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Holidays!

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Family Month!

from President Rick Lang



December is Family Month. The Holidays are here and it's a time for Family, Friends and Giving. The "Mail Train" will be picking up at our club on Dec 11th. This is an opportunity to fill up boxes that will be sent to our troops. All kinds of items are requested and new or used DVD's are very popular. There is no weight limit, but customs form is necessary. They ask that we address boxes to family and friends serving in Afganistan, first. In lieu of boxes we can also send DVD Players at \$100.00 per unit. More info at Dec 4th meeting.

Congratulations to our Club for second year 100% X 2, Foundation giving. We were also awarded 2nd for per capita giving in our District. I was very proud to represent our club along with Pete and Helen at the Foundation Dinner.

Great story told to me the other day by a couple of friends. The subject of Rotary came up, of course. One said "I have a brother because of Rotary". Turns out, 33 years ago as a young boy in Ohio his parents took in a foster boy that was sponsored by the local Rotary club. He related how the boy became his brother growing up and now lives with his own family in Sacramento. He was giving thanks to Rotary for a brother growing up. I know many of you have heard stories about Rotary and how lives are changed. I encourage you to share these stories at meetings from time to time. My best to you and your families through the holidays and into next year. The Future of Rotary is in Your Hands.



Mark your Calendars

Board Meeting

Dec. 14th, 4pm,
Boys and Girls Club

Fireside Chat

January 17, 4pm
Details to follow.



Welcome Rod Hatter



Programs

- December 4** **Race Across America**
Gary Spencer
- December 11** **Laguna Beach Community Foundation**
Robert Sheldon and/or Amanda Ferraric
- December 18** **Holiday Program**
Details to be announced
- December 25** **DARK - Happy Holidays**
- January 1** **DARK - Happy New Year**

BIRTHDAYS



*Observed the 2nd
Friday of the month*

December

Jim Lawler - 11
Gil Thibault - 14



Directory Updates!

Please change Rick Lang's
email address to:
langphoto@verizon.net

Bill Parrish
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December 4

Invocation: Cox, J
*Greeter 1: Doomanis
*Greeter 2: Drew
Cash: White
Badges: Hatter

December 11

Invocation: Finley
*Greeter 1: Wiedmann
*Greeter 2: Ward
Cash: Langley
Badges: Turner

December 18

Invocation: Hecht
*Greeter 1: Thomas
*Greeter 2: Hatter
Cash: Kreder
Badges: Gillebaard

December 25 **DARK**

January 1, 2010 **DARK**

January 1 **DARK** **Happy New Year!**

January 8

Invocation: Kellogg
*Greeter 1: Cler
*Greeter 2: Judy
Cash: Cirelli
Badges: Hatter

January 15

Invocation: Johnson, N
*Greeter 1: Campbell
*Greeter 2: Johnson, C
Cash: Bithell
Badges: Langley

January 22

Invocation: Herkelrath
*Greeter 1: Andrus
*Greeter 2: Gillebaard
Cash: Alvarez
Badges: Hecht

January 29

Invocation: Finley
*Greeter 1: Schoen
*Greeter 2: Doomanis
Tickets: Stoeckmann
Cash: Drew
Badges: Wiedmann

Those who would like to donate to a scholarship in Damon's name can send contributions to: Tammy S. Hileman/PBO Damon L. Nicholson Memorial Fund. 11652 Fredrick Dr. Garden Grove, CA 92840.



Laguna Rotary Life . . .



A 99-year-old visiting Rotarian with 62 years of perfect attendance!



Classic Car Show 2009

More photos coming to the Rotary web site soon!

