

The Ramblings

The Official Bulletin of Modesto North Rotary

Editor: Judy Jensen

Week of Monday August 6, 2007

Service Above Self

Club President: Rick DeLeon

Upcoming Monday Meetings

- August 13 Regular Meeting- Appetez at 6:15pm
Program- Cathy Gomez Stan Co. Parks/
Recreation
- August 20 Regular Meeting- Appetez at 6:15pm
Program- Francine DiCiano PRC overview
- August 27 Regular Meeting- Appetez at 6:15pm
Program- Lt Jeff Morris Auto Theft
Task Force
- Sept 3 DARK Labor Day
- Sept 10 Regular Meeting- Appetez at 6:15pm
Program-Leah Silvestre Life Balance
- Sept 17 Regular Meeting- Appetez at 6:15pm
Program-George Betker Egypt Trip
- Sept 24 Regular Meeting- Appetez at 6:15pm
Program- Marilyn Rowland Modesto
Community Concert Assn.
- Oct 1 Regular Meeting- Appetez at 6:15pm
Program- Judy Lovett Wheelchair
- Oct 8 TBA
- Oct 15 Regular Meeting- Appetez at 6:15pm
Program-Mark Vasche Editor - Modesto
Bee

Upcoming Rotary Events

- Sept. 8 District Membership and Foundation
Seminar
Escalon High School
8:00—1:30
- Nov. 9 District Foundation Dinner
- April 18-20 2008 District Conference

Month in Review

It has been a busy month for Modesto North Rotary. Past President Bob has been officially kicked out AND President Rick has taken over the helm. Congratulations to both of them! District Governor Richard Wyatt visited our club. Jim Christofferson received the Quiet Rotarian Award. We have also has some great programs- thanks to



CANYON CLASSIC PICTURES



If you have pictures from your rest stop, please e-mail them to Judy at jjensen@pjflaw.com! Thank you!

Rotary International President
Wilf Wilkinson

District 5220 Governor
Richard Wyatt

Modesto North Rotary

Officers

President: Rick DeLeon
 President Elect: Katrina Petrosovitch
 Vice President: Todd Venturini
 Secretary: Randy Siefkin
 Treasurer: Lynette Miller
 Past President: Bob Gotelli

Board of Directors

<u>2006-2008 Term</u>	<u>2007-2009 Term</u>
Sue Itsara	Marie Silviere
Pam Stephens	Jim Christofferson
Jim Ridenour	Dr. Prithvi Shankar
Gary Kirkpatrick	Karl Jepson

Committee Chairs

Program Chair: Todd Venturini
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MEMBER NEWS

- ◆ The following individuals have submitted applications to join Modesto North Rotary. If you have any questions, please contact President Rick:

Clarita R. De Leon, sponsored by Rick De Leon, classification: Medical Office Manager.

Elpidio A. Paguirigan, sponsored by Rick De Leon.

Ricky A. Chahal, sponsored by Tri Pham, classification: Consultant.

Lorenzo Ursula, sponsored by Rick De Leon, classification: Travel Agent

Demi Bringas, sponsored by Rick De Leon
 Classification: retired RN from Stanislaus Medical Center

- ◆ Jim Christofferson changed jobs a couple of months ago. He is now with US Bank. His email address is jim.christofferson@sbcglobal.net.
- ◆ Editorial Vacancy! Ramblings editor needed. Very few skills needed. No experience required. References will NOT be checked! No drug test, no background check, no credit check! Submit resume to jjensen@pjflaw.com

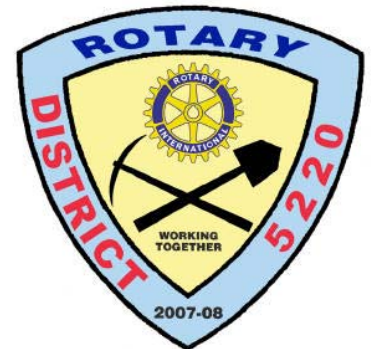


JUST FOR LAUGHS

If you ever testify in court, you might wish you could have been as sharp as this policeman. He was being cross-examined by a defense attorney during a felony trial. The lawyer was trying to undermine the policeman's credibility....

- Q: "Officer -- did you see my client fleeing the scene?"
 A: "No sir. But I subsequently observed a person matching the description of the offender, running several blocks away."
 Q: "Officer -- who provided this description?"
 A: "The officer who responded to the scene."
 Q: "A fellow officer provided the description of this so-called offender. Do you trust your fellow officers?"
 A: "Yes, sir. With my life."
 Q: "With your life? Let me ask you this then officer. Do you have a room where you change your clothes in preparation for your daily duties?"
 A: "Yes sir, we do!"
 Q: "And do you have a locker in the room?"
 A: "Yes sir, I do."
 Q: "And do you have a lock on your locker?"
 A: "Yes sir."
 Q: "Now why is it, officer, if you trust your fellow officers with your life, you find it necessary to lock your locker in a room you share with these same officers?"
 A: "You see, sir -- we share the building with the court complex, and sometimes lawyers have been known to walk through that room."

The courtroom erupted in laughter, and a prompt recess was called. The officer on the stand has been nominated for this year's "Best Comeback" line -- and he will probably win.



MAKE-UP OPPORTUNITIES

Day	Time	Club	Location
Monday	12:15 PM	Modesto Gateway	Oak Pit (formerly Early Dawn) on Kansas, Modesto
Monday	6:15 PM	Modesto North	Appetez @ Roseburg Square, Modesto
Tuesday	12:15 PM	Modesto Downtown	Double Tree on 9 th , Modesto
Tuesday	12:15 PM	Turlock	Turf Club @ Fairgrounds, Turlock
Wednesday	7:00 AM	Turlock Sunrise	Latif's on Golden State, Turlock
Wednesday	12:15 PM	Modesto East	Hazel's, Modesto
Wednesday	12:15 PM	Oakdale	Oakdale Golf & Country Club, Oakdale
Thursday	7:00 AM	Modesto Sunrise	S.O.S. Club, Modesto
Thursday	7:15 AM	Riverbank	Riverbank Fire Hall on Topeka
Friday	6:45 AM	Salida	Salida Firehouse, Salida
Friday	7:00 AM	Oakdale Sunrise	Oakdale Golf & Country Club
Friday	12:15 PM	Ceres	Jenny's on Herndon, Ceres