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July 29, 2009 Mayor of Ventura Christy Weir - State of the City

Introductions: Bob Cheatham Fining: David Loe

Next Week's Program: District Governor Luz Maria Ortiz-Smith

August 4, 2009 – District Governor Reception at Museum of Ventura County
August 5, 2009 – Regular Meeting offsite at Poinsettia Pavilion
August 12, 2009 - Regular meeting offsite at CSUCI
August 19, 2009 – Regular Meeting returns to Derby Club
August 20, 2009 – Club Social at Corinthian Yacht Club – Families invited
October 23-25 – District 5240 Conference – Marriott Ventura

Last Week's Meeting: Warren Lovell, former medical examiner for Ventura County, led us in the Flag salute, invocation and introduction of visitors and guests. *America the Beautiful* was the song of choice, led by RoseAnn Hill, Clyde Reynolds and Jim Spencer (**endphoto.**) President Emrich took charge, asking Dick Hatcher to the podium. Dick awarded a very surprised Mary Schaeffer with a Paul Harris Fellow, praising her for her many contributions to our Club including social events at her home. Thanks from all of us to Mary! Members of Ventura East invited us to their Harbor Cruise and Casino Night, then Steve Doll announced the Group Study Exchange planned for Bangladesh early next year. If you know non-Rotarian young professionals with an interest, contact Steve. Don Leach and Curtis Cormane awarded those with perfect attendance. Sheila Fatarelli reported on the Backpack Project, planned to benefit 500 students this year. President Emrich told us about the Wellness and Food Committees just formed, and then led us in Happy Dollars. We were a happy bunch last week! Following next was a superb presentation by Melody Namikas about the Rotary Youth Leadership Awards (RYLA) conference last April at Camp Rama in Ojai. Taking the instructed three deep breaths before beginning her talk, Melody, with PowerPoint accompaniment, helped us feel the energy and success of this conference, and encouraged us to participate as counselors next year, with sign ups available next March or earlier. See Melody or Bruce Reeve for details.

Perfect Attendance Awards: Indy Batra, 3 years, (all numbers are years) Hoot Bennett, 53, Maria Berntson, 13 , Dave Bianco, 1 , Todd Binkley, 1 , Norm Blacher, 23 Ed Campbell, 12 , Betsy Chess, 2 Curtis Cormane, 1 , Larry Dawes, 1m, Jim Deardorff, 1, Ellyn Dembowski, 4, Steve Doll, 7, Larry Emrich, 3, Sheila Fattarelli, 1, Dick Hatcher, 12, Hutch Hutchinson, 14, John Johnson, 21, Don Leach, 21, Jeanette Lombardo, 2, Kathy McCleery, 4, Rosa Lee Measures, 12, Everett Millais, 2, Tom Naylor, 22, Jim Newton, 5, Tom Parvaneh, 12, Bruce Reeve, 10, Terry Schaeffer, 29, Bob Schilken, 2, Juan Soto, 4, Rob vanNieuwburg, 14, Marc Vertin, 13, Gary Wolfe, 33. Congratulations to all!

endphoto: We sounded really fine last week.

Of the things we think, say and do.
1. Is it the Truth?
2. Is it Fair to all concerned?
3. Will it Build Goodwill and Better Friendships?
4. Will it be Beneficial to all concerned?

Quote: "Conformity is the jailer of freedom and the enemy of growth" *John F. Kennedy, 1917 – 1963.*

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