

## **Dignity Health Oncology Center**

## Getting Things Started...

After calling our meeting to order by **President Mark Ball**, Team 2 Co-Captain PP **Greg Balkovek**, (Co-Captain **Laurie Baker**), announced the members of the team serving today. **Ken Wood** led the flag salute, **Mark Rincon** gave the invocation, **PP Ed Rullman** introduced our guests and visitors and **Rory Greek** served as Sergeant-At-Arms. Greeters were **Gary Parkinson and Phil McCarthy**, Keyway greeter was **Joshua Johnson**. **Larry Olmstead** did ticket sales and **Bret Christensen** was the team photographer.

## On the mic today...



President Mark... leading the meeting



Mark Rincon... with the invocation



PP Ed Rullman ... welcoming our guests



PP Greg Balkovek... Intoducing Team 2

	Calendar
Dec. 8	Dark, Christmas party on the 9th
Dec. 15	Past President's meeting
Dec. 22	Dark
Dec. 29	Dark

## **Announcements**

**Dee Domke** is still needing bell ringers for December 9th, 16th, and the 17th. Please reach out to her if you can volunteer.

**PP Amelia Ward** reminded us of the upcoming club Christmas party happening on December 9th. Time is limited to reserve your spot.

In honor of the great work done by the leadership team of the Haunted House Fundraiser, Maurice Johannessen has donated \$100 to each of these leader's Paul Harris. Great work everyone for an incredibly successful effort!

## **Blue Badges**

Congratulations to the very speedy efforts of **Trisha Funk** and **Joshua Johnson** in completing the requirements for their blue badges. **Michelle Nystrom** did the honors with the badge presentations

## **Vocational Service Award**

The Vocational Service Award is presented annually to an individual or business in the community who has exemplified outstanding professional achievement while maintaining very high ethical standards. Sometimes the awardee is a Rotarian, but often it is not.

Michelle Nystrom and Jarod Vanlandingham presented this year's award to the Gerlinger family, owners of Gerlinger Steel & Supply Co. At our meeting to accept the award (shown left to right in the photo) was Violette, Fred, and Scott.





## Recognitions

**Gary Parkinson** was recognized for the birth of his first grandchild, a beautiful granddaughter. He also led an annual golf trip with his business team. \$100 for the granddaughter and \$100 for the golf trip.





**PP Greg Balkovek** has had a busy recent few months with a visit from his granddaughter, a trip to Saskatchewan, a trip to Yellowstone, among other activities. \$100 to his Paul Harris & \$100 to the club.

## **Program - Regional Cancer Center**

Maggie Redmon introduced our two speakers for today, Todd Smith, President of Mercy Medical Center Redding, and retired physician Dr. Dave Civalier. Todd and Dave gave us an update on the progress of the new cancer treatment center coming to the property purchased by Dignity at the corner of Cypress and Hartnell.

Wiht expanded capacity, this new center will bring together in one location the services currently being offered in four separate locations in Redding. At a cost of around \$70 million, the 40,000 square foot facility will improve a number of things for patients receiving cancer treatment care:



Mercy Medical Center President **Todd Smith** with a preliminary architect's rendering of the new Center.

- All treatment rooms will have windows with a view
- Improved efficiencies for treatment procedures
- Ability to bring to Redding specialist currently located in Sacramento
- State of the art equipment
- Improved ability to recruit new surgeons and oncologists
- More opportunities for cancer trials
- Reduce the need for patients to travel to Sacramento and the Bay Area for treatment

Some interesting statistics were shared by **Dr. Dave Civalier** about the higher than average rates of cancer in the North State. This information served to highlight the need for such a center to be located in Redding.

Ground breaking is expected to take place in about a year and a half, with a build-out time of about one year.

# **Birthdays and Anniversaries**

Birthdays and Anniversaries for 12/01/2022 to 12/31/2022

Member Birthdays	Birthday
Dennis, David L (DAVID)	2-Dec
Domke, Doreeta (DEE)	16-Dec
Donoho, Tonja (TONJA)	1-Dec
Gerard, Louis J. Jr. (PDG LOU)	26-Dec
Grant, James M. (JIM)	17-Dec
Northrup, Joel (JOEL)	28-Dec
Reynolds, Charles Ronald (RON)	4-Dec
Richart, Jason (JASON)	12-Dec
Scott, McGregor (GREG)	2-Dec
Seamans, Brian (BRIAN)	7-Dec
Sevilla, Art (ART)	18-Dec
Smithson, Arthur J. (ART)	30-Dec
Wyse, Joe (JOE)	20-Dec

Partner Birthdays	Member Name	Birthday
Malain, Guy (GUY)	Malain, Kathy	27-Dec
Martin, Fredericka (FREDDIE)	Martin, Wayne	9-Dec
Northrup, Cheri	Northrup, Joel	19-Dec
Vanlandingham, Carol	Vanlandingham, Jerrod	14-Dec

Member Anniversaries	Start Date		Years
Flack, Martin (MARTIN)		12/8/16	6
Jelke, Jeanne (JEANNE)		12/12/13	9
Mangas, Mike (MIKE)		12/22/05	17
Martin, Wayne (WAYNE)		12/19/19	3
McElvain, Courtney (COURTNEY)		12/12/13	9
Poole, Erik C. (ERIK)		12/11/08	14
Reguera, Tiffany (TIFFANY)		12/6/18	4
Rullman, Bradley D. (BRAD)		12/19/19	3
Spafford, Charles H. (CHUCK)		12/2/82	40
Stewart, Ray (RAY)		12/17/92	30

Wedding Anniversaries	Partner's Name	Anniversary	Years
Allen, Robert O. (BOB)	Cindy	31-Dec	17
Brace, Mary (MARY)	Todd	29-Dec	10
Dennis, David L (DAVID)	Patricia	28-Dec	59
Fitch, Stephen (STEPHEN)	Vicki (VICKI)	28-Dec	59
Gallino, Donald F. (DON)	Eileen	31-Dec	69
Giovaniello, Anthony (TONY)	Kelli (KELLI)	29-Dec	35
Johnson, Joshua (JOSHUA)	Rebeka (BEKAH)	18-Dec	8
McElvain, Courtney (COURTNEY)	Adam	22-Dec	19
Northrup, Joel (JOEL)	Cheri	1-Dec	15
Salter, Jason (JASON)	Irene	30-Dec	18

# **Changes In Membership**

## **Rotary District 5160-Redding New Membership Listing**

New Members From: **Nov-01-2022** To: **Dec-02-2022** 

Member Name	MemberType	Start Date	Club	Sponsor	Classification
				Michael Ashby	
Knott, Allen A (ALLEN)	Active	11/10/22	Redding	Todd Jones	



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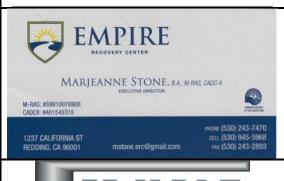
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