



The Power of Rotary

By Amelia Ward, Rotarian and Past President

This is about a 7 year old little girl in Mexico who was in accident. She was rendered immobile. Her name is Julieta.

Mom and dad are farmers, growing their own crops of beans and corn to survive. They cannot afford a wheelchair.

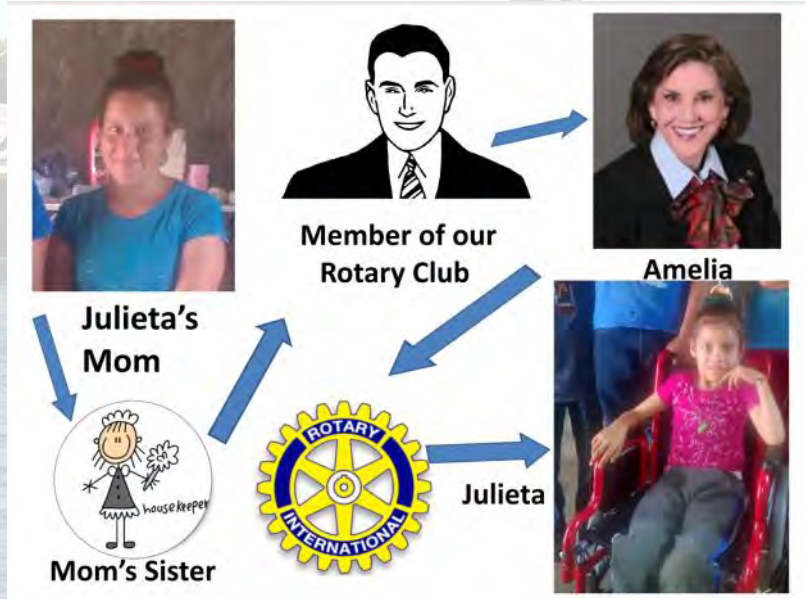
Julieta's mom has a sister, Ana, who lives in Redding. Ana told her employer (who is a member of our club and wants to be anonymous) the story.

This Member contacted me about Julieta. He and his wife wanted to buy the wheelchair for this little girl, but sought advice on what would be the best way to ship it to Mexico.

I put him in touch with David Behring, a Rotarian in the Bay Area. David deals in wheelchairs. He said it would cost approximately \$200 to send a wheelchair to Mexico, and that he had never shipped just one wheelchair to Mexico.

I happened to be looking at Facebook and saw that our District, in partnership with another District, had just delivered wheelchairs to Monterrey, Mexico, which is approximately 500 miles from where Julieta and her family live.

I have connections with Rotarian Rolando Chavez from Monterrey, whom I met through the Rotary Group Study Exchange (GSE) Program some years back. I emailed Rolando and low and



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The Rodriguez family was visited by Rotarian Jose, who presented the wheelchair to Julieta.

behold, they did have a child's wheelchair. He said he would contact his son, who works with Fed Ex in Mexico to have him deliver the wheelchair, free of charge!

Rolando called a Rotary club near the village where Julieta lives and connected with the president of the club, who said he would personally deliver the chair, and the rest is history!

Julieta's story is a small scale project.....but the beauty of this story is the power of the connections we make through Rotary. In a matter of days, Julieta has a wheelchair. This will surely ease the burden for the family, and Julieta can enjoy life again.

What a wonderful testimony to the International power of Rotary!

Community Creek Cleanup Continues....

Randy Smith, Rotarian

Editor: El Niño torrential downpour did not hamper the enthusiasm of Rotarian Randy Smith. He was burning the cuttings left behind from the cleanup of the north Sacramento trail. On a clear day, Randy built a trail at Mora Court.

ABOVE: Spanish broom is one of the plant world's most incendiary creatures. It burns green and wet with a ferocity which has to be experienced to be believed. The only safe way to dispose of it is during or immediately after rain. Otherwise, embers will ignite places you can't see until the whole countryside is aflame. People have no idea the summertime threat of this highly invasive trouble maker, until it is too late. Many think the temporary flowers are beautiful. They are in reality rather like the yellow signal light warning of red coming soon.



BELOW: Almost ten cubic yards of City high quality wood chips were distributed near the Mora Court Entrance to the North Sacramento River Trail. In addition, the parallel City Projects Trail was started near the River, a long row of very crisp, tall Himalayan blackberry treated in March 2015 was mowed down and seven piles of chips from Community Creek Clean Up 2015 were partially spread out and will wait fall to be planted with more California poppies. By the way, this year's poppies are presently a riot of bloom and the Club can be very proud of sponsoring that work.

It took a village to do today's project even if an old weed whacker was the only one present. Hopefully, the new access across City property will be used rather than this nice person's Lake Redding Drive lawn.



Rotary District 5160 - Training Assembly

Saturday May-14-2016 to Saturday May-14-2016

Come and join us at the one of the two 2016 Spring Assemblies. Expect plenary sessions, breakout sessions exploring many different Rotary topics, and it's all FREE, including lunch.

Event Name:	North District Assembly
	Rotary District 5160 Spring Training Assembly
	When: Saturday April 30
Description:	Where: Red Bluff High School 1260 Union Street, Red Bluff Time: Coffee at 9:30 Our opening session starts at 10 AM includes free lunch.
Location:	Red Bluff High School, 1260 Union St, Red Bluff
Event Date:	Saturday Apr-30-2016
Event Start Time:	9:30 AM

Event Name:	Rotary District 5160 - South District Training Assembly Rotary District 5160 Spring Training Assembly
	When: Saturday, May 14
Description:	Where: Benicia High School 1101 Military W., Benica Time: Coffee at 8:30 Our opening session starts at 9 AM
Location:	Benicia High School, 1101 Military West, Benicia Ca
Event Date:	Saturday May-14-2016 to Saturday May-14-2016
Event Start Time:	8:30 AM

This is an excellent opportunity for Board members, Committee Chairs, and regular Rotarians to learn a variety of topics as we transition into our next Rotary year. It is also a good way for Key-way members to meet requirements towards your Blue badge.

Please see Prez Dave for detail, or goto Rotary5160.org

Membership Census

New Membership Listing

Jan-01-2016 To: Apr-30-2016

9 Members Listed

Member Name	MemberType	Start Date	Club	Sponsor	Classification
Anthis, Keli (KELI ANTHIS)	Active	1/7/2016	Redding		Ed Admin - SBD
Brace, Mary (MARY)	Active	3/10/2016	Redding	Joe Ayer	Marketing Manager
Hedayattzadeh, Joseph (JOSEPH)	Active	3/10/2016	Redding	Azi Barzin	Law Enforcement
Malain, Kathy (KATHY)	Active	3/17/2016	Redding	Eugene F. Poch	Educator - retired
Olmstead, Larry (LARRY)	Active	4/7/2016	Redding	Gregory L Balkovek Jeffrey G Avery	Non-Profit Administration
Salter, Jason (JASON)	Active	2/25/2016	Redding	Lee W. Salter	Internet Development
Sandhoo, Gurpreet (GURPREET)	Active	3/31/2016	Redding	Bruce Dean	Physician
Van Wormer, Mitchell (MITCH)	Active	4/14/2016	Redding	F. Edward Rullman	Hotelier
Williem, Leslie (LESLIE)	Active	2/11/2016	Redding	Gary R. Burks	Construction Management

Terminated Membership Listing

From: Jan-01-2016 To: Apr-30-2016

2 Members Listed

Member Name	Member Type	Term Date	Term Reason	Start Date	Club	Sponsor
Campbell, Jennifer Paula (JENNIFER)	Active-LOA	3/29/2016	Not Specified, Other:see file	10/3/2013	Redding	Jason Knox Parker
McVean, Rachel (RACHEL)	Active	1/27/2016	Business Obligations	2/20/2014	Redding	Jeter, Lisa

Calendar

May 5th 2016	TBA
May 12th	Team 2: "Stranger in My Bed" speaker Debbie Sprague, author of the Best Seller
May 19th and May 26th	TBA
June 4th	Redding Rotary Night at Tiger Fields—Colt 45 game starts at 7:15 P.M.
June 23rd	Demotion of Prez. Dave Gerard at Richard Malotky's

Birthdays and Anniversaries

Member Birthdays	Birthday	Member Anniversaries Start Date	Years
Adams, Teresa N (TERESA)	12-May	Bambauer, Sherrill (SHERRILL)	5/17/1990 26
Avery, Jeffrey G (JEFF)	10-May	Barzin, Dara (DAR)	5/27/1999 17
Barzin, Azi (AZI)	8-May	Fisher, Cindy (CINDY)	5/10/2007 9
Brace, Mary (MARY)	8-May	Fitzpatrick, John C. (JOHN)	5/27/1976 40
Bridgett, Stephanie (STEPHANIE)	17-May	Gerard, Louis J. Jr.(LOU)	5/28/1964 52
Frost, Bradley (BRADLEY)	11-May	Girimonte, Joseph A. (JOE)	5/1/1997 19
Hawkins, Nolan (NOLAN)	22-May	Hill, Rick (RICK)	5/9/1996 20
Jesrani, Anand (LUCKY)	5-May	Jesrani, Anand (LUCKY)	5/24/2012 4
Lanham, Kristy LeAnne (KRISTY)	20-May	Lyons, Kristen (KRISTEN)	5/7/2015 1
Lascelles, Mark (MARK)	2-May	Malotky, Richard (RICHARD)	5/19/1988 28
Osborn, Lara Wells (LARA)	14-May	Michiels, Tiger Joe (TIGER)	5/11/2000 16
Parker, Jason Knox (JASON)	16-May	Redmon, Maggie (MAGGIE)	5/24/2007 9
Preston, Tobias J (TOBY)	10-May	Stovall, Karen (KAREN)	3/6/1994 18
Sandhoo, Gurpreet (GURPREET)	3-May	Vail, Robert B (BRITT)	5/3/1979 37
Speer, Bill (BILL)	11-May	Waybright, Jason (JASON)	5/21/2002 14
Stewart, Kasey (KASEY)	19-May		
Sylvester, Barry W. (BARRY)	31-May		
Tallerico, Joseph A. (JOE)	2-May		
Weaver, Brent (BRENT)	5-May		
West, David (DAVID)	9-May		

Wedding Anniversaries	Partner's Name	Anniversary	Years
Ashby, Michael (MICHAEL)	Robbi	17-May	30
Burks, Gary R. (GB)	Ramona	10-May	36
Davis, Kristi K. (KRISTI)	Todd	24-May	13
Davis, Todd (TODD)	Kristi (KRISTI)	24-May	13
Fisher, Cindy (CINDY)	Ed	19-May	32
Ghidinelli, Dante W. (DAN)	Barbara	15-May	6
King, Jean M (JEAN)	Edwin (BUTCH)	25-May	21
Kipp, William P. (BILL)	Dene	27-May	62
Olmstead, Larry (LARRY)	Michele	29-May	33
Putnam, Richard Scott (SCOTT)	Natalie	24-May	19
Stone, Marjeanne (MARJEANNE)	William	2-May	29
Tate, Randy (RANDY)	Ashlee	14-May	11
Zauher, James G. (JAMES)	Leslie	24-May	42

A Wedding Reception full of Happy Guests

The meeting of April 28th 2016 was hosted by Team Mangas/Jesrani. Jennifer Finnegan provided beautiful piano music before the meeting.

Announcements

- District 5160 Training Assembly. Please make all effort to attend. See page 4.
- Team socials; Keyway Committee had a successful social at Jason Salter's. Team 1 and 2 are having a combined social next week.
- Giant's Baseball game tickets in September are still available. Please see Gary Burks.

Craft Talk

Stephanie Bridgett grew up in a military family, and moved around when she was small. She enjoyed her 3 years in Alaska. She received her B.A. in Business from CSU Hayward, and her J.D. from McGeorge Law School in Sacramento. She joined the Shasta District Attorney's Office 14-15 years ago, and has worked through various aspect of law enforcement. She is now Chief Deputy D.A. She is married and has 4 beautiful children, ages 4 to 8. Welcome Stephanie.



Stephanie Bridgett

Recognitions

Missy McAthur is all smiles. She attended her son's wedding in February. Now she is an expecting grandma! \$100 to Shan, and \$100 to the Club,

Judy Salter filed to attend her best friend Missy's son's wedding. She was traveling in Washington D.C. Her grandson was accepted by two medical schools! \$100 to her Shan, and \$100 to Missy's Shan.

Randy Smith and wife Judy are happy guests at Michelle and Jason Dell's wedding (see photo). Randy also thanked the Club for donating funds for herbicides used in the River Trail cleanup. \$100 to the Club.

Lucky Jesrani was also a happy guest in the wedding. \$100 to the Club.

Fund raiser card game

Looked like it might have turned into a family feud. Lou did not get the higher card he was hoping for. Well, it was all for a good cause. (Pictured right)



Randy and Judy Smith were happy guests.

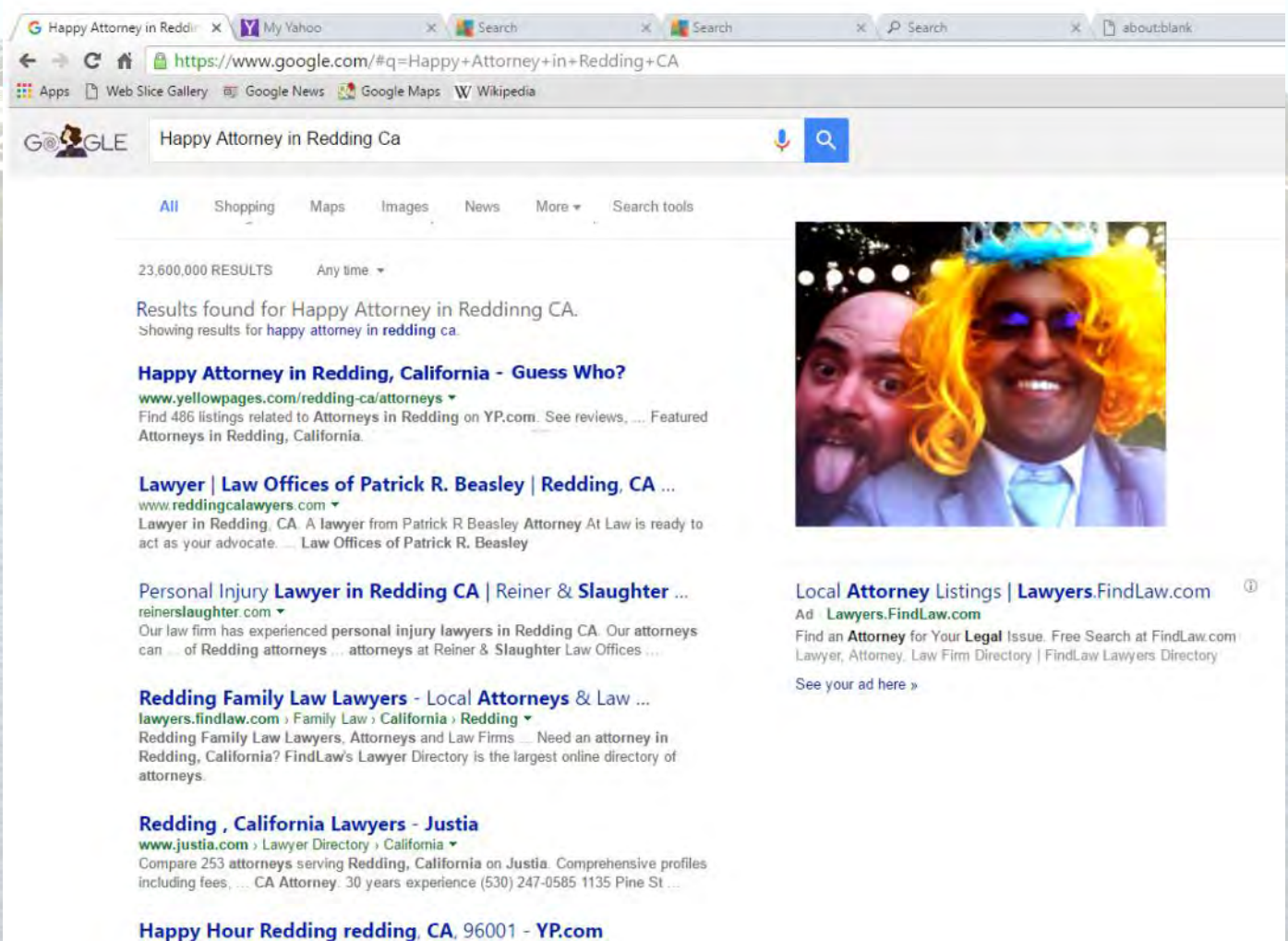


Let's Put Redding on the Map with Google

If a traveler Googled for restaurants in Redding, up to now, what he/she could find are mostly national franchises and big corporations like MacDonaldd and Olive Garden.

Redding has thousands of businesses. Less than half gets Google exposure. Jake Mangas, CEO of the Greater Redding Chamber of Commerce, wanted to change that. Using Missoula, Montana as an example, Jake organized a plan. His teammates include Tyler Whitlow of Shasta Solutions, Chelsea Hendershot of Shasta College, and fellow Rotarians Bret Christensen and Matt Morgan. The goal is to put Redding on the map with Google.

The Chamber of Commerce has scheduled two FREE workshops to teach how to get listed with Google. All are invited to attend. Please refer to the announcement on the next page. The noon workshop directed by Rotarian Bret Christensen was already filled. There are a few slots in the evening event, directed by Rotarian Matt Morgan.



The screenshot shows a Google search interface with the query "Happy Attorney in Redding Ca". The search results page displays 23,600,000 results. The top results include:

- Happy Attorney in Redding, California - Guess Who?** from www.yellowpages.com/redding-ca/attorneys. It mentions 486 listings related to attorneys in Redding on YP.com.
- Lawyer | Law Offices of Patrick R. Beasley | Redding, CA ...** from www.reddingcalawyers.com. It describes a lawyer from Patrick R. Beasley Attorney At Law ready to act as an advocate.
- Personal Injury Lawyer in Redding CA | Reiner & Slaughter ...** from reinerslaughter.com. It states the law firm has experienced personal injury lawyers in Redding CA.
- Redding Family Law Lawyers - Local Attorneys & Law ...** from lawyers.findlaw.com. It lists family law attorneys and law firms in Redding, California.
- Redding, California Lawyers - Justia** from www.justia.com. It compares 253 attorneys serving Redding, California on Justia.
- Happy Hour Redding redding, CA, 96001 - YP.com**

On the right side of the search results, there is a photograph of two men. One man is wearing a blue crown and a yellow wig, and the other is sticking his tongue out. Below the photo is an advertisement for **Local Attorney Listings | Lawyers.FindLaw.com**, which includes a link to Lawyers.FindLaw.com and a description of the service.

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CONTACT Bret Christensen
bret@pacificsky.co

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EVENING

DATE Monday, May 2
TIME 5:30PM - 7:00PM
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