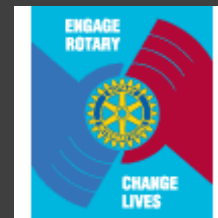


# Bakersfield East Rotary Club



## Roto News

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**“WE’RE 61 AND GETTING IT DONE”**

### Looking for Sponsors for the Roto Lounge

Your business could do some marketing activities and socialize with fellow Rotarians.

Bring your brochures & cards to and set out.

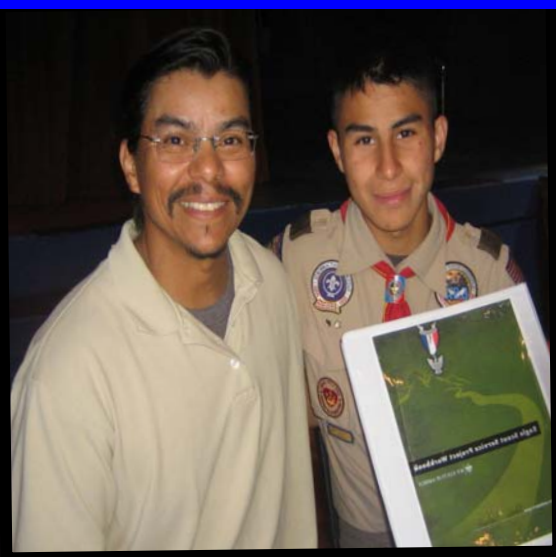
Call to set up a week for your sponsorship call or e mail Michele Brown at:

(661) 589-0409 or michele.brown

@unionbank.com

**DO BUSINESS WITH A FELLOW BERGER**

**Past President “Let the Good Times Roll” Dave Bass, introduced Frank Salcedo and his son Devin to talk about the Eagle Scout Project to Benefit Veterans at Camp Hamilton Veteran Park & Received \$500.00.**



### Inside this issue:

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## Upcoming Events at Bakersfield East

### MAY

2nd Dos De Mayo @ Racquetball Club Downtown

**3rd Kernville Club 15th Annual Car Show—contact (760)417-1008 Paul Cromwell**

9th Gin Fizz @ Bill & Jane Lewis’s House

16th Officer of the Year/RYLEA Attendees

21st VA Outpatient Center 2K Walk 11:30-1:00

23rd Meet & Eat before Memorial Day

30th Scholarships— Bill Gresco/Steve Karcher

### JUNE

6th Dan Giordano NID Trip to India

13th— Off Site at the AIS Cancer Center

20th— Wayne Kress Commercial Real Estate probably off site

**August 6th VA Open House— Mark Your Calendar now—**

Tom Burch has been awarded the Bakersfield Beautiful Volunteer of the Year Award for his efforts with picking up trash along freeway off ramps by Mayor Harvey Hall. The Annual Clean Up Day bought out 100 people who cleaned up around Starbucks at Riverside Dr. & Buck Owens Blvd. They hauled off 200 bags of trash. “The best thing about the win was the one free year of Coca Cola,” says PP Tom, who works this project year round.

**NO Roto Lounge Today-**



**New Member Induction– David Castro is pinned by Jan Visiting from the Twilight Club here to talk about Bunco**

“Oh my gosh,” says Madame President, there are two signatures missing....that’s a big fat fine! Well, Lloyd Plank, PP is missing today, but Sully Sullivan is here and he didn’t sign.” Sully has only a smile on his face with absolutely no excuse, except possibly having been in Fresno area the last few weeks. So, he seems willing to pay whatever she asks.

Frank and Devin Salcedo visit today to discuss Devin’s Eagle Scout project which was to replace horse shoe pits at Fort Hamilton Veterans Memorial Park as the wood is disintegrating. He had drawings for everyone to see at our tables. He is very proud of his efforts to raise money so far, but still needed about \$500.00. Devein left with a check for \$500.00 from BERF and will put it to good use at the Veterans Memorial Park. He was very clear, sharp, and knew what he wanted to say to BERC about his project.

**Bunco Night May 14 Sponsored by Union Bank to raise funds for Youth Financial Literacy which BERCers taught: Jim Williams, Roy Hermann & Michele Brown– ours to be awarded. \$35.00 Donation for wine & refreshments. You’re on your own for dinner!**



# BERC'S Attendance Score

**Average is at 70%**  
Send to Andrea Loader an e mail if you've made up recently & have not recorded the make up. Attendance is Important! E mail:

Andrea.Covey@rabobank.com

**Potential Rotarian Members– Do you know someone in any of these professions?**

- \*Energy Management Systems
- \*Engines– Rebuilding
- \*Engraving Equipment
- \*Envelopes Wholesale
- \*Equestrian Enclosures
- \*Fuel Conversions
- \*Erosion Control
- \*Glass Engraving
- \*Epoxy Adhesives
- \*Equity Sharing
- \*Engine Mufflers
- \*Engines-Diesel
- \*Entertainment
- \*Entomology
- \*Ergonomics

## MEMBERSHIP UPDATE

### Rotaract & Interact Schedules

*This would be a make up for Rotarians should they attend*

#### EAST HIGH INTERACT

Meets: Every other Tuesday  
Time: 11:25-12:05  
Next Meeting Date: 01/28/14  
Rotarian Advisor: Day Smith [daymonday@gmail.com](mailto:daymonday@gmail.com)  
cell: 369-5890

East High Advisor: Tim Horton [tim\\_@khsd.k12.ca.us](mailto:tim_@khsd.k12.ca.us)  
News: Selection of RYLA on 01/28/14 interviews

#### OLPH– INTERACT/Youth Act

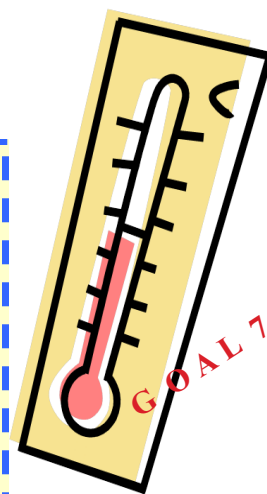
Meets: TBD by Advisor, contact Mike for date/time  
Time:  
Next Meeting Date:  
Rotarian Advisor: Mike Cooper  
[mwcooper@cliffordandbradford.com](mailto:mwcooper@cliffordandbradford.com) 283-8100 (0)  
OLPH Advisor: Michelle Pryor phone: 323-3108

#### GARCES INTERACT CLUB

Meets: Every other Thursday during lunch  
Time: check with Advisor as time varies  
Next Meeting Date: 01/30/14  
Rotarian Advisor: Mike Burger  
[burger@bakersfieldappraisers.com](mailto:burger@bakersfieldappraisers.com)  
587-1010 (0) cell: 301-7202  
Garces Advisor: Tonya Abbott [tabbot@garces.org](mailto:tabbot@garces.org)  
327-2578 (0) 496-5127 cell

#### HIGHLAND HIGH INTERACT CLUB

Meets: Every other Tuesday at Lunch  
Time: 12:42– 1:18  
Next Meeting Date: 02/04/14  
Rotarian Advisor: Bill Gresco  
[william.gresco@sbcglobal.net](mailto:william.gresco@sbcglobal.net)  
871-5817 home cell: 333-9019  
Highland Advisor: James Maddox  
[james\\_maddox@khsd.k12.ca.us](mailto:james_maddox@khsd.k12.ca.us)  
Cell” 304-2104



How We Doin'?'  
Active Members-73  
BERC needs 1 more friend to bring into the family of Rotary....

I think we have met the goal. Check!



NOTE: For All Interact Meetings Checking with Rotarian Advisor first is best, Advisors from schools second-then go to the offices and sign in to be escorted to the rooms where the meetings are held!

# Keeping You In the Know...



## Supper Club Nothing This Week

### Must RSVP

If interested in dining and making it a make up meeting call Gary Stanfill 327-8476 or call his office leave a message with Meredith, or respond to Sandi's e mail.

### April Rotarian Magazine Reading Assignments:

- Page 16—William Gresco
- Page 43—Steve Karcher
- Page 50—Christy Swatzell
- Page 55—Michael Cooper

### ASSIGNMENTS FOR NEXT WEEK; 05/02/14

**Greeters:** Giordano & Gresco  
**Flag Salute:** Herrmann  
**Invocation :** Karcher

**Visiting Rotarians:** Jackson  
 Meeting Social at the Racquetball Club Downtown.

**Pass the Hat—**  
*Proceeds TBA*

## Area Meetings

### Monday

**Bakersfield South**-noon Petroleum Club  
**Wasco**- noon Veteran's Hall on Poplar Ave.

### Tuesday

**Bakersfield North**-noon Petroleum Club  
**Inyokern**- 6 p.m. Bernardino's

### Wednesday

**Bakersfield West**-noon Stockdale Country Club

**China Lake**-noon Heritage Inn

**Shafter**-6:30 a.m. Shafter Veteran's Hall

**Bakersfield Breakfast**-6:45 am Petroleum Club

**Taft**- noon Jo's Restaurant

**Twilight**- 5:45 Bell Tower

### Thursday

**Frazier Park**- 5:30 PM Los Pinos Restaurant

**Bakersfield Downtown**-noon Bakersfield Art Museum

**Tehachapi**- noon Don Juan's

**Delano**-noon Kong's Dynasty

**Kern River Valley** - 6 pm Ewings

### Friday

**Bakersfield East** - noon Starrs Theatre.

## MEMBER BIRTHDAYS

May 2 0 1 4

- 1st Mark Ramsey
- 4th Melinda Westfahl
- 9th Scarlett Sabin
- 17th Mike Burger
- 20th Bryan Oberg
- 30th Scott Begin

### Partner Birthdays:

- 20th- Susan Begin
- 24th Bette Cooper
- 25th- Li Gibbs

### Wedding Anniversaries:

- 20th-Amstutz's 36 Years!
- Ramo's 1 Year!
- Soto's 8 Years!
- 21st- Herrmann's 43 Years!
- Larwood's 42 Years!
- 23rd- Braun's 22 Years!
- Moxley's 33 Years!
- 29th- Ramsey's 15 Years!

### Club Anniversaries:

- 1st-Phil Franey 30 Years!
- Susan Gill 17 Years!
- David Haynes 27 Years!
- 3rd- Amanda Frank 1 Year!
- Steven Gibbs 23 Years!
- 22nd-Frank Geddes 39 Years!
- 27th- Christy Swatzell 3 Years!
- 29th- Doug Amstutz 30 Years!
- 30th- William Lewis 17 Years!

Assignments

So save up your dollars for the next drawing  
**Friday May 30- POT should be over \$2,000.00. Visitor gets \$100.00**

**NO Pass the HAT Last Week**

**District 5240 Official Apparel—Light Up Rotary has sleeveless soft sweat shirt or long sleeved sweat shirts all with zipper fronts and the new logo Light Up Rotary. Basic Color— Black**

- x-s or xl= 34.40
- XX1 34.50
- 3xl 36.55
- 4xl 37.65

**Another Rotary Clothing Source:**  
**Wasser Graphics**  
 3665 Almaden Rd.  
 San Jose, CA 95118  
[www.wassergraphics.com/osc](http://www.wassergraphics.com/osc)

Contact [bviembroidery@aol.com](mailto:bviembroidery@aol.com), or call (805) 522-9071 to order your 5240 Clothing, see costs for sweat shirts to your left.

## Jack's Closet

**Don't Forget to bring suits, shoes, ties, coats & luggage! This project will be on going.**

**\*At 11:00 his son, Calvin, who was on the USS Truman will disembark from the ship and come home, says Jon Liffquist.**

**\* Susan Leedy has a nephew who participated in a Triathlon with difficulty because of the wind and long lines at Cabo San Lucas within the past two weeks.**



## ROTARY RESOURCES

### *THE COLLEGE OF ROTARY KNOWLEDGE* Club Requirements

#### NAME AND LOCALITY

"Each club is organized and exists in a locality and must designate the locality in its constitution. The typical description for a club locality is "the city or town of [city/town name] and the surrounding area." The locality can be any area with a sufficient number of business and professional people actively engaged in service to society whose places of business or residence are close enough to one another to enable them to function as a club. Subsequent changes to the locality designation are subject to the approval of the RI Board.

The name of a Rotary club identifies the club by its locality. The name (in whole or in part) should be easily identifiable on a map of the area, so that someone unfamiliar with the area can determine the general location of the club. The locality of an e-club shall be worldwide or otherwise as determined by the club board. Each provisional club must adopt a name that identifies it by its locality and insert the name into its constitution, subject to the approval of RI. When approved, the name may not be changed except by the mutual consent of RI and the club.

The official format for referring to a club is "Rotary Club of Community, State/Province/Prefecture, Country" or "Rotary E-Club of Community, State/Province/Prefecture, Country."

#### MINIMUM STANDARDS FOR CLUBS

"The RI Board is responsible for ensuring that all clubs are functioning and defines a functioning club as one that

- 1) Pays its per capita dues to RI.
- 2) Meets regularly.
- 3) Ensures its members subscribe to a certified Rotary World Magazine Press publication (The Rotarian or a Rotary regional magazine).
- 4) Implements service projects that address the needs in the local community and/on in communities in other countries.
- 5) Receives the visit of the governor, assistant governor, or an officer of RI.
- 6) Maintains appropriate liability insurance as provided in the Rotary Code of Policies Section 72.050.
- 7) Acts in a manner consistent with the RI Constitution, RI Bylaws, and Rotary Code of Policies.
- 8) Pays its RI membership and district dues without outside assistance.
- 9) Provides accurate membership lists to [data@rotary.org](mailto:data@rotary.org) on time.
- 10) Resolves club disputes in an amicable manner.
- 11) Maintains cooperative relations with the district.
- 12) Cooperates with RI by not initiating or maintaining litigation against Rotary International, The Rotary Foundation, the associate foundations, and the international offices of the Secretariat.

With the recommendation of the Governor and on behalf of the RI Board, the General Secretary is authorized to terminate a club for "failure to function" when, in the General Secretary's opinion, the club has failed to meet the criteria of a functioning club."

#### CLUB COMPLIANCE WITH NATIONAL LAWS

"Every Rotary club is expected to comply with the laws of the country in which it functions. Clubs may take action to meet specific legal requirements, as long as:

- 1) The action taken relating to the organization, practical administration, and functioning of the clubs within the country does not violate RI constitutional documents.
- 2) The club continues to follow the RI constitutional documents, as amended from time to time.
- 3) The club continues in all respects to be and function as a member Rotary club of RI.

Whenever local laws impose a requirement that may be inconsistent with the RI constitutional documents, the clubs affected should present the problem to the RI Board for review.

#### ARBITRATION AND MEDIATION

"Articles 12 and 16 of the Standard Rotary Club Constitution provide procedures for the mediation or arbitration of disputes within a club. Article 24 of the RI Bylaws provides procedures for the settlement of disputes between any current or former members of a Rotary club and a Rotary district, RI, or an RI officer." \*\*\* From "The Rotary International Manual of Procedure" (2013) \*\*\*

# Who Did What This Week at BERCC

**Greeters:** Pil Franey was late, but John Fanucchi never made it.  
**Invocation:** Led by Steve Gibbs, PP who included a prayer for Scott Stanley's uncle who died last week and Jerry Elkind who was not here today due to a death in his family.  
**Flag salute:** Was led by Tony Ansolobehere.  
**Song:** Baynes Bank, wanted us to sing God Bless America.  
**Visiting Rotarians:** Susan Gill reported Ken Jones was here from the Downtown Club.  
**Guests of the Club:** Terry Maxwell brought his granddaughter Lucy and grandson Broden.  
**Head Table:** Bob Parker in his usual spot, Jen War from the Twilight Club David Castro soon to be member and Dave Bass his sponsor.  
**Reception Table:** Kelly Giblin was MIA, so Melinda Westfahl was there covering.

**Club Members Birthdays: Last of April Days**  
Terry Maxwell on the 23rd says that 60– the new 25 is “no big deal.” He got a birthday song.

**Partner Birthdays: Last of April Days**  
Raquel Markovits's BD is on the 26th. Dana Karcher is the 28th.

**Wedding Anniversaries: Last of April Days**  
Gary and Gloria Creott have been married 21 years on the 24th. Scott & Heather Stanley will celebrate on the 25th, 16 years of wedded bliss.

**Club Anniversaries: Last of April Days**  
Roy Hermann will have been a member for 2 years on the 24th. Tony Ansolobehere clocks in 20 years on the 30th. Same day as Kelly Giblin.



David Castro gets all his goodies, plaque, pin, books, etc. from Madame President to start off his experience with Rotary. He has a few weeks to get his Roster signed or the members will get fined and David will continue with the Red Badge until they all signed. Congratulations David!



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**Consider bringing someone  
into the “Family of Rotary”**

### **OFFICERS**

**President: Sandi Schwartz**

**Secretary: Andrea Loader**

**Treasurer: Bob Parker**

**Sgt. at Arms: Tom Burch &**

**Mike Cooper**

**Board Advisor: Larry Moxley**

### **BOARD OF DIRECTORS**

**Administration: Michele Brown**

**Membership: Richard Ramos**

**Vocational Service: Rena Kay Schrader**

**Community Service: Christy Swatzell**

**International Service: Ron Biglin**

**New Generations: Aaron Markovits**

**Rotary Foundation: Dan Giordano**

**Past President: Christine Randall**

**Program & Demotion Chair Barbara Tarpley**

**PR Chair: Mark Ramsey**

**Ambassadors of Fun President: Ron Biglin &  
PP Christine Randall**

**President Elect '14-15: Terry Schroefer**

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