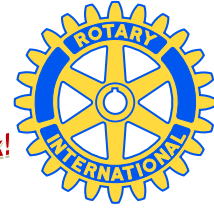


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At Tuesday's Meeting... The Wonders of Cuba



Rob and Dale Floerke presented an excellent program on their travels in Cuba, sharing interesting sites (like Hemingway's home) and talking a little about their adventures. One of the most interesting items is the ownership of

automobiles. Vehicles from by-gone years seem to be in absolutely perfect condition. Cubans can only own a car if it is used for their business — so cab owners can own cars while a teacher could not. Rob and Dale also talked about the 40 chivato/week and food allowance from the government and the people's love of dance. A great program!

December's Teacher of the Month

Mrs. Patricia Sawicki was recognized by the Club as the December Teacher of the Month for her outstanding contribution to our community through her hard work at Joe Henderson Elementary School



Alex Lobban was given the prestigious member of the month award for his far reaching efforts to help the Club and the community. Thanks, Alex!!

Next week: M-Lisada

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Meetings are held every
Tuesday, 12:15 p.m. at the
Benicia Yacht Club

ROTARY PROGRAMS

January 20, 2015
M-Lisada Orphanage

March 24 —Off site
*meeting at Benicia
High School*

FUTURE EVENTS

Feb. 19, 2015 *Chamber
Mixer at Camel Barns*

February 28, 2015.
*Trivia Bee . Co-
sponsored by the Rotary
Club of Benicia*

March 13, 2015
Casino Night

March 27, 2015
*Night of Honor for
Firefighters*

The Four-Way Test

Is it the TRUTH?

Is it FAIR to all concerned?

Will it build GOODWILL and
BETTER FRIENDSHIPS?

Will it be BENEFICIAL to
all concerned?

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The Rotary Club of Benicia

2014-2015 OFFICERS

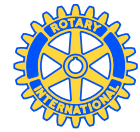
President Darrell Doi
 President-Elect Eric Høglund
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 Immediate Past President Duane Oliveira

2014-2015 DIRECTORS

Community Service Chair Alex Lobban
 Club Service Chair Diane Smikahl
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ABOUT THE ROTARY CLUB OF BENICIA

“Celebrating 46 Years in Benicia”

Founded on Dec. 9, 1966, the Rotary Club of Benicia is part of Rotary International, the world’s oldest nonprofit service club whose motto is “Service Above Self.” Through several key fundraisers, the club supports a variety of projects each year including offering scholarships, supporting schools and museums, and donating time and resources to those in need.

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Membership Roster

As of May 7, 2014

| | |
|--|---|
| Bell, Jack * Plastic Lamination | Ornelas-McCausland, Nani Restaurant owner |
| Blunt, John Real Estate Broker | Page, Reg * Petroleum Engineer, <i>ret.</i> |
| Carpenter, Amy Kitchen Design | Petersen, Eldon Janitorial |
| Christopher, Martha Operations Management | Pugh, Bill * Equipment Manufacturing |
| Doi, Darrell Financial Planning | Reep, Scott* Attorney, Civil |
| Dwyer, Jon* Chemical Engineering Mgt, <i>ret.</i> | Schroth, Bob Attorney |
| Fisher Jones, Sue* Public Relations | Schwartzman, Alan * Mortgage Broker |
| Galvan, John + * Education-Technology, <i>ret.</i> | Smikahl, Diane* Library Director |
| Gardner, Michael Human Resources | Spence, Jamie Missionary |
| Gavin, Tom * Insurance Broker | Trimble, Jim * Police Administration, <i>ret.</i> |
| Graw-Shiner, Amanda Banking | Warren, Bill * Banking, Commercial Lending |
| Giuliani, Mario* Economic Development Mgr | White, Beverly + Pastor |
| Gizzi, Marion Traffic Control, <i>ret.</i> | |
| Høglund, Eric Leasing Manager | |
| Hutchinson Arnett, Susan * Educator, <i>ret.</i> | |
| Lassahn, Kevin Operations manager | |
| Lessenger, Jim Occupational Medicine | |
| Lobban, Alex Business owner—Soccer coach | |
| Lobdell, Mark * Investments | |
| Matthews, John Restaurant Owner, <i>ret.</i> | |
| McBride, Mac + Water Utility, <i>ret.</i> | |
| McClure, Steve Insurance | |
| Moore, Steve Recycling Executive | |
| Oliveira, Duane Attorney, Business & Probate | |

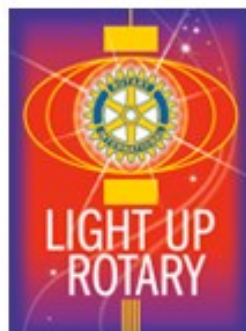
+ Honorary member * Past President

| Team | Leader | January | February |
|------|------------|---------------|----------------|
| 1 | Sue FJ, | Inspiration | Program |
| 2 | Eric H. | Setup | Inspiration |
| 3 | Steve McC. | Guest | Setup |
| 4 | Alex L. | Cleanup | Guests |
| 5 | Diane S. | Greeter | Clean-up |
| 6 | Alan S. | Pledge | Greeter |
| 7 | Mario G. | Programs | Pledge |

Nearby club meetings:

www.rotary5160.org/district-5160/district-directory

Vallejo Thursday 12:15 pm
 Solano Sunset Wed. 5:30 pm
 Fairfield—Suisun Wed 7:15 a.m.
 Fairfield — Twilight Monday 6:10 pm
 Fairfield Tuesday at noon
 Vacaville Thursdays 15:15 pm



Makeup Meetings

Attend another club’s meeting
 Help with a fundraising event
 Participate in a committee meeting

Meetings are to be completed 14 days prior to or after the club’s scheduled meeting.
 Meetings can also be made up on-line at www.rotary.org

