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The Object of Rotary

THE FOUR WAY TEST: OF THE THINGS WE THINK, SAY, AND DO

1. *Is it the TRUTH?*
2. *Is it FAIR to all Concerned?*
3. *Will it build GOOD WILL and better Friendships?*
4. *Will it be BENEFICIAL to all Concerned?*

The Paso Oak Leaf

Rotary Club of Paso Robles, California

93 years of service to the Community

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October 26, 2017

John Weiss

District Governor for District 5240

Club members were honored to have John Weiss and his wife Christine attend our weekly meeting and provide club members with his priorities for District 5240 during his tenure as president. John's attendance was all the more welcomed as a sign that John is recovering from major surgery this summer and is working hard to attend meetings at all of the District's 72 clubs this year.



John was introduced by former Morro Bay fire chief Jeff Jones who described John as passionate, dedicated, experienced, and someone who leads by example. One impressive fact that Jeff shared was that John has been responsible for sponsoring over 50 people into Rotary over the years. Quite a feat! In addition to his community service activities, John has owned and operated Coast Electronics, a consumer electronics retailer headquartered in Morro Bay for 39 years. He and Christine have 5 children and 3 grandchildren.

John selected "Celebrate Rotary" as the District's theme this year. John asked attendees why they joined Rotary and received many good responses including facilitating youth exchanges, community service, international impact, and strengthening business relationships. But number one in his mind is building lasting friendships. As part of his celebrate Rotary, he urged members to to "celebrate health" based on his recent experiences.

John called on members to highlight four of our initiatives this past year including scholarships (Scott Laycock), Winemakers' Cookoff (Sharon Ross), Golf Tourney (Rick Goree), and dictionary distribution (Koene Graves). It was a great opportunity to share and appreciate the tremendous work of our club!

Coming Programs

Today: Eric Golub, Author & Comedian, *Using Humor for Better Advocacy and Unity*

Nov 2: Joint Meeting with Atascadero Rotary Club, *Prelude to Annual Bearcat-Greyhound Football Game*

Nov 9: Dr. Jim Brescia, San Luis Obispo County Superintendent of Schools, *Rancho El Chorro Project*

Nov 16: Chris Williams, Paso Robles School District Supervisor, *School Bond Measure M Facilities Master Plan, Offsite*

Nov 23: Thanksgiving - No Meeting

News You Can Use

- **Paul Harris Service Fellow Award** - District Governor John Weiss announced that Linda Midkiff was selected to received this service award for her outstanding work with our local Interact Club and bringing greater visibility to the many activities and achievements of local high school students in making our community better. ***Congratulations Linda!***
- **Paderewski Festival** - Paderewski Festival board member Marjorie Hamon reminded club members that this year's festival will run from **Nov 2-5**. She encouraged members to volunteer or attend one of the many great events planned this year. For tickets or a detailed schedule of events, please go to www.paderewskifest.com. Marjorie also thanked Rotarians for their continued support of this unique and important cultural event.
- **Wine Country Theatre's Gypsy** - Theatre founder Cynthia Anthony announced that the production of this Tony award winning musical is now set for **Nov 17 - Dec 3**. Tickets or performance times are available at WineCountryTheatre.com or 1(800) 838-3006.

Wine Country Theatre Receives Rotary Sponsorship



Rick Goree, Golf Tournament & Auction Chairman, presented a check for \$1,500 to representatives of Wine Country Theatre. Receiving the check (*left to right*) are Wine Country Theatre board members Cynthia Anthony, Laurie Zenobio, and Kirsten Saunders.

Birthdays in the Next 30 Days

Marjorie (John) Hamon	Oct 27	Scott Brennan	Nov 11
Kathy (Fred) Roy	Oct 27	Dennis Cassidy	Nov 12
John Fisher	Oct 28	Jolly (Pete) Johnston	Nov 12
Linda (John) Falkenstien	Nov 10	Stu Ross	Nov 12
Betty (Pat) Scott	Nov 10	Julie (Mark) Perry	Nov 16

Anniversaries This Week

Bob & Rhoda Chute	Oct 28	Julie & David Opheim	Oct 30
Dan & Janice Ann Blake	Oct 29	Joyce & Clyde Ganes	Nov 1
Ryan & Megan Tannehill	Oct 29		

Paul Harris Awards

Rotary Foundation Chair Doug Barth and District Governor John Weiss teamed up to recognized numerous club members for distinguished Paul Harris awards including (*clockwise upper left*): Chris Bausch (1st), Brian Stack (1st), Gary Eberle (4th), and Bob Fonarow (7th).

