



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



Elan Firpo
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Service Chair



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Youth Services
Chair



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iPast President

Events / Speakers

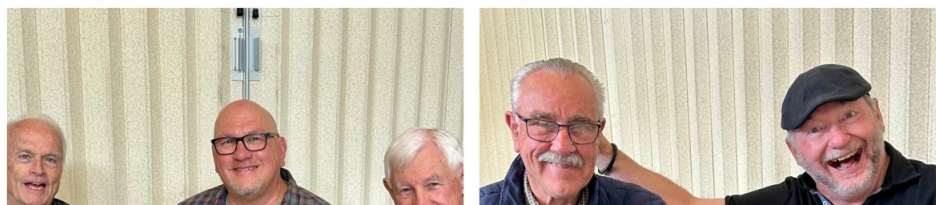
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Photos by Mary Crumley



Elan rang in the meeting for the last time today as President. Thank you, Elan, for your dedication to this great club, and for making this an enjoyable, productive year! She's off to swim with the fishes in Cuba! Bill Gillespie will entertain us next week, at the last official meeting of 2023-24.



Birthdays



Elan Firpo
July 12th



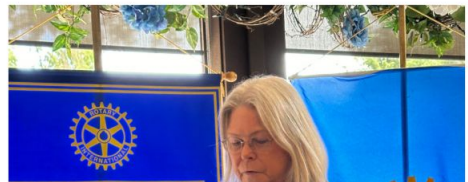
Gregg Carl
Gardiner
July 19th

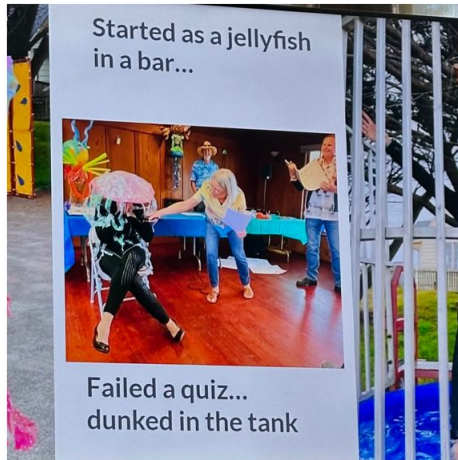


The culinary students at Zoe Barnum fed us lunch today, even though they have already graduated. Lunch was delicious, as usual!



Melinda announced that Kristina Sheterlia (Ukrainian student) graduated last week and was able to have her family there to watch her graduate! She gave several gifts to Melinda to present to Elan in thanks for the club's support.





Liz Ennis gave us a very nice recap of the successful (and most important, FUN) debunking last Thursday afternoon. Thanks for your excellent execution of the covert event Liz! (more photos at the bottom of this bulletin.)



Gregg Gardiner received his official badge today after transferring to Southwest from the Eureka club earlier this year. Once again ... Welcome Gregg!

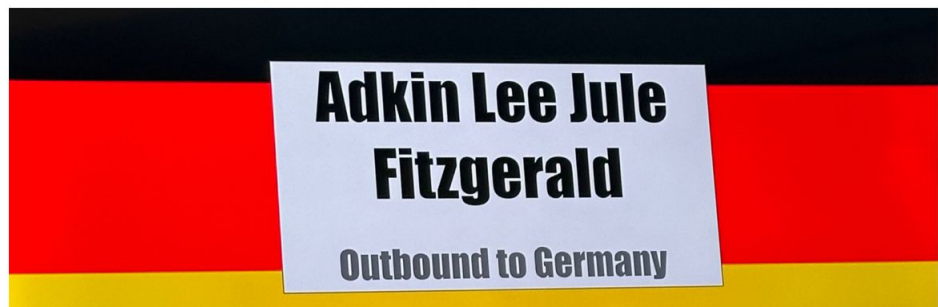
Haider announced several updates regarding Rotary Youth Exchange:

- We are still in need of a third host family for Luka, who is arriving in August from Finland.
- The youth exchange golf tournament will be in Windsor on Saturday, September 14th
- The youth exchange picnic at Carson Park has been rescheduled to September 20th





The winner of our fishy contest was Paul Fitzgerald, father of our outbound student this year. He had plenty of help from the club in solving the name-that-fish contest!



Our presenter today was Adkin Fitzgerald, our outbound student, heading to Meppens Germany. His sister Harlan, you may recall, was our outbound exchange student a few years ago. Adkin shared what he knows about the small town he will be calling home for 9 months. His first host family lives on a farm and has young children. The oldest of his host siblings will be going on exchange as well.

A few Debunking photos:

A few Bunking photos:

