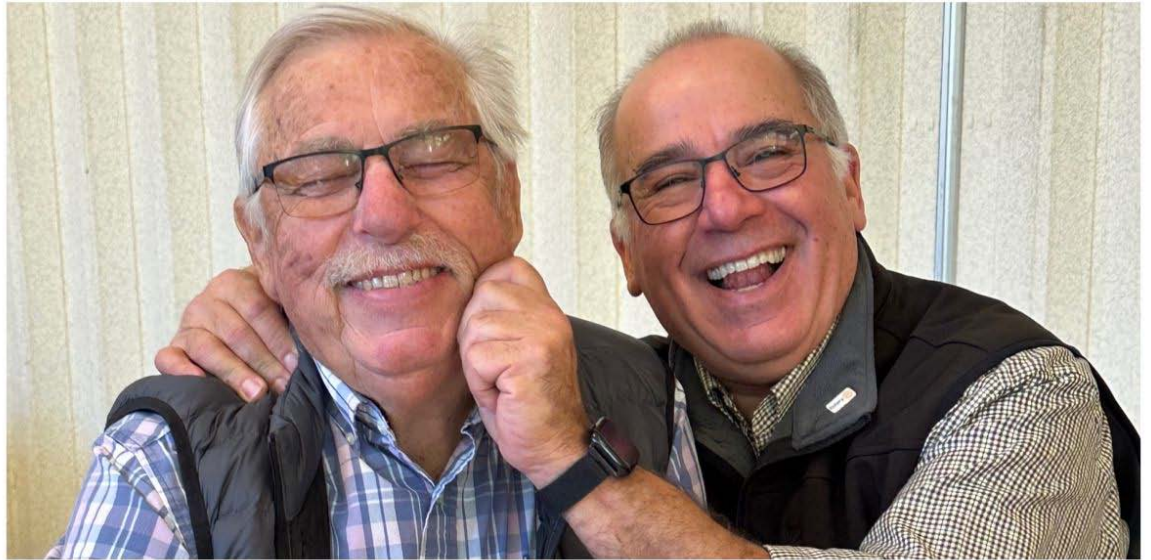
Scott Pesch  
November 28th



Jose Zapata  
December 4th



Mary L. Crumley  
December 9th



**Announcements:**

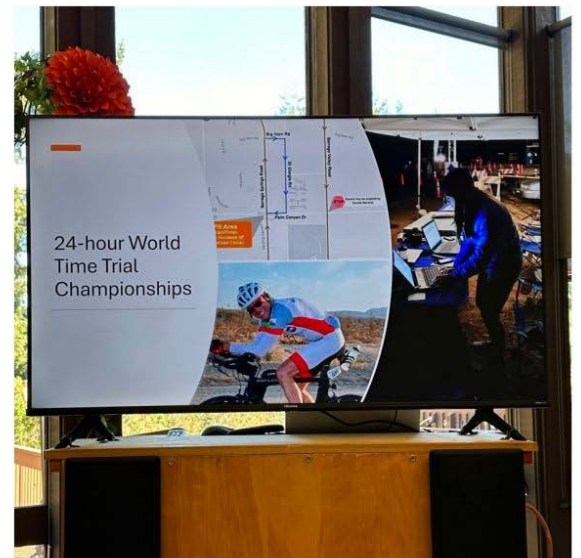
- Backpacks for Kids. Every Thursday for a few minutes. Please sign up if you're available.
- November 11 is Veterans Day.
  - Set up will be this Sunday, November 10<sup>th</sup>.
  - Tear-down immediately after
- December 14<sup>th</sup> from 9:00am to 11:00am. Cleanup project along the Hikshari Trail.
- Yahtzee! Amanda Moxon pitched the multi-club fundraiser. Mark your calendars for January 11<sup>th</sup>!





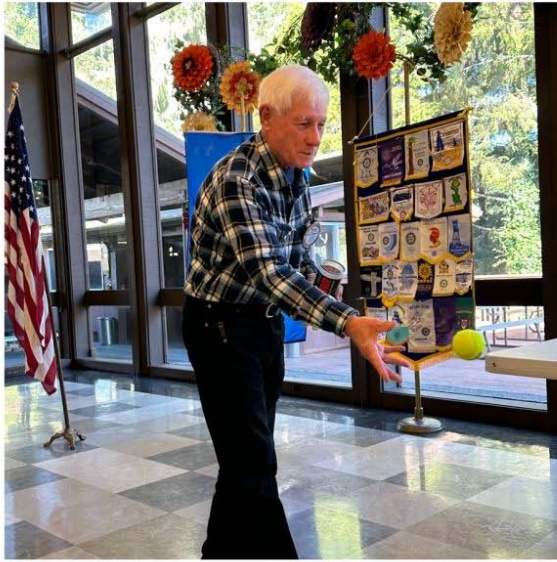
#### Accomplishments:

Michael Davies-Hughes demonstrated true professionalism and athleticism as he cycled in the 24-hour time trials championship. All with just a 14-minute pit-stop. Scott Pesch crewed for him, staying up the entire time. Michael met his goal of 18mph in 18.2 hours. High winds caused the event to be canceled at the 424 mile marker – just shy of the finish line of 432 miles. Hats off to Michael!



**Drawing winner** ... guess who!? Roland Johnson for the 100<sup>th</sup> consecutive week! (ok, maybe it was 4 weeks in a row). Only this time he won the cash prize for getting the ball in the bucket.







### Guest Speaker

Omar Khattab - Athletic Director Eureka High School.

Omar gave a presentation on the upcoming improvements to the EHS football and baseball fields. Both state of the art, all-weather, year-round venues. The bill for the new facilities is planned at \$27million. The football field is multipurpose, to include soccer and track. Completion date target: Fall 2026.





Oooooooooohhhhhhhhhh!