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A comfort zone is a beautiful place, but nothing ever grows there. ANONYMOUS



HELEN MADERE BRIDGE

Rotarian

"Having fun helping others... watering the rosebuds"

DR. TED SCHULZ

Bob Bard, Ed.



Enjoying a meal at Moz in The City, Sunday morning before seeing Beach Blanket Babylon, from left: Jim Lira, Shirley Lira, Molly Coito, Marian Bard, Stephanie De La Rosa, Bernadette Liabeuf, Hector De La Rosa and Betsy Woodruff.

Not our best performance

We probably won't be singing "Lean on Me" again.

What a Wonderful Woild

Al is quick; he's first to yell Satchmo's name and win the fabulous McPherson giveaway.

Guests: I will not stand for this!

Hector stubbornly remains seated as he addresses our Pres. *Shameful!* Slighted, our guest, Alyssa, spins; next meeting she'll give book report on our newsletter. Pres. Jim introduces past Rotarian, Jeff Shewmaker.

Milestones

Ken has anniversary, Ted has birthday.

Student Rotarians Report

Maria, Sarah & Dylan say our AFS students visited Chicago; their students got here, last night. Prom, Sat, April 25; barbecue for students with 97%+ attendance; Baseball: we beat Encina, Softball: we beat Bradshaw, but Winters girls tied; we beat Delta; Swimmers won; Golf lost; Don claims he bought 100 Prom tickets; year-

book out in about a month for \$120 (in color). In 1944 Jack's yearbook cost \$3, but it wasn't in color. On May 1 the students will run our meeting (and not lose gavel.)

Golf tournament

Next committee meeting, Wed., April 22, noon, at golf course, open to anyone interested. Evelyn reports there are openings for 13 more 4-somes; she says Linda reminds us to turn in our auction items; meet Monday before event to stuff gift bags; balls are numbered, already (by kids).

Abel's Car Show, Pentathlon, Baseball Alumni—May 16

Joe says he's not sandwich booth chair at car show.

We need a volunteer chair for Car Show!

Car show is 3 days after golf tourney. Sounds like we need some leadership. Danny says there'll be 300 swimmers in the Pentathlon. He'll have his hands full. We've been Sharks president and editor of Pentathlon schedule booklet. Baseball alumni game's also that day. We could be spread a little thin. Please help, if you can.



In North Beach near Beach Blanket Babylon, we dine at Rose Pistola; from left: Dick and Pat Burkhart, Hector De La Rosa, Betsy and Rose Woodruff, Molly Coito, Stephanie De La Rosa, Lee Williams, Eddie Woodruff, Marian Bard and your editor. Michael Bauer, restaurant critic, San Francisco Chronicle gave Rose Pistola high marks in today's paper.

District Conference

Learn about Rotary!
Solano Com. College, Sat.,
April 25, Vallejo.

Tequila Y Más-Sat. July 25

Hector has 7 vendors,
there's a meeting at his
house April 27, event's at
Delta Club, Trilogy, Gary
will have tickets, soon;
posters by end of month.

Demotion

After yet another
failed attempt to quash
Demotion, Pres. Jim calls
on Dr. Ted for an update.
Ted asks for report from person with special chair for
Pres. Jim to relax in during event. Eddie says the chair
is being rewired.

Hog August Bites

Molly thanks attendees of last Friday evening's
fundraiser dinner at Foster's. It was a lot of work for
the volunteers, but it will provide necessary seed
money to stage the event, Saturday, August 22.

Beach Blanket Babylon

Jim presents Hector with a Light Up Rotary pin for
organizing a fantastic trip to The City to enjoy a unique
show, the likes of which this editor and his wife have
not, and probably never would have, seen.

Fine-free brags(?)

Gene brags on new grandchild. Pres. Jim points out
that's not a fine-free brag, so Gene pays \$50 to PHF.
Well, I would have tried that. Good idea.

Then, Pres. Jim brags on his new granddaughter,



*This morning, we were treated to "I" Programs, delivered
by (from left) Jamie Wilson, Al Hartford and Cole Felt.*

Shelby James Eileen
Abramson and pays \$50
to grandson Boone's PHF.
With that many names
Hector asks if she's partly
Mexican.

Ken takes last trip to
TX to visit family (they're
moving back here), and
he pays \$25.

Dave attends bankers
conference in Maui and
pays \$50 to general fund.

Edwin goes to Fresno
to attend funeral. Some
enterprising Rotarian

suggests we pay Edwin. However, he, wife & daughters
go on to L. A. and Universal Studios. He brings back
Home-Away Dodgers schedule for Jack, fully expecting
Jack to pay his fine. Jack doesn't. Edwin pays \$50.

Jeff Shewmaker, Rio Vista Rotary President 2003-4

Jeff shows us a video clip trailer of a documentary
describing 90-year old Janey Callahan-Chin's dedica-
tion to our local Community Theater. The trailer may
be viewed online at janeymakesaplay.com. The 80-
minute documentary was shot by her grandson and
featured in the various film festivals. It will be shown
at 1:00, 3:00 and 7:00, Sat., May 30, at the Lena Emigh
Creative Arts Center, First Congregational Church.
Tickets are available at Pets 4 All and Delta Pharmacy.

Programs

We hear "I" programs from Jamie, Al and Cole.

50/50 Raffle

Dave Greiner's winning ticket begets losing marble.

Beach Blanket Babylon Outtakes...CANDID PHOTOS BY OR STARRING HECTOR D. L. R.©



They're mine all mine hahah!



Marian: Bob, use a knife & fork. Bob: Mf, slurp, blub.



Lee, don't miss your stop, Lee!

COMING ATTRACTIONS

<u>DATE</u>	<u>SPEAKER/EVENT</u>	<u>PROGRAM CHAIR</u>
Friday, April 24	Note: Due to Wayne's mysterious absence, we moved "I" programs to April 17.	Kelley
Friday, May 1	Interact Club to preside at our meeting	Interactors
Friday, May 8	To Be Announced	To Be Announced
Friday, May 13	Marta Dron Memorial 15th Annual Golf Tournament	Greg Bowman
Friday, May 15	Linda Orrante" Update on Delta Collaborative Efforts for Community Center	Jim Nordin