



Next Week's Program

Dean Darren Kew—
School of Peace Studies
at USD

Location: CCYC

Upcoming:

Feb. 19—CYC
Imperial Beach Mayor
Paloma Aguirre

Feb. 26—CCYC
4 Way Test Speech
Competition

Mar 5—Community
Center
Julie Brightwell—Honor
Flight San Diego

Club Events

BEACH CLEANUP, **08**
ISABELLA & OCEAN, **Feb**
7:45 AM

ROTARY SOCIAL: JULI **13**
GALLAGHER'S HOUSE **Feb**
1014 F AVE, 5:30 TO
7 PM

FLAGS ON THE AVE, **17**
FIRST ST & ORANGE, **Feb**
6:50 AM

BOARD OF DIREC- **25**
TORS MEETING **Feb**
4:30PM, 120 C AVE.

ROTARY GOLF TOUR- **14**
NAMENT, 10:30 AM **Mar**

HOME CONSTRU- **05**
CTION IN MEXICO **Apr**
WITH PROJECT
MERCY—ALL DAY

ROTARIANS AT WORK **26**
DAY **Apr**

COROTATOR

NOTES FROM THE SCRIBE:

President Pat returned today resplendent in his KC Chiefs shirt and opened National Pork Rinds Day by asking **Ginger Cox** to offer the invocation. He asked **Angelique Campen** to introduce the visiting Rotarians and guests of Rotarians. **President Pat** presented **Ginger Cox** with a bag of pork rinds as she's the first woman in Coronado Rotary who's still in the club.

In case you missed the meeting, you can catch the Rotary Meeting here:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ASulcYapIj8>

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

Rotary Notes of Interest & Announcements

1. Rotarians were out and about restocking the IB Food Bank and cleaning the beach.
2. **PAY ATTENTION:** Our March 5 meeting will be at the Nautilus Room at the Community Center. You **MUST** reserve your spot two weeks in advance, so watch for your Rotary emails.
3. Kudos to **Bob Weisman** for stepping up and volunteering to take over sponsorships for the golf tournament.
4. **President Pat** and your Board of Directors approved **Your Humble Scribe's** request to promote Rotary's participation 23rd Annual Step by Step 5K on April 5, 2025, to support Parkinson's research. The event is at Liberty Station at 9:00 am. If you sign up we have a team: Coronado Rotary USC. Here's the link: <https://parkinsonsassociation.org/>
5. Save the date: Rotarians at Work Day will be April 26. **Roni Hosler** needs volunteers to step up for leadership positions with RaW.
6. **President Pat and Karol McClelland** corrected a major error on our club's part and presented **Vicki Beaubian** with a well-deserved status as an honorary member of the Rotary Club of Coronado.
7. **RG Head** is the newest member of Coronado Rotary. He was inducted by **President Pat** and RG's sponsored by **Ed Morris and Dan Orr**. His classification is "Military Professional" as among his other accomplishments he's a retired Air Force Brigadier General.
8. Our Rotary Club will be building a house down in Mexico in conjunction with Project Mercy. It will take place on April 5th. **John Ovrom** is in charge of the construction. Look for more information soon.
9. We are looking for more players and sponsors for our Charity Golf Tournament on March 14th. Sign up on our website or CoronadoRotaryGolf.com.



Happy Birthday

Feb 6 Sherry Calhoun

Feb 7 Jessica Cunningham

Rob Taylor

Feb 9 Lisa Lombardo

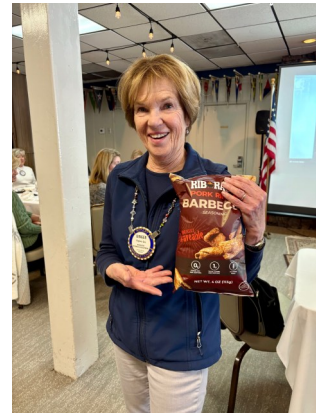
Feb 10 Tom Mitchell

Jon Carl Jacobson

Feb 11 Shannon Canu

Fines and Recognitions:

Ginger Cox with her bag of pork rinds



Care and Concern:

1. Uber-bikerider Bob Schoultz pulled a bonehead move and ran into a car on his way to the barbershop. His address is 1137 5th St., Imperial Beach, CA 91932 if you'd like to send a card.

Program:

Jeanmarie Bond introduced Graham Bloem and Aaron Neely of Shelter for a discussion of a program that matches rescue dogs with service men and women who need them. It's a "win-win" as the program saves both personnel and dogs. Murphy the dog joined Aaron as Aaron told us of his trials after separating from the Navy. A robust Q&A session followed their presentation. Sheltertosoldier.org



Pres. Pat and Karol McClelland present Vicki Beaubien with an Honorary Membership to our Rotary Club.



RG Head is inducted by Pres Pat along with Dan Orr and Ed Morris



Speaker Graham Bloem with Shelter to Soldier



Speaker Aaron Neely with his dog Murphy