



Next Week's Program

Capt. Todd Perry,
director of Navy Seal
Museum

Location: CCYC

Upcoming:

Sept 25—CYC
Candidate Forum for
City Council

Oct 2—CYC
Deacon Jim Vargas,
Father Joe's

Oct 9—CCYC
Candidate forum for
School Board

Oct 16—CYC
Jessica Berlangar Taylor,
Dir The Stuart Collection

Club Events

SEPT SOCIAL: 5:30 PM
BAYER HOME, 631
CORONADO AVE **12 Sept**

BEACH CLEANUP;
OCEAN & ISABELLA,
7:45 AM **14 Sept**

BOARD OF
DIRECTORS MEETING **17 Sept**
4:30 PM, 120 C AVE

WRAP UP MEETING **24 Sept**
FOR EPN

ALTERNATIVE MEET-
ING: MEMBERS OF 2
YEARS OR LESS **26 Sept**

OCT SOCIAL—5:30 PM **10 Oct**
SOMMER HOME,
1510 MARIA PLACE

BEACH CLEANUP, **12 Oct**
OCEAN & ISABELLA,
7:45 AM

COROTATOR

NOTES FROM THE SCRIBE:

Today is National Remembrance Day and **President Pat** gave an American Flag to **Mike Woiwode** because Mike does so much for the community! President Pat asked for a moment of silence in honor of 9/11. He then called on **Brent Bennitt** to open the meeting with an appropriate invocation. **David Gardner** introduced the visiting Rotarians and guests. **President Pat** asked all the Red Badgers in attendance what their favorite book was.

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

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=B1wHES1wtAE>

The Coronado Rotary YouTube link is: <https://www.youtube.com/@rotaryclubofcoronadomeeting>

Rotary Notes of Interest & Announcements

1. The next Rotary Social will be at **Virginia Bayer's** on September 12, 631 Coronado Ave. 9/14 is our monthly beach clean-up at the usual place and time. The September Alt Meeting will be 9/26 and will be an opportunity to hear about all the committees in Rotary.
2. Rotarians were out and about at the EPN wine tasting, and putting up Flags and participating in 9/11 ceremonies at the fire station.
3. Christmas in October: Rotary is attempting to partner with like-minded organizations to benefit the IB Food Bank. **President Pat** is the wagonmaster on this and look for more information as we get closer to October.
4. Who Was I? John Matthews joined Coronado Rotary in 1988 and he was sponsored by Art Wilcox. When the Price Club was purchased by Costco he moved to Mercer Island, WA, and joined that Club. After Mary Ellen and he returned from an immunization trip he made up his mind to become more involved in Rotary serving as Club president, District governor, the board of RI, and finally VP of RI. Then in the greatest move in his Rotary career he came back to the greatest Club in the universe! We're lucky to have him.
5. There is going to be a big push to get our Endowment Fund up to \$1 million by our Centennial.
6. Did you know that on March 8, 2026, Coronado Rotary will be 100 years old? It's never too early to start planning as it will be a big event. **Suzanne Popp** is looking for volunteers to help put together the gift to the city, the book, the ice cream social, and everything else. 619-322-7677, Smmppop@yahoo.com



Keith Manning became a Blue Badger

Fines and Recognitions:

Bring your dollar bills as **President Pat** is finding a way each week to separate us from our dollar bills for **Chris Kleber's** Alzheimer's research. **Marty Trieb** had to buy one of his hats back for \$25!!

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.

<u>Name</u>	<u>Classification</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>
James Lewis	Construction Estimation	Kathy MacDonald
Grant McCann	Home Enhancement	John McCann



Sandy Lehmkuhler from Warrior Foundation Freedom Station receives a check for \$18,000 from Rotary

Program

Jeanmarie Bond introduced Jennifer Stein for a discussion of our local animal rescue unit, PAWS. PAWS has been in Coronado for twenty years, has adopted out 4000 dogs and cats, on a \$1.7 million per year budget. They have everything but medical facilities, but they do have a jail!



Jennifer Stein from PAWS



John Matthews talks about "Who Am I?" and his long history with Rotary.



Rotarian Flag Crew remembers September 11th with our Fire Department

- Sept. 13 Patrick Yassini
- Sept. 15 Rena Clancy
- Sept. 18 Marilyn Rees