



Happy New Year!

Dear Fellow Rotarians,

As I sit here tonight with family and friends on New Year's eve, I am taking a moment to think of all the things that I am grateful for. Grateful for a great wife, and spectacular kids. Grateful for a career that allows me to serve others. I am thankful every day for our Rotary club.

Having been in 3 Rotary clubs over the last 20 years, has blessed me in so many ways I cannot start to count the ways. However, as the president of our club this year I thought maybe I would highlight a few great things that we have accomplished in the last 6 months.

Some of you may remember that I had 3 goals for my year. 1. Meet in person, 2. Increase membership, 3. Have fun. The board of directors with the leadership of Jake, were able to get us back to meeting in person at the Elk's Club. Unlike other facilities that were unable to welcome us back, The Elk's opened their doors to us and other clubs to meet again in person. Under the leadership of Mary Brace, board liaison and chair of the AV committee, with help from Todd Davis, were able to install key technology components to allow for us to have projection, audio, etc. I know there are areas of the facility that could be improved, but we are grateful to have a place to meet. I encourage you to attend in person if you are not.

Number 2 was to increase membership. In our rotary District of 72 clubs, we are one of only 3 that have more than 100 members. Our 140 members is second only to the Chico club that is at 179. I believe all clubs have seen a dip in their membership as our world has changed in how it interacts. Our membership committee under the leadership of Michelle Nystrom from the Board, and Greg Balkovek and Karen Stovall as Co-Chairs, have been working hard to fine tune our membership processes. I would encourage each of you to consider finding someone in your circle to bring to Rotary and propose for membership.

Finally, number 3, have fun. We have been having fun from the day I jumped out of a real casket!!!! From team socials to club parties, and the many opportunities to volunteer, FUN has been our middle name.

So....6 months in, I would say we are having a great time, as Redding Rotarians. I look forward to seeing you all at our club assembly on Thursday January 6th, as we plan for the next 6 months of making our world a better place.

It is truly an honor to be your president this year.

Happy New Year!!!!

-Joe



Birthdays and Anniversaries

Rotary District 5160 Club: Redding

Birthdays and Anniversaries for 01/01/2022 to 01/31/2022

Member Birthdays	Birthday
Burks, Ryan (RYAN)	28-Jan
Carter, Parvin (PARVIN)	21-Jan
Corey, Patrick (PATRICK)	25-Jan
Dacquisto, Michael (MICHAEL)	2-Jan
Fisher, Cindy (CINDY)	8-Jan
Ghidinelli, Dante W. (DAN)	4-Jan
Greek, Rory (RORY)	22-Jan
Hedayattzadeh, Saeed (SAEED)	29-Jan
Hill, Rick (RICK)	30-Jan
Hurst, Fred (FRED)	26-Jan
McCurdy, Andrew (ANDY)	1-Jan
Michiels, Tiger Joe (TIGER)	19-Jan
Salter, Lee W. (LEE)	31-Jan
Waybright, Jason (JASON)	23-Jan

Partner Birthdays	Member Name	Birthday
Ayer, Kara (KARA)	Ayer, Joe	16-Jan
Clark, Cheryl	Clark, Steven	26-Jan
Hedayattzadeh, Tamera	Hedayattzadeh, Saeed	28-Jan
Michiels, Tiger (TIGER)	Michiels, Susan K.	19-Jan
Myers, Scott	Myers, Lindsay	8-Jan
Tippin, Joanne	Tippin, Barry	15-Jan
Williem, Eli	Williem, Leslie	21-Jan

Member Anniversaries	Start Date	Years
Anthony, Nikki (NIKKI)	1/3/13	9
Carter, Parvin (PARVIN)	1/17/13	9
Davis, Todd (TODD)	1/16/14	8
Hall, Norman (NORMAN)	1/17/19	3
Hatch, Rachel (RACHEL)	1/25/18	4
Maurer, Robert E. (ROBERT)	1/3/91	31
McEfee, Todd (TODD)	1/28/21	1
Myers, Lindsay (LINDSAY)	1/21/21	1
Nickraves, Sheva (SHEVA)	1/29/15	7
Northrup, Joel (JOEL)	1/7/21	1
Orozco, Maria T (MO)	1/17/02	20
Putnam, Richard Scott (SCOTT)	1/10/02	20
Rincon, Mark A (MARK)	1/10/02	20
Scarr, Brian (BRIAN)	1/18/18	4
Sevilla, Art (ART)	1/25/18	4
Tippin, Barry (BARRY)	1/18/18	4

Wedding Anniversaries	Partner's Name	Anniversary	Years
Baker, Laurie (LAURIE)	Bill (BILL)	14-Jan	27
Ball, Mark D. M.D.(MARK)	Kelly (KELLY)	6-Jan	21
Salter, Lee W. (LEE)	Judy	3-Jan	19
Tavares, Trudy L. (TRUDY)	Ernie	10-Jan	41



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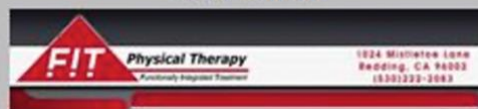
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Jan. 6	Club Assembly
Jan. 13	Tribal History, Jack Potter
Jan. 20	Emergent 3D, Don Ajamian
Jan. 27	Shasta County Update, Matt Pointes