# Rotary Club of Coronado

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### **Next Week's Program**

USNS Mercy Trip to SE Asia

## **Speaker**

Capt. Tim Quast

### Location CCYC

### **Upcoming Programs**

Sept 28-CCYC School Board Candidate Forum

Oct 5-Hotel Del City Council Forum

Oct 12-CCYC Living on Alcatraz; Dick Fisher

Oct 19-CYC DG Visit; Chuck Pretto

Oct 26-CCYC Plight of Women in Afghanistan; Stephen Brown

## **Club Events**

FLAGS ON THE AVENUE; WEISBARTH	17 Sept
BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING; MILLER	20 Sept
END POLIO NOW WINETASTING; WILLIAMS/KEYES	23 Sept
CPE CLEAN UP; HEINZE	27 Sept

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Notes from the Scribe

**President LuAnn wel**comed us to the most celebrated Club in the universe and the eleventh meeting of HER Rotary year. **President LuAnn** asked **John Duncan** to offer the invocation. And past-president **Dan Orr** got to introduce the visiting Rotarians and guests of Rotarians. All the Red Badgers in attendance got to stand and be recognized.

In case you missed the meeting, you can catch it here on YouTube:

https://youtu.be/tAAPrXSMDFI

## **Rotary Notes of Interest & Announcements**

- 1. Busy Rotary weeks coming up as we will put out Flags on September 17. And the End Polio Now Wine Tasting Party has been moved to Friday, September 23. The Committee to Protect the Environment will be cleaning up the south bay on Sept. 27.
- 2. **Georgia Farrell** invited all of us to suicide prevention program September 26 and Oc tober 11 at the Winn Room
- 3. Save the Date! The next Rotary Golf Tournament will be March 31,2023. **Pat Starke** said, "Get on board now, this one will sell out!" Speaking of saving the date, **John Duncan** announced the Low Tide Ride & Stride will be June 24.
- 4. First Responder's Children's Foundation was the first group to receive some proceeds from the Low Tide Ride & Stride. **Amy Steward** presented our \$18,000 donation.
- 5. Irene Hickey and her husband came with a banner from the Houston, TX Ro tary Club as they received our \$34,000 donation towards the Rotary Firefight er's Home in Houston near MD Anderson Medical Center. This is for firefight ers and their families to stay while the first responder receives cancer treatment.
- 6. Best part of the whole meeting! We made **Chuck Kaye** and **Mike Blood**, our police and fire chiefs, Honorary Members of the Rotary Club of Coronado.

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We presented the Rotary Firefighters Home with a check for over \$34,000. Well done Low Tide Ride & Stride Team!

1. Jeanmarie Bond was fined \$100 for leaving for four months without getting the ok from President LuAnn!



Chief Kaye and Chief Blood were presented with Honorary Memberships in recognition of their service to Coronado.

# **Family of Rotary**

So far, so good!

# 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.

Name <u>Classification</u> <u>Sponsor</u>



Sept 18 Marilyn Rees

Sept 22 Georgia Ferrell

Sept 23 Marilyn P Smith

Sept 27 Paul Corriere, Jr Todd Little

Sept 29 John Wells

## **Program**

Technical difficulties prevented a timely start with our scheduled speaker former Miami-Dade County Fire Chief David Downey, but have no fear, Coronado Fire Captain Jason Summer was around to give us an update on his Stop the Bleed kits. Chief Downey finally zoomed in and reported on the Champagne Tower collapse. We still don't know the cause, but we do know that 98 people died and 72 of 136 units collapsed. Chief Downey reviewed how they responded and the lessons they learned.