

R O T A R Y C L U B



Nairator

CHARTERED
1 9 2 6

OFFICIAL BULLETIN OF ST. HELENA CLUB

Tuesday, September 02, 2008

Editor: Doug Ernst
If you have any comments or questions, email the editor.

District Governor's Visit

by Carol Sobczak

To all members:

District Governor Ed Fullerton and his wife, Carol, will join us at our September 2nd meeting. Ed will be the speaker. We will have our "regular" meeting that day. Please note the following protocol from the District.

1. ALL cell phones MUST be off. If you have pressing business, please take care of it before the meeting or after. Please do NOT leave the meeting to take a call.
2. NO EARLY LEAVERS. If you can't stay for the entire meeting, PLEASE do not come at all, but do a make-up instead.
3. If you are slated for a job, such as set up, invocation, tear down, finemaster, PLEASE show up or get a substitute. On my list, I show Craig Anderson to set up, Servaas with the Invocation, Tim Doran as finemaster, and Nancy Levenberg to tear down.
4. Please wear your Rotary pins. PLEASE LET ME KNOW IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS.

Carol Sobczak
President, St. Helena Rotary

County's top law enforcer updates Rotarians

by Jim Bachor



Bob Trincherro introduced **Gary Lieberstein**, Napa County District Attorney. Mr. Lieberstein became an attorney in 1984, was first elected as D.A. in 1998, and has been re-elected ever since. The D.A.'s office focuses on prevention, intervention, and suppression. Gary advocates the Three Strikes law, the use of a gun in a crime will result in a 25 year to life sentence, and a DNA sample will be taken from everyone who is arrested, which has solved many crimes.

Gary pointed out that drugs and alcohol contribute to 70 to 80 percent of all crimes. Gary's office prosecutes for all types of crimes such as gang violence, elder abuse and fraudulent checks.

Club President **Carol Sobczak** introduced guests **Jennifer Baker, Richard Hyde, and Gary Lieberstein**. She also reminded members to attend the teachers barbeque at CranePark, which the Club sponsors. Alston Hayne said we need to mix with the teachers, and not

Future Speakers

Sep 2 2008

District Governor
"District 5130"

Sep 9 2008

Jennifer Baker
"St. Helena Library"

Sep 16 2008

Don Fulton
"The Reluctant Warrior"

Sep 23 2008

Jamie Graff
"Nimbus Arts "

Sep 30 2008

Ray Manzarek, of The Doors
"The Seduction Of Rock & Roll.
The joys & the dangers."

Oct 7 2008

Catharine Bramkamp

Oct 14 2008

Richard Williams
"Who Needs A Conductor?"

Oct 21 2008

Lois Swanson
"Womens' Opportunity Fund"

Oct 28 2008

JoAline Olsen/Elaine John
"St. Helena Hospital's Master Plan"

Dec 9 2008

DARK

Feb 12 2009

Valentine Celebration
"Sweetheart Lunch"

Jun 25 2009

DEBUNKING

Upcoming Events

District Governor Reception

Sep 4 2008 - Sep 4 2008

This eBulletin has been generated with the **ClubRunner** club communication software. Visit clubrunner.ca for more details.

© 2002-05 Doxess. All Rights Reserved.

to just associate with club members. Carol also reminded us of our Civic Pride Award for the shelter at CranePark.

Natalie Klug served as Fine Master and she selected the "Olympic Games" as her theme, which is appropriate since the Games were taking place in Beijing, China. Natalie covered many interesting facts, listed below are just a few:

- 1- The Olympic motto, in Latin: "Citius, Altius, Fortius; which means, "Faster, Higher, Stronger".
- 2- The Olympic Creed: "The most important thing in the Olympic Games is not to win but to take part, just as the most important thing in life is not the triumph but the struggle. The essential thing is not to have conquered but to have fought well."
- 3- The three Olympic pillars are sport, environment, culture.
- 4- The five interlocking rings of the Olympic flag symbolize the five continents of the world (Africa, Asia, Australia, Europe, and the Americas) linked together in friendship. Olympics founder Pierre de Coubertin claimed that at least one of the ring's colors (blue, yellow, black, green, and red, along with the white background) was present in each country's national flag.

Jim Haslip asked for volunteers to gather food at the Farmers Market for the Food Pantry. He then pasted around a sign-up sheet.

Doug Ernst volunteered to represent the St. Helena club in a countywide Rotary effort to curb methamphetamine use in Napa County.

Joice Beatty's bell ringer was for her Bocce ball team's first place award.

Land trust executives inform Rotarians

by Christine Gorelick

Land Trust of Napa Valley executives **John Hoffnagle** and **Joan Zoloth** gave St. Helena Rotarians everything they might have wanted to know about the land preservation agency at the Aug. 26 luncheon meeting.

Other guests of the club included **Charles Henning**, visiting Rotarian from Calistoga; **Sharon Ebersole**, wife of **Steven Ebersole**; and **Richard Hyde**, guest of Lisa **Marie Anderson**.

Birthdays were recognized for **Tim Doran** and **Bob Hoffman**; anniversaries for **Adam Fowler**, **Dick Rodgers** and **Bob Graham**

Announcements: **Ed Fullerton**, our District Governor will be making his annual visit to the St Helena Rotary next Tuesday, September 2. Wear your Rotary Pins. No leaving early.

Next Board meeting is 10 a.m. Tuesday, September 2 before the regular meeting.

Reception for the District Governor will take place at Ehlers Estate winery from 5 to 7 p.m. on Thursday, September 5.

Cindy Warren earned her Blue Badge, which was given to her by **Jeff Epps**.

Lisa Marie Anderson gave an update on **Father Mac's** recovery from a bicycle accident which took place August 9.

Mark Terrell announced the Kiwanis Golf Tournament at Meadowood September 11 at 1 p.m. **Dave Brotemarkle** has the details.

Jim Wright announced the St Helena Hospital Golf Tournament on September 15 at

the Napa Valley Country Club.

Jeff Epps announced that there will be Golf Tournament for Rotary sometime in September.

Doug Ernst reminded us we need to solicit donations for the American Cancer Society's Relay for Life event from 8 a.m. Sept. 13 to 8 a.m. Sept. 14 at the Calistoga High School track, as we have not come close to reaching our pledge goal for this year.

Doug Ernst announced that he has tickets to a Napa Emergency Women's Services fundraiser at the Gordon Heuther Gallery on September 14. The event is scheduled from 4 to 7 p.m.

Carol Sobczak will make purchases for us if we do not bring our two \$25 prizes.

Bellringers: Chuck Meibeyer returned from his honeymoon.

Matthew Ebersole will be receiving his Eagle Scout award on August 29 at 6 p.m. at the Odd Fellows Hall.

Elaine Johns reminded us to support the St Helena Hospital Golf Tournament and that the proceeds will support education for the cardiovascular unit. St Helena hospital is rated 5 star and Best in Show for cardiovascular.

Charlotte Williamson has a visitor from Nepal.

Linda Beard has finished her harvest and completed a competition waterskiing slalom course last weekend