



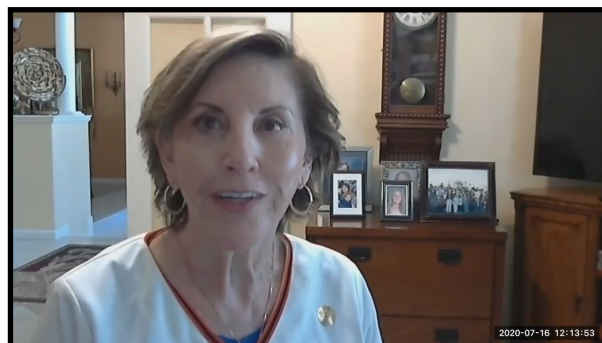
## President Jake Mangas Takes The Reins

President Elect, Joe Ayer presided over the installation of The Rotary Club of Redding President, Jake Mangas. The Rotary presidents pin was applied by Jake's dad, Mike. Gifts to help Jake during his year included several SF Giants baseball jerseys with Jake's name and title on them. Also presented was a very nice bouquet from Jake's family.



Most important to any Rotary president are the recommendations from past presidents regarding the next Rotary year. The three past Rotary presidents were Amelia Ward, Ed Rullman and Greg Dunbar.

First from past president Amelia Ward was to be sure to hang on to the Rotary bell. This must have haunted Amelia during her year. Next she said to be humble and kind. Finally enjoy being president.



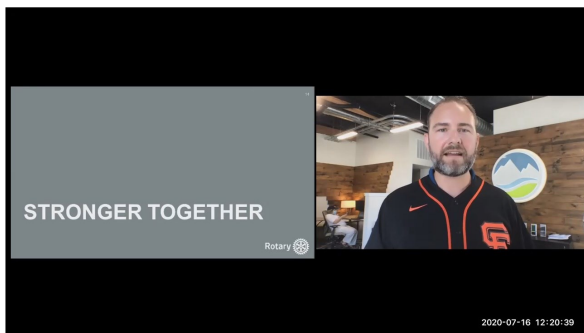
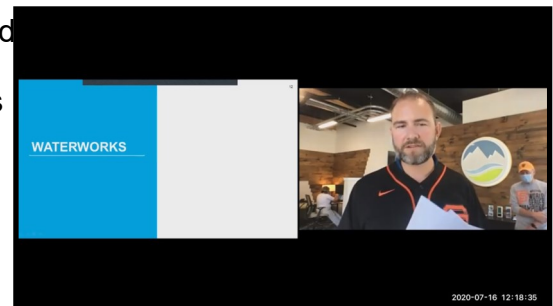
Past President Ed Rullman's advice was to enjoy your year. It is your club to get things done. Don't worry about anything negative but turn those things into a positive.



Finally past president Greg Dunbar's advice was a quote from somewhere. "I never knew a horse that couldn't be rode and a cowboy that couldn't be thrown."

## August 7th Rotary Water Works Park Cancelled

Kristi Davis regretfully announced that due to Covid 19 and the Governor's order to limit gatherings, the Water Works Park Family Night was cancelled for this year.



Next President Jake thanked Past President Jeff Avery for a great Rotary year. Jake mentioned that using Jeff's example, Rotary is always "Stronger Together." Together anything is possible. Rotarians are people of action.

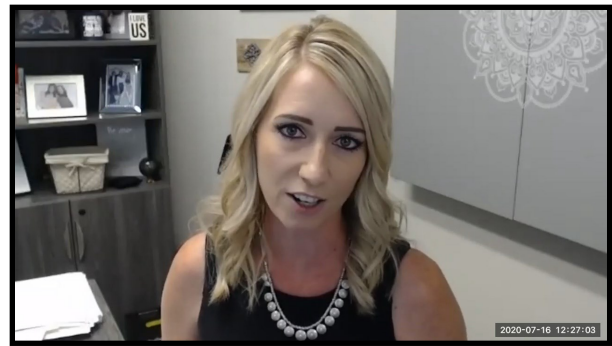
**A comment from your Express editor: A big thanks to Mary Brace and Jennifer Finnegan for their work putting the Zoom meetings together. Mary and Jennifer have practiced using Zoom. Wendy Dickens has been very involved as well. They are responsible for all the organization and presentation. Good job!!!**

## When Did You Become a Rotarian?

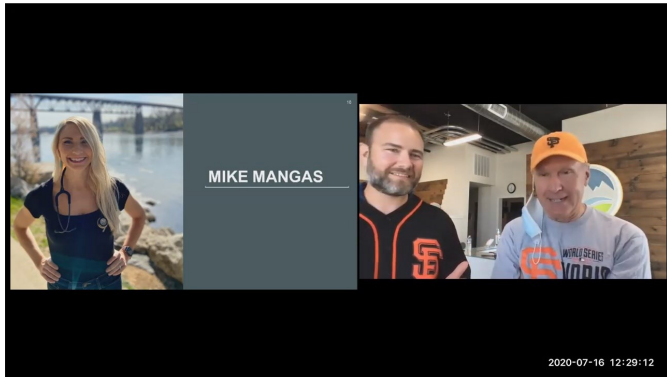
Something that Jake has initiated for this year is asking Redding Rotarians to share when it was that they really became a Rotarian. This would be when you participated in a project or had an experience that changed your life. It could be while serving on the Board of Directors or even being President.

At some time in every Rotarians life, something happens to make you proud to be a Rotarian. It stands out as something very special.

First to tell us when she became a real Rotarian was Michelle Nystrom. Michelle said she had been given a Rotary award on one occasion. She looked into what the award meant, discovering the dedication and good work that Rotarians did all over the world. The principles of Rotary and the Four Way Test really impressed her. She wanted to be part of that organization. She said she became a Rotarian before she was inducted into the club.

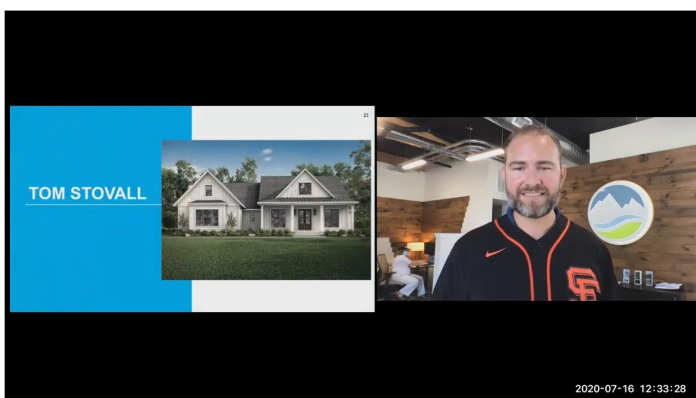
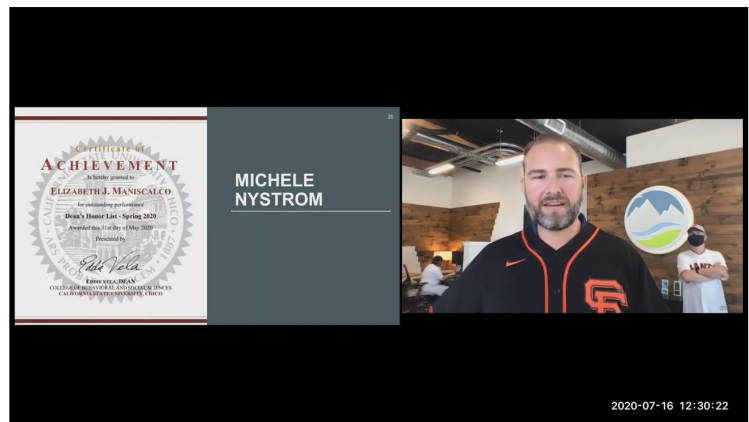


## Jake's Recognitions



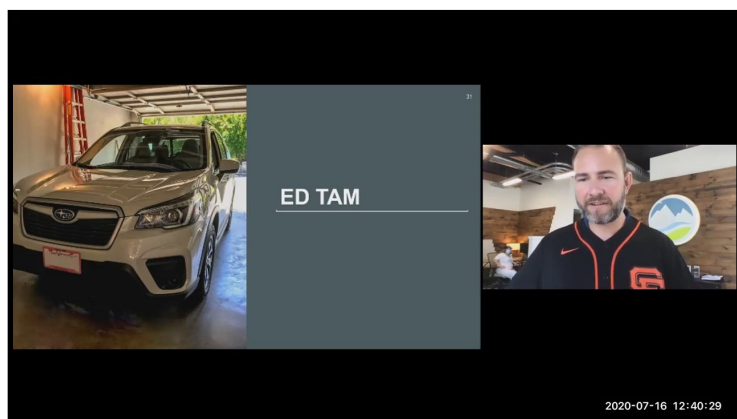
Wouldn't you know, Jake started his recognitions with his dad. Shown in the picture is Jake's little sister. It seems Mike's daughter is a real achiever. She has always been interested in a medical career. Having worked hard in school she became a nurse and upon graduating got a job right away at Mercy Medical Center. She is working in the neuro-cardiology department. Mike donated \$100 to the club.

Next was Michelle Nystrom's daughter making the Dean's List at school. She will be graduating college next year. Several images honored Michelle. She was seen hiking 2 1/2 miles to a mountain lake and a great picture of Michelle with her grandfather. Thanks Michelle for the \$100 donation.



Tom Stovall was next discovering nothing is kept secret within Rotary. It seems Tom and Karen considered selling their ranch. While checking out a new home the real estate agent said she had someone interested in The Stovall ranch. The deal was done before the ranch was even listed. Tom donated what he pledged. Karen wants to save hers for celebrating her new grand daughter.

## Recognitions Continued



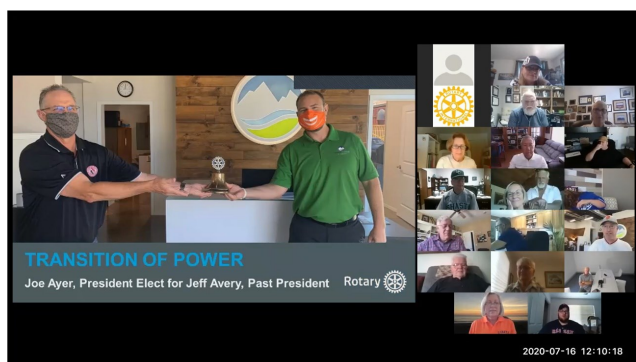
Ed Tam found that even hiding his new Subaru hatchback in the garage wasn't safe from Rotary eyes. Ed said he and Irene wanted to do their share to support the economy. Ed gave \$100 to his Paul Harris and \$100 to the club. Nice looking car Ed.

## Comment from Randy Smith

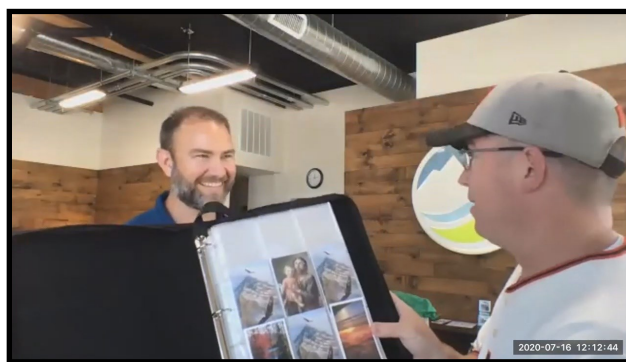
Jake called on Randy Smith to discuss a team project that was being set up for August. We know Randy is dedicated to restoring the river banks of the Sacramento River. His project for his team is to recover a mile of flood plain near Riverview Golf and Country Club. The shocking truth is no one stepped up on the team to take part. Randy is pushing forward in making this a club project. The date is Friday August 8th the day after the **cancelled** Rotary Water Works Evening event.

Kristi mentioned to Randy, she and a group could launch a boat above the project and sail down to the event. There could be a picnic and loads of fun. Keep your eyes open as this could be not only a great project, but loads of fun.

## Pictures from the July 16th Zoom Meeting



Transfer of the Redding Rotary Bell

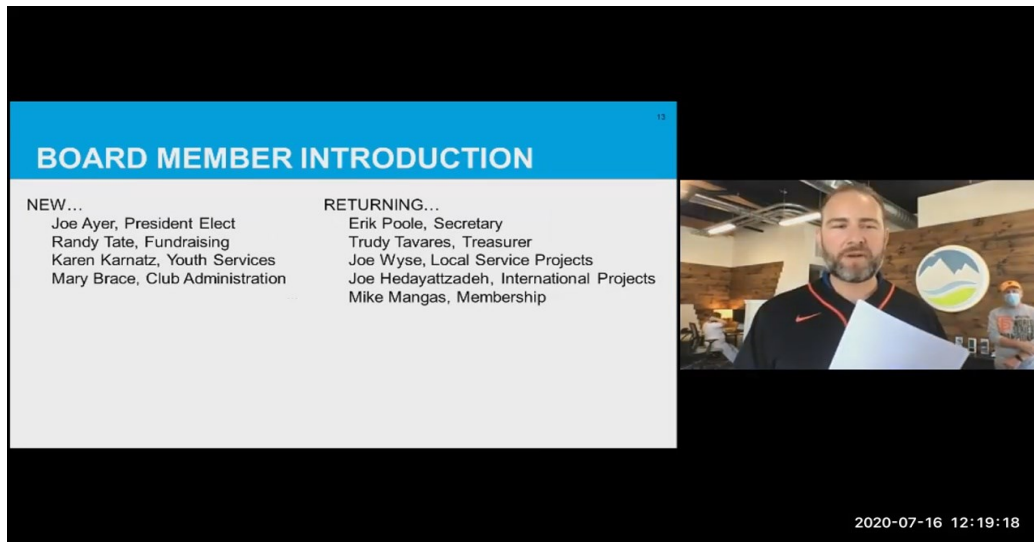


A book of presidential advice from Rotarians

## Calendar July 2020

July 23rd	Dignity Health: Opioid Use in Shasta County
July 30th	McConnell Foundation Scholarships: The Meaning of Merit
August 6th	Dark: No Meeting Since Waterworks cancelled. Maybe a Zoom meeting.
August 7th	Family Social at Waterworks Park! <b>Cancelled due to Covid-19</b>
August 8th	River Shore Project near Riverview Golf & CC: Randy Smith for details

# Meeting Pictures Continued



**Jake's Redding Rotary Board of Directors and Officers**



**Jake's jerseys presented by President Elect Joe Ayer**



**Jake closes his first meeting.**



**The Zoom meeting with great participation.**

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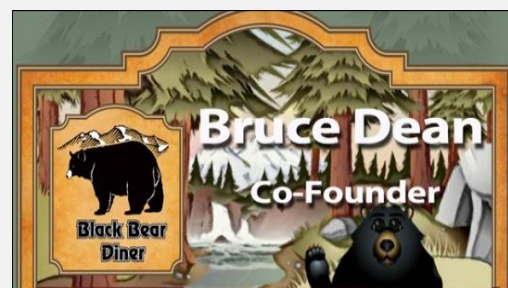
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