



The Rotoscope

of the San Marino, California, Rotary Club



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Speaker: Jeff Goodman
Subject: Poverty and Welfare
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Speaker: Austin Kim, USMA Class of 2000
Subject: The Do's and Don'ts of Academy Life, my time at West Point and in Military Service, and what an Academy degree can mean.

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The ROTOSCOPE of The San Marino Rotary Club for May 16, 2019

The annual **Bill Steele Mini Grant awards** were the highlight of the luncheon. Teachers from Southwestern Academy, St. Felicitas & Perpetua, and Carver and HMS were our speakers. Each showed compilation videos so Rotarians could see how imaginative and innovative ideas came to fruition for our teachers and students.

Mr. John Kohn showed an image of Bill Steele in military uniform and spoke of the upcoming Memorial Day. John then talked about how revered Bill was and still is in the San Marino community. John said "The grants have supported students' ideas, which have led to careers in art and fashion. Thank you San Marino Rotary for changing peoples lives." Liz Butler from St. Felicitas talked about projects from TK through 8th grades that enhance cooperative learning, and engage students in productive real life lessons. Jason Howard, who works with both Carver and HMS teachers and students, highlighted Animation Stations, stamp & print work, along with intricate die cutting tools purchased with San Marino Rotary grants. Rotarians walked away realizing the impact that they have on education for teachers and students, but also knowing the long term effects that their efforts and support have caused.

A note from President Fang Fang Ho- San Marino Motor Classic Volunteer chair, Rob Feilder had a table outside of check-in at the Rotary meeting. Rob confirmed motor classic duties. Those who have dedicated your time and energy in the past, who'd like to volunteer again this year, please see Rob. Those who want to have fun and would like to commit a couple hours to help Rob at **Lacy Park on June 9**, please also see Rob tomorrow. We are a club full of "People of Action", team work makes dream work!

The Distract Conference came and went and San Marino walked away with eight count em 8 awards. Another banner year for San Marino Rotary as we continue to lead the way in the District, but more importantly, positively impact the lives of people in our community and around the world. San Marino is a club that is making a difference daily. Rotarians can be proud of the work they do and the time they commit to service above self.

Denise Wadsworth reminds us of an opportunity to help support Our Savior Center (OSC) Food Pantry. It is one of the many charities San Marino Rotary Charities supported this year and continues to need attention and care.



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Community Service

Bill Payne announced the formation and charter of the California State Roteract Club. Both Alhambra and San Marino will help promote, sponsor and support Roteract. The club is really a renewal of an old charter but membership needs to be built. Bill asks that we help by submitting names of possible new members to either him or Denise Wadsworth.

July 4th is around the corner and Debbie Priester needs help with the parade. Please contact her to sign on to help decorate the float, or organize the event. She is also looking for people who can volunteer a convertible and drive dignitaries in the parade. Last year Fang Ho looked like a queen atop the float, and this year it will be Mr. Greg Johansing leading the way. Bring your sunscreen and some water and enjoy the celebration.

Debbie Priester shared some news- Andy Barth was honored as he was inducted into the National Wrestling Hall of Fame. He was honored this last Saturday by NW Hall of Fame and received the Outstanding American Award for success. He has made a tremendous impact on others with his efforts, time, and devotion to the sport of wrestling.

What is Aquaponics? Isaac Hung will do more than tell you. He will show you with a demonstration at his home this upcoming Saturday (May 11th from 2-4:00). The Aquaponics Unit he will display is the exact same one being used in Cambodia that San Marino Rotary helped purchase and put into use.

Bob Houston has updated the happenings around town:

- **Happy Hour At The Old Mill** Friday, May 17, 2019, 5 - 7PM join us for a festive wine and cheese event. Friends and Neighbors Welcome Suggested Donation \$10
- **San Marino Memorial Day Event** Monday, May 27th, 9AM, War Memorial in Lacy Park Join Mayor Steven Huang, Emcee Mitch Lehman, ...oooh and ash at this year's grad night decoration The "Old Guard" and Parents have done it again
- **SMHS Cheer Carwash and Bake Sale** Saturday, May 11th, 10AM to 2PM Chevron Station @ 2155 Huntington Drive Donations Support SMHS Cheerleading Program
- **San Marino Fire Pancake Breakfast** Saturday, May 18th, 8AM to Noon a Fun Family Day in the Park Support our Firefighters and paramedics.
- **San Marino Historical Society Program** Monday, May 20th, 7PM, Barth Community Room Mary Ringhoff, USC School of Architecture, Historian San Marino Citywide Historical Resources Survey.
- **San Marino City Club Dinner Meeting** Tuesday, May 21st, 5:45 Reception; 6:30 Dinner Speaker - Supervisor Kathryn Barger
- **San Marino "Evening Chamber at the Huntington"**
- **of Commerce** Thursday, May 23rd, 5:00-7:30pm, Huntington Library Gourmet fare, fine wine, music, raffle and silent auction Tickets at www.sanmarinochamber.org and Rep. Judy Chu to honor our San Marino Veterans.
- **Grad Night Light Up!** Wednesday, May 29th, 7 - 9PM
- **Rotary Blackjack** dealers are needed for May 31st at the stroke of Midnight. The shifts are short only four hours long.

May 16th program - CRAFT TALKS.



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