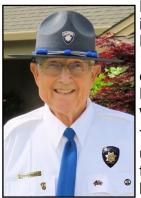


CHP Volunteer Program

Rotarian Tom Stovall was our speaker today for the California Highway Patrol (CHP) Volunteer



Tom Stovall, CHP Senior Volunteer

Program as one of their Senior Volunteers. He was introduced by Lt. Scott Fredricks of the CHP's Northern Division. The Northern Division boundaries encompass the 13 northern most California counties from the rugged coastlines to the west, to the Oregon and Nevada borders, Northern California boasts many of the world's natural wonders.

The main objective of the CHP Volunteer program is to keep uniformed officers on the road. Volunteers do the menial jobs that always need completing in a governmental organization like the California Highway Patrol. Presently there are 13 authorized volunteers both men and women. Each one has

undergone an extensive background check taking several months to complete. As an example, when Tom joined up, –

Chuck Spafford, CHP Senior Volunteer

every person that lives on his street received a questionnaire about him!



Tom helps represent the CHP at the Shasta District Fair.

The duties of Senior Volunteers are numerous and include things like holding monthly meetings with public information officers, monitoring of out-of-state vehicle licenses, ride along assistance, patrol car shuttle service, Age Well Drive Smart educational programming, regular divisional reporting, and representing the CHP at local charity events and informational venues... just to name a few.

Both Tom and Rotarian Chuck Spafford currently serve on the CHP Volunteer Program with CHP's Northern Division. Chuck's focus is on the Age Well Drive

Smart educational programming. He has been responsible for helping dozens of members of our community refresh their driving capabilities and familiarize themselves with the ever changing rules of the road.

Tom emphasized a particular line in the CHP Code of Honor. Each CHP officer swears to, "...Assist those in peril or distress, and, if necessary, lay down my life rather than swerve from the path of duty..."

Thank you to all of the men and women who serve in the Northern



Chuck Spafford teaches an Age Well Drive Smart class.

Division of the California Highway Patrol!

This Week's Meeting

This meeting was brought to you by Team 5 captained by Jeff Avery & Matt Morgan. Greeters were Rush Lenroot, Vickie Marler, and Harry Grashoff. They were joined by Keyway Greeters Jim Schlueter and Kathy Malain. The Spin the Wheel game tickets were sold by Leslie Williem and Rich Gifford. The pledge was lead by Jennifer Finnegan; the invocation was given by Mike Mangas; the Sergeant-at-arms were John Dunlap and Chuck Spafford. Finally, PP Dick Green introduced our visiting Rotarians and guests. Thank you to everyone for working together for a great meeting!

President Richard's Recognitions

President Richard recognized several Rotarians this week for everything from world-wide excursions to their smiling faces! Here are the lucky recognized Rotarians and their gifts to the club:

Teresa Adams visited Cancun in November, Boise in December, Orlando in September, Santa Rosa in October, and Sacramento last weekend. WOW! She shared \$100 to the club and \$100 to her Paul Harris for her globetrotting experiences.

Vickie Marler shared that she and her husband Bob went on safari in Africa for three weeks in December; she shared \$100 to the club and \$100 for her husband's Paul Harris.

Tom Semingson bought his wife a new truck and gave \$200 to the club for the experience

Dick Green gave \$100 to the club for President Richard simply because he's so likeable and has such a wonderful smiling face.

Ron Reynolds gave \$100 to the club because he so enjoys playing dice games with President Richard (where Ron always wins).

Gary Burks went to New Orleans recently for work but enjoyed himself while he was there. He also announced that he's going to be a grandfather! He gave \$100 to his club and gave \$100 to start a new Paul Harris for his future grandbaby.

Thank you all for your generosity!

Welcome New Members!

Our club inducted in three new members this week! Arturo "Art" Sevilla (Empire Recovery Services) is sponsored by Marjeanne Stone. Rachael Hatch (McConnell Foundation) is sponsored by Lee Salter. Mark Woodward is a returning Rotarian coming back after a 10 year absence and is sponsored by Greg Balkovek and Karen Stovall. Welcome to the Rotary Club of Redding!



Art Sevilla (with sponsor Marjeanne Stone)



Rachael Hatch (with sponsor Lee Salter)



Mark Woodward (with sponsor Karen Stovall)

Calendar	
February 1st	Internet Safety - Sarah Murphy (Office of the District Attorney)
February 8th	Step-Up program - Tom Bosenko / Eva Jimenez-Koeberer
February 15th	Economic Development Corp. (EDC) Program—Tony Giovaniello

